

Solo Leveling

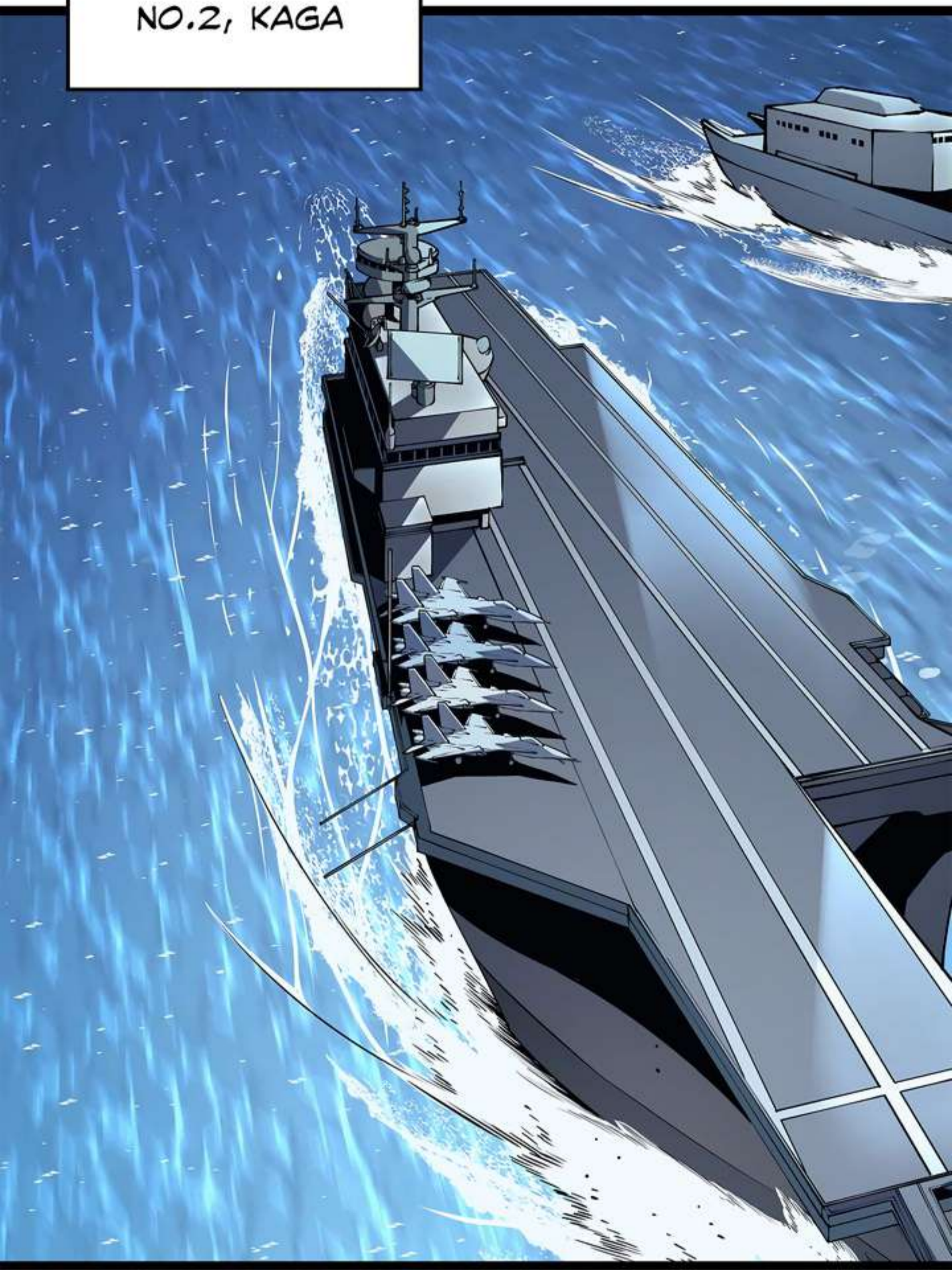
Art · DUBU (REDICE STUDIO)

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DESTROYER
NO.2, KAGA

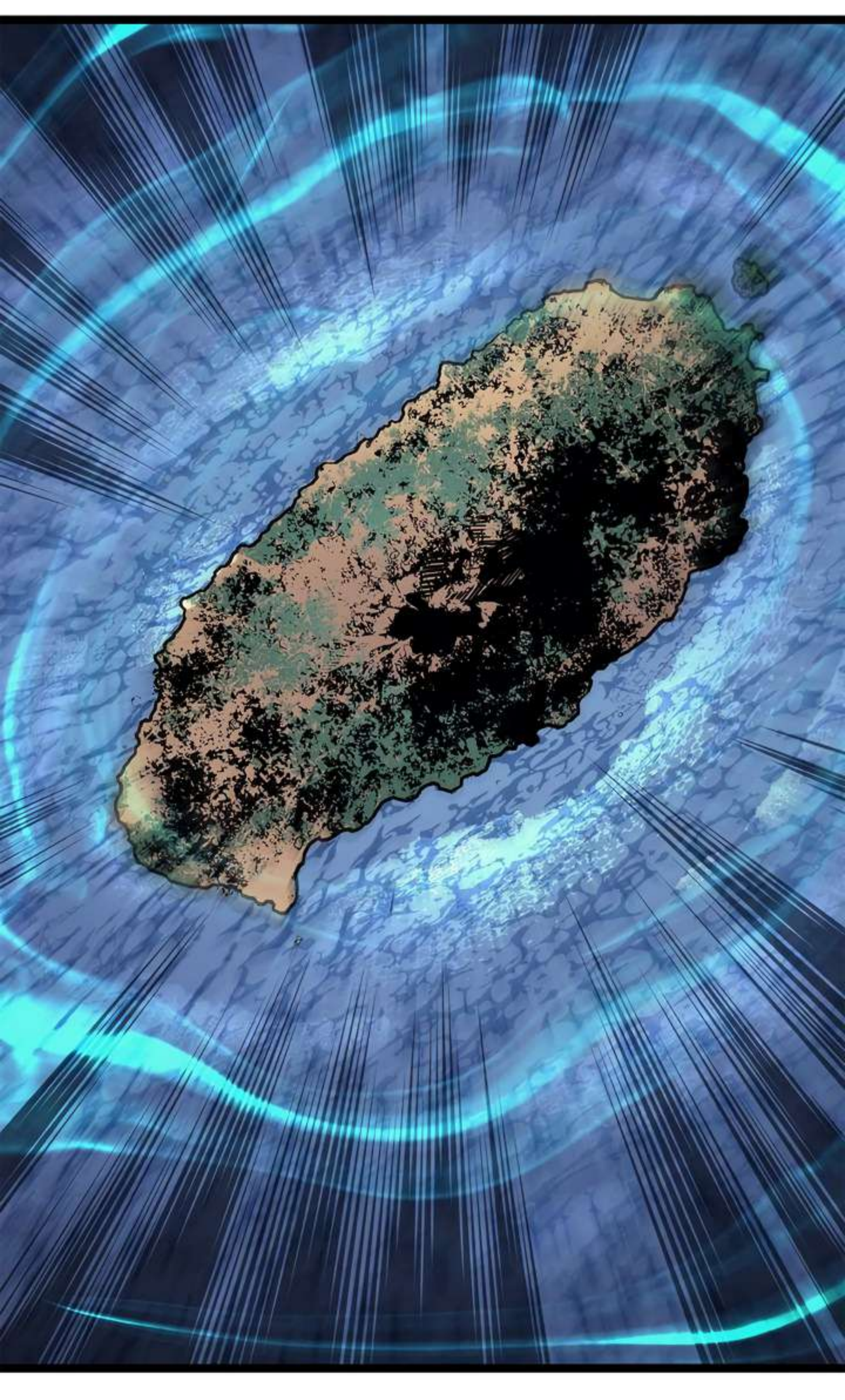


WE WILL NOW
COMMENCE THE
OPERATION AS
WELL.

ACTIVATE
JAMMING
SIGNALS.



ACTIVATING
JAMMING
SIGNALS.



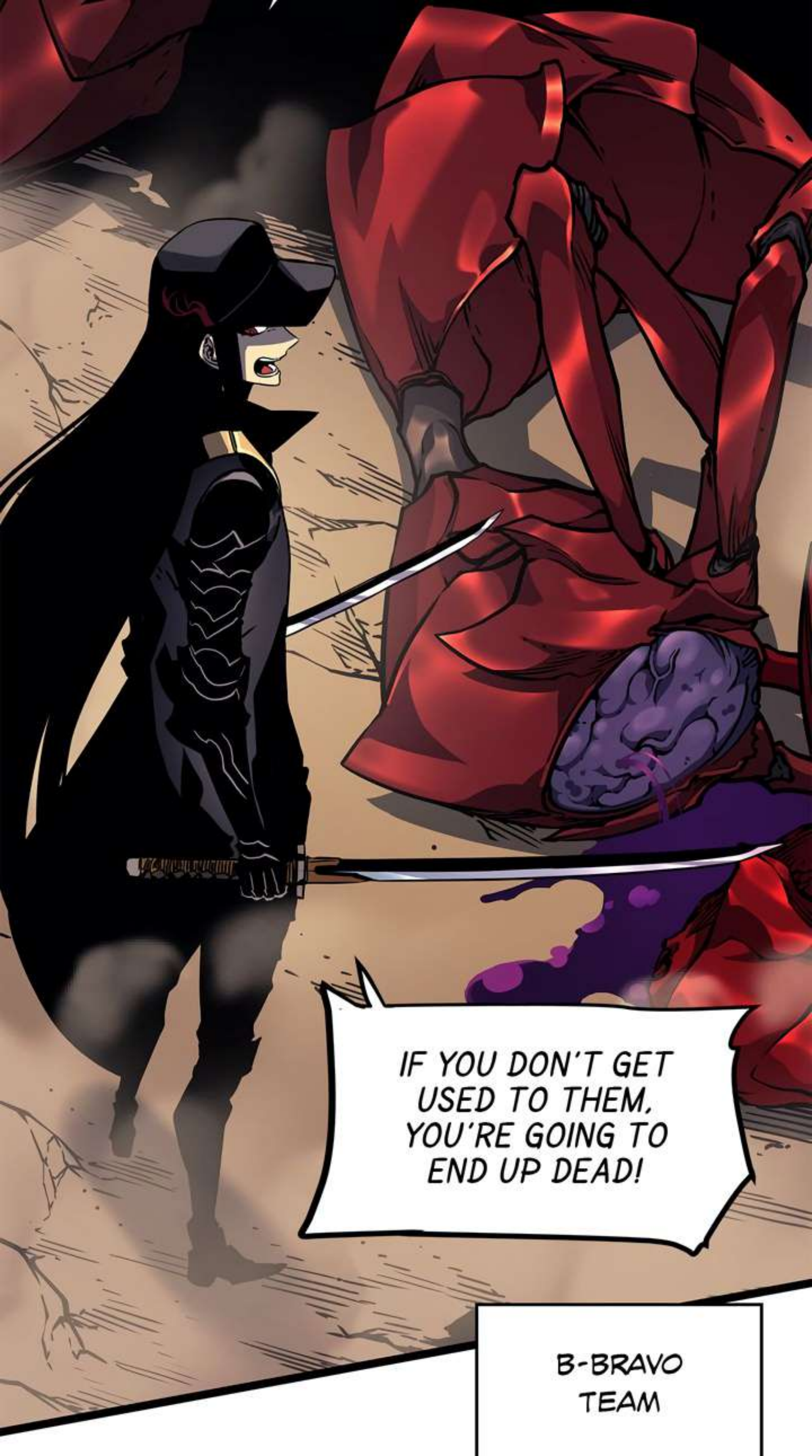
NOW, THE ANTS
WON'T BE ABLE TO
HEAR THE QUEEN'S
CALL FOR HELP.



EEK...!

THUD

GET IT
TOGETHER,
KUMAMOTO!



IF YOU DON'T GET
USED TO THEM,
YOU'RE GOING TO
END UP DEAD!

B-BRAVO
TEAM

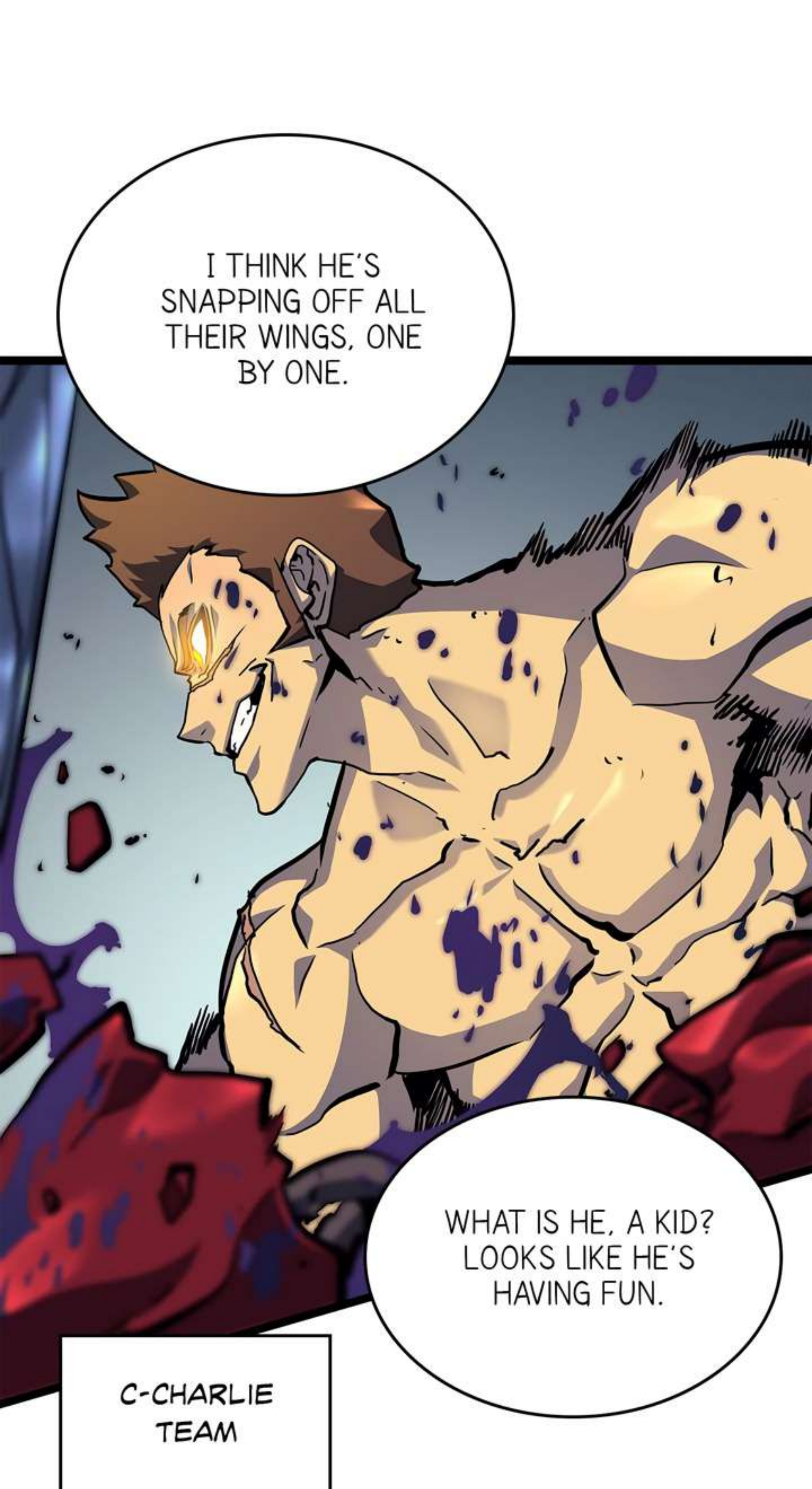


IT MIGHT BE FASTER TO
KILL ALL OF THESE GUYS
OURSELVES INSTEAD OF
WAITING FOR THE SOUTH
KOREAN TEAM TO KILL
THE QUEEN.

MAYBE.

WHERE DID
KENZO GO?

HE'S
PLAYING
TAG RIGHT
NOW.



I THINK HE'S
SNAPPING OFF ALL
THEIR WINGS, ONE
BY ONE.

WHAT IS HE, A KID?
LOOKS LIKE HE'S
HAVING FUN.

C-CHARLIE
TEAM



D-DELTA
TEAM

FIREWORKS ARE
GOING OFF AT THE
ANT TUNNELS.

CHOI JONG-IN,
WAS IT? MUST
BE HIM.



MY ICE AND
HIS FIRE...

I WONDER WHAT
WOULD HAPPEN IF
WE FACED OFF
AGAINST EACH
OTHER.

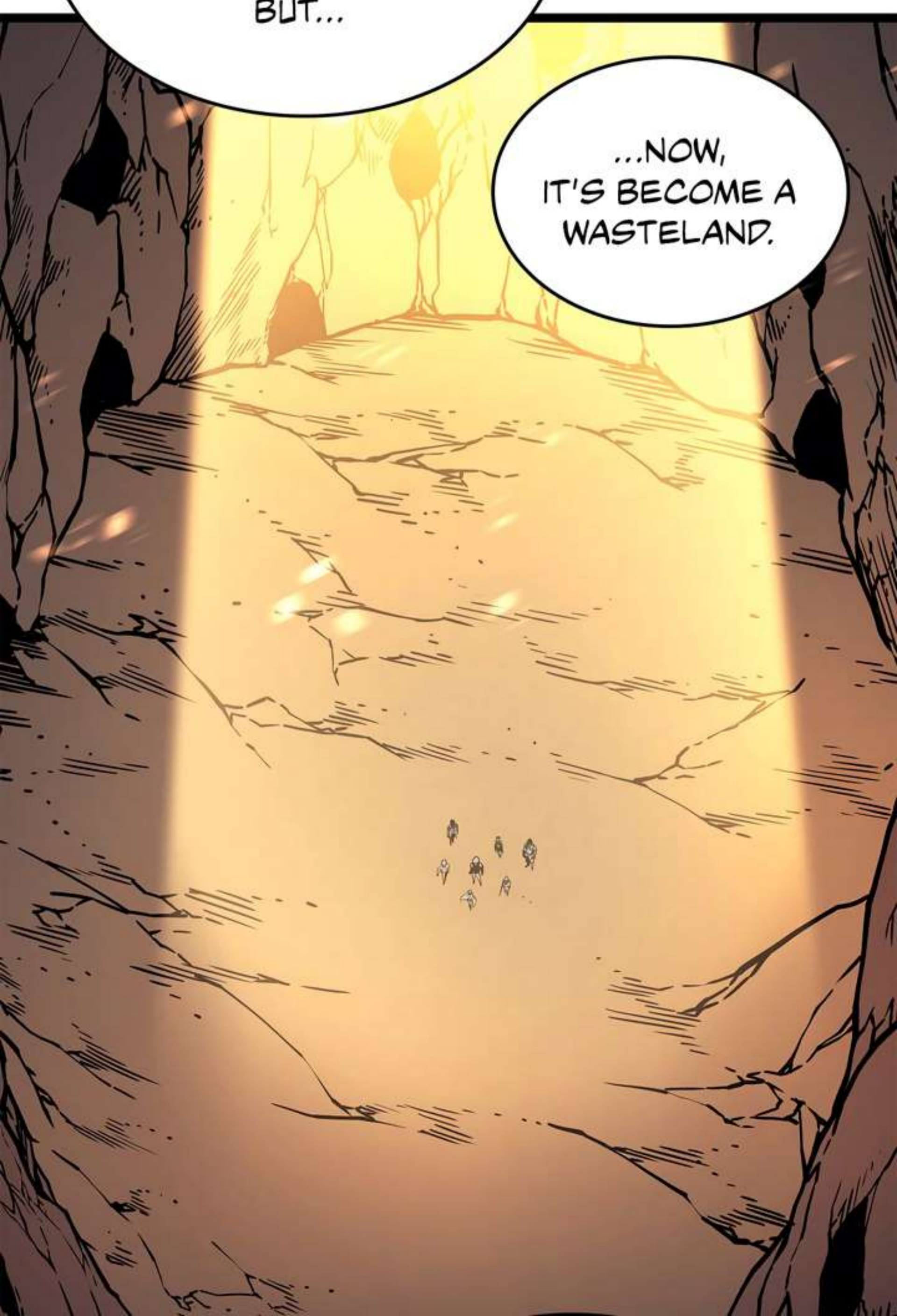


IT'D BE COLD AND
HOT, DUH.



SO THIS IS
BAENGNOKDAM... IT
WAS ONCE FAMOUS
FOR ITS BEAUTY,
BUT...

...NOW,
IT'S BECOME A
WASTELAND.



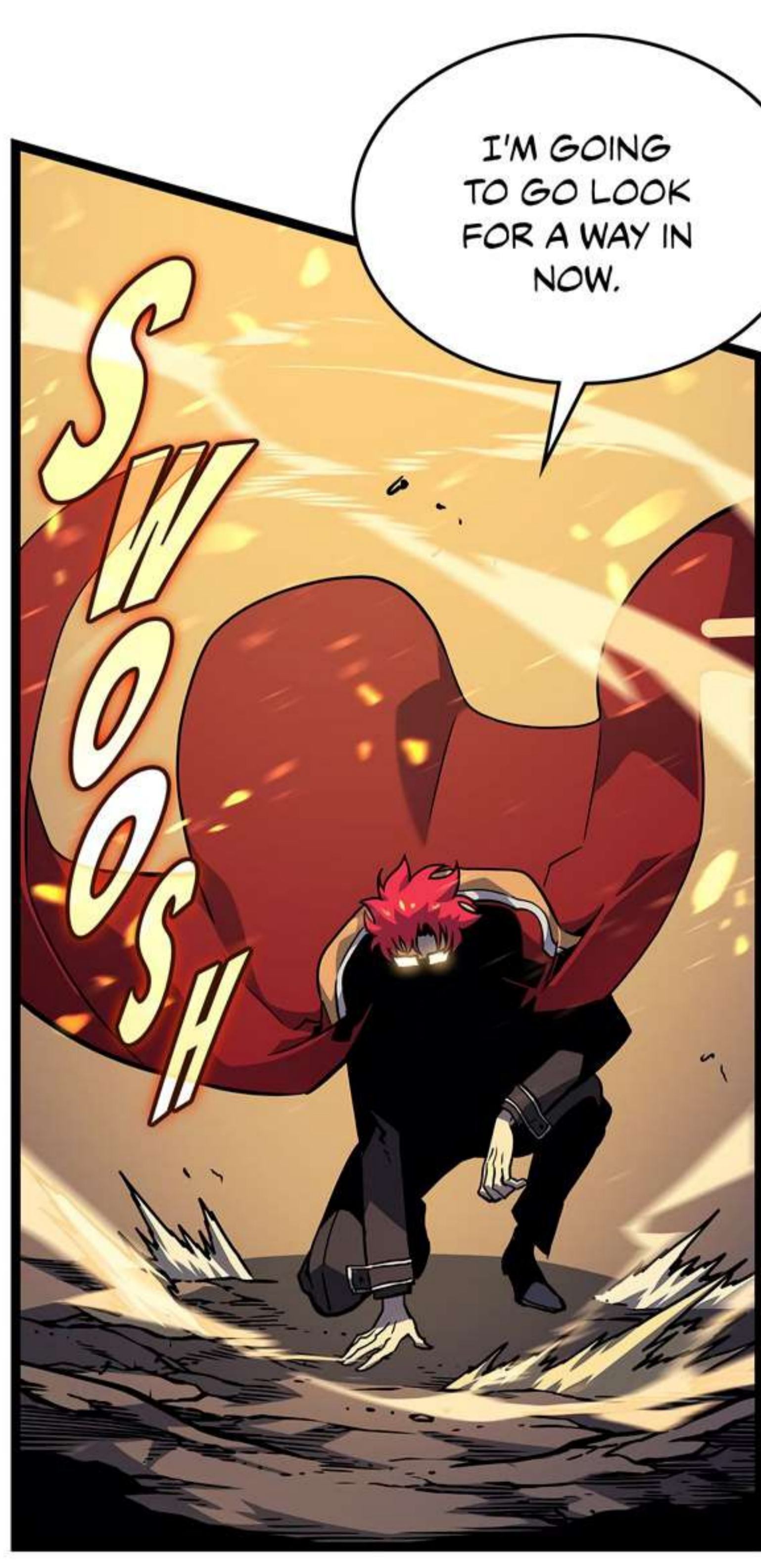


YUP, IT'S
NOTHING BUT AN
ANT COLONY
NOW.



I USUALLY USE THIS
FLAME PRISON TO TIE
UP MY ENEMIES, BUT
I'M USING IT NOW
AS A SHIELD...

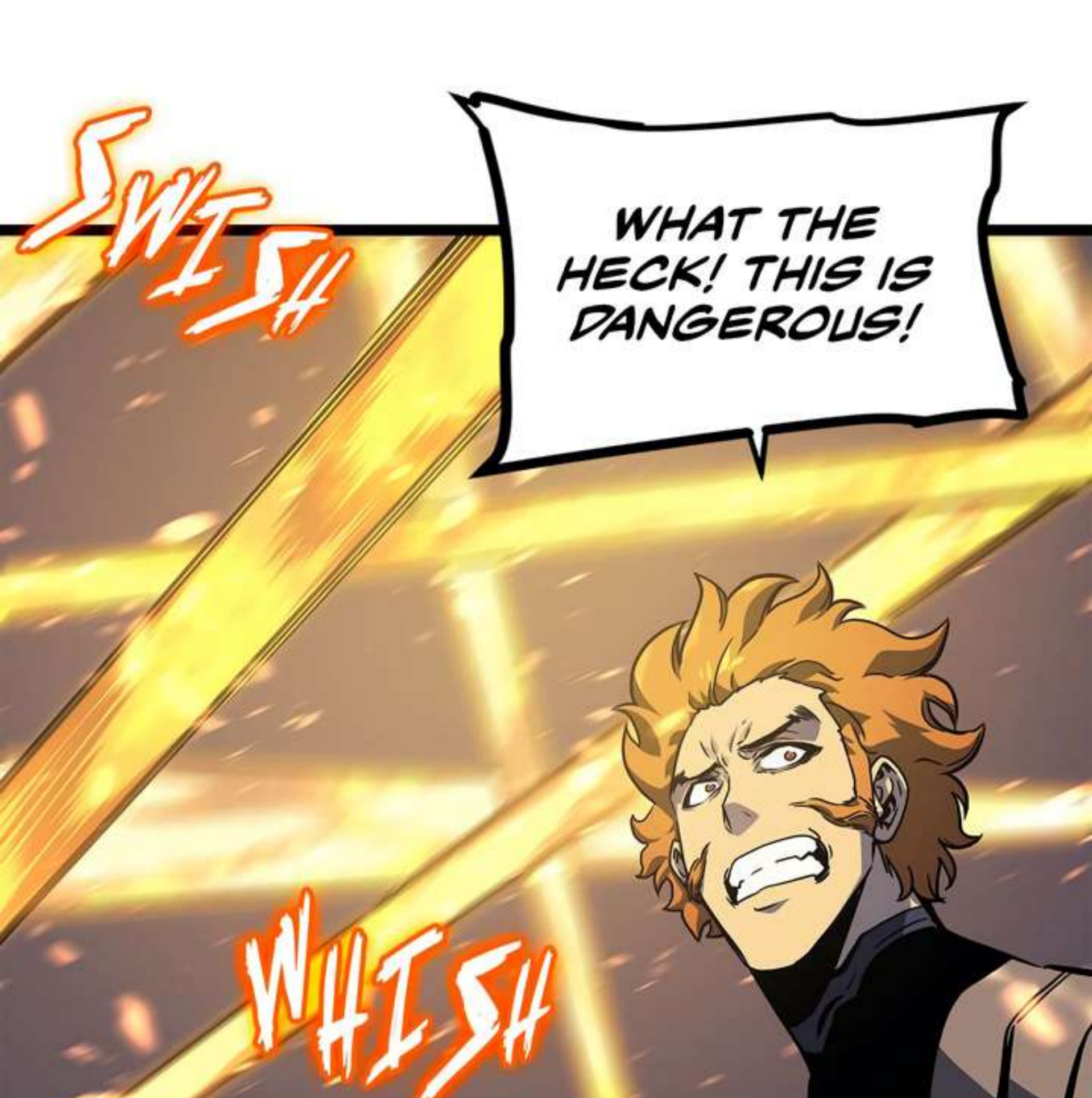
THIS WILL KEEP
ANTS THAT ARE
B-RANK OR LOWER
FROM ENTERING.



I'M GOING
TO GO LOOK
FOR A WAY IN
NOW.







WHAT THE HECK! THIS IS DANGEROUS!



THIS PLACE IS LIKE A LABYRINTH.

IF WE GO DOWN A RANDOM PATH, WE'LL END UP RIGHT BACK WHERE WE STARTED, JUST LIKE THESE FIREBALLS.



THE WAY INSIDE WILL PROBABLY BE THROUGH A DEEP TUNNEL THAT DOESN'T SHOW ANY SIGNS OF EXPLOSION.



SEEMS
LIKE THAT'S THE
TUNNEL WE'RE
LOOKING FOR.



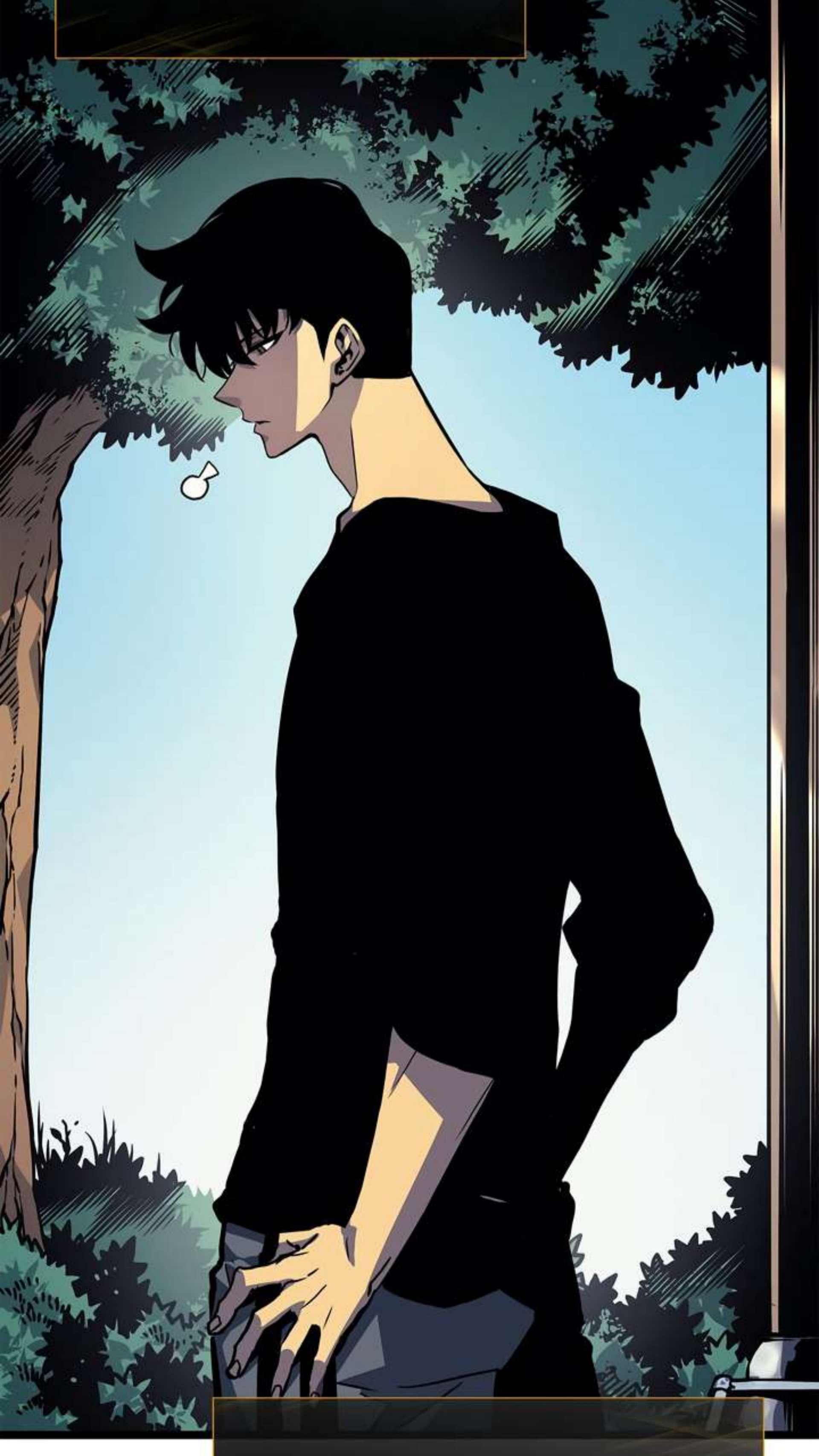
WOW, CHOI
JONG-IN... HAVING
HIM ON OUR TEAM IS
REASSURING.



LET'S GO IN.



[DISTANCE RUN: 10KM]



[YOU HAVE COMPLETED RUNNING 10KM.]

STATUS

— X

STRENGTH: 219

HEALTH: 200

AGILITY: 230

INTELLIGENCE: 250

SENSE: 200

AP: 0

PHYSICAL DAMAGE REDUCTION: 46%



THIS
AREA IS USUALLY
PRETTY EMPTY, BUT
STILL. THERE ISN'T A
SINGLE PERSON OUT
HERE TODAY.

DID THE
BROADCAST FOR
THE JEJU ISLAND
RAID START?

THE SOUTH KOREAN
AND JAPANESE
S-RANK HUNTERS...

...WERE ALL VERY
STRONG. THERE'S NO
DOUBT ABOUT THAT.

I DON'T NEED
TO WATCH THE
BROADCAST.

EVEN WITHOUT
ME, I KNOW THEY'RE
MORE THAN CAPABLE
OF SUCCESSFULLY
COMPLETING THE
RAID.

AS LONG AS EVERYTHING
GOES ACCORDING TO PLAN.



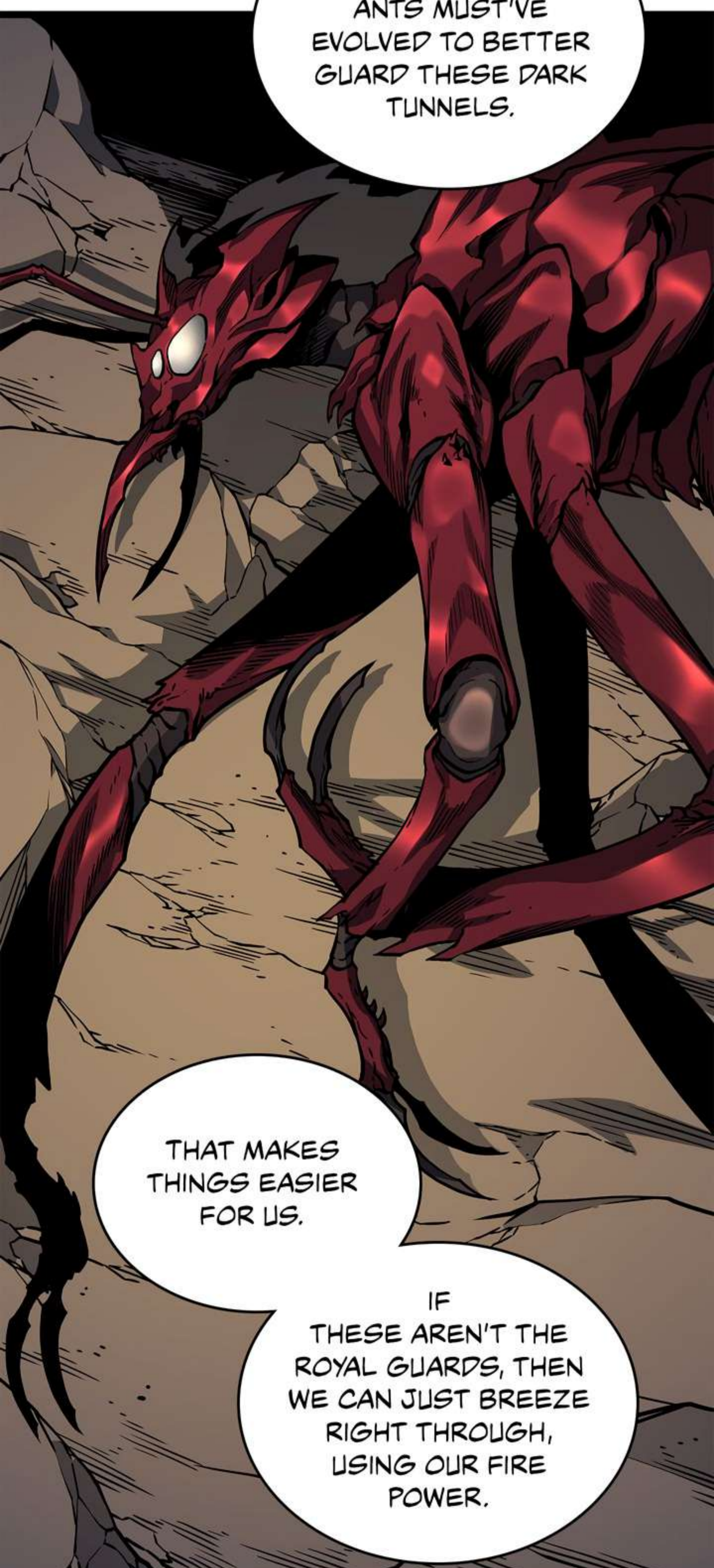
EXCEPT FOR
A FEW THAT STAYED
BEHIND, IT LOOKS LIKE THE
REST LEFT THE TUNNELS.
OUR PREDICTION WAS
SPOT ON.



THIS IS MY FIRST
TIME SEEING THESE
CREATURES... WERE THEY
THE QUEEN'S ROYAL
GUARDS? IF SO, THEY
WERE PRETTY WEAK.

LOOK,
THEIR EYES HAVE
DETERIORATED.

THESE PARTICULAR
ANTS MUST'VE
EVOLVED TO BETTER
GUARD THESE DARK
TUNNELS.



THAT MAKES
THINGS EASIER
FOR US.

IF
THESE AREN'T THE
ROYAL GUARDS, THEN
WE CAN JUST BREEZE
RIGHT THROUGH,
USING OUR FIRE
POWER.

DO YOU REALLY
THINK THE QUEEN
IS HERE,
THOUGH?

WHAT IF
SHE BETRAYED
HER OWN SUBJECTS
AND RAN AWAY BY
HERSELF...?

THAT'S
IMPOSSIBLE.
THEY'RE JUST
ANTS.

BESIDES,
WE'RE ON AN ISLAND.
THERE'S NOWHERE
FOR HER TO RUN.

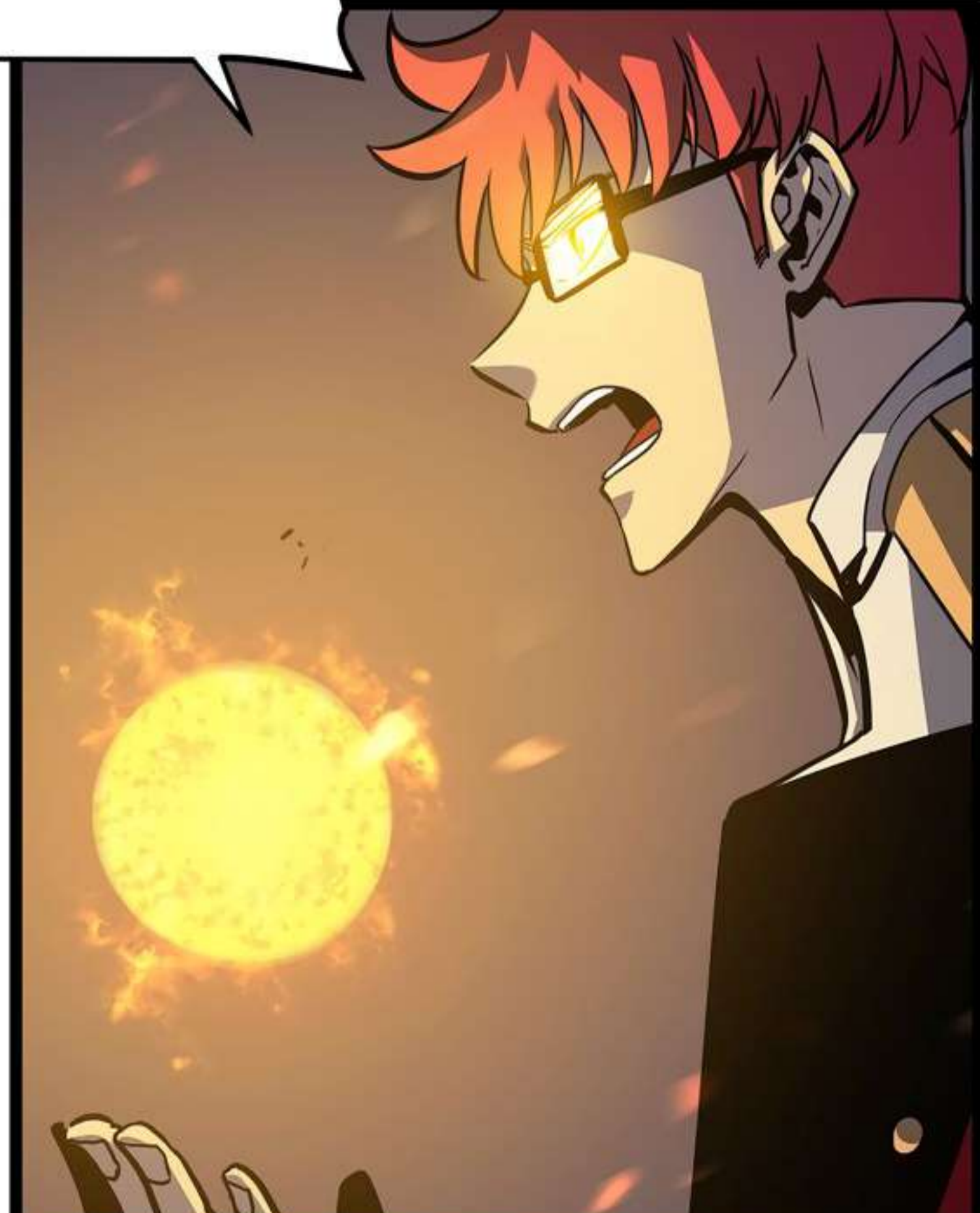
IT'S SO DARK IN
HERE. I WONDER
IF MY CAMERA IS
GETTING THIS.

WELL, I'M SURE
THE STAFF AT THE
HEADQUARTERS WILL
DO A GOOD JOB
OF EDITING.





LOOK...!



IT'S A
SPAWNING
GROUND.

THE FACT
THAT THERE'S
ONE HERE MUST
MEAN THAT...

...THE QUEEN'S
CHAMBER IS
NEARBY.

SO THOSE ANTS
EARLIER MUST HAVE
BEEN STATIONED TO
PROTECT THESE
EGGS.

I'LL SET THEM
ALL ON FIRE.





OUT OF ALL THE
HATCHED EGGS, THAT
ONE OVER THERE IS
ESPECIALLY HUGE!

THAT CAN'T BE AN
ANT EGG, CAN IT?
NO WAY...

WHAT IN THE
WORLD HATCHED
OUT OF THAT
THING?





A ROYAL
GUARD? BUT...

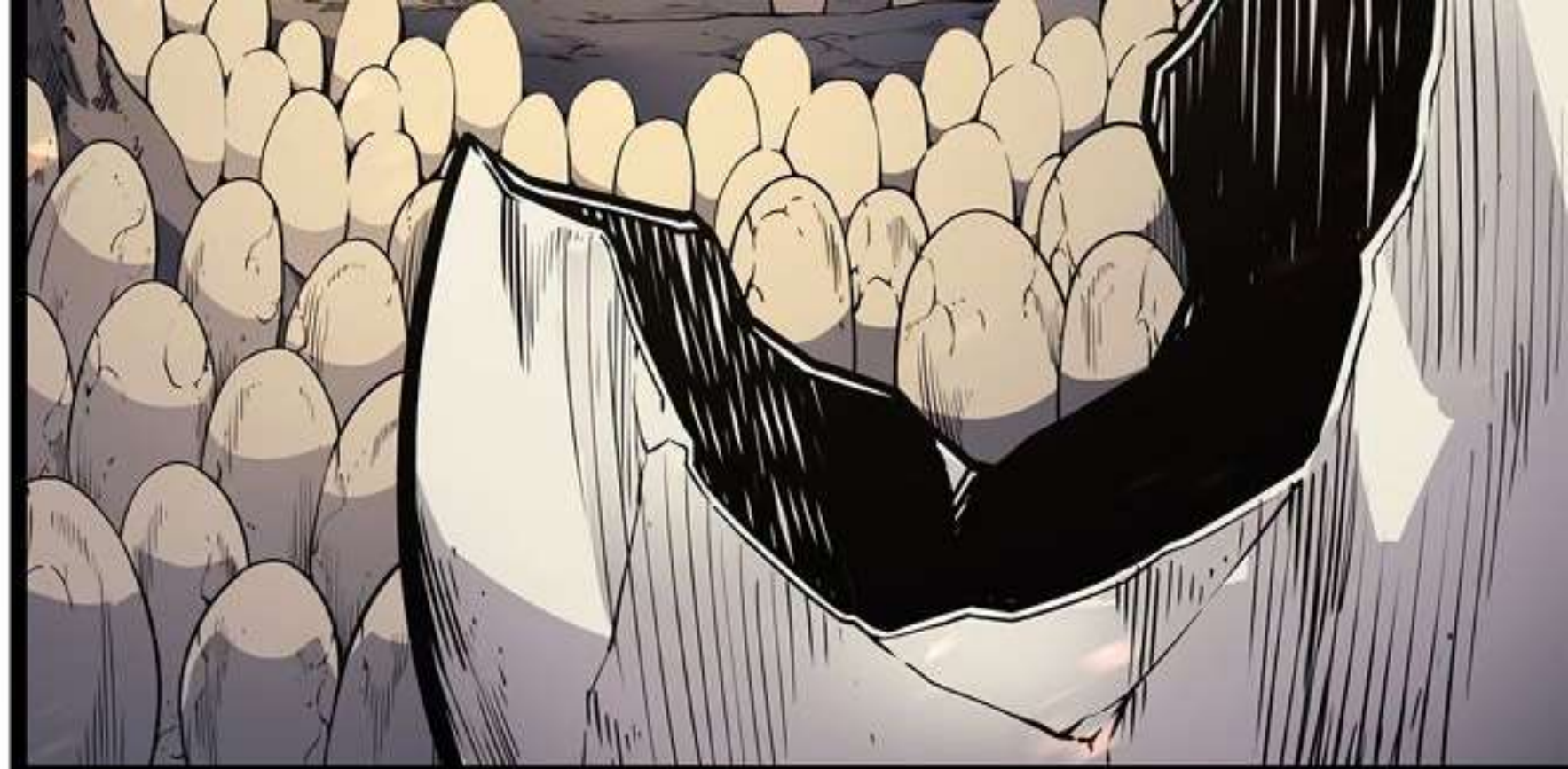
OUR GOAL IS TO
DEFEAT THE QUEEN.
FORGET ABOUT
EVERYTHING
ELSE.

PAT

...

I DON'T BLAME
BYUNG-GU FOR
BEING SO TAKEN
ABACK.

THOSE
MONSTERS...!



KENZO, YOU'RE
A HOT MESS.



THE FLYING ANTS
TURNED OUT TO BE
PESKIER THAN
I THOUGHT.

THEY ATTACKED
USING MILITARY
TACTICS AND
FLEW IN BATTLE
FORMATION.

I THINK
I KILLED AROUND 30,
BUT THEY MANAGED
TO GET ME IN THE
SHOULDER AND
WAIST.

WANT ME TO
HEAL YOU?

THERE'S A
PRICE FOR IT,
THOUGH.

STOP BEING
ANNOYING, SHIMIZU.
JUST HEAL ME
ALREADY.

BUT I HAVE
SOMETHING I WANT
FROM YOU. IT ISN'T
MONEY THIS TIME
EITHER.

WHAT IS IT?
YOU KNOW YOU MAKE
MORE THAN I DO,
RIGHT?

YOU'RE STILL YOUNG,
AND YET YOU'RE
ALREADY SO OBSESSED
WITH MONEY.

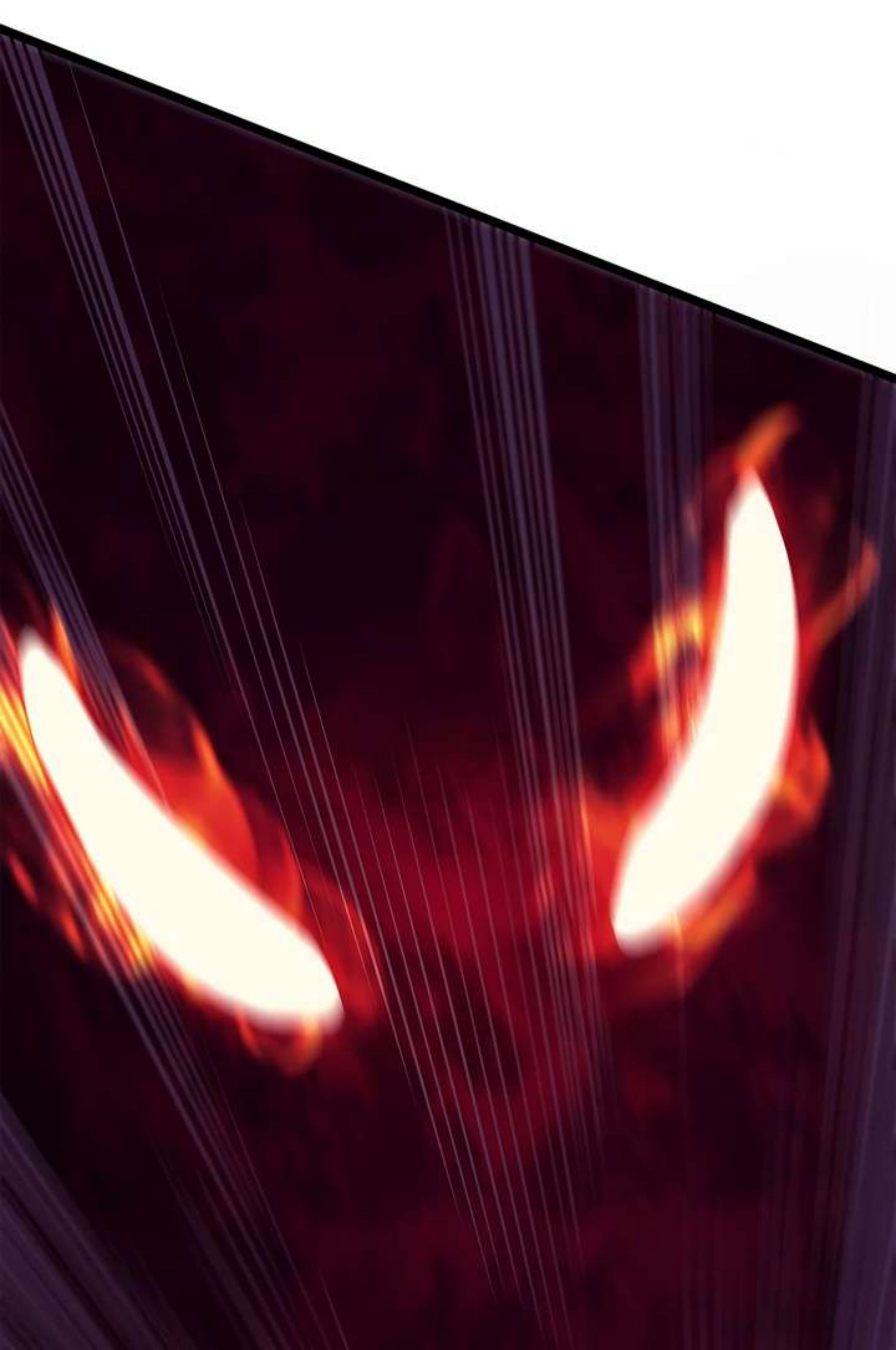
HURRY UP.

MORE ANTS
ARE COMING
FOR US.





THEY'RE
NEARBY!

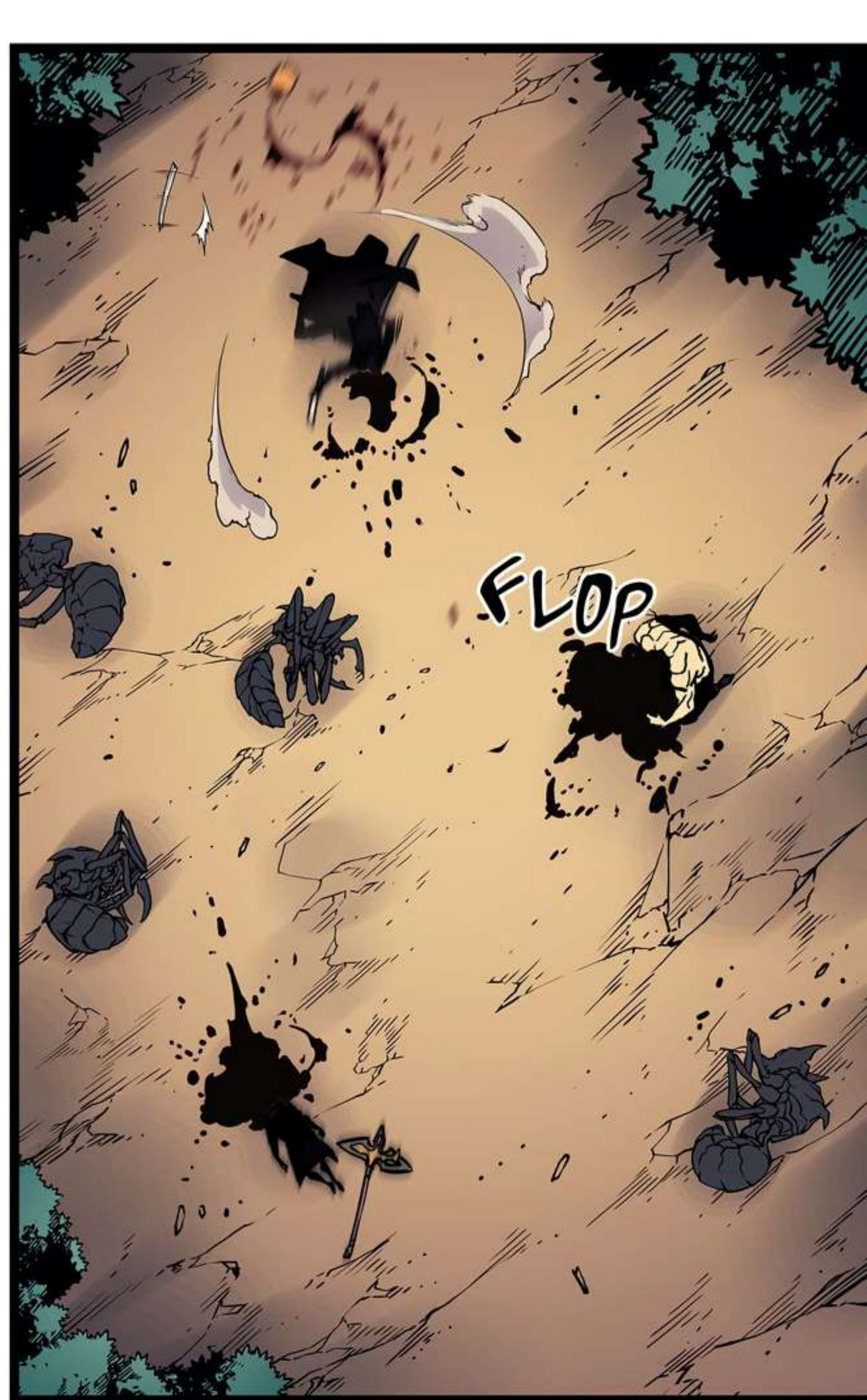




YOU BASTARD!!







To Be Continued...

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