

The first Rai, like all that came after, was exactly the symbol that New Japan needed at that time.

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GRRRTT**

He was hard-working.

Hopeful.  
Exuberant.




The replica sectors of New Japan were his doing.

He cured the heart-break over the loss of Earth by replacing it with a new version.

**SECTOR 2007.**

**MANHATTAN.  
21st CENTURY  
RE-CREATION.**



Sectors were created with a childlike nostalgia for an old Earth. Not the Earth that had existed. But the one they remembered.

A version of Earth better than the one that had ever existed.



SECTOR 2500.

POSITRONIC BIRTHING CENTER.

The first Rai ignited  
the ambition of the  
people like never  
before.

This ambition needed help,  
however. I created the  
Positrons to fuel the ambition.

Positrons to shore up our  
new humanity's weaknesses.

Companionship where  
we were lonely.

Strength where  
we were weak.

And children to ease the  
pain of the necessary  
population control.





But even all of this was not enough.

FATHER HAS CREATED HELPERS!



There is an element to humanity that I will always struggle to understand.

WITH THE POSITRONS, WE DON'T HAVE TO GO IT ALONE!



Even in perfection, there is a small percentage of humanity...

THE ONLY LIMIT NOW IS OUR IMAGINATION!



...that enjoys discontent.

SECTOR 2555.  
BLACKWATER.

WE CAN DO ANYTHING!

THIS IS THE BEGINNING OF THE END.

FATHER'S TAKING COMPLETE CONTROL.

THE POSITRONS ARE NOTHING BUT PUPPETS TO ENFORCE HIS WILL.

WE DON'T STOP IT NOW, WE'LL NEVER BE ABLE TO.



The first attacks on the Positron factories was a result of a disconnect inherent in humanity.



This was the first rebellion of the "Raddies," a group intent on tearing down every technological advance.



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Determined to drag New Japan back down into the mud and filth of a ruined Earth.



TEAR THEM DOWN!

DEATH TO THE LIFELESS!



GUYS, PLEASE!

TAKE IT EASY!

THERE'S NO NEED FOR ALL THIS!





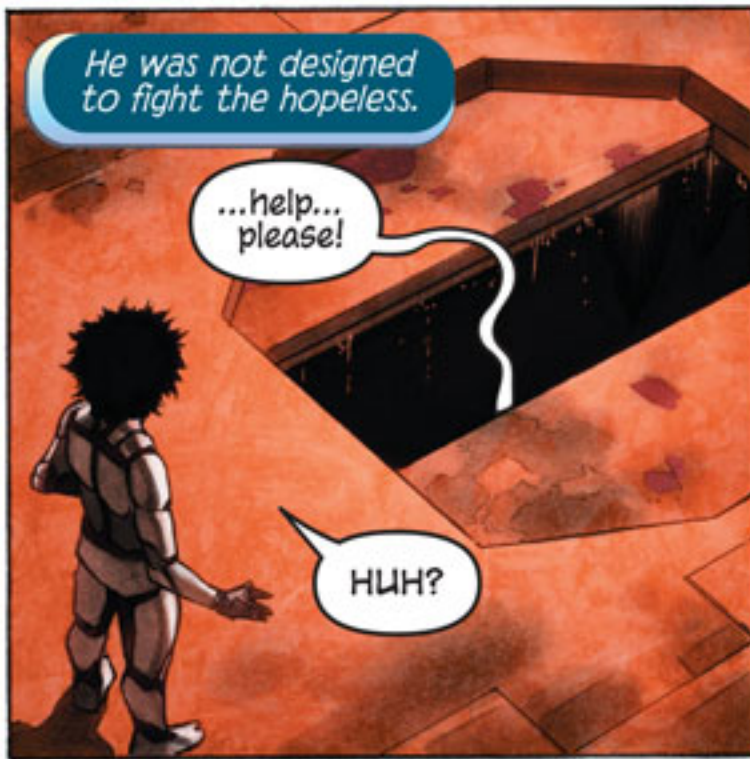


The first Rai was unfairly put to the test.

WE ALL WANT THE SAME THING. A BETTER JAPAN, RIGHT?



He was equipped to inspire hope. To facilitate creation.



He was not designed to fight the hopeless.

...help... please!

HUH?



He was not designed to stop those who were intent on destruction.

WHO'S THAT...?

...please... I'm hurt!



WHAT HAVE YOU GUYS DONE?!