

Pretty Guardian *
美少女戦士 *SAILORMOON*
セーラー Moon



Act 18 Invasion

Sailor Venus



DAMMIT!!

DAMMIT!!

THERE'S NO WAY I CAN TRACK IT! WHERE THE HELL IS IT COMING FROM?!



EVERYTIME I FINALLY SEE IT ON THE RADAR THE BLACK MOON'S FLYING SAUCER JUST BLIPS OFF THE MAP AGAIN!



SHE'S GONE! NOT AGAIN!
DAMMIT!

SAILOR MOON!
VENUS!



LUNA!
LOOK!



JUPITER!

WAAAAAAAAH!!!





DIDNT PETZ
USE THAT
EARRING
AGAINST
JUPITER
WHEN THEY
WERE
BATTLING?

DONT GET
TOO CLOSE TO
IT, LUNA IT
LOOKS LIKE IT
COULD BE
DANGEROUS

that's the
earring?



I'LL SHOW
YOU A
REAL
TORNADO,
USING THE
POWER OF
MY DARK
CRYSTAL
EARRING!



THAT'S...



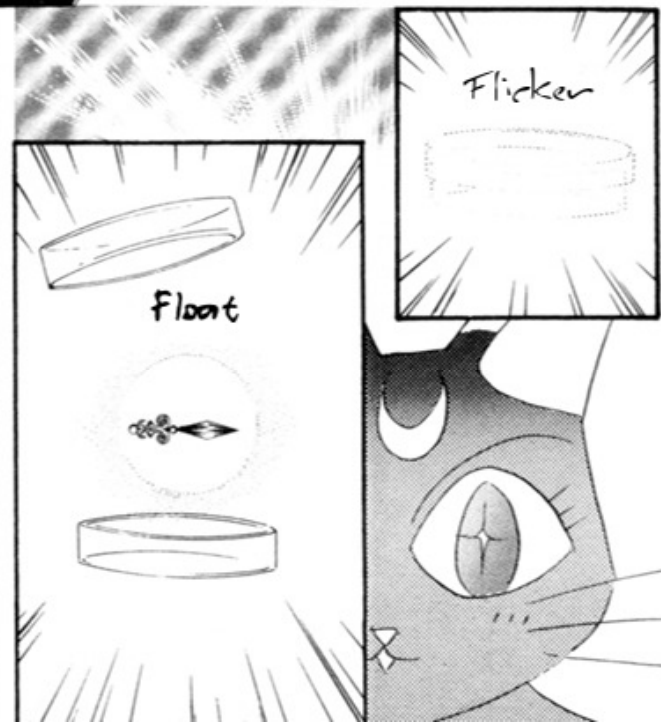
UNDERSTOOD,
ARTEMIS!
SEND ME OVER A
CONTAINMENT
UNIT AND I'LL
TAKE CARE OF IT.

LUNA, YOU
SHOULD
TAKE THE
EARRING IN
THE CROP
CIRCLE BACK
WITH US!

OK!



TUXEDO
MASK!
LUNA!



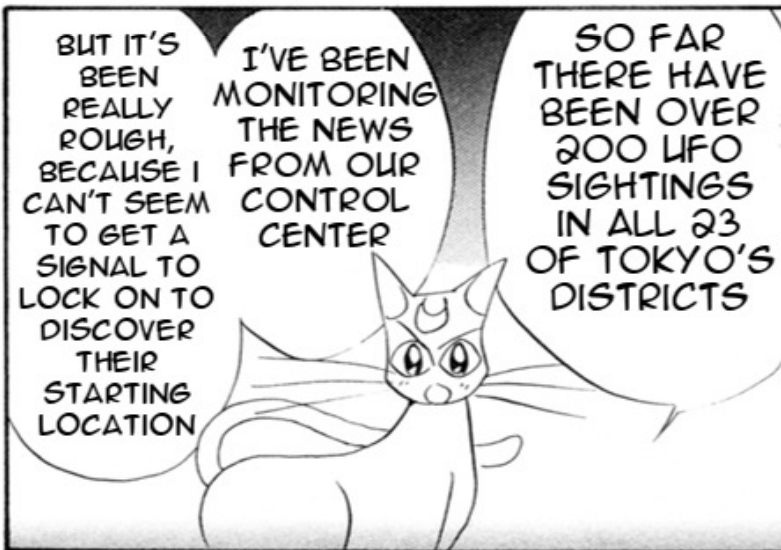
Flicker

Float



AND NOW THEY HAVE JUPITER TOO, THIS IS AWFUL!

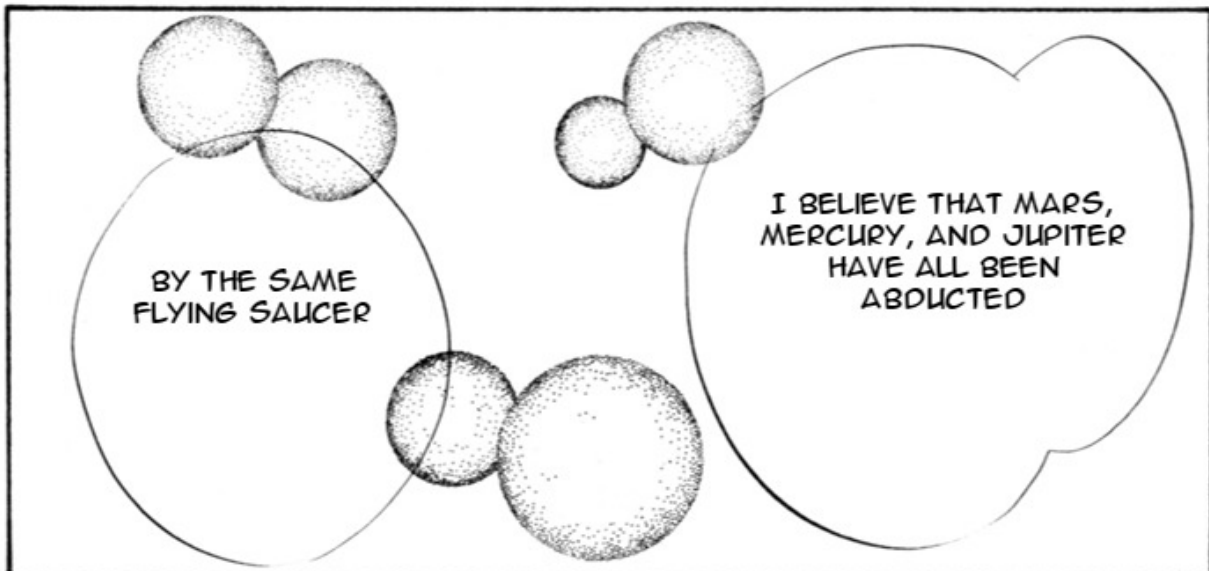
I'M SORRY! I ARRIVED AFTER IT HAD ALREADY HAPPENED



BUT IT'S BEEN REALLY ROUGH, BECAUSE I CAN'T SEEM TO GET A SIGNAL TO LOCK ON TO DISCOVER THEIR STARTING LOCATION

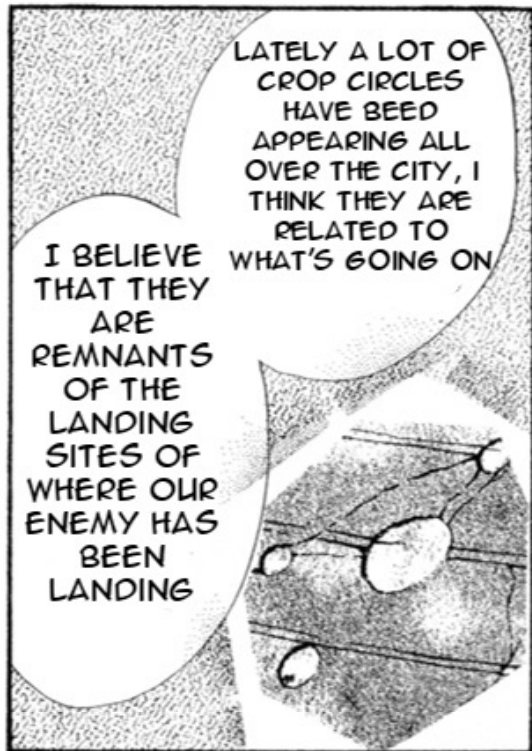
I'VE BEEN MONITORING THE NEWS FROM OUR CONTROL CENTER

SO FAR THERE HAVE BEEN OVER 200 UFO SIGHTINGS IN ALL 23 OF TOKYO'S DISTRICTS



BY THE SAME FLYING SAUCER

I BELIEVE THAT MARS, MERCURY, AND JUPITER HAVE ALL BEEN ABDUCTED





I'M CERTAIN THAT
MARS, MERCURY,
AND JUPITER ARE
ALL STILL ALIVE!


Do you think
they'd kill
anyone who
got in their
way?

DO YOU THINK IT'S
A POSSIBILITY
THEY ARE TRYING
TO TAKE OVER
OUR PLANET? IS IT
THEIR INTENTION
TO KILL US IN
ORDER TO DO
THAT? WE CAN'T
LET THAT HAPPEN!



WHY DON'T
THEY JUST
COME AFTER
US
DIRECTLY? I
DON'T
UNDERSTAND!

BUT WHY ARE THEY
DOING THIS, PICKING
US OFF ONE BY ONE?
I MEAN, ISN'T THEIR
GOAL TO GET
CHIBIUSA, OR MY
SILVER CRYSTAL?



IF THEIR
PLAN IS TO
ELIMINATE
US, I
BELIEVE
THAT THEY
WILL FIRST
TAKE US ALL
TO WHERE
THEY ARE
LOCATED TO
HAVE AN
ADVANTAGE

I THINK IT'S ABOUT TIME WE HAD A CHAT WITH CHIBILISA TO FIND OUT WHAT SHE KNOWS ABOUT THE SITUATION

I CANT STAND THIS.

THIS IS SO FRUSTRATING! I HATE FEELING LIKE WE ARE AT THEIR MERCY!

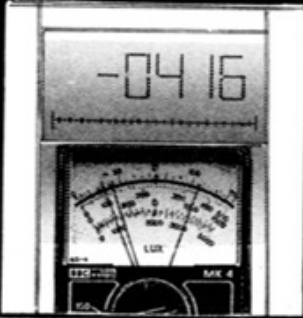
AT THE VERY LEAST, MAYBE SHE CAN GIVE US SOME INFORMATION ON THE BLACK MOON THAT WE DON'T ALREADY KNOW. IT'S WORTH A TRY

WE'LL LET CHIBILISA TELL US WHOSE SIDE SHE'S REALLY ON

IT SEEMS THAT ITS ENERGY IS GRADUALLY DECREASING AS TIME PASSES

beep

beep



ARTEMIS, LOOK AT THIS. THIS IS THE BLACK CRYSTAL EARRING WE FOUND IN THE CROP CIRCLE

beep

beep



beep

beep





WHAT THE HECK IS THIS EARRING?

WHAT DOES IT ALL MEAN?

Beep

LOOKS LIKE IT'S REACHED ITS LOWEST POINT

min.



Dash

SLAM



YEAH. I'M FINE

USAGI, ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?



tuskino



HEY YOU GLYS!



MY FRIEND MOMOKO IS REALLY GOOD AT COOKING, YOU SHOULD GO TO HER PARENT'S RESTAURANT SOME TIME!

Who said you could call me by my first name?

OH HEY USAGI

THIS IS MY FRIEND MOMOKO

OH, MINAKO, MAMORU, I'M SORRY! CHIBIUSA IS JUST REALLY EXCITED BECAUSE HER FRIEND FROM SCHOOL IS HERE

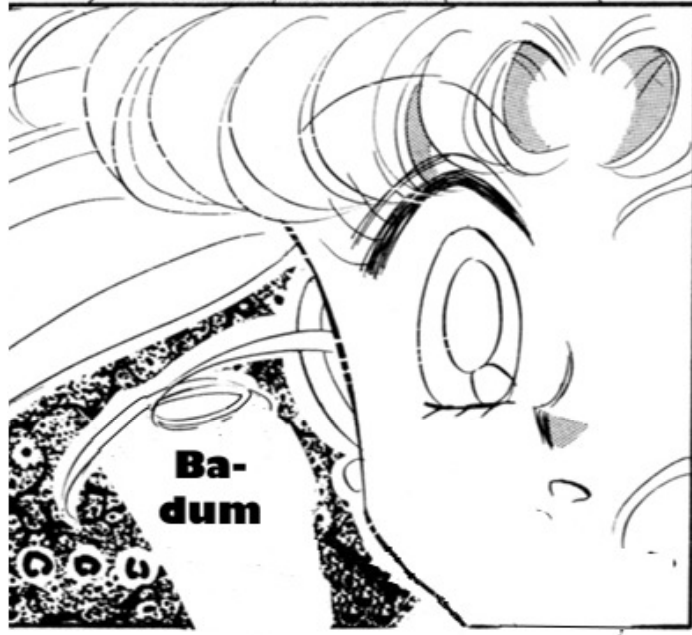


I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT SHE COULD BE OUR ENEMY

WHENEVER I SEE HER SMILING AT US AND SAYING HELLO



IT SEEMS LIKE EVER SINCE CHIBIUSA STARTED ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, SHE'S BEEN A LOT MORE OUTGOING



Ba-dum



ALL RIGHT MAMORU. IF YOU NEED ME, I'LL BE IN THE CONTROL ROOM

IF YOU WOULDN'T MIND, I'D LIKE TO INSPECT THAT EARRING WE FOUND IN THE CROP CIRCLE THE OTHER DAY

LUNA

NOOOOOOO!!!

panic

AHHHH!

CHIBIUSA?

CHIBIUSA!

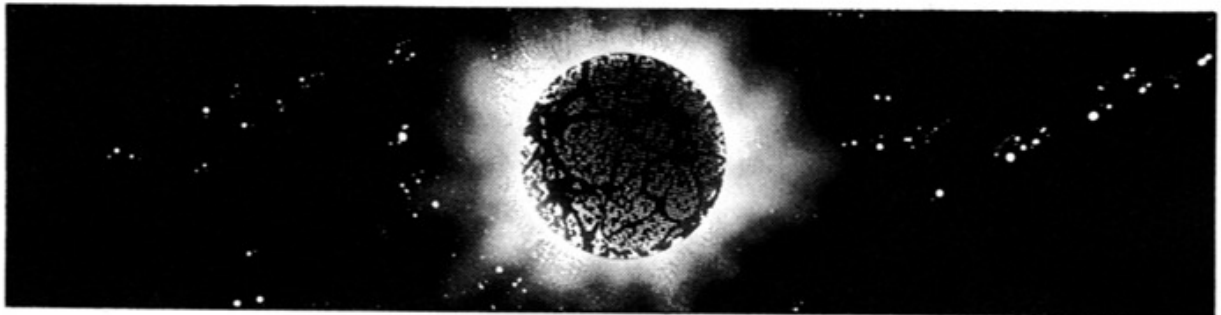
T-THAT EARRING...?!

huh

AHHHH!!

CHIBIUSA?

WHAT? WHAT'S GOING ON!?



YOU TWO ARE SO PETTY



MY JOB IS TO PUT INTO ACTION THE WISHES OF THE PRINCE, AND THAT IS EXACTLY WHAT I'VE DONE



RUBELIS, WE'VE LOST SO MANY OF OUR OWN COMBATANTS ALREADY, SURELY YOU REALIZE THIS TOO, DON'T YOU?



WE HAVE THE DARK CRYSTAL ON OUR SIDE, AND OUR OWN LOVELY DARK PLANET

DON'T YOU SEE? WE HAVE NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT, SO JUST RELAX AND HAVE FUN WITH THIS

OHH, I'M SO SCARED



ESMERALDA



BESIDES, SAPHIR. YOU ALWAYS GET SO IRRITABLE AND IMPATIENT WHENEVER THINGS DON'T FOLLOW YOUR EXACT SCHEDULE. ACCIDENTS ARE INEVITABLE. BUT IT DOESN'T MATTER, YOU HAVE A LOT OF POWER, JUST BE HAPPY.

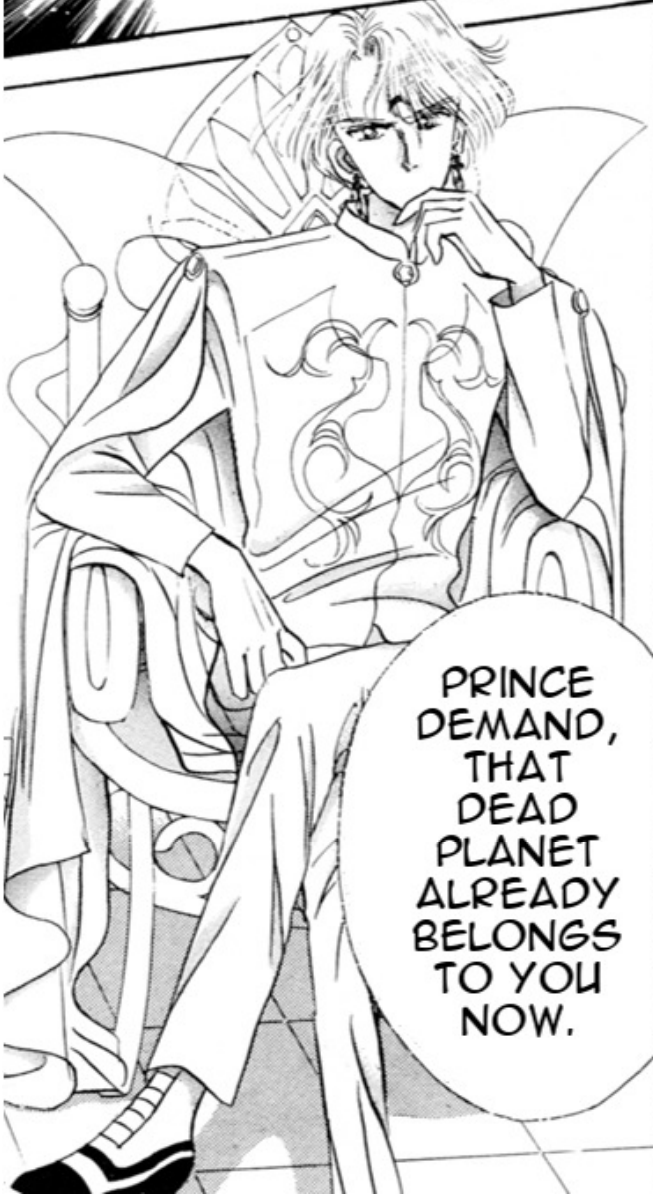




We can use our crystal to get everything we've always wanted, it is all within our grasp!!

We have already created our own world of darkness, "Nemesis"

Borne of the power of the dark crystal



PRINCE DEMAND, THAT DEAD PLANET ALREADY BELONGS TO YOU NOW.



WE ALREADY HAVE THE DARK CRYSTAL. WHY SHOULD WE EXPEND SO MUCH ENERGY TO TRY TO OBTAIN THE "SILVER CRYSTAL" TOO?



WE'VE ALREADY WITNESSED THE TERRIBLE POWER OF THE DARK CRYSTAL

WE SAW THE AMOUNT OF DAMAGE IT DID TO THAT "OTHER PLANET"

I HAVEN'T SEEN
THE CORPSE OF
THAT "OTHER
PLANET'S"
GREAT RULER YET.

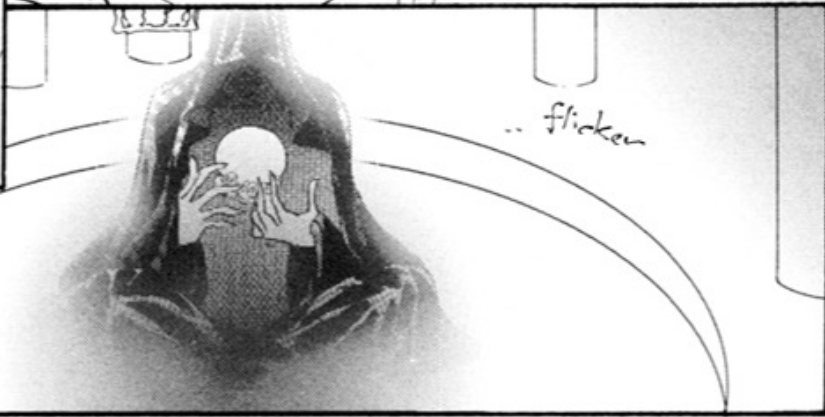
AND BESIDES,
"THAT PLANET"
HAS ALREADY
FALLEN, IT IS
NO LONGER OF
ANY
IMPORTANCE

WE
CAN'T
STOP
YET

I DONT SEE
WHY WE'RE
WASTING OUR
ENERGY WHEN
WE'VE ALREADY
MADE THAT
"OTHER PLANET"
FALL TO US

WE HAVEN'T
FULLY
EXPERIENCED
WHAT OUR
POWERS
ARE
CAPABLE OF

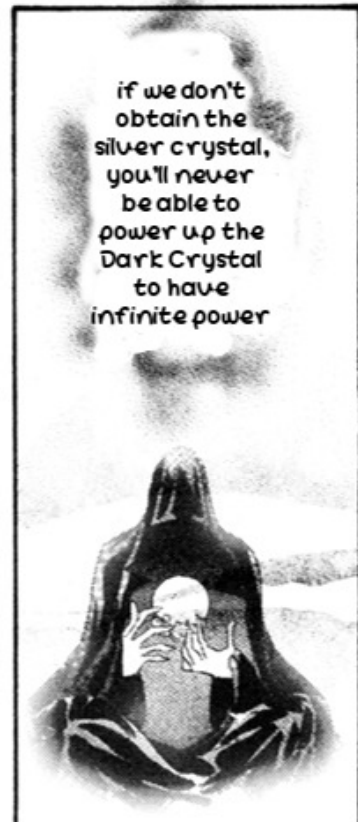
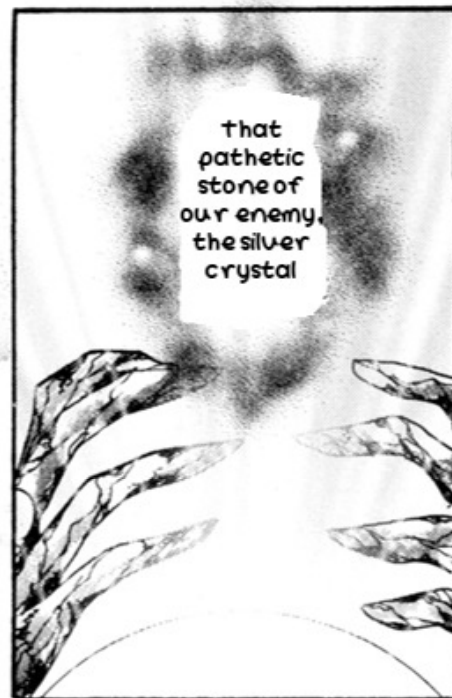
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The one named
"Rabbit"
carried it. This
is our best
chance of
getting it from
her.

that
pathetic
stone of
our enemy,
the silver
crystal

if we don't
obtain the
silver crystal,
you'll never
be able to
power up the
Dark Crystal
to have
infinite power






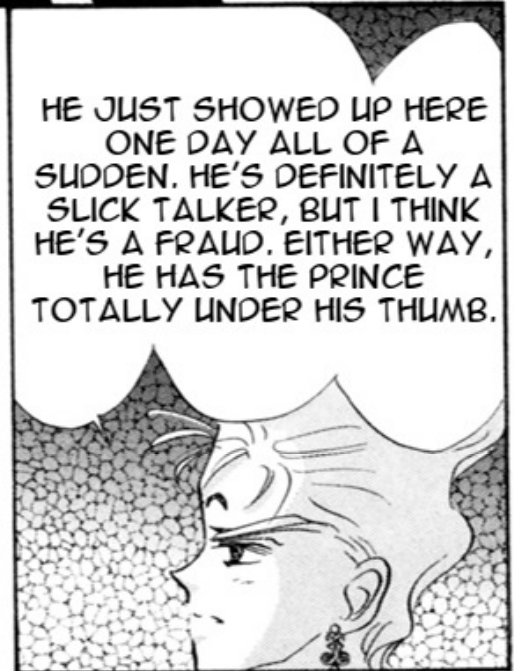
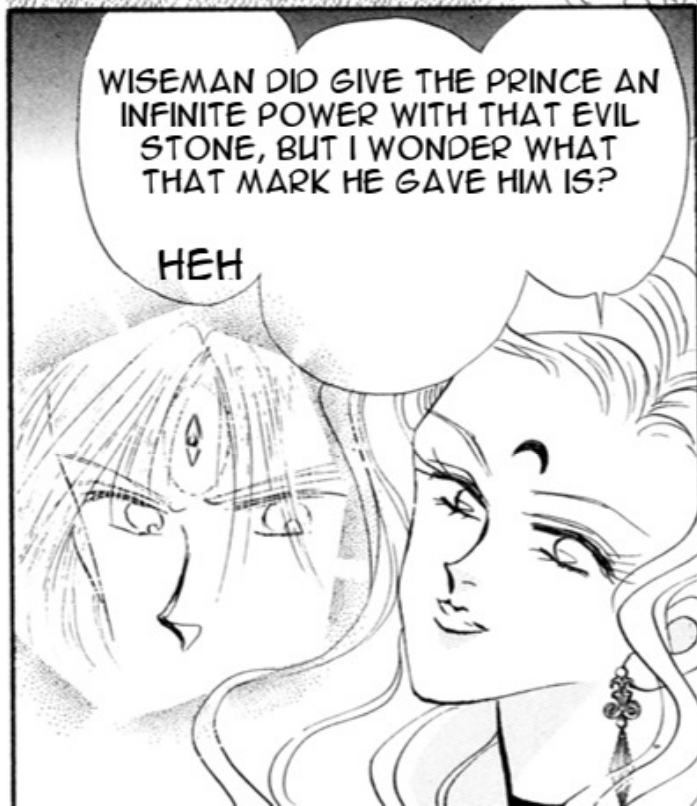
We'll
crush it
using our
Dark
Crystal!

We must
take it for
ourselves!
Away from
those hated
owners of
the Silver
Crystal

We will show
them the
power of
the Black
Moon



The time to
rid ourselves
of the silver
crystal once
and for all is
fast
approaching!!





THE PRINCE BELIEVES THAT THERE'S WORTH IN GOING AFTER THE SILVER CRYSTAL... I WONDER IF HE KNOWS SOMETHING WE DON'T. I WONDER IF HE'LL LET US IN ON THE SECRET SOON.



THIS IS SO FRUSTRATING! I JUST KNOW THAT OUR ENEMIES WILL SEND ME TO YOUR SAME FATE

MY SISTERS



I WANT TO SEE SAILOR MOON CRYING IN AGONY JUST AS YOU HAVE BEEN.

I CAN SEE THAT YOUR HEART HAS BEEN ALL TORN UP, BUT DO YOU THINK THOSE FIVE SOLDIERS HAVE BEEN GREIVING FOR YOUR LOSS?



I THINK YOU'RE UP TO NO GOOD

HOLDING A SEANCE, WERE YOU?

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RUBBISH!

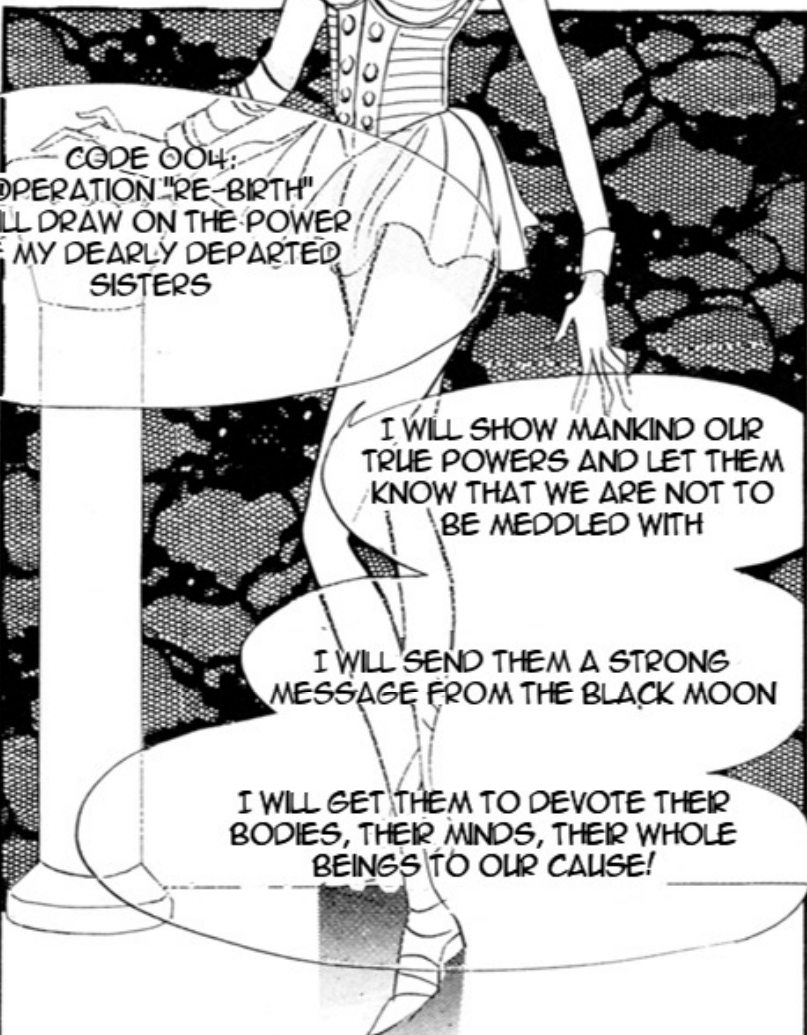


I THINK ITS
HIGH TIME
THAT THE
BLACK
MOON
TURNED
THIS
PLANET
INTO RUINS,
JUST LIKE
WE DID TO
THE "OTHER
ONE"



THE LAST OF THE
FOUR STRANGE
SISTERS, AND A
PSYCHIC
MEDIUM. I WILL
DO AS YOU ASK,
RUBELIS

I AM
CALAVERAS

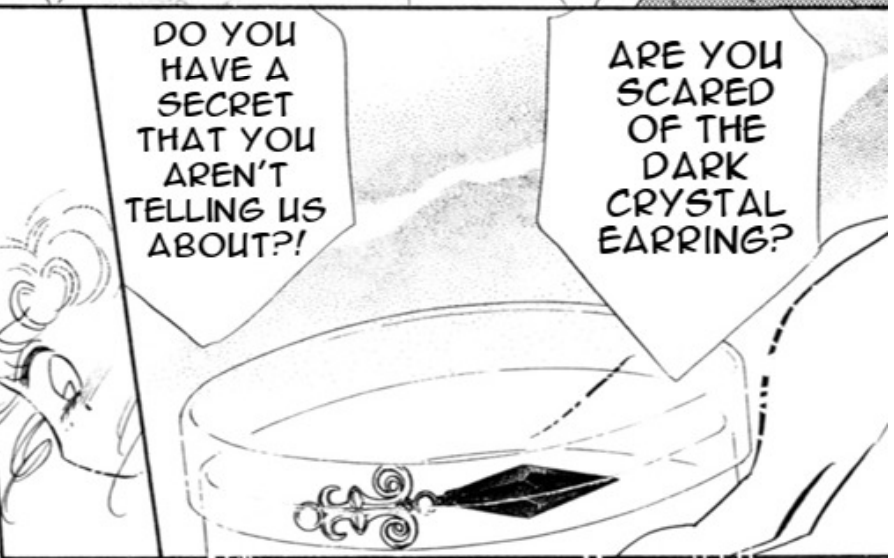
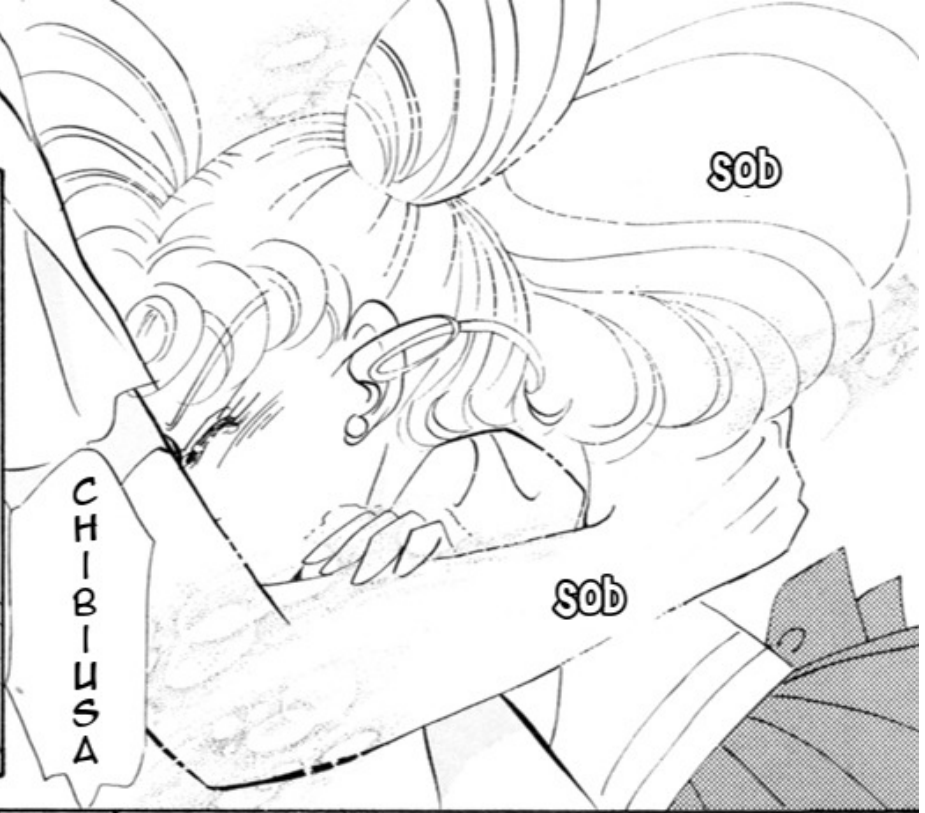


CODE 004:
OPERATION "RE-BIRTH"
I WILL DRAW ON THE POWER
OF MY DEARLY DEPARTED
SISTERS

I WILL SHOW MANKIND OUR
TRUE POWERS AND LET THEM
KNOW THAT WE ARE NOT TO
BE MEDDLED WITH

I WILL SEND THEM A STRONG
MESSAGE FROM THE BLACK MOON

I WILL GET THEM TO DEVOTE THEIR
BODIES, THEIR MINDS, THEIR WHOLE
BEINGS TO OUR CAUSE!





I DON'T KNOW!

I DON'T KNOW ANYTHING!!



WE CAN STOP IF THIS IS TOO MUCH FOR YOU RIGHT NOW

I'M SCARED SOB

hug

cling



I SWEAR, I'M NOT AN ENEMY

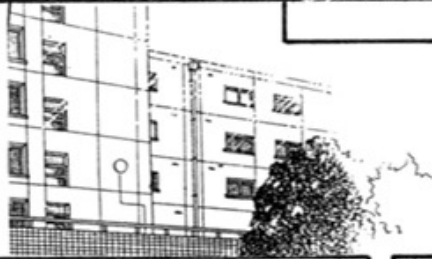
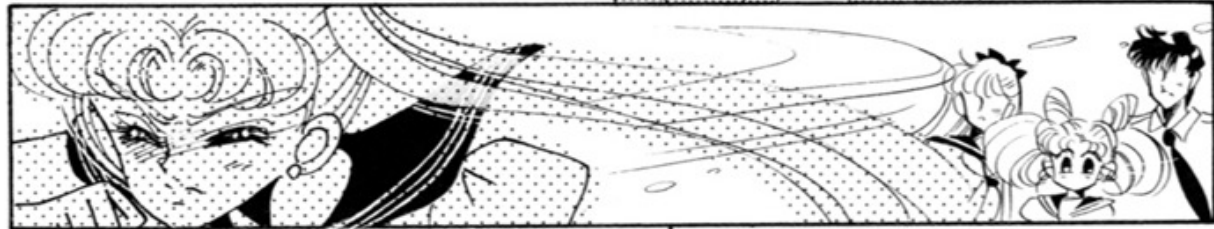
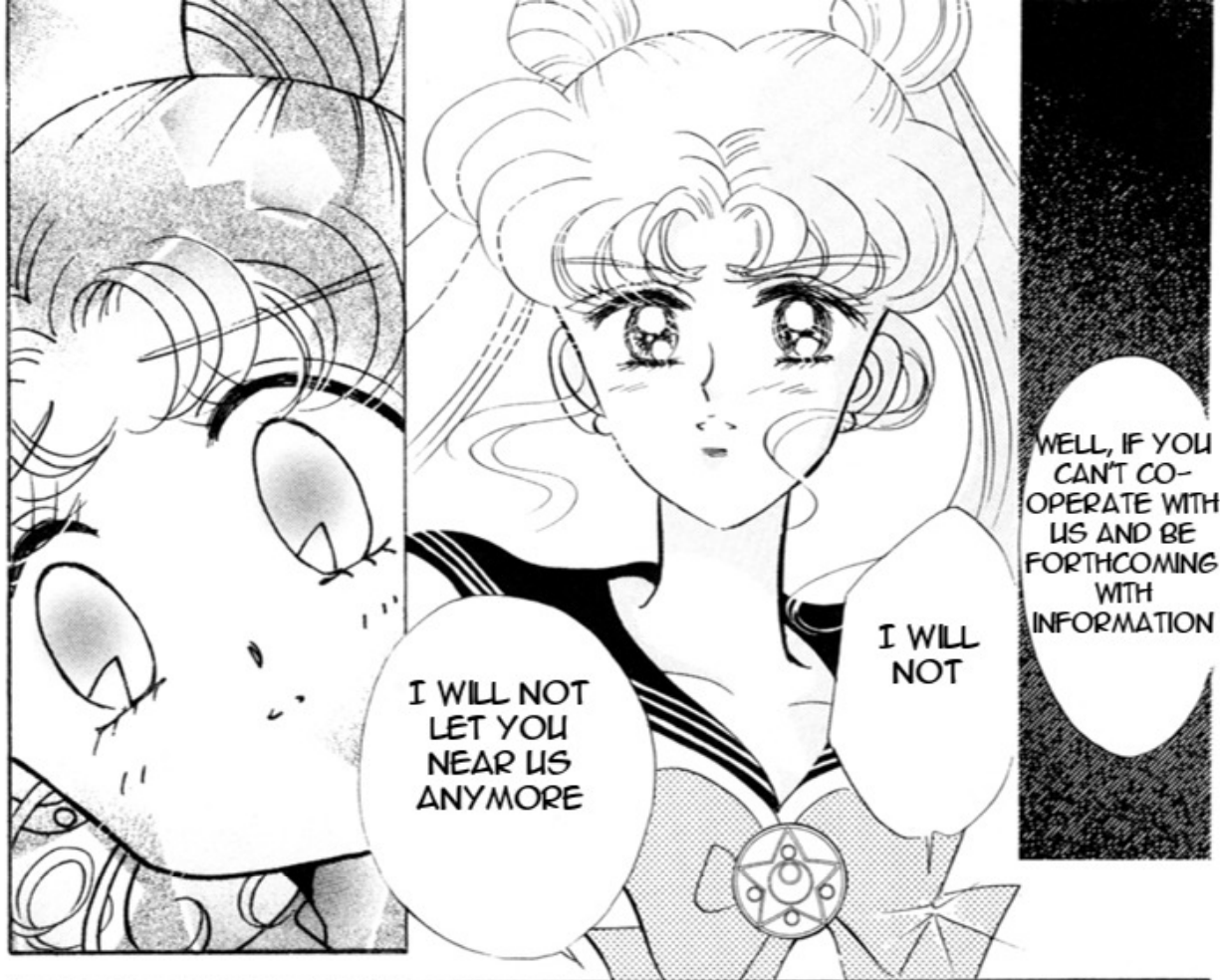
I-I'M NOT AN ENEMY



CAN YOU SWEAR TO ME THAT YOU AREN'T ONE OF OUR ENEMIES?



CHIBIUSA, JUST TELL ME ONE THING



Ding

Dong





with makoto. Ami, and Rei all gone. i feel so weak i can hardly move

Whenever i hear anyone say the word black, my ears perk up

My heart feels like it's breaking

Black moon

IT WAS REALLY HARD TO GET A COPY OF, ALL OF THE VIDEO RENTAL STORES WERE SOLD OUT OF THEIR COPIES!

Rub Rub

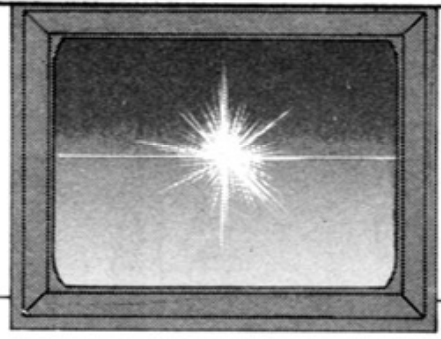
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THANKS UMINO ♡

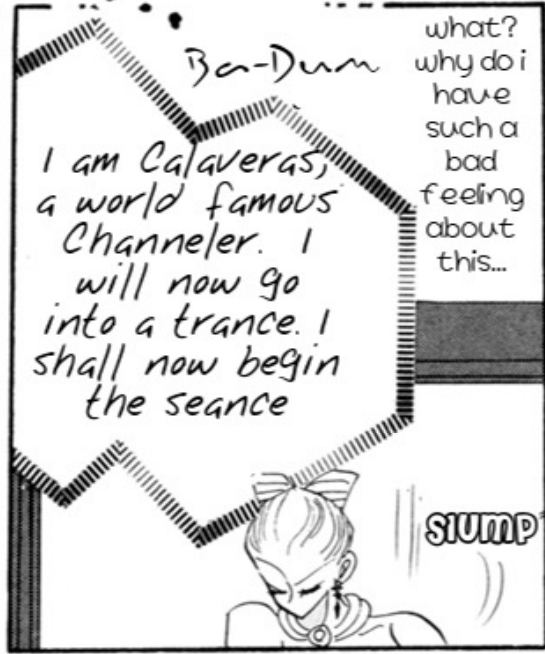
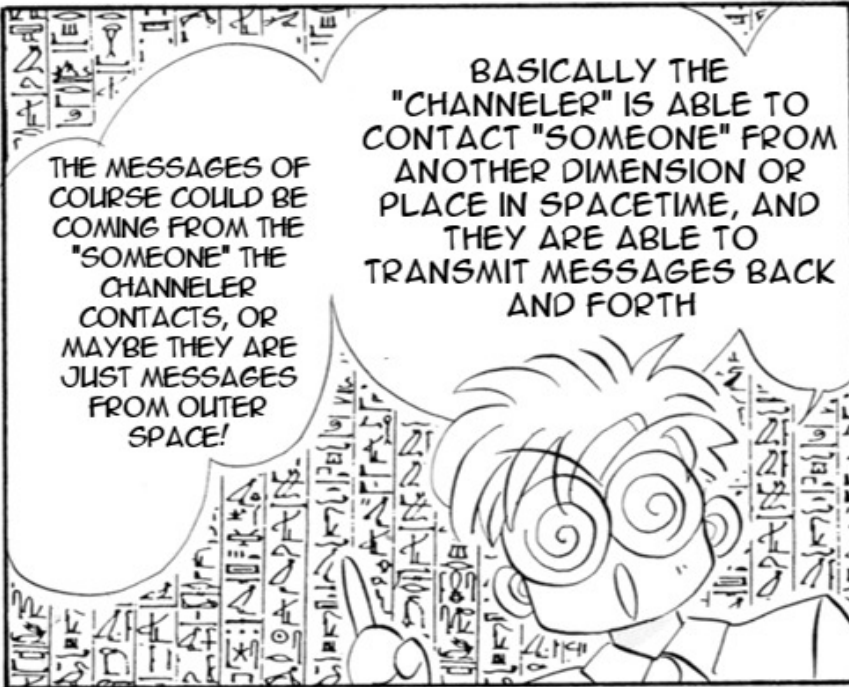
HEY, WHY DON'T WE HAVE OUT LUNCH IN THE AV ROOM TODAY? WE'VE GOT A REALLY GOOD VIDEO TO WATCH TODAY! ♡

U S A G I ♡

IT'S A VIDEO ABOUT "CHANNELING" click



WHAT VIDEO IS THIS?



i may have come from far away, but i am at present very close to you, closer than you may think

i am Rubeus of the Black moon

We are neither invaders or your enemy

We have simply come to help guide you Earthlings toward the correct path for growing as a civilization



The Black moon

what the hell! that's a lie! i don't believe it! you guys are definitely our enemies!

Shock

U-USAGI?

what are you saying?

IT'S ALRIGHT, CALM DOWN

umino $\frac{11}{11}$ you're just making this harder

WAHH USAGI!

SHE'S JUST THE MESSENGER, THERE'S NO NEED TO PANIC. IT'S NOT LIKE HER BODY IS THE ACTUAL BODY OF THE PERSON SPEAKING. WHOEVER THAT "ENEMY" YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT, IT ISN'T REALLY HER, IT'S JUST A VOICE...

THIS LADY IS JUST ABLE TO COMMUNICATE WITH THOSE IN ANOTHER DIMENSION

Whenever Usagi hears the phrase "Black Moon," her face goes ghostly white pale



it seems like she's got a lot on her mind as if she's on another world or something. poor Usagi

to be honest, when i saw her earlier i was worried about her because i noticed that something is off about her



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BLACK MOON
secrets of channeling

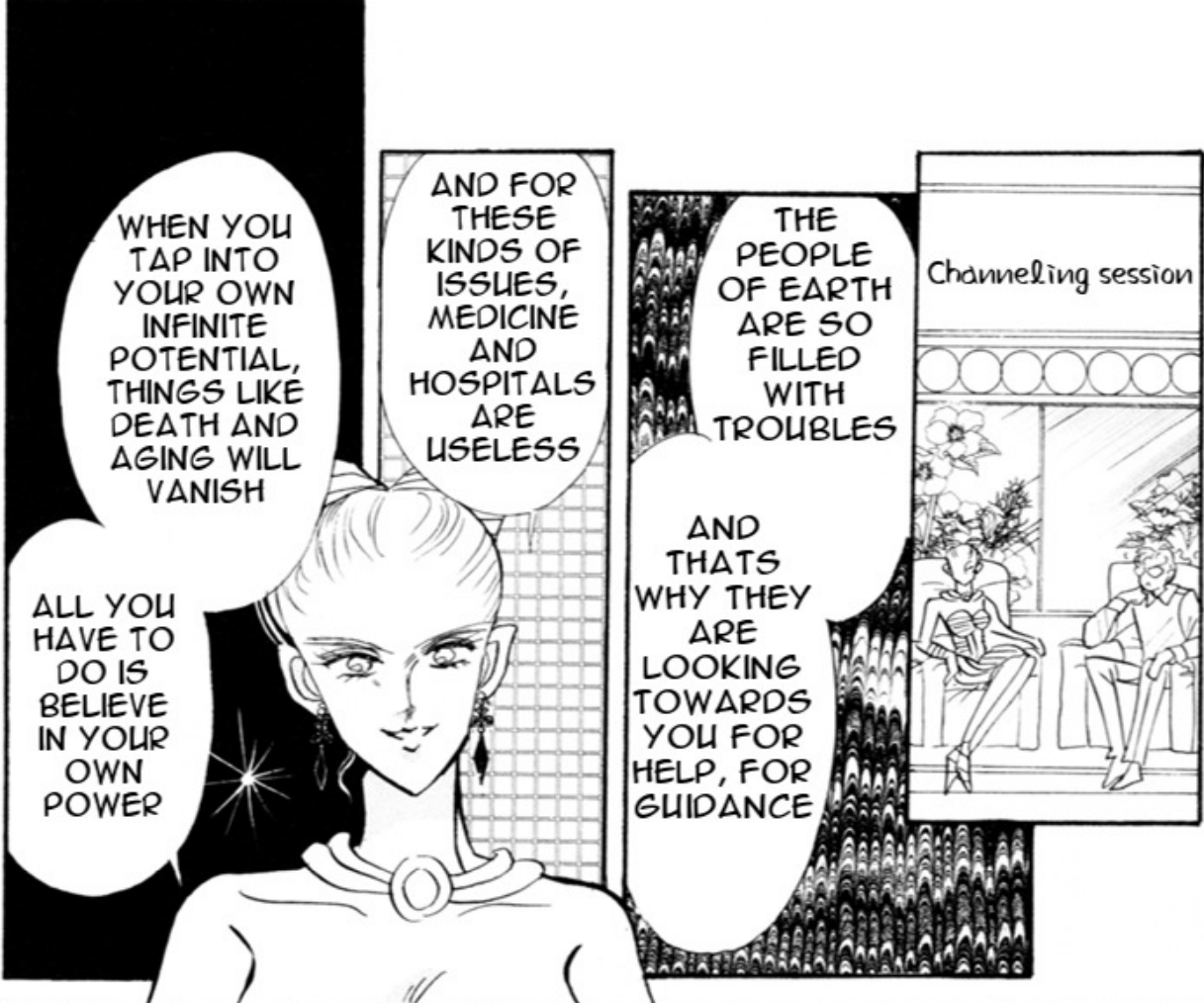
Channeling
10,000 techniques

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i wish i had the power to make her feel better



WHEN YOU TAP INTO YOUR OWN INFINITE POTENTIAL, THINGS LIKE DEATH AND AGING WILL VANISH

AND FOR THESE KINDS OF ISSUES, MEDICINE AND HOSPITALS ARE USELESS

THE PEOPLE OF EARTH ARE SO FILLED WITH TROUBLES

Channeling session

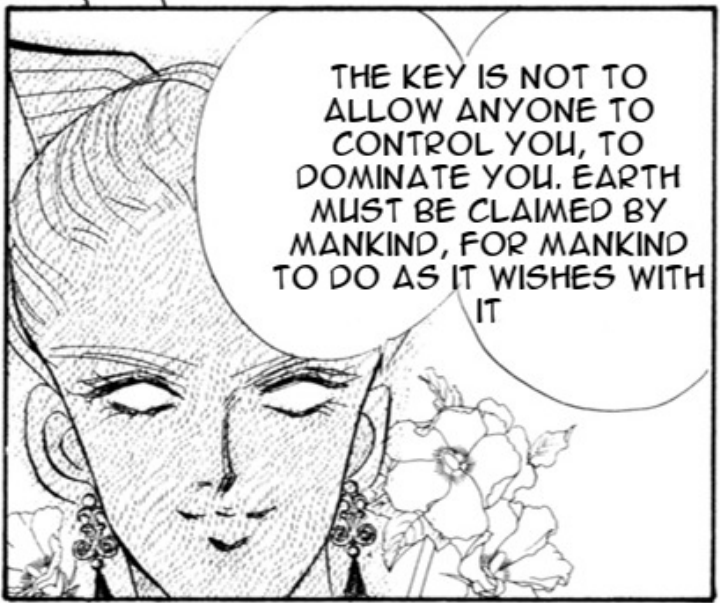
ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS BELIEVE IN YOUR OWN POWER

AND THATS WHY THEY ARE LOOKING TOWARDS YOU FOR HELP, FOR GUIDANCE

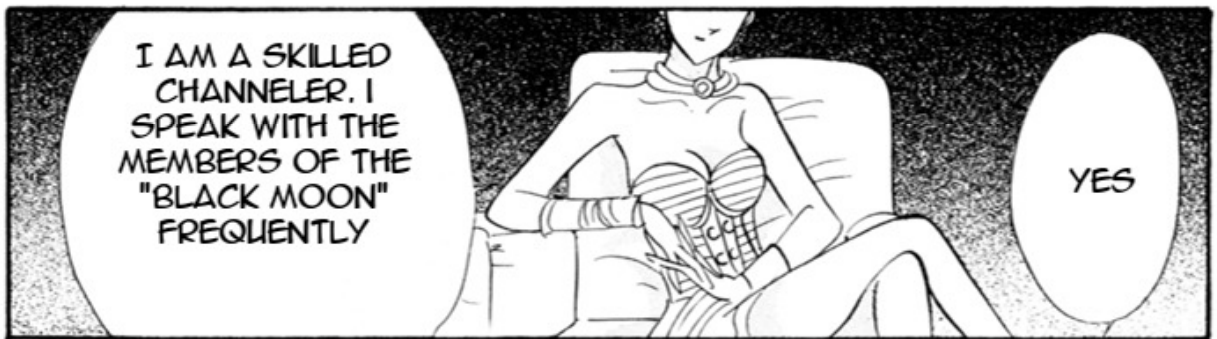


DO YOU BELIEVE THAT WE ARE CURRENTLY FACING AN ALIEN INVASION?

MISS CALAVERAS

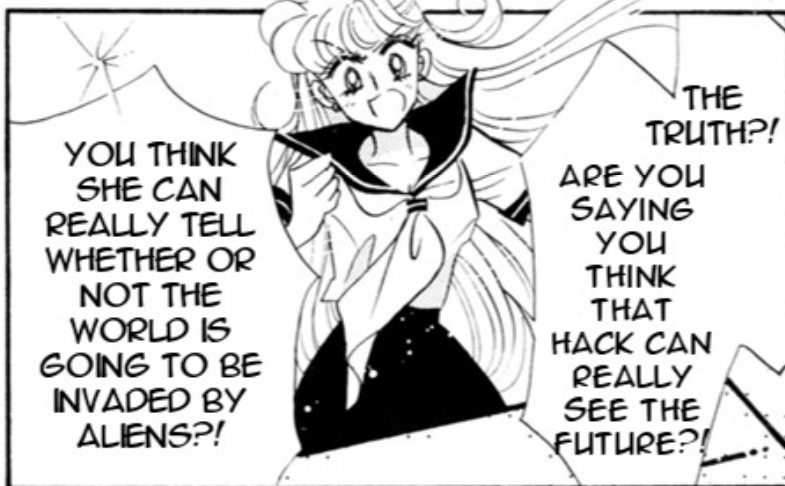


THE KEY IS NOT TO ALLOW ANYONE TO CONTROL YOU, TO DOMINATE YOU. EARTH MUST BE CLAIMED BY MANKIND, FOR MANKIND TO DO AS IT WISHES WITH IT



I AM A SKILLED CHANNELER. I SPEAK WITH THE MEMBERS OF THE "BLACK MOON" FREQUENTLY

YES





The Black Moon

The Black Moon... Ms. Hino...

And that was Ms. Calaveras!

clap clap



THIS COULD BE A TRAP

THAT LADY JUST ISSUED A DECLARATION OF WAR AGAINST US! I'M NOT GOING TO STAND HERE AND IGNORE THIS!



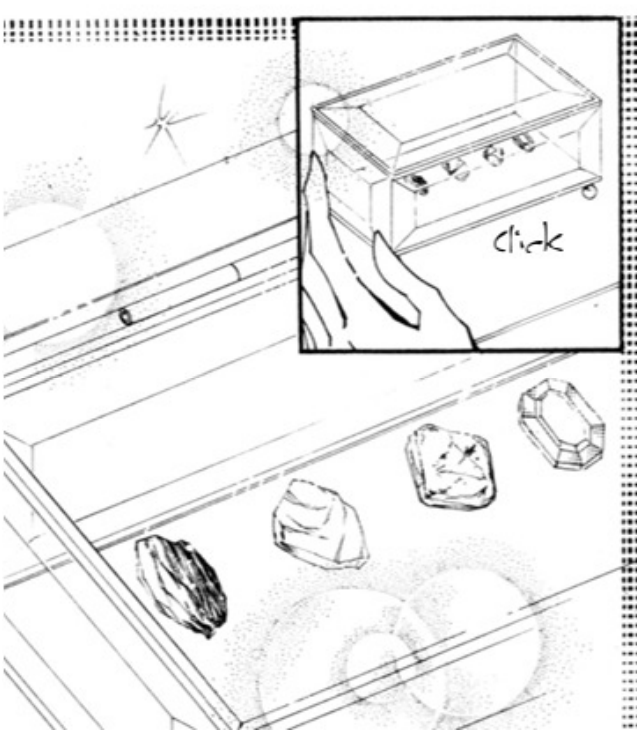
Makoto!



It is my destiny to fight away our enemies



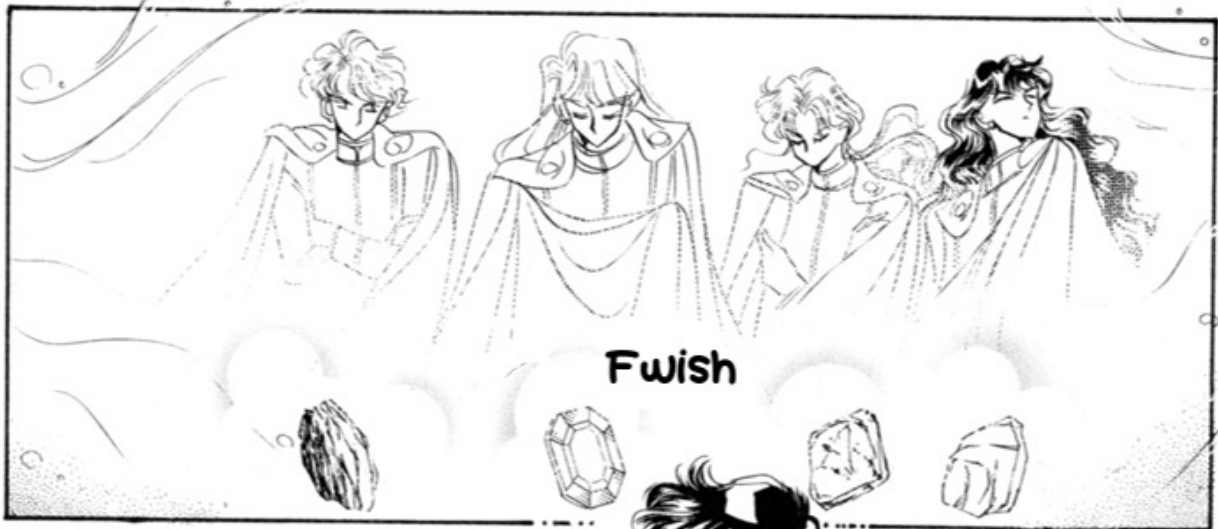
I haven't seen Makoto since they showed up



click



click



I don't know

WHAT COULD BE CAUSING THE SPACE-TIME DISTORTION?

There appears to be a space-time distortion emanating from this stone

We found this item of theirs

I have been thinking about our current enemies, and have a bad feeling about the direction things are going

THIS WHOLE SITUATION STINKS OF SOMETHING ROTTEN

You must use your powers to protect the Princess

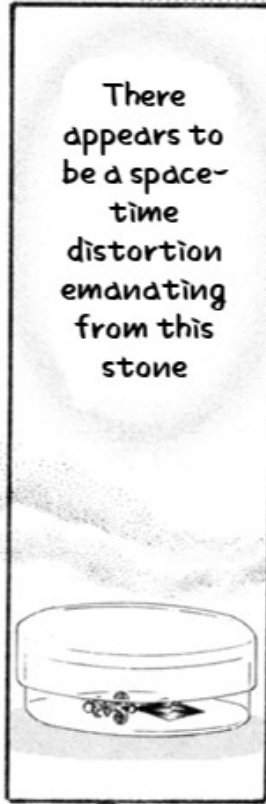
Master, we will support you and give you power

I DON'T REALLY HAVE ANY POWERS

I FEEL LIKE

MY POWERS, HUH?

I wonder why I was even reborn here without powers



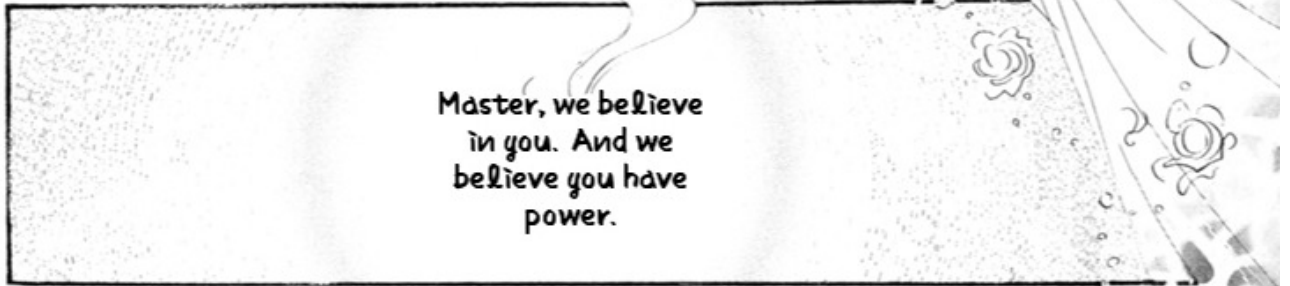


I don't have any powers to use to protect her. And I haven't been able to protect her from what's happening now

I can't protect her the way they can

Compared to those girls, I'm nothing

There are already four soldiers assigned to protect her



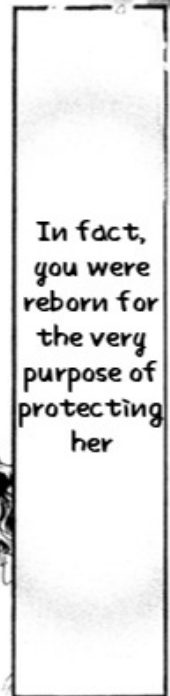
Master, we believe in you. And we believe you have power.



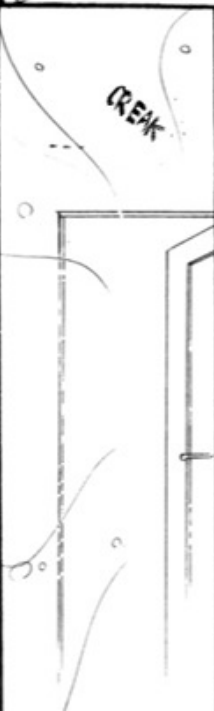
We don't have much power left. For the sake of the Princess, you must not be defeated.

Flicker

The Princess must become Queen. And you will become King. That is your destiny. Don't forget that.



In fact, you were reborn for the very purpose of protecting her

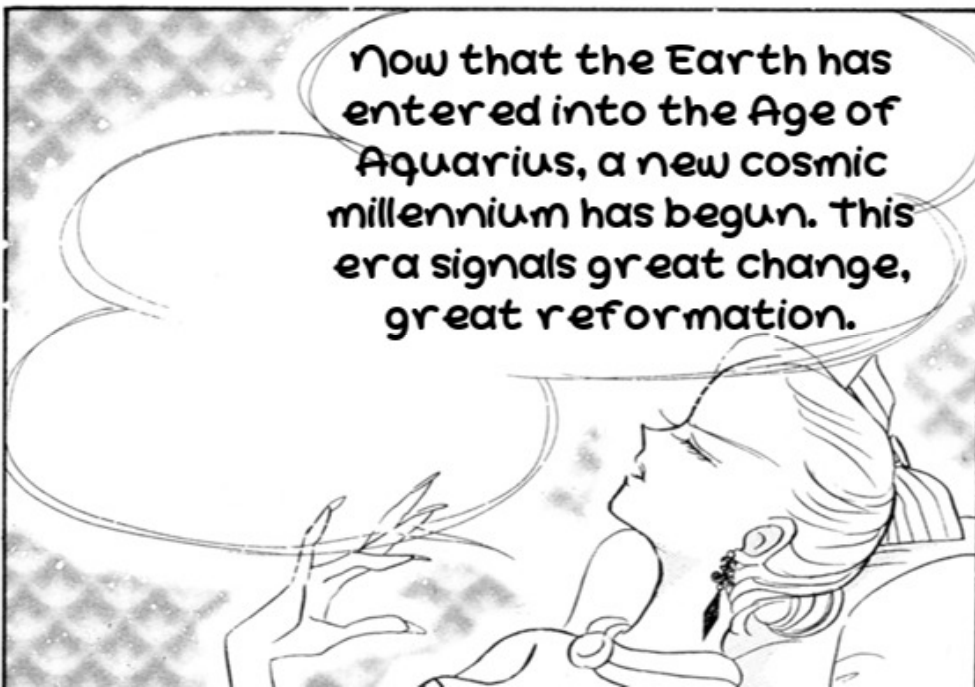




my
transformation
brooch is gone!!

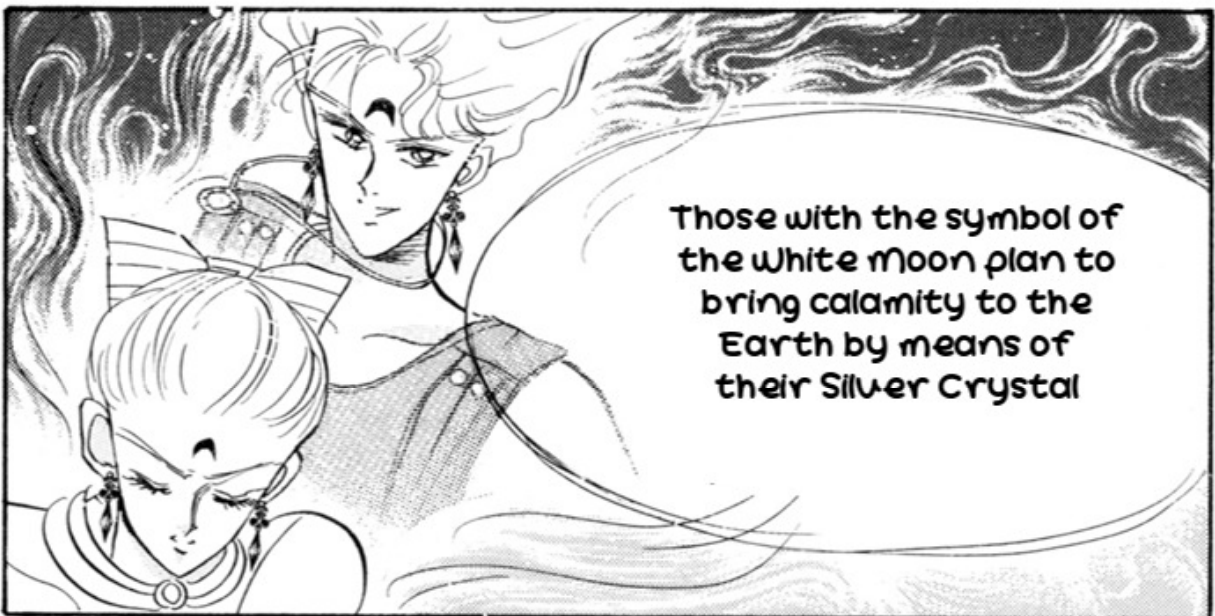
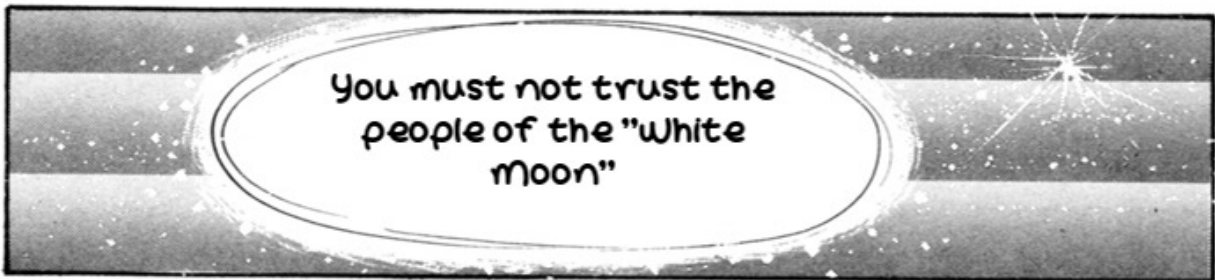


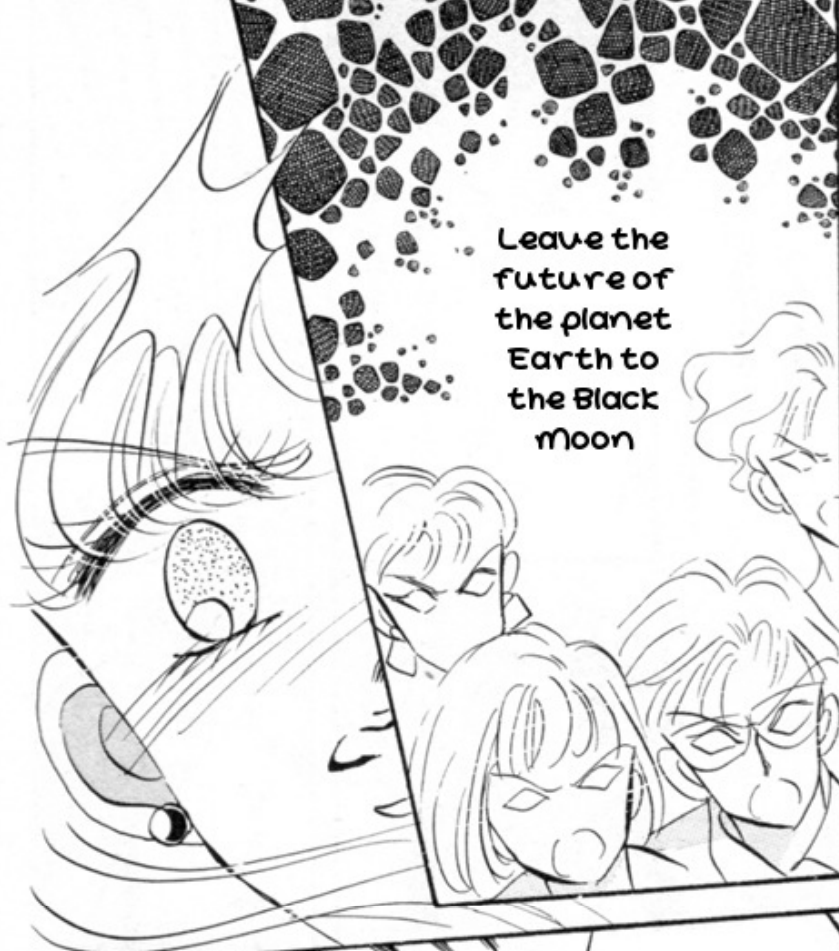
Public Channeling Session



Now that the Earth has entered into the Age of Aquarius, a new cosmic millennium has begun. This era signals great change, great reformation.



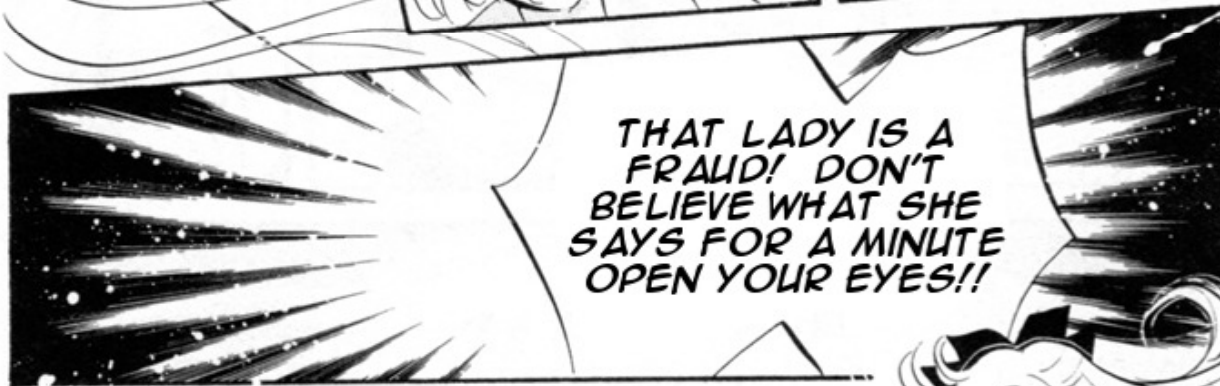




Leave the future of the planet Earth to the Black Moon



Whatever happens you must not grow to trust those of the White Moon, you should destroy their Silver Crystal



AH. YOU'RE HERE, JUST AS YOU SHOULD BE. I THOUGHT YOU'D COME TO SEE MY CHANNELING SESSION, SAILOR VENUS

Step





ASANUMA,
PRESIDENT
KOTONO?!

NARU?



FLASH



TAKE THAT!

WE ARE THE
FOUR
STRANGE
SISTERS.
**SPIRIT
ENERGY
ATTACK!**



**I AM
VENUS,
THE
GODDESS
OF LOVE!
AND I
WILL
DEFEAT
YOU!**

**BUT
YOU'RE
WRONG,
WE ARE
STILL IN
THE AGE
OF LOVE,
OF
PISCES!**

CRACKLE

**I'm being
torn apart**

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CHIBIUSA!

Finally, I found you, Chibiusa!

U...!

I've got to get there soon!

Ichi no haohi Park

HEH
YOU KNOW, AT THIS VERY MOMENT RUBELIS IS GOING AFTER SAILOR MOON, AND "RABBIT," THAT BRAT FROM THE FUTURE

Oh no?!
USAGI!!



NOW GIVE MY BROOCH BACK TO ME!

I KNEW YOU WERE THE ONE WHO STOLE IT!



huh



BEEP

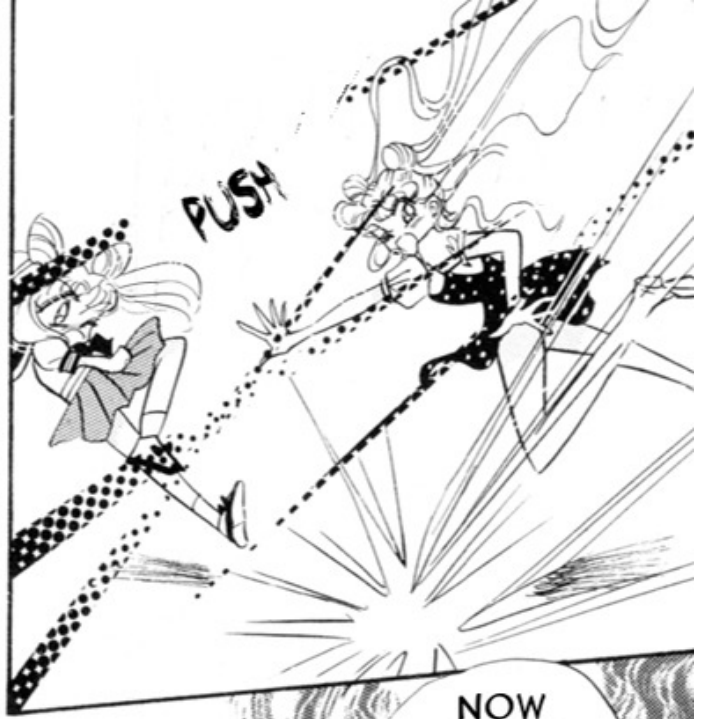


COME ON, HURRY UP!



I'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR YOU, SAILOR MOON, AND RABBIT.

YOU'VE GOT GOOD REFLEXES



PUSH



M a m o r u r i . . .

Huh



NOW THERE WILL BE NO MORE OF YOUR PATHETIC RUNNING AWAY!

BOOST!





He's going to attack!!



INJURE ME!

HOW DARE YOU



I THINK IT'S ABOUT TIME I SHOW YOU THE FULL BRUNT OF MY FIRE POWERS!

I AM CRIMSON RUBEUS



Gather up all your strength in your fist, and then shout at him!

You are the only one who can protect the two of you!

Use your powers



BWOOSH

There's power emanating from my hands!

Who is that? Somehow, this voice is so familiar...



BOMBER!!

**TUXEDO
LA
SMOKING**

**MOON
CRYSTAL
POWER
MAKE
UP!!**

DAMMIT!

**HE'S PUT
MY FIRE
ATTACK
OUT!**

BWAAAA

GWAAA

Flicker

**W-Whose
voice
was
that ?!**

**What
was
that
power?**

GRAB

CHIBIUSA!



DRAGON
MOON



VENUS!!



PPPCT



HALATION



CHIBIUSA!!

THANK
GOOD-
NESS,
VENUS



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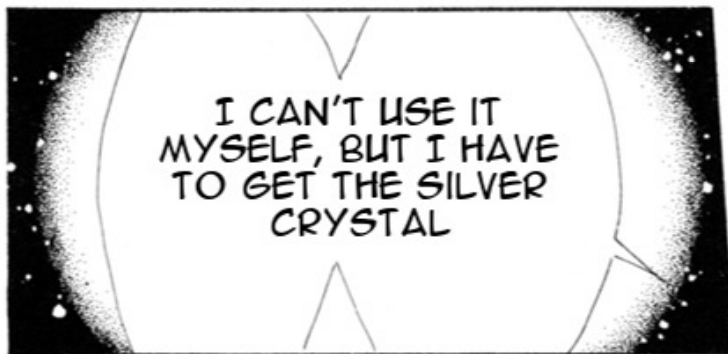
SAILOR
MOON!!



WHY WERE YOU TRYING TO STEAL THE SILVER CRYSTAL FROM MY BROOCH?

CHIBIUSA, WHY

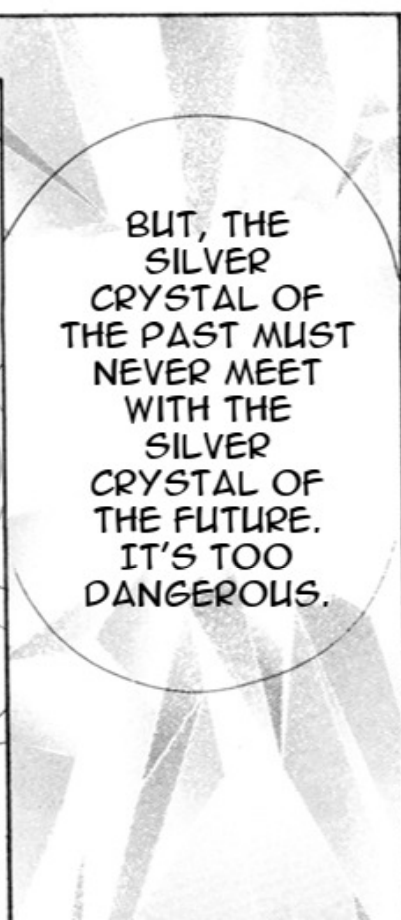
WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO RUN AWAY FROM?



I CAN'T USE IT MYSELF, BUT I HAVE TO GET THE SILVER CRYSTAL



BUT EVEN THOUGH IT'S DANGEROUS, WITH ITS POWER I COULD TRY TO SAVE THEM, SO I HAD TO COME. THATS WHY I'M HERE.



BUT, THE SILVER CRYSTAL OF THE PAST MUST NEVER MEET WITH THE SILVER CRYSTAL OF THE FUTURE. IT'S TOO DANGEROUS.



I HEARD THAT THE SILVER CRYSTAL OF THE PAST COULD DO WHAT I NEED IT TO DO

YOU HAVE TO
SAVE THE FUTURE
EARTH OF THE
30TH CENTURY!

YOU
HAVE
TO HELP
US,
SAILOR
MOON!

The Silver Crystal of the
past? The Silver crystal of
the future?!

CHIBILISA,
WHAT
ARE YOU
TALKING
ABOUT?