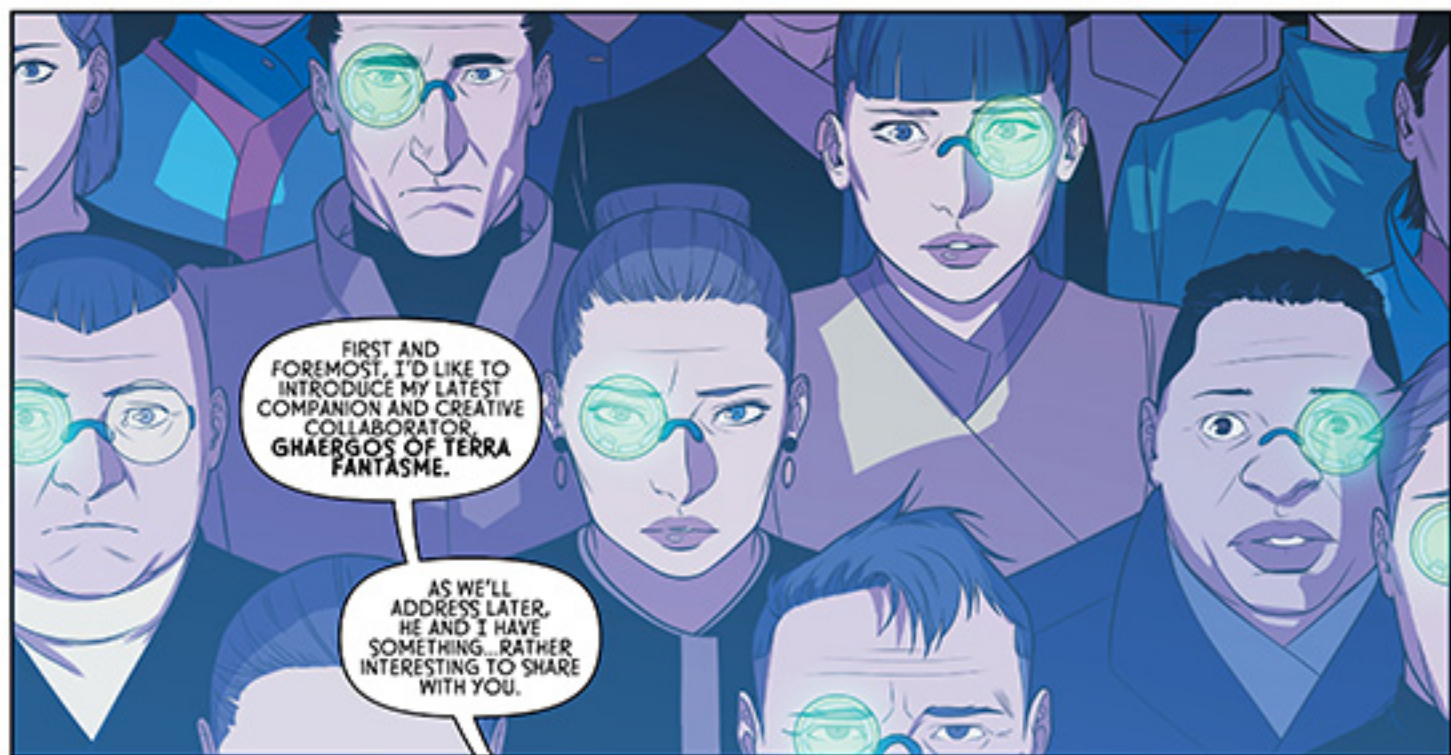




THANK YOU ALL FOR COMING.

FOR THOSE OF YOU WHO DON'T KNOW, I'M FOLKE HERVIETT, OF THE HERVIETT CORPORATION, AND I HAVE A FEW IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS TO MAKE.



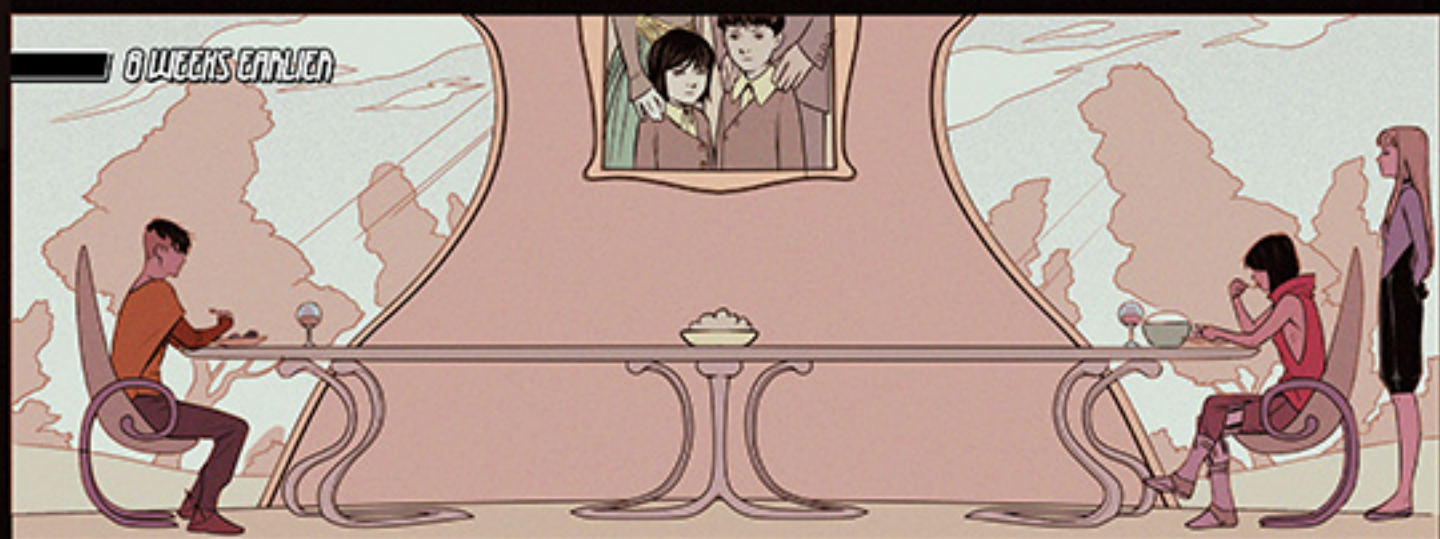
FIRST AND FOREMOST, I'D LIKE TO INTRODUCE MY LATEST COMPANION AND CREATIVE COLLABORATOR, GHAERGOS OF TERRA FANTASME.

AS WE'LL ADDRESS LATER, HE AND I HAVE SOMETHING... RATHER INTERESTING TO SHARE WITH YOU.



AT THE RISK OF SOUNDING MELODRAMATIC, WHAT WE HAVE TO SAY HERE IS NOTHING SHORT OF LIFE-CHANGING.

10 WEEKS EARLIER

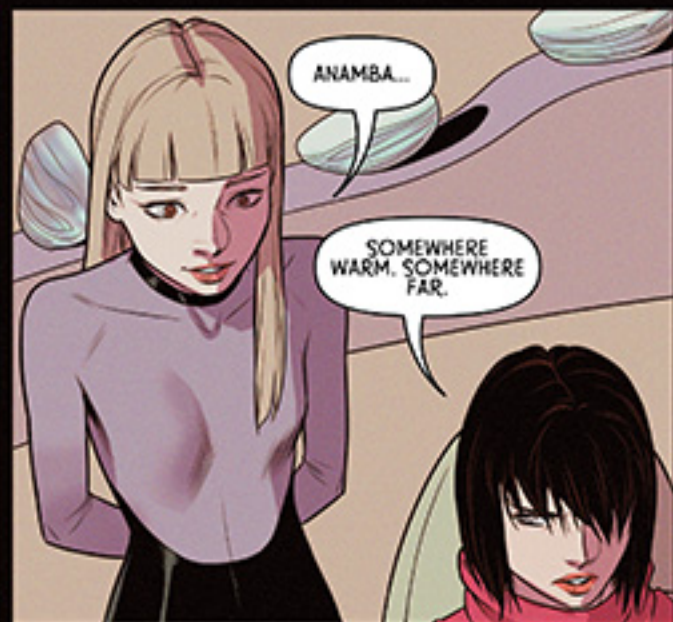


FOLKE,
YOU WON'T SEE
ME FOR A WHILE. I'VE
BOOKED MYSELF
A NICE, LONG
VACATION.



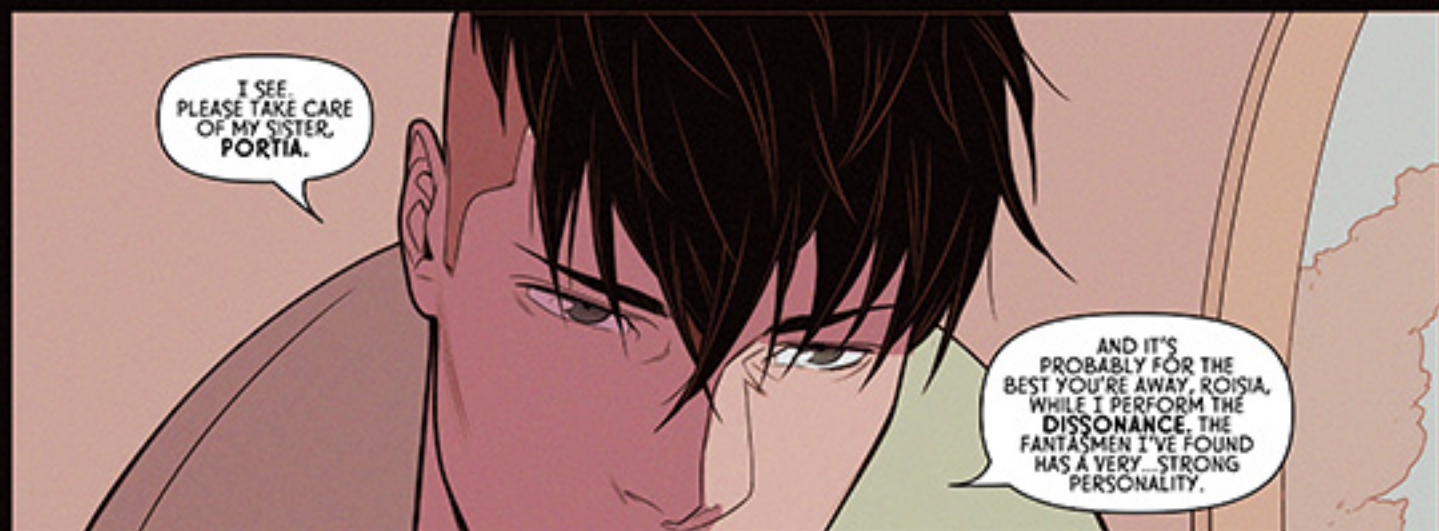
THAT'S
UNEXPECTED. BUT
I'M SO GLAD,
ROISIA.

WHERE
ARE YOU
HEADED?



ANAMBA...

SOMEWHERE
WARM. SOMEWHERE
FAR.



I SEE.
PLEASE TAKE CARE
OF MY SISTER,
PORTIA.

AND IT'S
PROBABLY FOR THE
BEST YOU'RE AWAY, ROISIA.
WHILE I PERFORM THE
DISSONANCE, THE
FANTASMEN I'VE FOUND
HAS A VERY STRONG
PERSONALITY.

