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Loose Change Perfect





WELL! WHY DON'T YOU COME OVER TO MY PLACE FOR LUNCH AND WE CAN CATCH UP ON WHAT YOU'VE BEEN UP TO?

UH, N-NO THANKS.



I REALLY JUST NEED TO GO VISIT THE TEMPLE.

AH, SILPH! YOU'RE WAY TOO PIOUS.



I'LL SEE YOU AROUND, THEN!

UH, YEP.

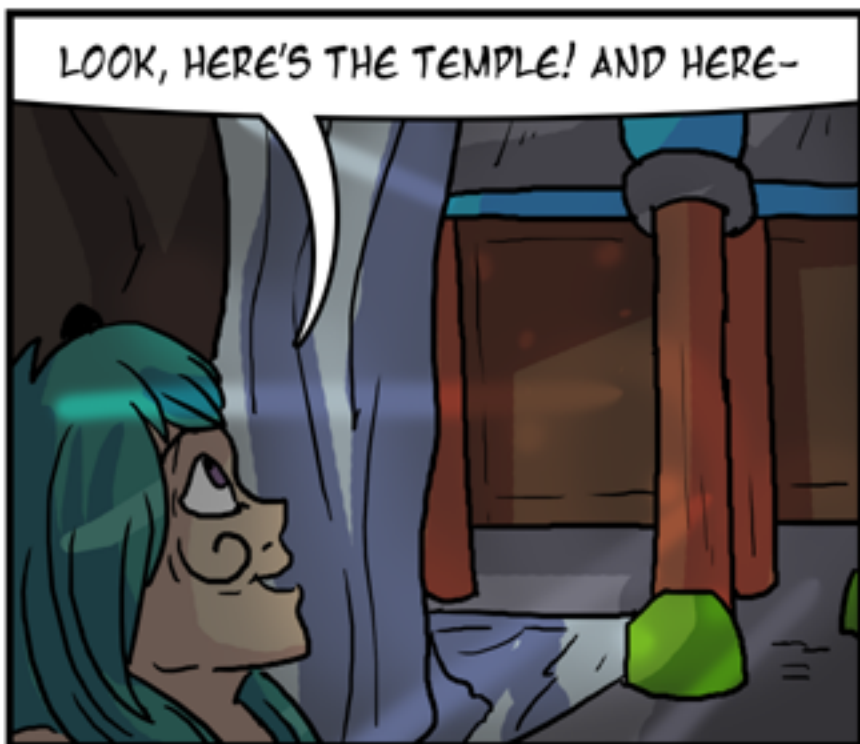


C'MON NICK. WON'T BE LONG NOW AND YOU'LL BE BACK TO NORMAL.

MRRFE



LOOK, HERE'S THE TEMPLE! AND HERE-



WHY HELLO, MISS SINKADA.

MALACH.





IF THIS IS HOW YOU USUALLY WELCOME OUTSIDERS, I CAN SEE WHY YOU DIDN'T LAST LONG ABOVE GROUND.



BUT I-

AH, ARE YOU THE HEAD OF THIS TEMPLE, SIR?



THAT'S RIGHT. THE NAME'S JACQUES MAHIR, I'M THE HEAD PRIEST.

GABRIEL MALACH, PRIEST AND PILGRIM.



WHY NOT HEAD RIGHT IN AND PRAY? IT SEEMS I HAVE MUCH TO DISCUSS WITH SILPHY, HERE.



M-MASTER JACQUES, PLEASE DON'T BE MAD! MALACH IS AN ASS, HE-



AW, I MISSED YOU, KIDDO!





I THOUGHT YOU'D BE BACK SOMETIME SOON SINCE KIRTES TURNED UP A LITTLE WHILE AGO.



OH? BUT YOU HAVE ANOTHER RABBIT HERE? OR... A WOLPERTINGER?

WELL...



[EXPLANATION OF THINGS YOU'VE ALREADY SEEN CUT FOR YOUR SANITY]



HMMM... I SEE. SO THAT'S WHY YOU WERE LESS THAN FRIENDLY TO THAT SCALER!

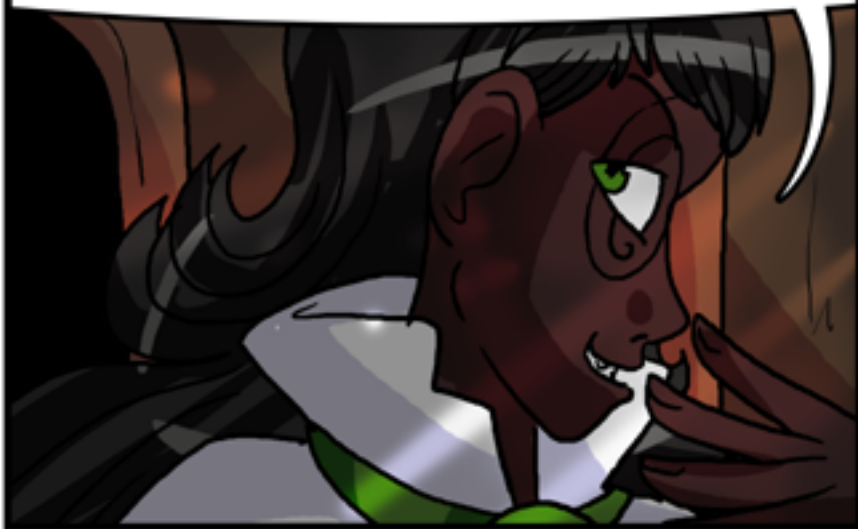


...BUT YOU KNOW, THIS GABRIEL MALACH IS NOT UNKNOWN TO ME. I'VE HEARD RUMOURS ABOUT HIS EXPLOITS.



DON'T WORRY. ONES LIKE THAT ALWAYS GET WHAT'S COMING TO THEM.

RIGHT! THEN I GUESS WE'VE GOT TWO THINGS TO SORT. WHAT'S GONE WRONG WITH SILPHY'S MAGIC, AND FIXING UP NICK'S UNWANTED TRANSFORMATION.



I'LL DO SOME PREPARATION SO I CAN DO THE TRANSFORMATION MYSELF. I'LL MEET YOU TWO IN THE BACK SHRINE, OK?



TH-THANK YOU, JACQUES!!



SEE, NICK! I TOLD YOU EVERYTHING WOULD BE OKAY!

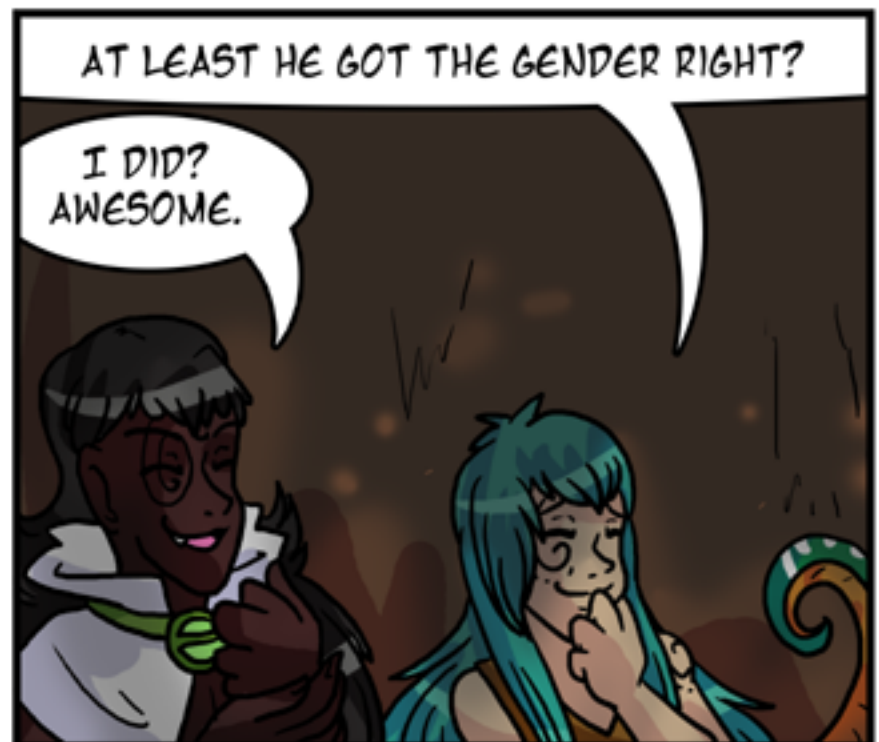


I WONDER WHY HE HAS TO PREPARE, THOUGH.... A TRANSFORMATION LIKE THIS SHOULD BE REALLY EASY FOR HIM. I GUESS HE WON'T BE LONG, SO-



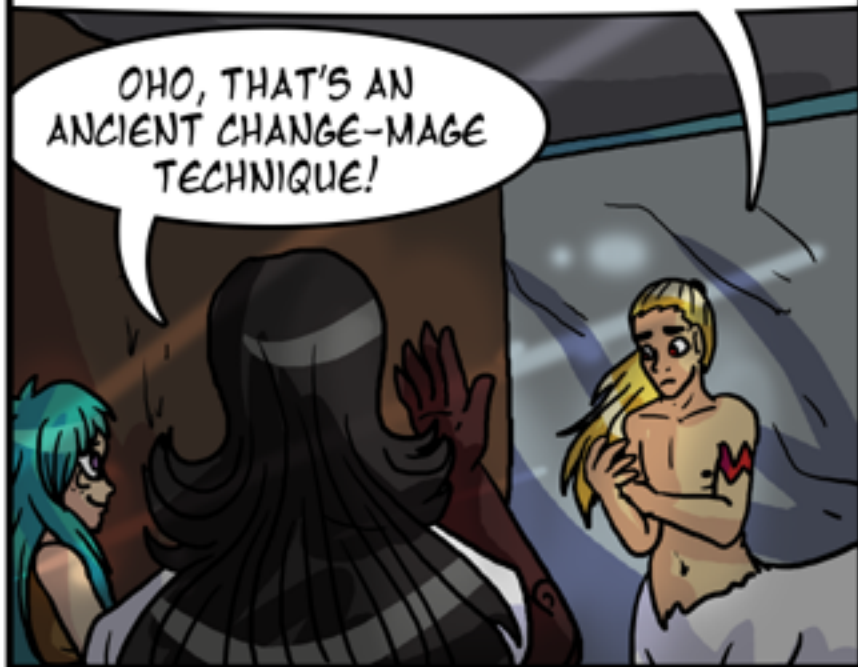
READY TO GO?





...HOW DID YOU DECIDE ON THIS FORM?

OHO, THAT'S AN
ANCIENT CHANGE-MAGE
TECHNIQUE!



...BY WHICH HE MEANS DARTS AND A
DARTBOARD - YOU PIN UP THE POTENTIAL
CHANGES AROUND THE BOARD.

AND A COIN FLIP FOR
THE GENDER!



THAT'S...



I AM SO GLAD I'M A
DEATH PRIEST.



HEH. IT'S NOT A PROBLEM. SILPHY
SAW YOUR ORIGINAL FORM. SHE CAN
CHANGE YOU BACK!



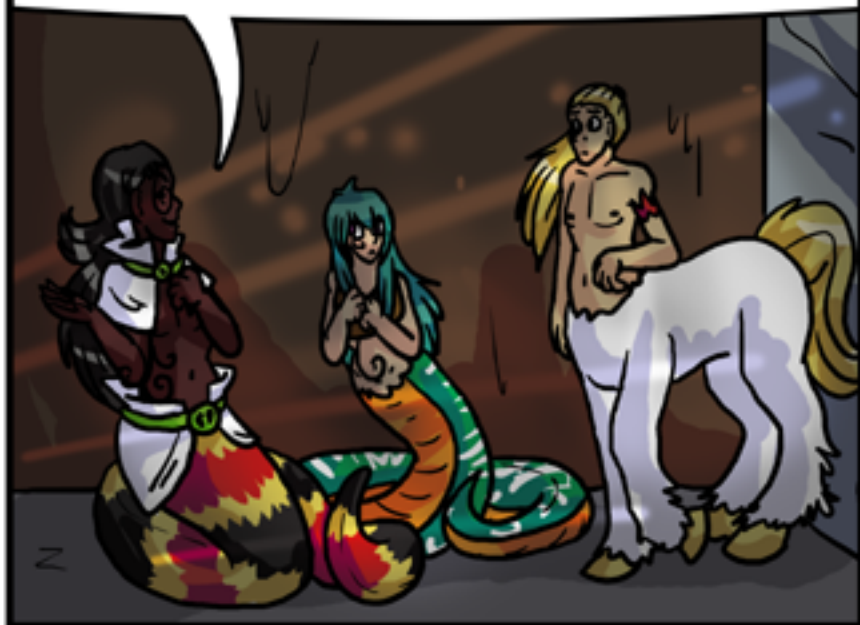
B-BUT MY MAGIC'S BEEN ACTING ALL
STRANGE LATELY....



HUH? ...OH YEAH.



I HAVE JUST THE THING! WHY DON'T YOU CHANGE ME TO NICK'S ORIGINAL FORM?



WHAT? BUT WITH MY MAGIC ALL STRANGE, I DON'T THINK THAT WILL WORK... WHAT WILL THAT ACCOMPLISH?

IF I'M RIGHT... HEHEH, YOU'LL SEE.



...BUT IF I'M WRONG, YOU'LL ALSO SEE. BUT I'M USUALLY RIGHT! SILPHY?



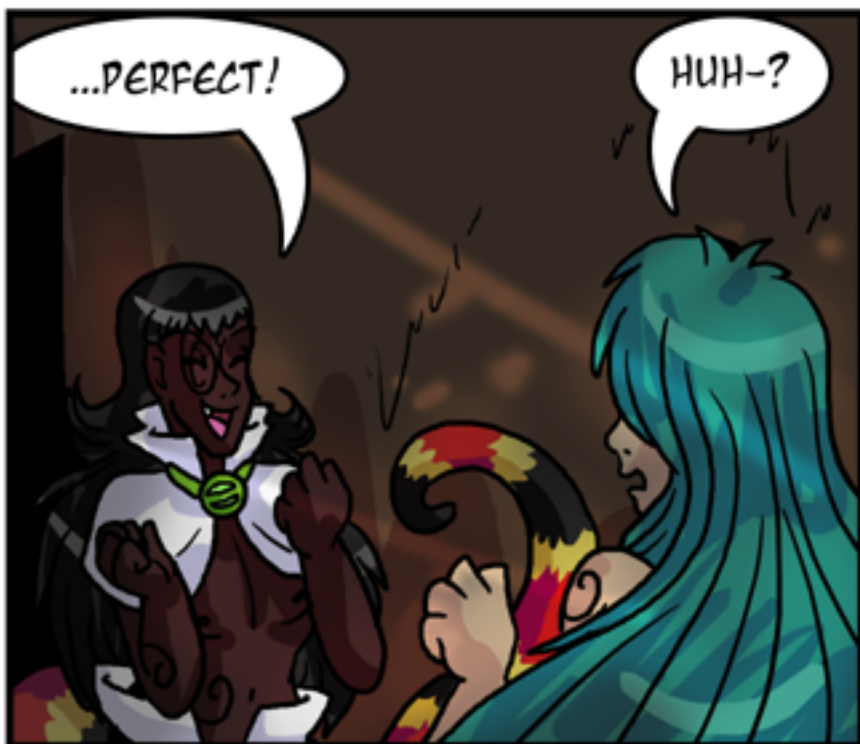
O...OKAY.

ADSHIFT!



...PERFECT!

HUH-?



NICK!! YOU'RE NORMAL AGAIN!

HUH-?









