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THEY SAW ME AS A **MONSTER**, JUST LIKE YOU SAID THEY WOULD. I HAD TO RUN AWAY.



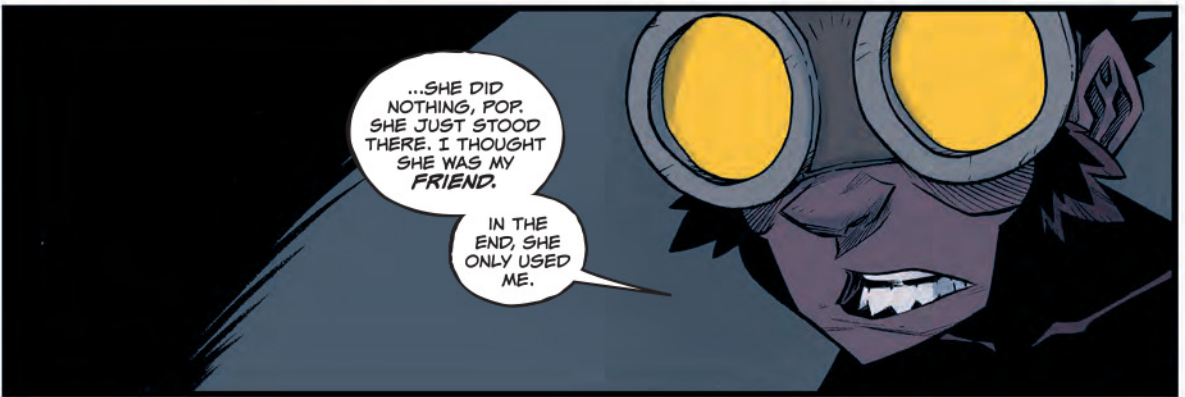
THEY TRIED TO HURT ME, THREW ROCKS AT ME **SSOBE WHY?!**



I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE DIFFERENT, I THOUGHT I WOULD BE SAFE THERE.

BUT I **WASN'T**. THEY WERE NO BETTER THAN THE MAZE.

EVEN HER...



...SHE DID NOTHING, POP. SHE JUST STOOD THERE. I THOUGHT SHE WAS MY **FRIEND**.

IN THE END, SHE ONLY USED ME.



POE,
WHAT ARE YOU
TALKING ABOUT?
WHO HURT YOU?
WHERE WERE
YOU?



I TOOK
BIANCA
HOME, POP.
TO THE
CITY.



...
AND
DID YOU
SEE...THE
GUIDE?

YES. BIANCA
LIED ABOUT
THAT, TOO. IT
WAS NOTHING
MORE THAN A
STATUE--



WAIT,
HOW DO
YOU KNOW
ABOUT THE
GUIDE?!



I'VE...I'VE
MET HER
BEFORE.



MET HER?
YOU MEAN YOU'VE
BEEN TO THE
STATUE? TO THE
CITY?!

TELL
ME!



POE, THERE'S
MORE TO THE GUIDE
THAN JUST A STATUE.
THINGS I LEARNED A
LIFETIME AGO.

WHEN I FOUND
YOU AS A BABY, I
KNEW YOU HAD TO BE
CONNECTED TO
HER SOMEHOW.

ALL I WANTED
WAS TO SPARE
YOU FROM ALL
THAT. FOR YOU TO
DECIDE YOUR
OWN PATH.



MY OWN
PATH?!



ALL MY LIFE,
YOU'VE MADE ME
FEEL AFRAID OF
WHO I AM--OF HOW
I LOOK--NEVER
KNOWING **WHY** I
WAS THIS WAY.

AND YOU HAD
THE ANSWERS ALL
ALONG! YOU WERE
JUST **LYING**
TO ME.

