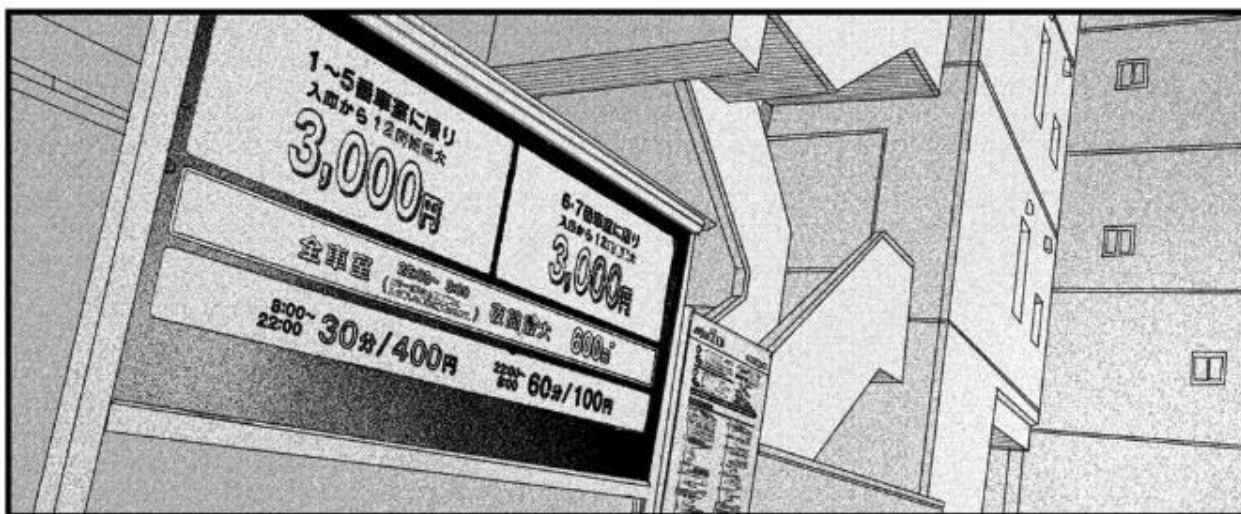




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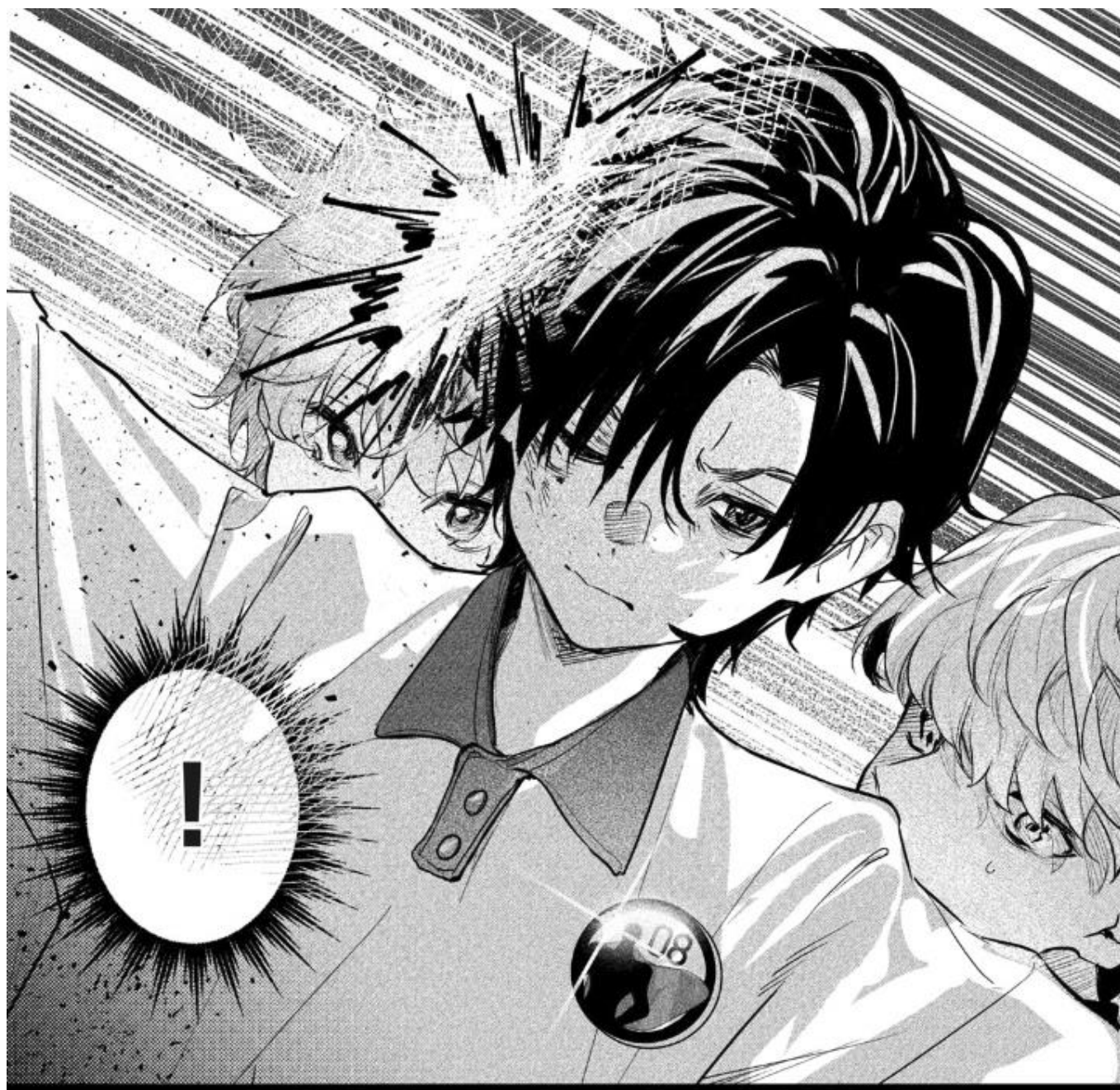


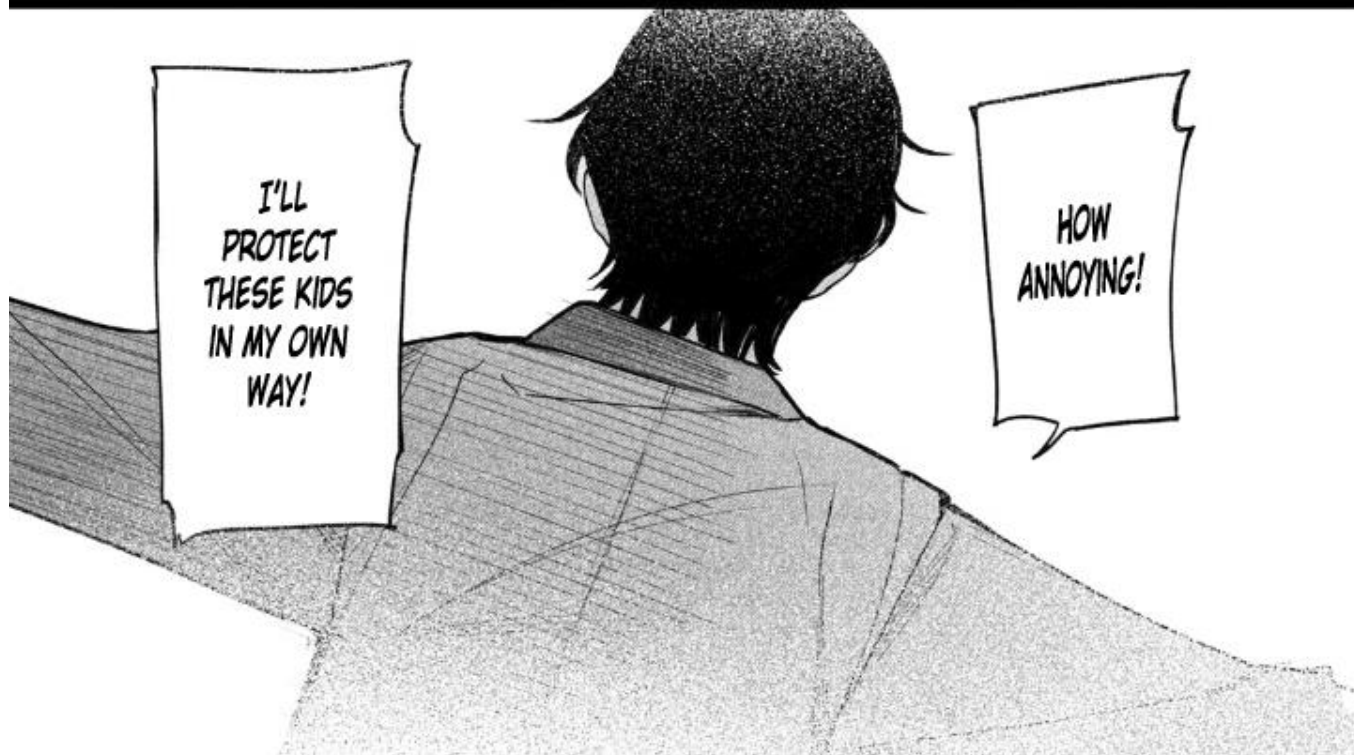
















SINCE HE
HAD NO FAMILY,
GIN-CHAN WAS
THE ONLY ONE
WHO SERIOUSLY
CARED FOR AND
PROTECTED
HIM.



IT
WASN'T ME...
YOU WERE
THE ONE WHO
SAVED YU,

EVEN AT
THE COST OF
YOUR OWN
LIFE.

WE
MANAGED
TO GET YU
BACK.

ALL
THANKS
TO YOU,
GIN-CHAN.

FINALLY...

...



WHY WOULD
THIS GUY
DO ALL THIS
FOR YU?

YES, IT WAS
ALWAYS
STRANGE.



FEAR...

ANXIETY
FOR THE
FUTURE.

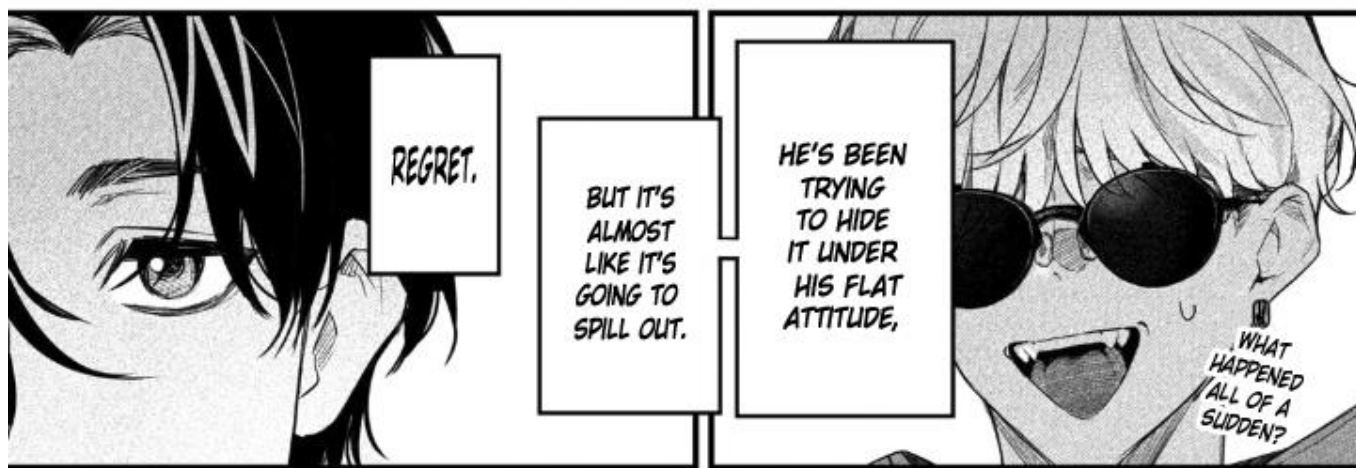
JOY...

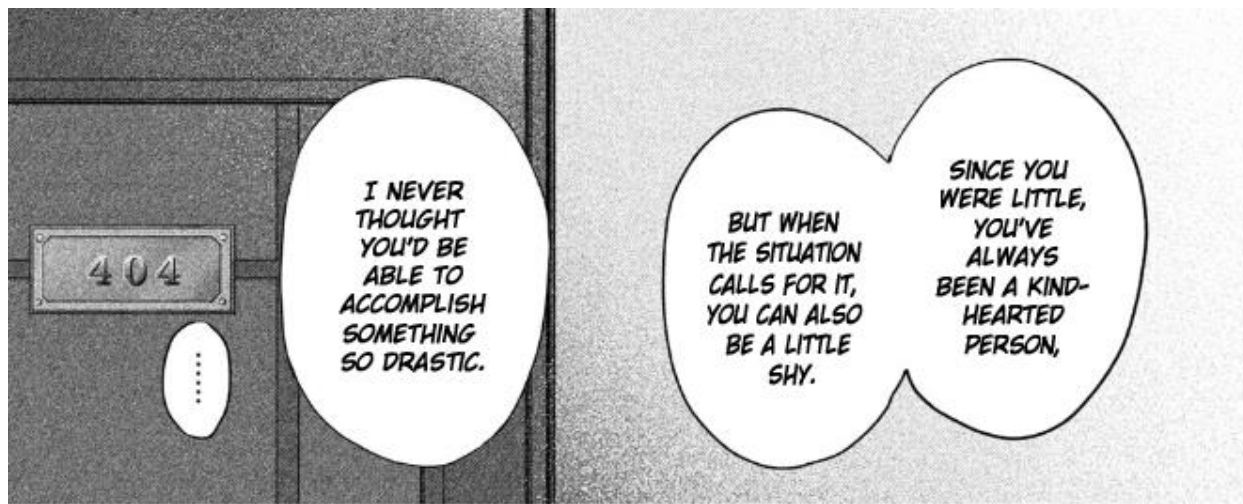
HOPE...

THE EMOTIONS
I FEEL FROM
THIS GUY RIGHT
NOW MAKE
ME FEEL
LIKE I CAN
GET YU BACK.



AFTER...







BY INVOLVING
ME, YOU RUINED
MY LIFE, WHICH
WAS SUPPOSED
TO BE EASY.

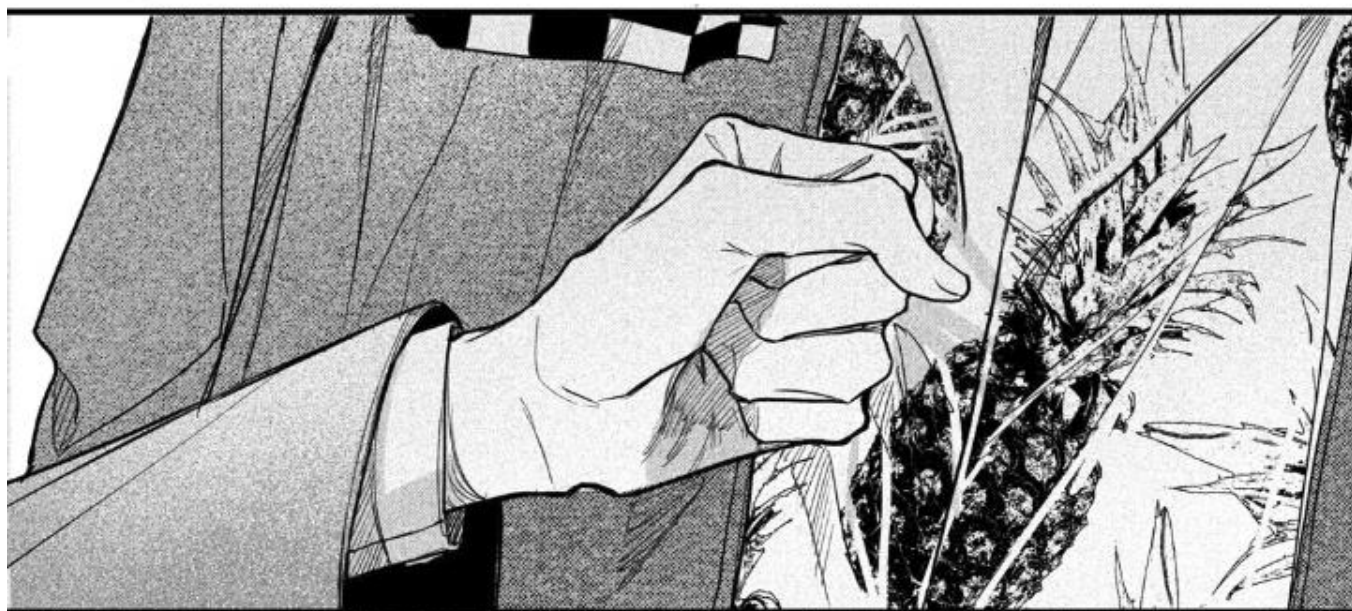
I FORGIVE
YOU FOR
EVERYTHING.

KEI.

YOU PUT ME
IN A SITUATION
WHERE I DIDN'T
KNOW IF I
WOULD LIVE
OR DIE
TOMORROW.

EVEN IF
YOU HAVE
OTHER THINGS
TO FEEL
GUILTY
ABOUT,

I'LL
FORGIVE
YOU ALL
OF THEM.







THE CHILD
TO RECEIVE
THE HIGHEST
QUALITY
EDUCATION
POSSIBLE.

I
HEARD THE
DIRECTOR
EXPLAIN TO
OTHER STAFF
MEMBERS,
THAT HE
WANTED...

A WEALTHY
COUPLE
TOOK IN A
HEALTHY AND
INTELLIGENT
CHILD.

OF COURSE,
WE DIDN'T KNOW
ANYTHING, AND
THE ADULTS AT
THE FACILITY,
OTHER THAN
THE DIRECTOR,
DIDN'T KNOW
THE TRUTH
EITHER.



I THOUGHT
IT WOULD BE
VERY DIFFICULT
TO GET A HIGH-
LEVEL EDUCATION,
AND SINCE
I LIKE...

MECHANICAL
THINGS, I
THOUGHT I
WOULD JUST
WANT TO LEARN
ABOUT IT...

OH,
NO!

THAT'S
WHAT I
THOUGHT.

HE SAID
THAT THE
TEST WAS
TO SELECT
THE CHILD,

AND I
REALIZED
THAT I DID
PRETTY
WELL ON
THAT TEST.

I THOUGHT
THEY WEREN'T
GOING TO
CHOOSE HIM.



AS I
THOUGHT,
I WAS IN
FIRST PLACE.

I SECRETLY
TOOK A LOOK
AT THE TEST
RESULTS.



カッ
I
EXCHANGED
YU'S TEST
RESULTS
FOR MINE.

SO...



ONE THING
IS THAT
THE TEST
RESULTS WERE
JUST SIMILAR
TO MINE.

WHY WITH
YU?

...



TO GET
A GOOD
EDUCATION
IN A GOOD
HOME.

AT THAT
TIME, YU'S
FUTURE
WAS...

ALTHOUGH YU
IS A GOOD
PERSON,

HE HAS
NO DESIRE
TO IMPROVE
LIKE GIN-CHAN,
NOR DOES HE
HAVE CLEAR
PREFERENCES
LIKE ME.



UNNE-
CESSARILY
INTRUSIVE,
EXAGGERATED,
AND SHITTY
EXCUSE.

ONE OF
THE THINGS
I CAME UP
WITH WAS
AN...



IN FACT, I
THOUGHT I
WAS DOING
SOMETHING
FOR YU.

AT FIRST
I DIDN'T
FEEL
GUILTY;



ALL YU
WANTED
WAS...

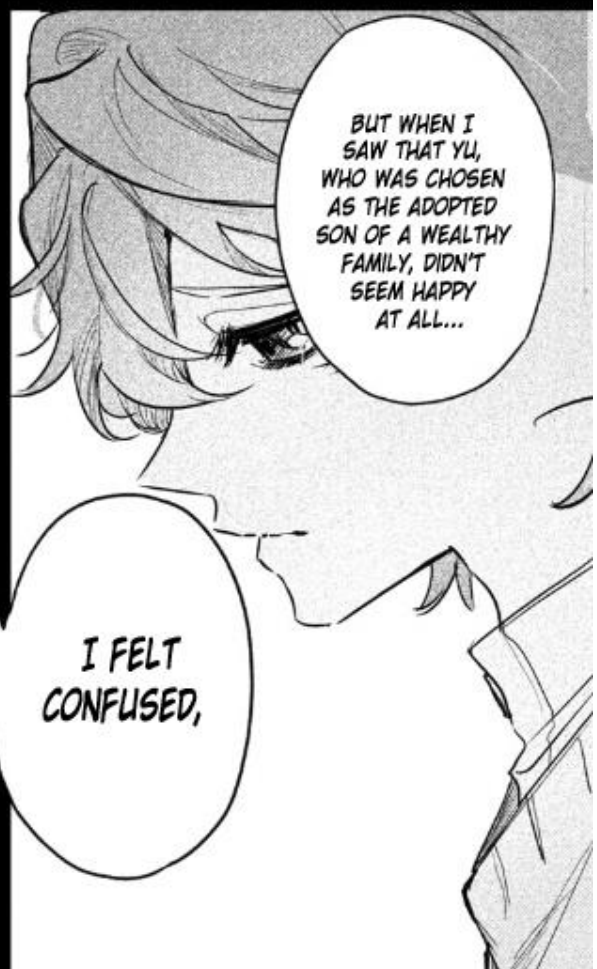
...TO
BE WITH
GIN-CHAN
AND ME.



I DIDN'T
KNOW THAT
YU WAS...

GOING TO
SEE HELL
BECAUSE
OF ME.

BUT I
COULDN'T SAY
OR DO ANYTHING
AT THAT MOMENT,
SO I WATCHED
AS YU WAS
TAKEN AWAY.



BUT WHEN I
SAW THAT YU,
WHO WAS CHOSEN
AS THE ADOPTED
SON OF A WEALTHY
FAMILY, DIDN'T
SEEM HAPPY
AT ALL...

I FELT
CONFUSED,



I
SUDDENLY
STARTED
THINKING
ABOUT YU.

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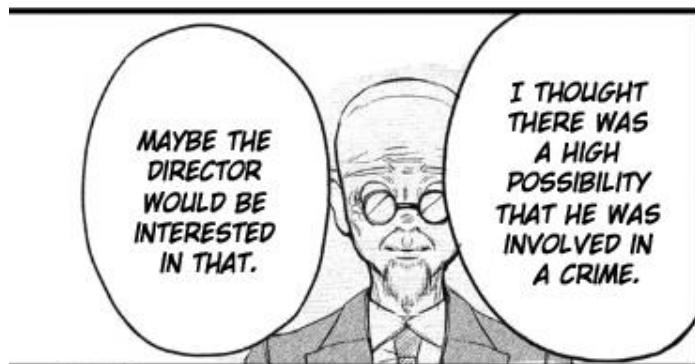
I WAS
GIVEN PROPER
FREEDOM AND
THE RIGHT
TO LEARN
WHATEVER
I WANTED.

AFTER THAT,
A FOSTER
FATHER ALSO
APPEARED
FOR ME
AND...



I WANTED
TO THINK
THAT WHAT
I DID WASN'T
WRONG.

I
WONDERED
IF HE WAS
LIVING
HAPPILY.



MAYBE THE
DIRECTOR
WOULD BE
INTERESTED
IN THAT.

I THOUGHT
THERE WAS
A HIGH
POSSIBILITY
THAT HE WAS
INVOLVED IN
A CRIME.



THIN
THREAD...

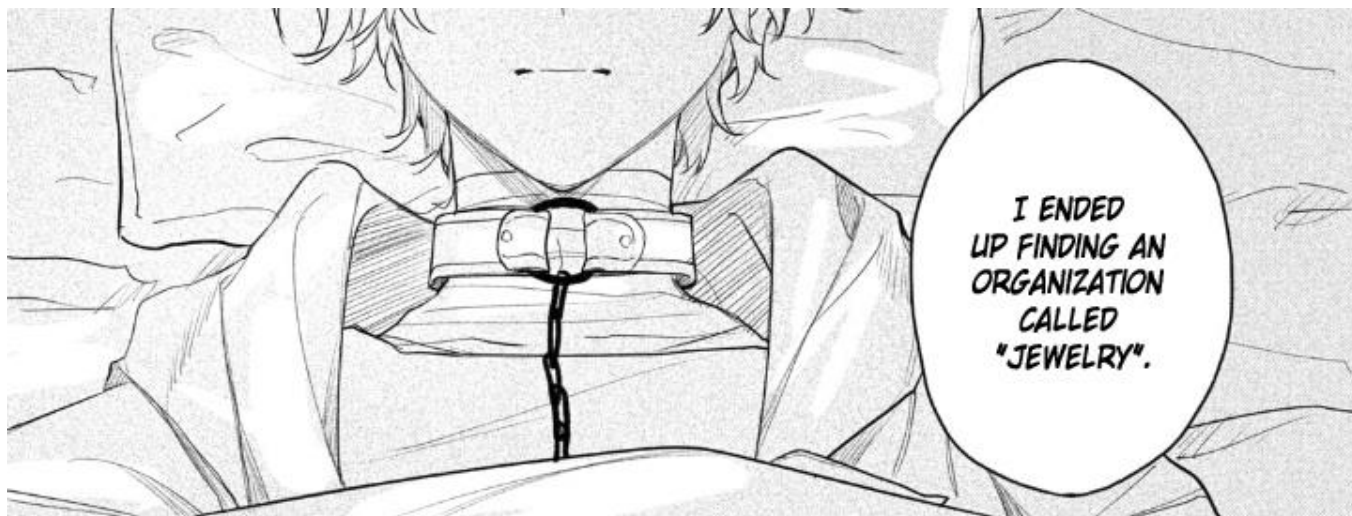
I
FOLLOWED
AND TRACED
A...

I HACKED
INTO THE
DIRECTOR'S
COMPUTER AND
CHECKED ALL
HIS EMAILS
AND STUFF.



YU WAS
NOWHERE
TO BE
FOUND SO I
DESPERATELY
SEARCHED
FOR HIM.

FROM
THERE
IT'S LIKE
I SAID
BEFORE.



I ENDED
UP FINDING AN
ORGANIZATION
CALLED
"JEWELRY".

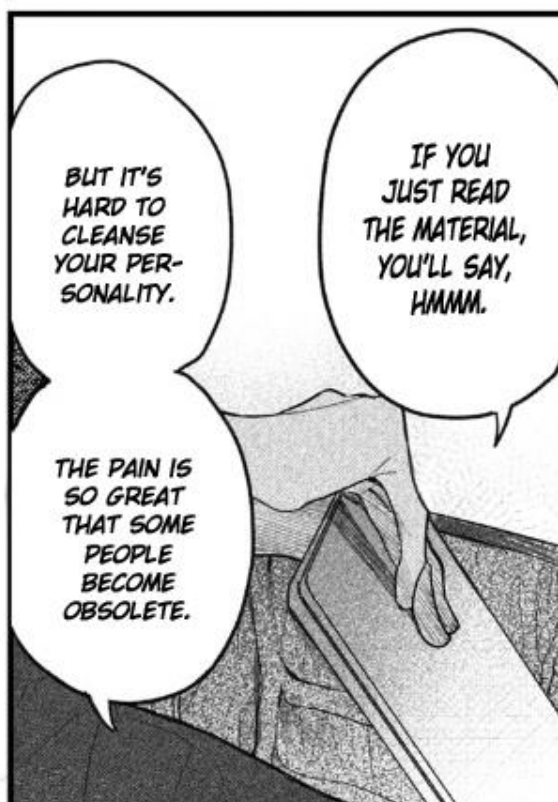


THEN,
VARIOUS
SKILLS ARE
IMPRINTED
THROUGH A
PROCESS
CALLED
COMPULSORY
SKILL DEVE-
LOPMENT.

A PROCEDURE
CALLED
PERSONALITY
CLEANSING IS
DONE TO ERASE
MEMORIES AND
EMOTIONAL
WAVES.

IT WAS
IN THE
MATERIALS
I SHOWED
YOU.

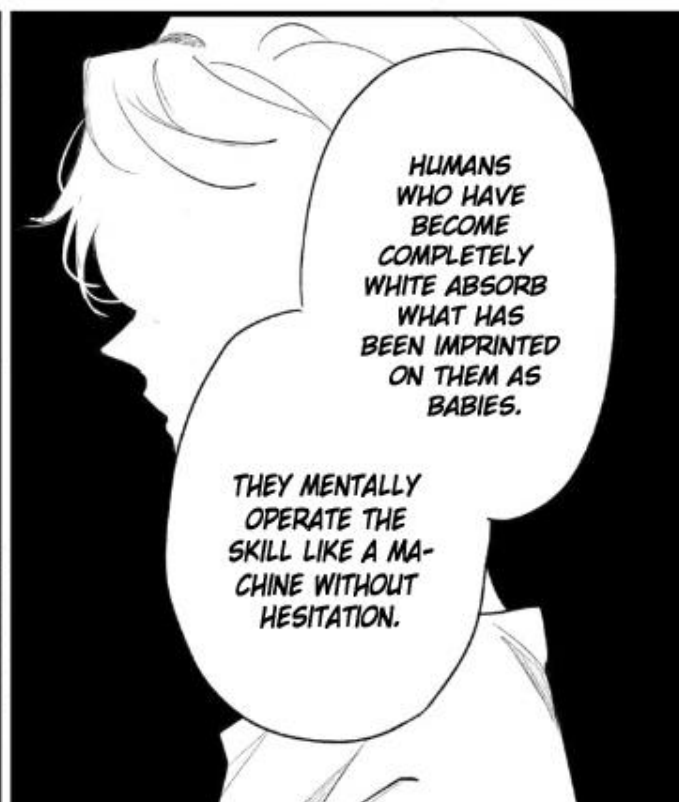
GIN-CHAN, YOU
UNDERSTAND
HOW SLAVES
ARE MADE,
RIGHT?



BUT IT'S
HARD TO
CLEANSE
YOUR PER-
SONALITY.

IF YOU
JUST READ
THE MATERIAL,
YOU'LL SAY,
HMMM.

THE PAIN IS
SO GREAT
THAT SOME
PEOPLE
BECOME
OBSOLETE.



HUMANS
WHO HAVE
BECOME
COMPLETELY
WHITE ABSORB
WHAT HAS
BEEN IMPRINTED
ON THEM AS
BABIES.

THEY MENTALLY
OPERATE THE
SKILL LIKE A MA-
CHINE WITHOUT
HESITATION.





BACK
THEN, IT TOOK
A LONG TIME
TO CLEANSE THE
PERSONALITY.

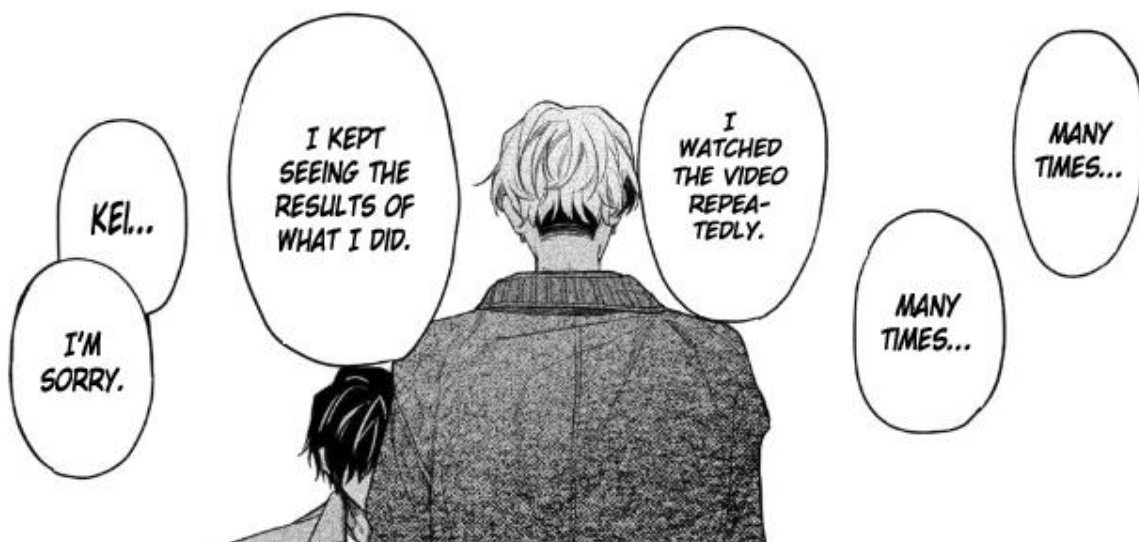
...
THERE'S
ABOUT A
MONTH OF
FOOTAGE.



THAT...
MANY
TIMES...

YU CON-
TINUED TO
SUFFER THAT
PAIN FOR A
LONG TIME.

HOWEVER,
YU'S REACTION
WAS GETTING
WEAKER AND
WEAKER.



KEI...
I'M
SORRY.

I KEPT
SEEING THE
RESULTS OF
WHAT I DID.

I
WATCHED
THE VIDEO
REPEA-
TEDLY.

MANY
TIMES...

MANY
TIMES...



I WAS
SCARED.

IT'S TRUE
THAT THAT
WAS THE
ONLY WAY
TO GET YOU
INVOLVED,

GIN-
CHAN.

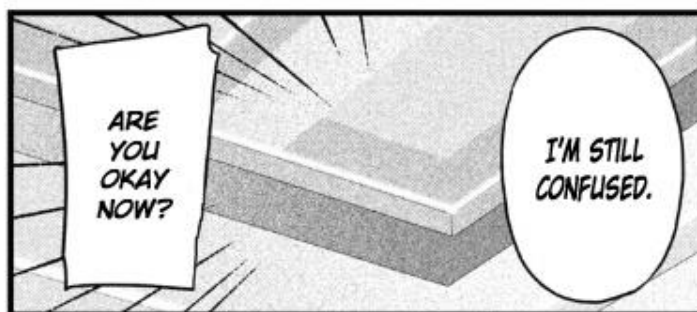
I WANTED
YOU TO CARRY
MY CROSS
WITH ME.

I FELL TO
THE SAME
LEVEL AS
GIN-CHAN.

SINCE I
HAD TO
FACE YU
ALONE,











AH, I
SEE.

MY
DREAM...

I WISH I
COULD BE
WITH YOU
TWO.

EVEN WHEN
I AM AN
ADULT...

I DREAMED
THAT I WAS
EATING
SEAFOOD
NOODLES
WITH...

THE YOUNG
GINJO-SAMA
AND AOKI-
SAMA IN
THE PARK.

GINJO-SAMA
SAID THAT
HE WOULD
BECOME RICH
AND FEED US
DELICIOUS
SEAFOOD
DISHES.

IN THAT
DREAM,
WE WERE
TALKING
ABOUT
OUR
DREAMS.

AOKI-SAMA
WAS TALKING
ABOUT HIS
DREAM OF
GOING TO A
TROPICAL
COUNTRY.

Cup Ramen
SEAFOOD
NOODLE
シーフードヌードル







WITH MY
BUSINESS
SKILLS, KEI'S
HACKER SKILLS,
AND YU'S
POWERS,

SO THAT THE
THREE OF US
CAN DREAM A
NEW DREAM
FROM
SCRATCH.



WE CAN DO
ANYTHING IF
WE HAVE THE
POWER TO USE
IT OURSELVES.



YES, LET'S
GO BACK TO
TALKING
ABOUT OUR
DREAMS LIKE
WE DID
WHEN WE
WERE KIDS.

