

**THE GLASS  
MASK** 

**BY SUEVE MIUCHI**



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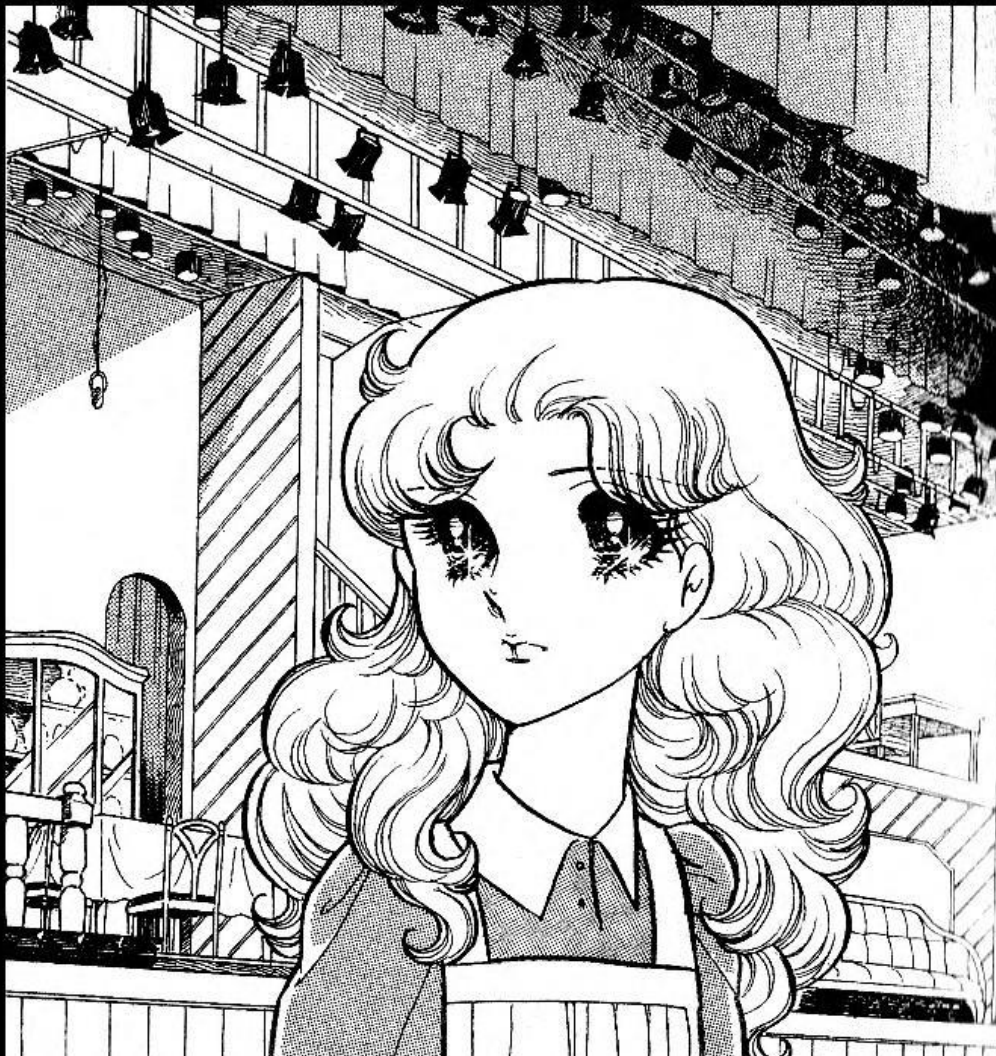


## THE FLAME'S POEM PART 1

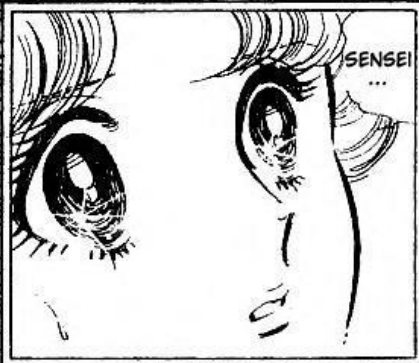
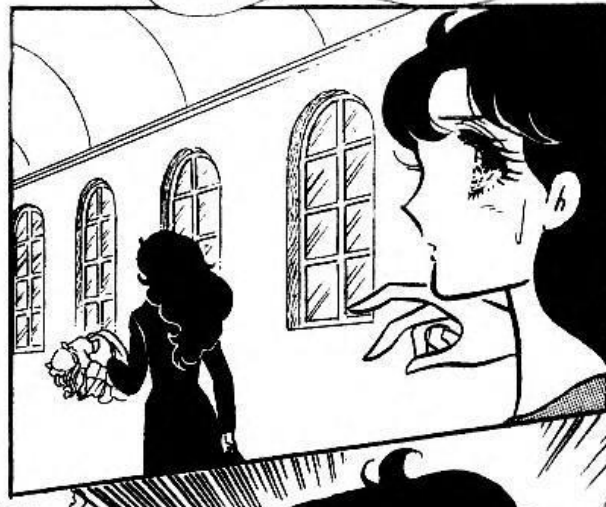
PLEASE READ FROM RIGHT TO LEFT

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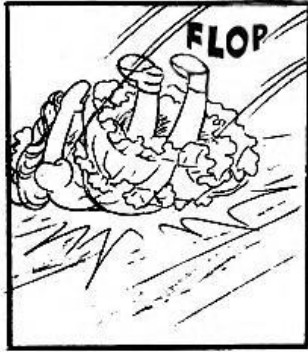
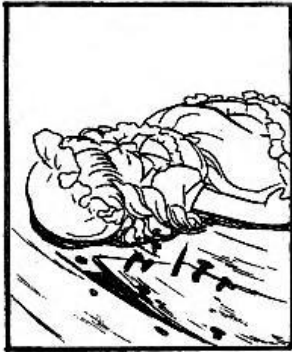


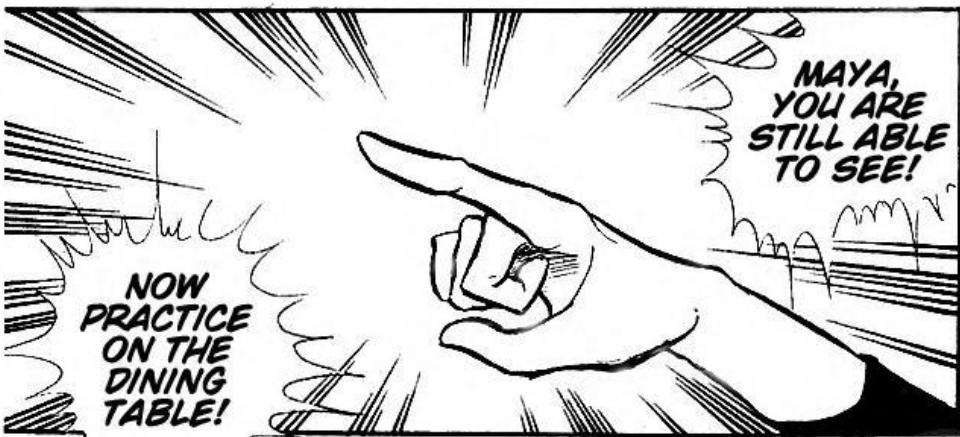
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STAY AWAY FROM MS. SULLIVAN, WHOM SHE HATES.. GO LOOK FOR HER MOTHER

WALK AND LOOK FOR HELP!

HELEN DOESN'T HAVE ANY MANNERS! SHE IS SIMILAR TO A WILD ANIMAL

SHE DOESN'T HAVE TABLE MANNERS!

YES, SHE IS ABLE TO LIFT THAT BIG DOLL

DON'T MOVE YOUR EYES!



HUFF HUFF

PUFF PUFF

SENSEI ..







YOU WON'T UNDERSTAND HELEN'S BEHAVIORS!

MAYA, IF YOU CAN'T DO IT, YOU DON'T KNOW HOW HELEN'S LIFE WAS LIKE

COUGH

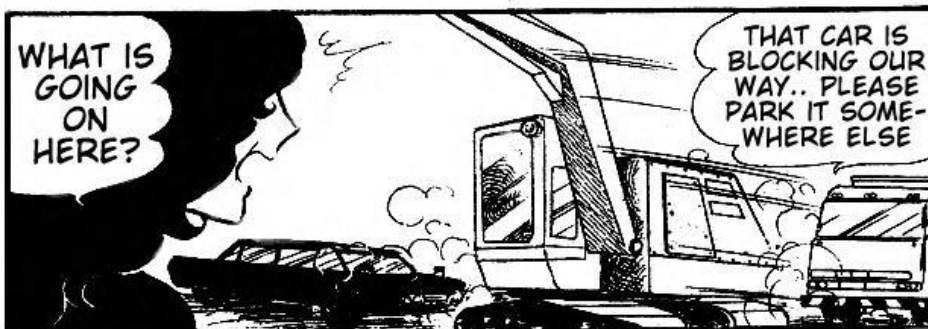
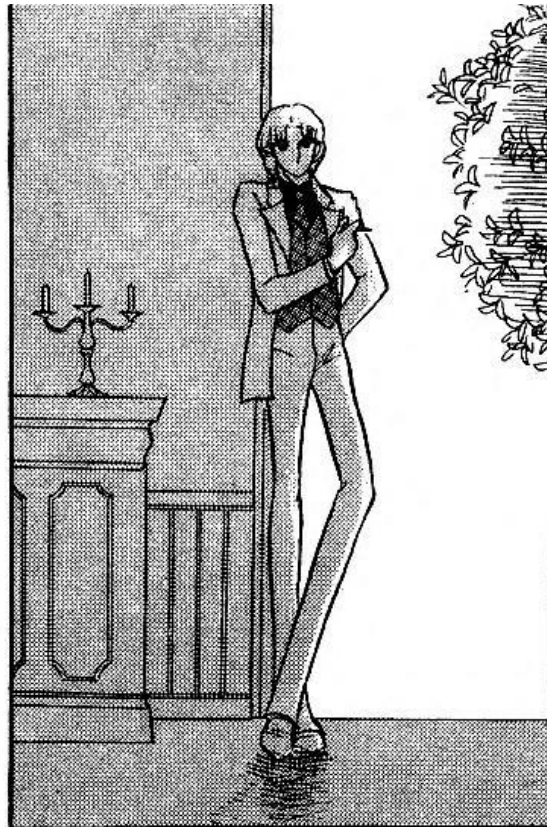
YES.. WHY DO YOU ALWAYS PUSH YOURSELF SO HARD?

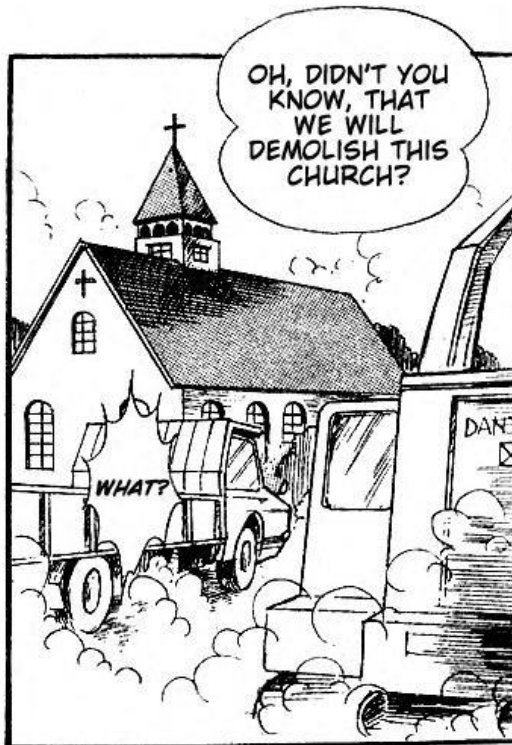
HUFF HUFF

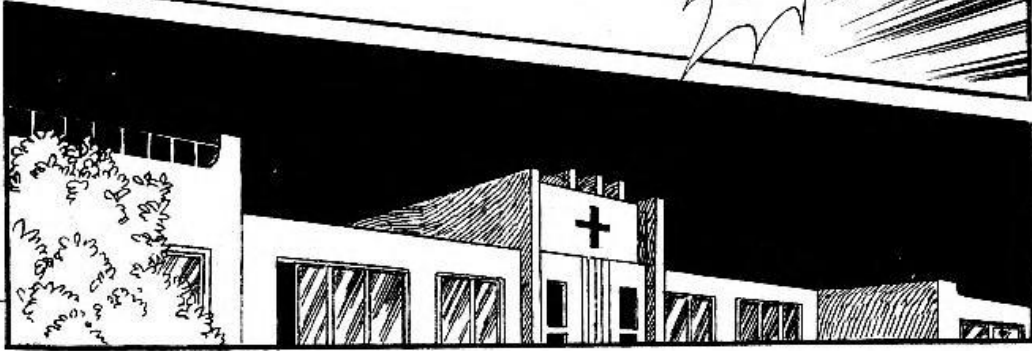
SENSEI, THAT'S ENOUGH! PLEASE LET ME HANDLE THIS

[Surprised expression]

[Pushing action]



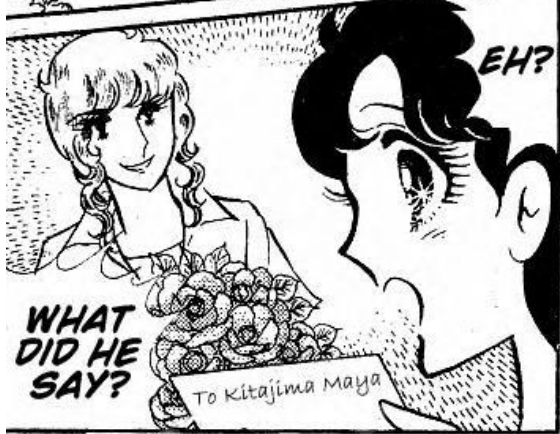








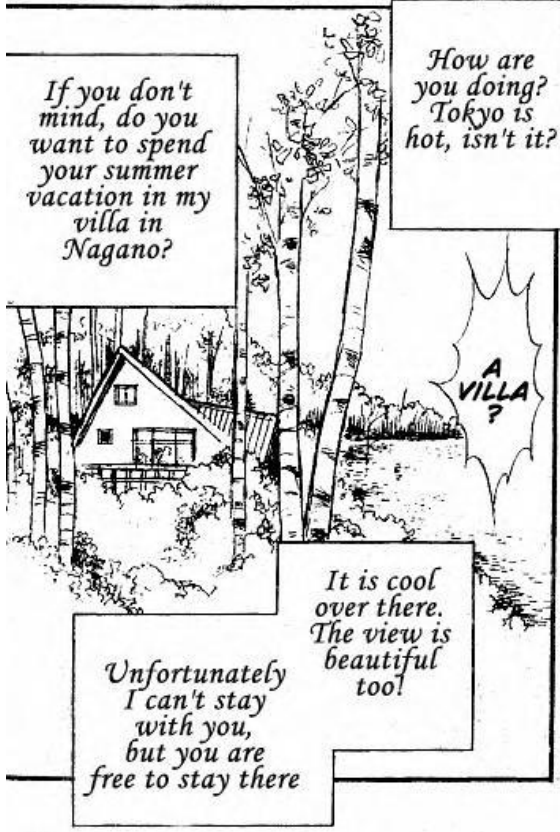
**MAYA! A DELIVERY FOR YOU! FROM THE PURPLE ROSE!**



**EH?**

**WHAT DID HE SAY?**

To Kitajima Maya



If you don't mind, do you want to spend your summer vacation in my villa in Nagano?

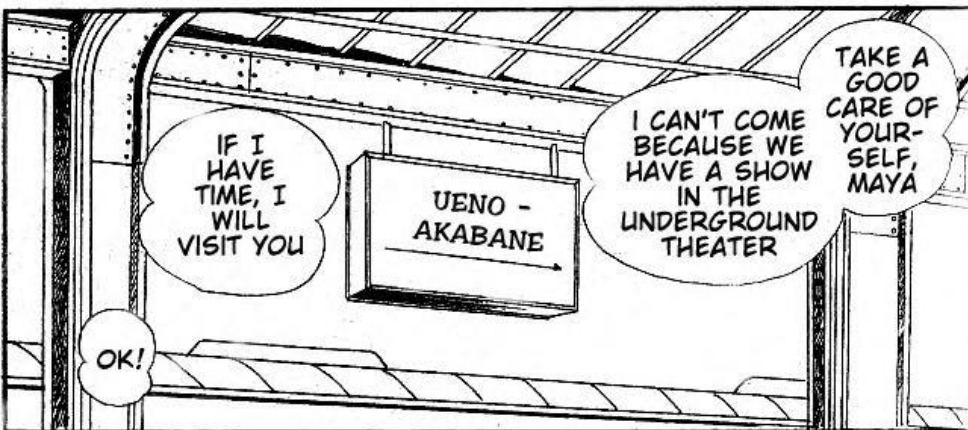
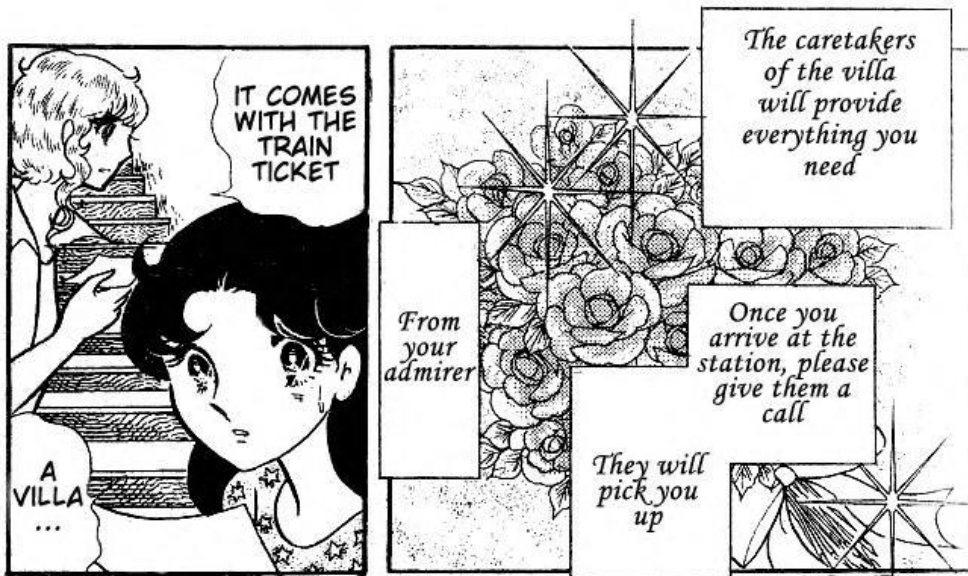
How are you doing? Tokyo is hot, isn't it?

**A VILLA?**

It is cool over there. The view is beautiful too!

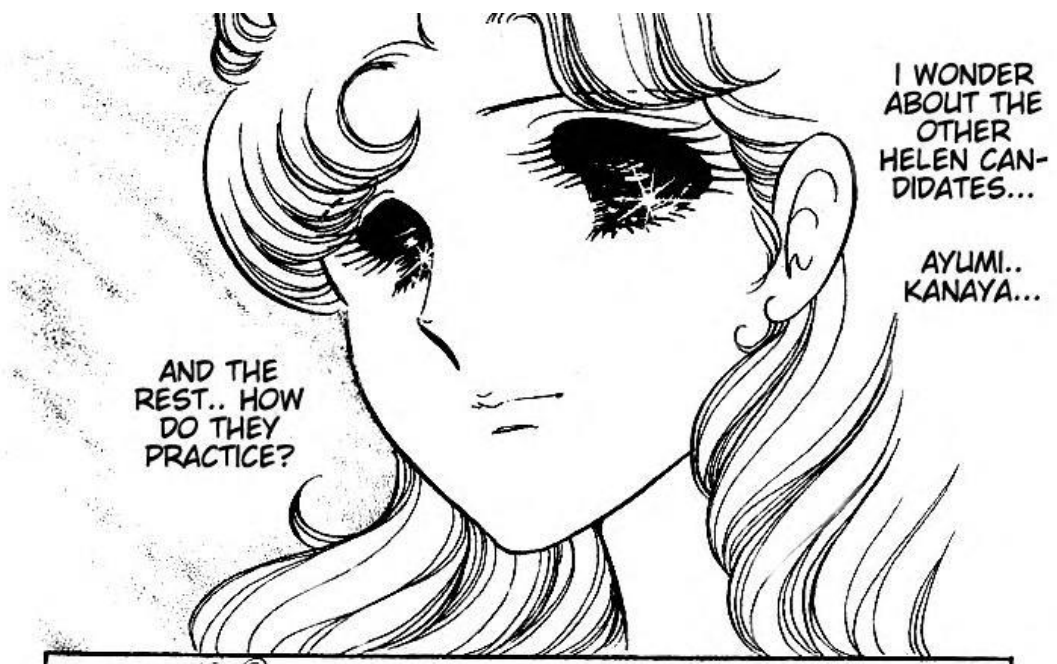
Unfortunately I can't stay with you, but you are free to stay there







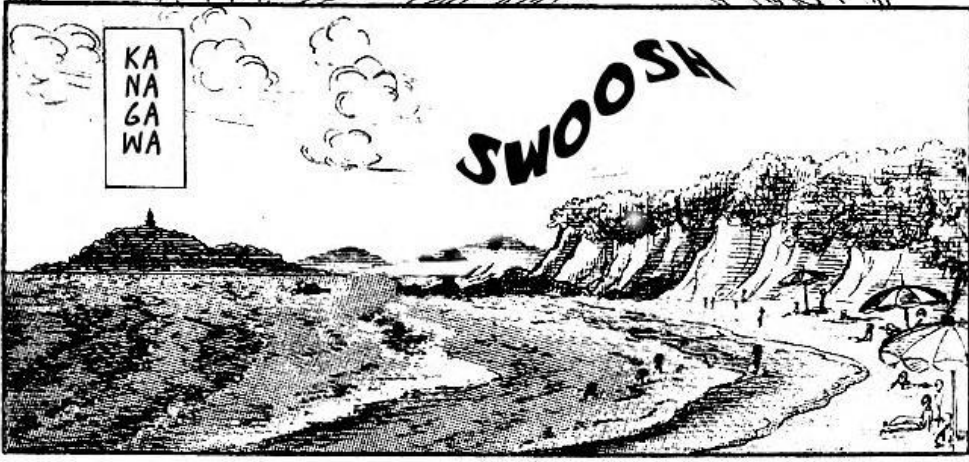




I WONDER ABOUT THE OTHER HELEN CANDIDATES...

AYUMI.. KANAYA...

AND THE REST.. HOW DO THEY PRACTICE?



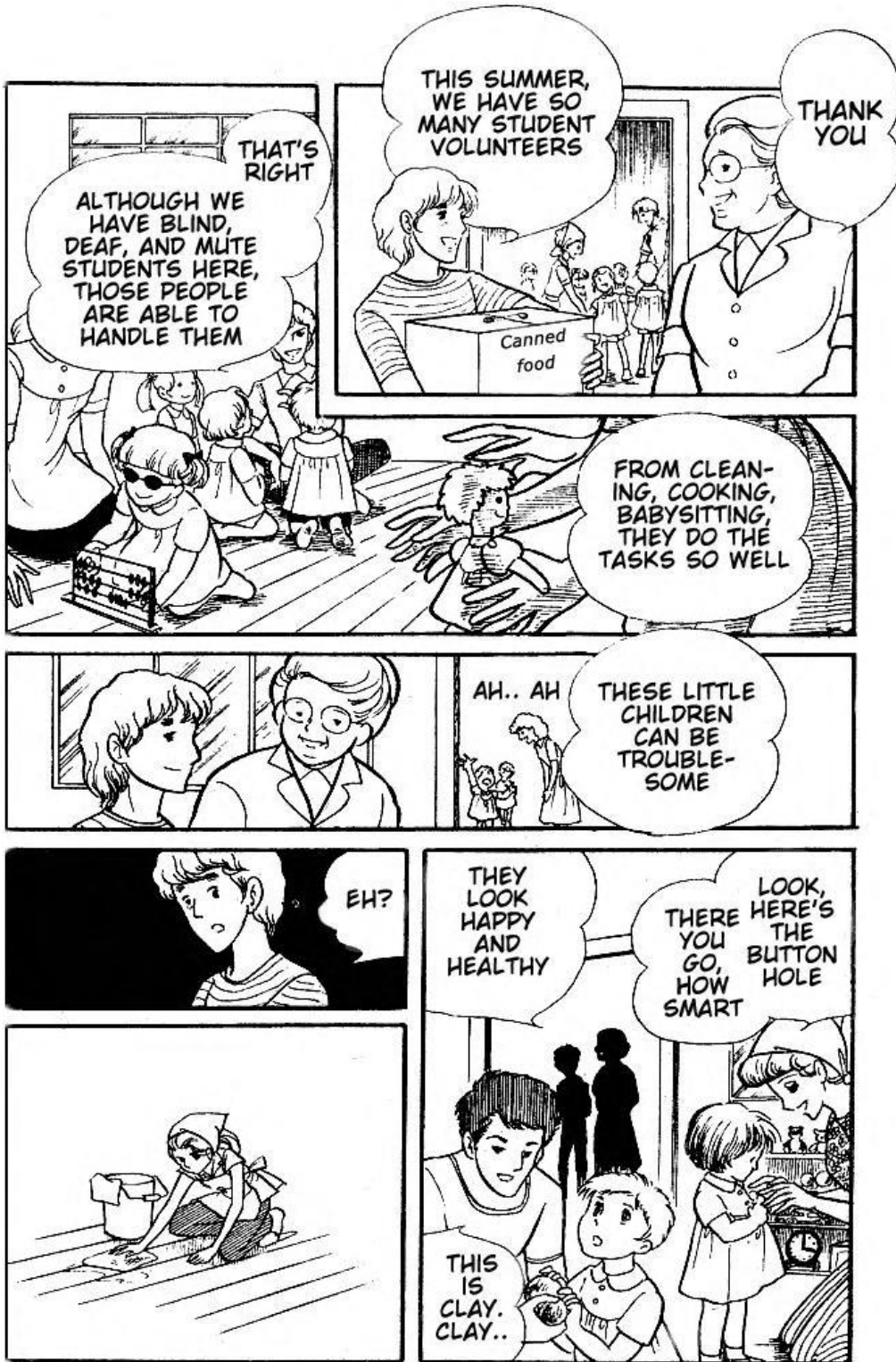
KANAYA

SWOOSH

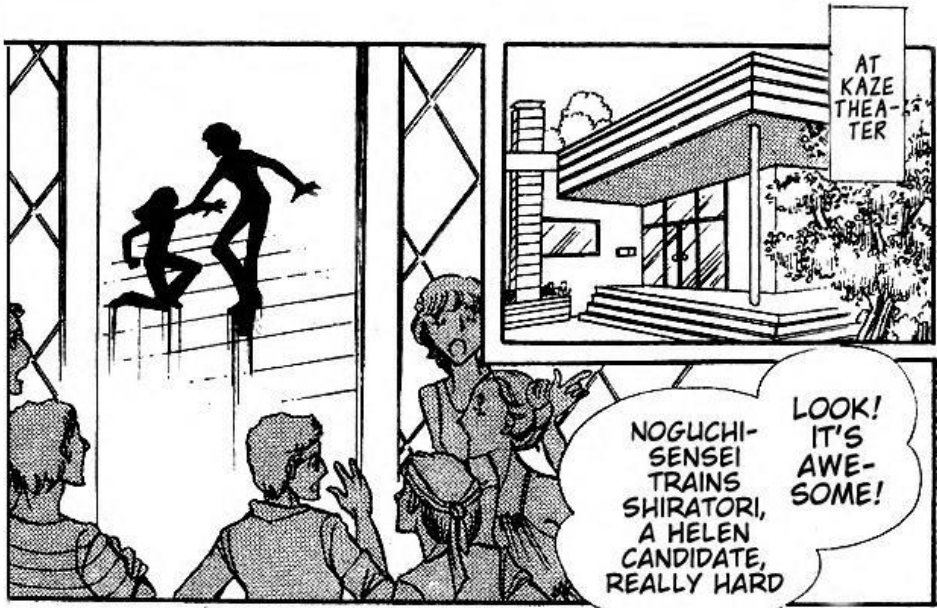


HEY! THE FOOD IS HERE!

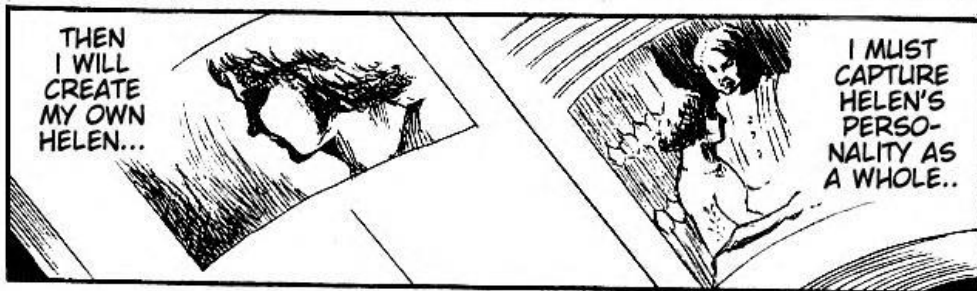
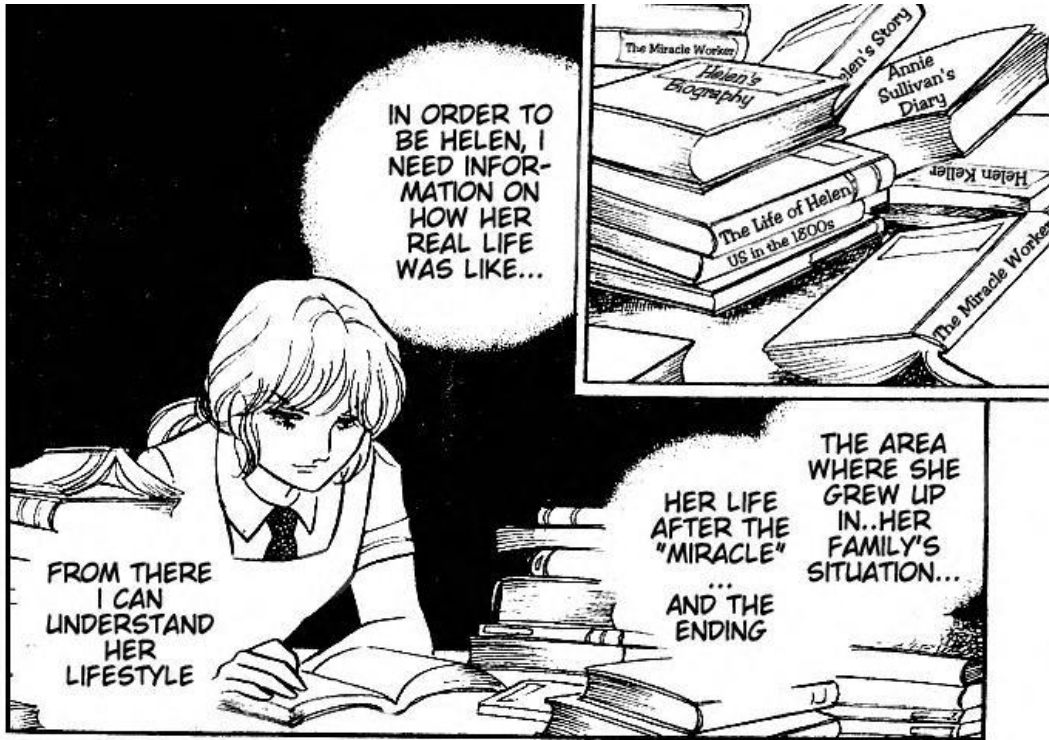
AT THE SCHOOL OF HOPE

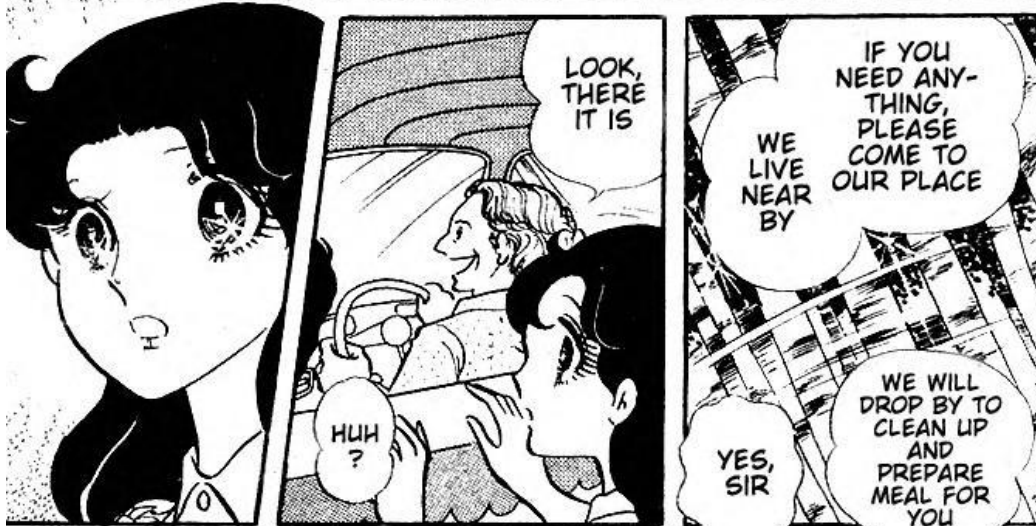
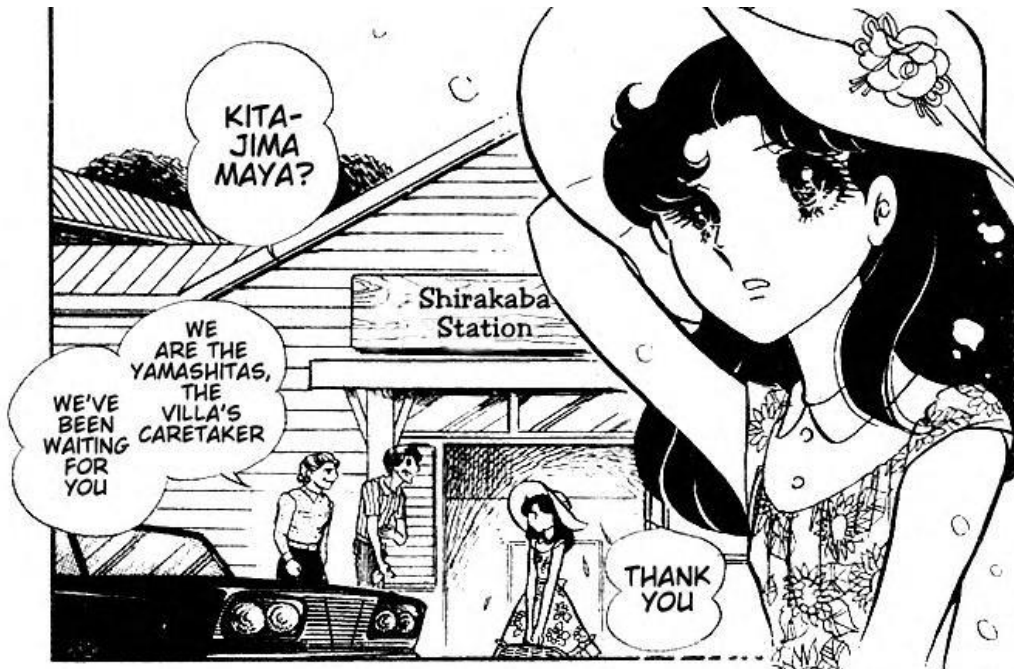
















WOW!  
SO BEAUTIFUL!



YOU MIGHT GET SCARED AT NIGHT

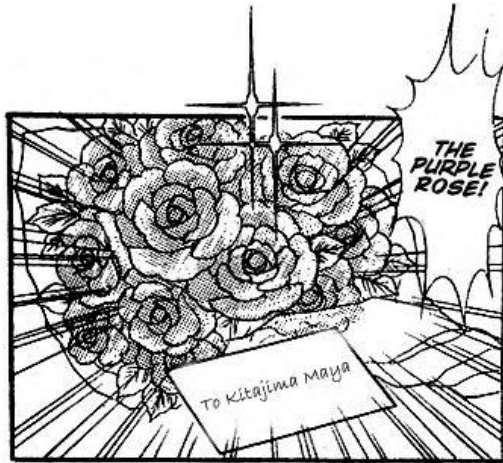
IT IS BRIGHT AND THE VIEW IS BEAUTIFUL

BUT IF YOU WANT TO, WE CAN COME OVER AT NIGHT

IT'LL BE SCARY AT NIGHT..



SCREEEE



THE PURPLE ROSE!

To Kitajima Maya



Welcome!  
Please feel free  
to use the place  
for your vacation  
or practice as  
long as you want

However,  
there  
is one  
condition

Please  
don't ask  
around  
about me



THANK  
YOU

I'LL DO  
MY BEST  
FOR  
YOU!

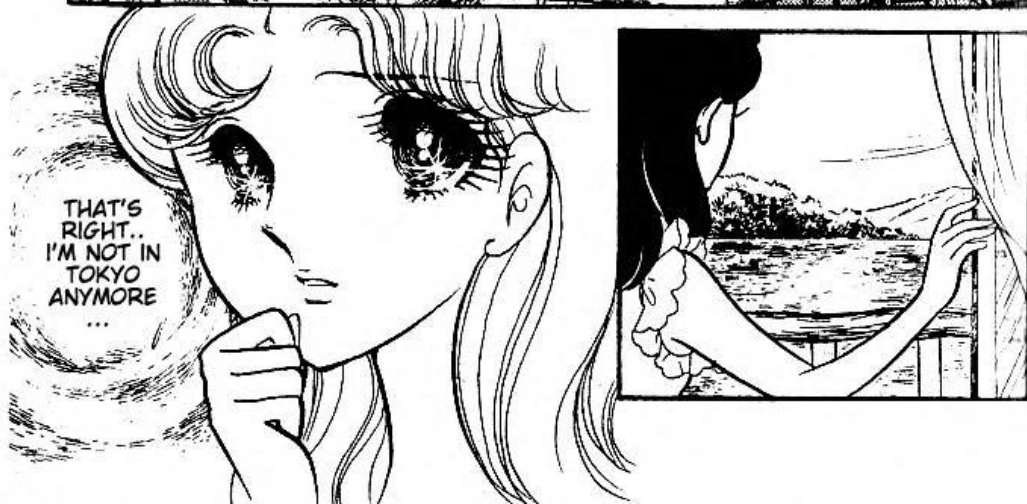
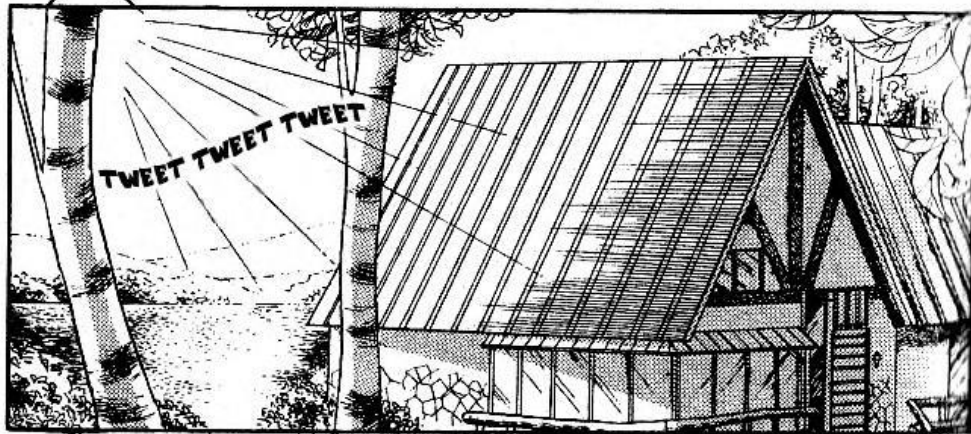


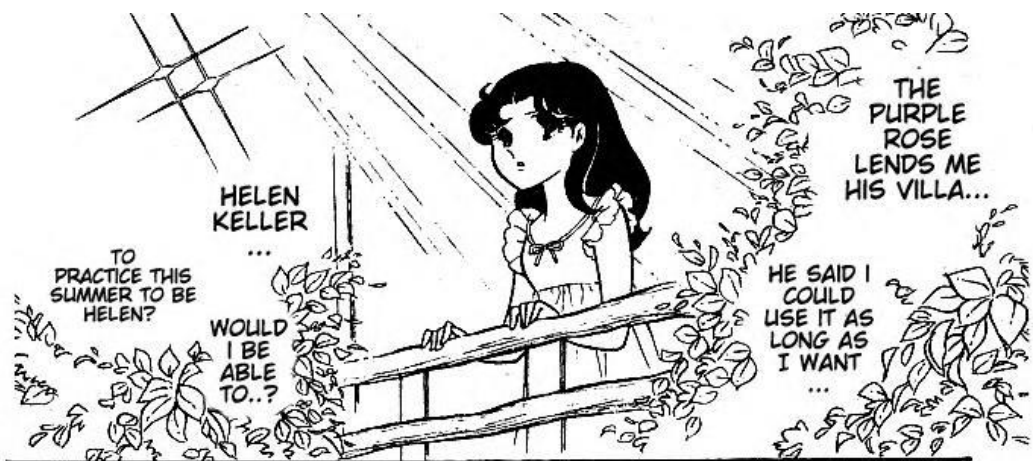
PURPLE  
ROSE  
...

That's  
the  
only  
condition

From  
your  
admirer







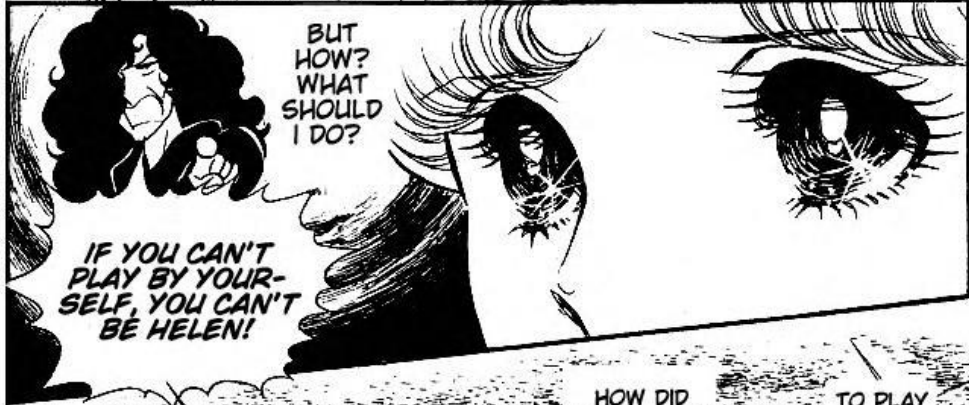
HELEN KELLER

THE PURPLE ROSE LENDS ME HIS VILLA...

TO PRACTICE THIS SUMMER TO BE HELEN?

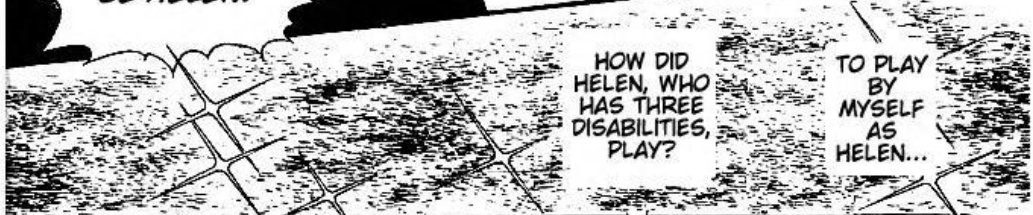
...  
WOULD I BE ABLE TO..?

HE SAID I COULD USE IT AS LONG AS I WANT ...



BUT HOW? WHAT SHOULD I DO?

IF YOU CAN'T PLAY BY YOURSELF, YOU CAN'T BE HELEN!



HOW DID HELEN, WHO HAS THREE DISABILITIES, PLAY?

TO PLAY BY MYSELF AS HELEN...



GOOD MORNING

DID YOU SLEEP WELL?



HELLO, MAYA! WE'RE COMING IN

WE WILL PREPARE YOUR BREAKFAST



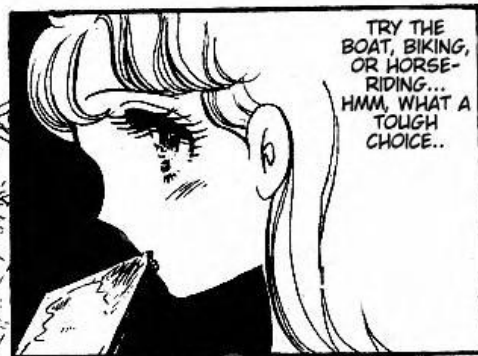
DING DONG



I WILL ...

YOU MUST BE LONELY BY YOURSELF

TODAY'S WEATHER IS NICE. WHY DON'T YOU GO OUTSIDE AND LOOK AROUND?



TRY THE BOAT, BIKING, OR HORSE-RIDING... HMM, WHAT A TOUGH CHOICE...



ALRIGHT ...

YOU CAN TRY THE BOAT ON THE LAKE, OR YOU CAN GO SIGHT SEEING ON BIKE..

OR DO YOU PREFER HORSE-RIDING?



TWEET TWEET TWEET



TWEET TWEET TWEET



A HEALTHY GIRL LIKE YOU SHOULDN'T LOCK HERSELF UP IN THE HOUSE

CLAP

CLAP

COME ON, GO OUTSIDE

I WILL CLEAN THE HOUSE

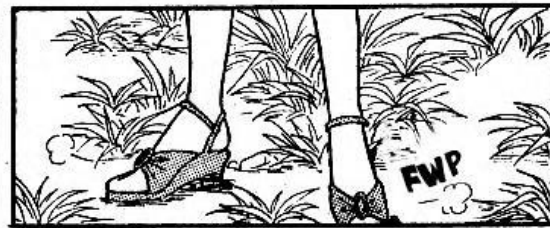
SWOOOSH



I WILL TRY TO WALK AS HELEN!



IF I'M NOT MISTAKEN, THERE'S AN ACT WHERE HELEN LIVES WITH MS. SULLIVAN IN A SMALL HOUSE, IN THE MIDDLE OF A FOREST



FWP



FWP

FWP



BRANCHES  
...

A TREE IS  
BLOCKING  
THE  
WAY...

**BUMP**

A  
ROCK  
...

TREE  
ROOTS  
...

HOW FAR  
HAVE I  
WALKED?







UGH ...



IT'S SCARY TO MAKE A SINGLE STEP...

I JUST REALIZED HOW HARD IT IS TO WALK AS A BLIND PERSON...

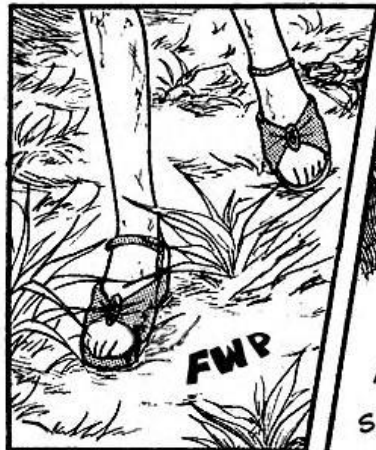


CRASH



MY LEGS ARE SHAKING, KNOWING THERE ARE DANGERS AROUND

DID HELEN WALK IN THE FOREST LIKE THIS?



FWP



SINCE SHE WAS ONE YEAR AND NINE MONTHS OLD, SHE HAD BEEN BLIND, MUTE AND DEAF...

ALONE IN THE DARKNESS, SHE LIVED ONLY WITH HER SENSE OF TOUCH...



MAYBE SHE'S HANGING AROUND WITH THE CAMPERS

IT'S ALMOST DINNER TIME. IS MAYA STILL OUTSIDE?

OR GETTING TO KNOW OTHER KIDS FROM OTHER VILLAS



AFTER YOU'RE DONE WITH HOMEWORK, YOU CAN GO OUT AND PLAY...

BEING YOUNG IS FUN, ISN'T IT?



BAM

THE FRONT DOOR... IS THAT HER?

HUH?



HUH?!

MAYA, DINNER IS ...

