





Act 6 Tuxedo Mask

Pretty Soldier Sailormoon





I'm the
leader?!



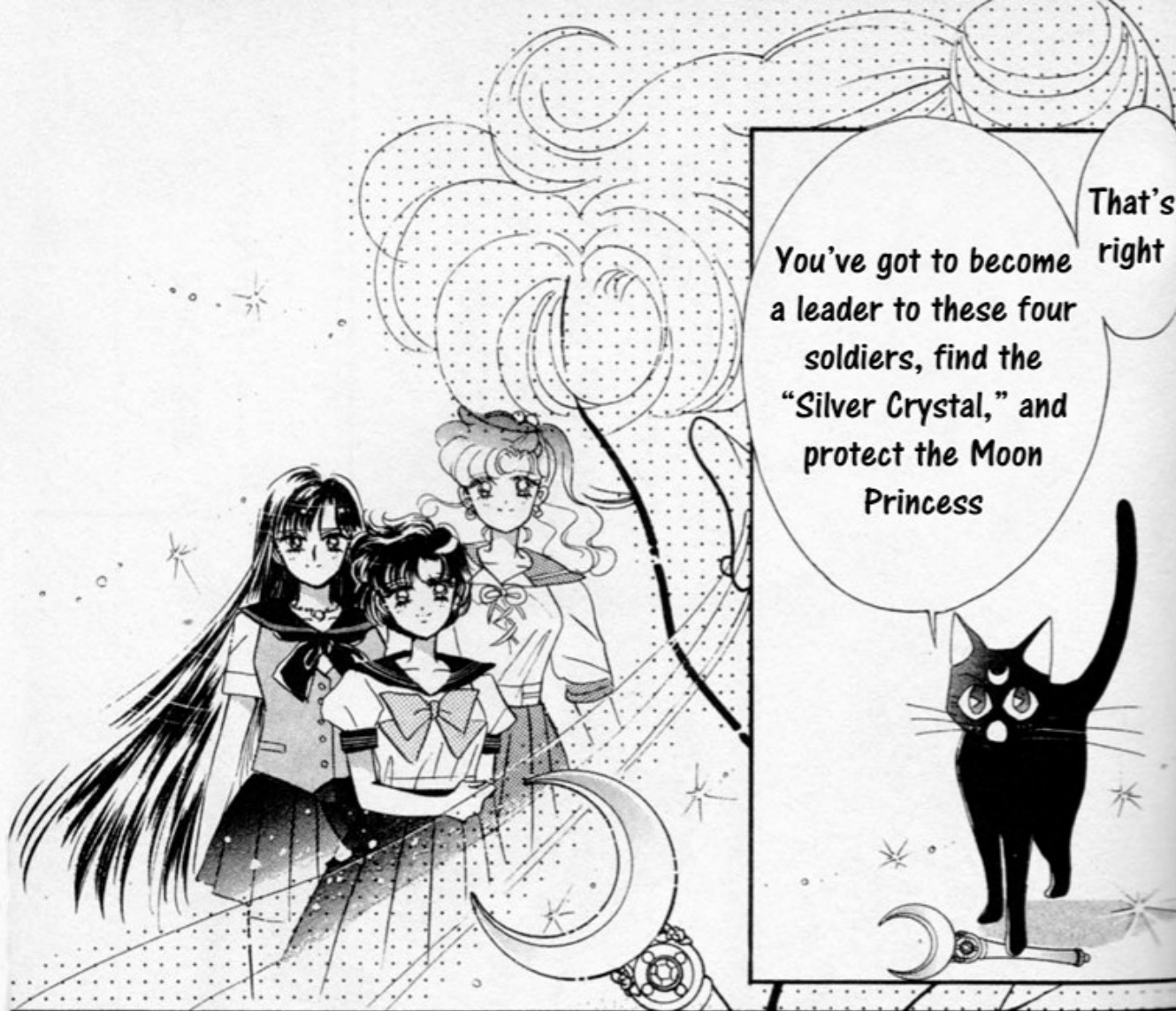
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The Moon
Princess and
the "Silver
Crystal"!!



I've
got to
protect



That's right
You've got to become
a leader to these four
soldiers, find the
"Silver Crystal," and
protect the Moon
Princess

I have to become
the leader of these
four soldiers?

I...



I'll teach
you how to
use it

It'll be useful
to you in your
fight against
the enemy

That Moon
Stick is your
new item

THE FOUR
OF US ARE
FINALLY
TOGETHER

We've got the brains
of our group, a
genius girl with an
IQ over 300, Mizuno
Ami, also known as
Sailor Mercury

We've got the
short-tempered
one with a sixth
sense, who is a bit
scary, a beautiful
shrine maiden,
Rei, also known as
Sailor Mars



And then there's
me, Sailor Moon, the
leader of the four of
us soldiers

We've got this girl who is as
strong as a clap of thunder
but is as sweet as an older
sister, Makoto, also known as
Sailor Jupiter

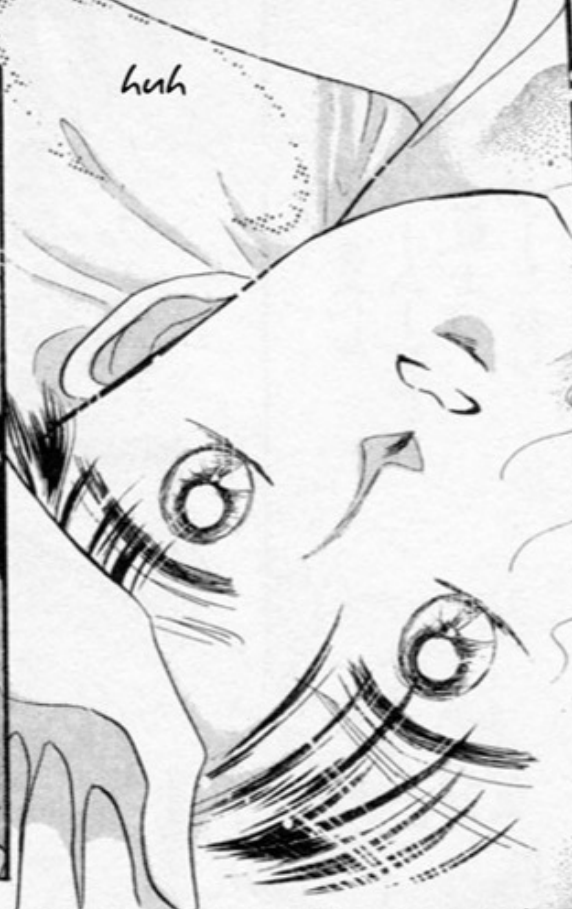
I've got to
defeat the
enemy, find
the "Silver
Crystal," and
protect the
Moon
Princess!!





about the
"Silver Cryst-
tal"

huh



Another
dream...

"The
Silver
Crystal"

whispering
the same
thing

And
she's
always

In my dreams,
there's always
someone calling
out to me



Who
could

she be?

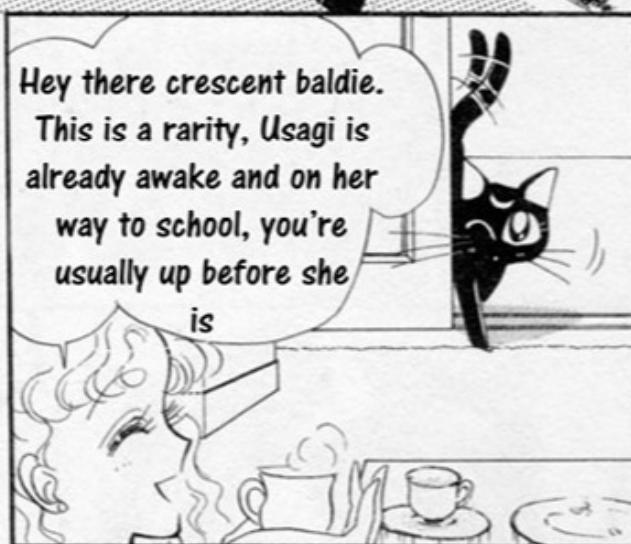
Such
long hair

I awaken
from the
dream

And just
when I try
to see her
face

It's six
o'clock





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Sailor Moon

Sailor V



Could the activities of these two heroes also be related to the "Silver Crystal" somehow?!

What is the "Silver Crystal"?



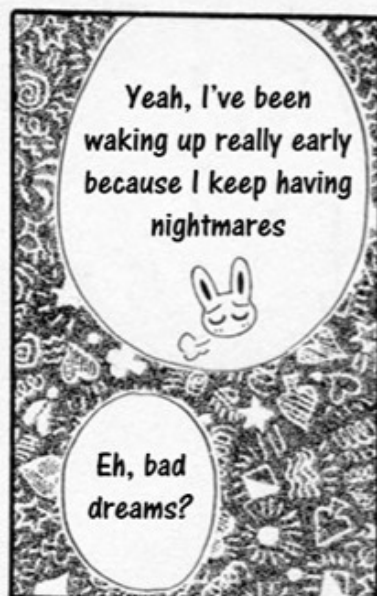
Which has been valued at hundreds of millions of dollars?

This mysterious man admits to stooping to crime in his search for the gem

The mysterious Tuxedo Mask

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Wow, he's wearing the Moto Azabu Prep School uniform, they're a really elite school that only accept the top .01% academically. They're really elite!

Sheesh Usagi, how could you call someone like him a 'nobody'? Do you know his name?

Maybe he's your crush (though what about Tuxedo Mask and the guy from the arcade?)

giggle

Usagi, you're blushing!

Nobody! He's just some jerk I keep having the bad luck to run into

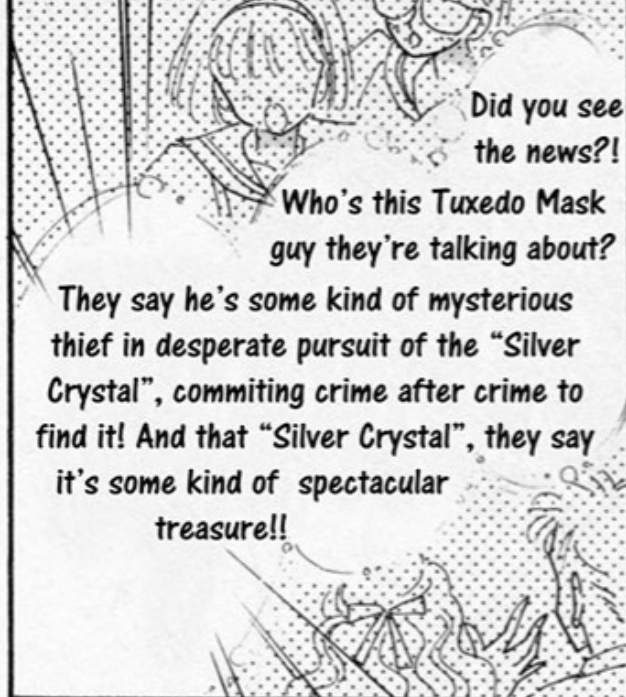
Who's that?

Ewww, NO!



He's a total smart-ass though. Is that kind of guy your type, Ami?

Chiba Mamoru



Did you see
the news?!

Who's this Tuxedo Mask
guy they're talking about?

They say he's some kind of mysterious
thief in desperate pursuit of the "Silver
Crystal", committing crime after crime to
find it! And that "Silver Crystal", they say
it's some kind of spectacular
treasure!!



uh!

A-anyway, did
you guys read
the paper this
morning? Things
have gotten bad.



chatter
chatter
brrrrrring
brrrrrring

That guy, Tuxedo Mask, he just released a statement to the
members of the mass media!! He says that the gem known
as the "Silver Crystal" is somewhere here in Japan! And
now, all over Japan, the subject of Tuxedo Mask and the
"Silver Crystal" is a sensational news story!!



Huh?
What
did you
say?



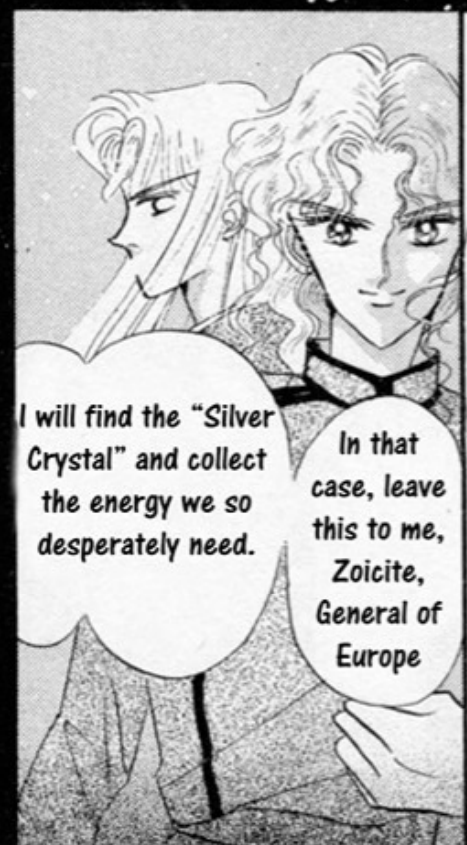
I'm sure to get
at least a
little bit of
information
regarding my
leads

At least
now

What is he thinking?!
What is this going to
achieve?! This isn't
some kind of joke!

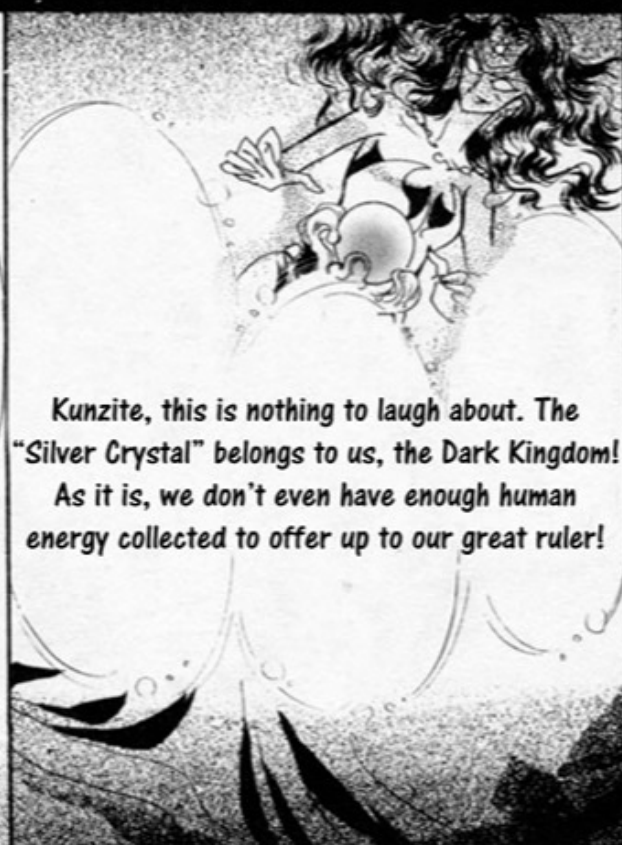


Tuxedo
Mask....!



Queen
Beryl

In that
case, leave
this to me,
Zoicite,
General of
Europe





If we don't take any action, the safety of the Princess is at risk. We have to do something.

I think the enemy is behind this, Luna!

This sensationalism is going to cause a huge panic!



I know. For him to go public like this...



No way...

thump
thump

Tuxedo Mask is now our enemy?!

I didn't want to consider Tuxedo Mask an enemy, but, given the circumstance...

Did you see the report on TV? They said that the "Silver Crystal" is a lost treasure!

Where could a jewel so valuable that it can't be valued with a price be hiding? Is someone hiding it?

Where could it be?!

Well, anyway, I know I won't be missing the report on the "Silver Crystal" tonight!



It's her,
that evil
being

Trying to stir up
trouble and take
over the Earth
again, to become
its great ruler...





The "Silver Crystal" is so powerful

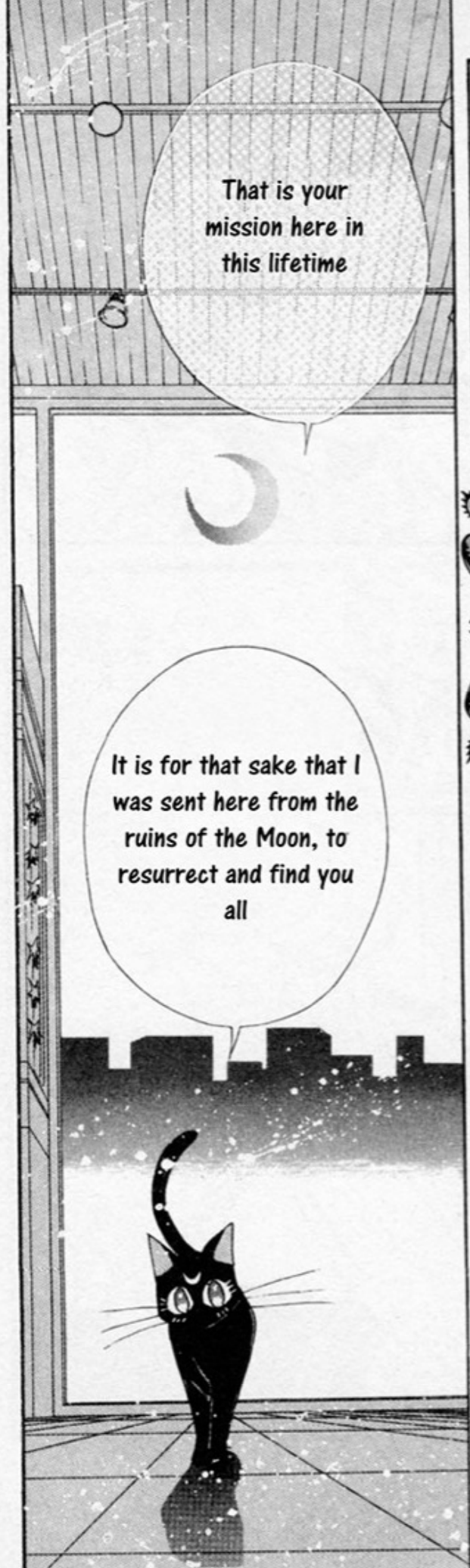
That, depending on how it is used, it has the power to destroy entire planets



So you mean

We're not only supposed to find, but **PROTECT** something like that?!






That is your
mission here in
this lifetime

It is for that sake that I
was sent here from the
ruins of the Moon, to
resurrect and find you
all

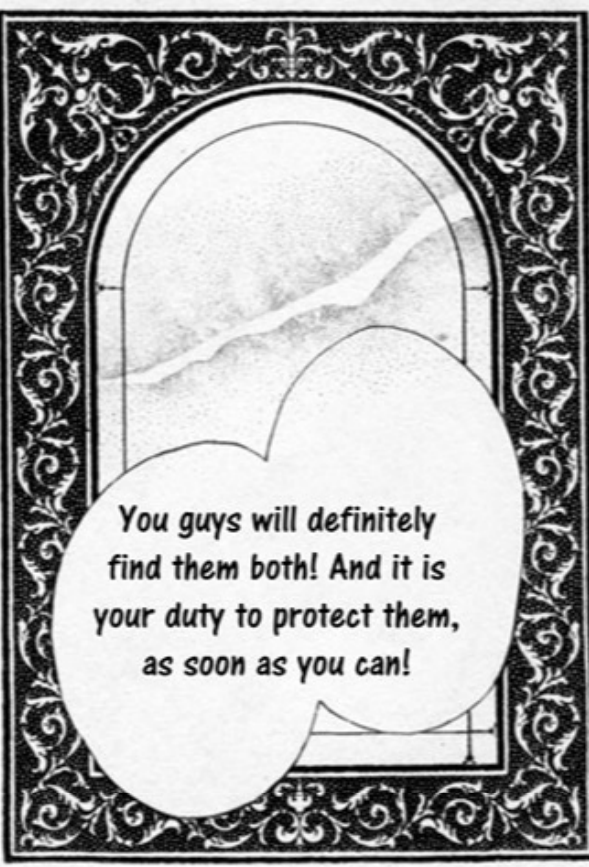


step

The "Silver
Crystal"



And the
Princess of the
Moon Kingdom



You guys will definitely
find them both! And it is
your duty to protect them,
as soon as you can!





She's the Princess of
the Moon Kingdom?

And this
Princess
we've got to
find



And my
investigation of
Tuxedo Mask

Anyway,
I'm going to
continue with
my investigation
of the enemy.

It's a really long story. But trust
me, once you have all fully
awakened, you will understand
everything in perfect detail.



You know, it's strange. She used to be in the papers all the time, but it seems like she's not active anymore



Sailor V is a soldier of justice too. Could she be our ally? I wonder if she's an ordinary girl like me

Come to think of it

This V game is pretty mysterious

Lately, I'm really wrapped up in learning about Sailor V, this game....maybe I've just been playing too much



The legendary treasure, the "Silver Crystal"



Silver Crystal Charm sale has a mysterious power

BIG SALE



Following the path of the "Silver Crystal"!!

Maybe. But Usagi, if you're really that curious about the game, why don't we look into it together?





It grants
immortality
to its holder

Inside of the crystal
there is enormous,
untapped magical
power, practically
unlimited

You see,
the
"Silver
Crystal"

Anyway! Let's get to the real
topic - the "Silver Crystal"
everyone's been talking about.
What could it be! Joining us
today is Professor Izono, lead
researcher and world expert on
the subject.

TALK SHOW



FEATURED STORY: THE "SILVER CRYSTAL"



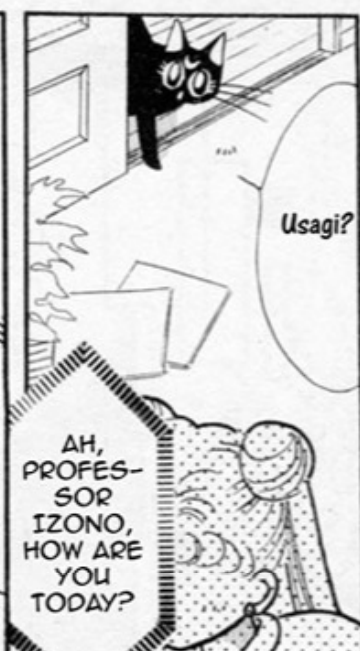
A beautiful gem
with magical
powers...!



Immortality!



EVERYONE SHOULD
COOPERATE TO
FIND THIS GEM, AS
IT IS PROBABLY
LOCATED IN A VERY
UNEXPECTED
PLACE! WE NEED
YOUR HELP!



Usagi?

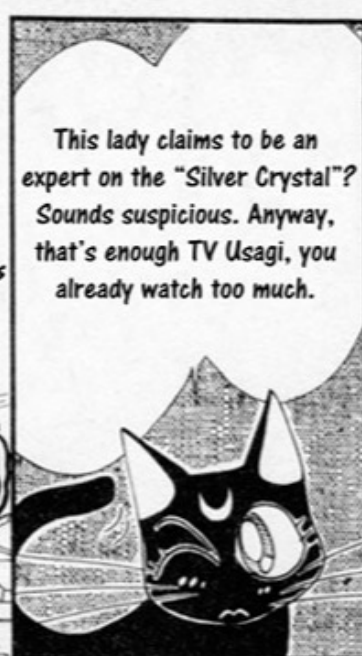
AH,
PROFES-
SOR
IZONO,
HOW ARE
YOU
TODAY?



I won't be
missing
what's on TV
tonight!

And that
leading expert
on the "Silver
Crystal",
Professor Izono,
is incredibly
gorgeous too!

Yeah! I
wonder
where the
"Silver
Crystal"
is?!







All of the government buildings are shut down?!

Strange

This is...

groan

Ughh

Weird. Classes are over by now but it's so quiet outside...



huh

My body feels really weird, and everyone's been passing out...the enemy is winning against us

It can't be! Is this really the work of the enemy?!

All of a sudden, attacking like this?

A-Ami?!

Luna

Ughh

sway





Luna...!
This is...!

What?!

This place is linked
to the main
computer systems
on the Moon

I needed to set up
a computer control
center so that I could
track the enemies
and do my research



That's Tokyo
Tower, Luna!

I can't believe I've been so careless!
How could I slack off in my research,
letting this climax to such a horrible
state of affairs. But look! There's an
energy spike at this location!



You useless
humans are no
longer needed
here in Tokyo

Heh heh heh

The tower is
sometimes used to
transmit TV signals,
maybe that is where
the enemy is, they
could be manipulating
the broadcasts!

Tokyo
Tower...Luna,
it's possible...



Usagi! Rei! Makoto! Please
respond! Ugh, it's no use,
something is jamming my
signal...



We've gotta go
find Usagi and
the others!

Now is the time
for us to establish
our rule as the
Dark Kingdom
here on Earth!

We mustn't hide
underground anymore!
We can make
ourselves known!

dash



Ahh

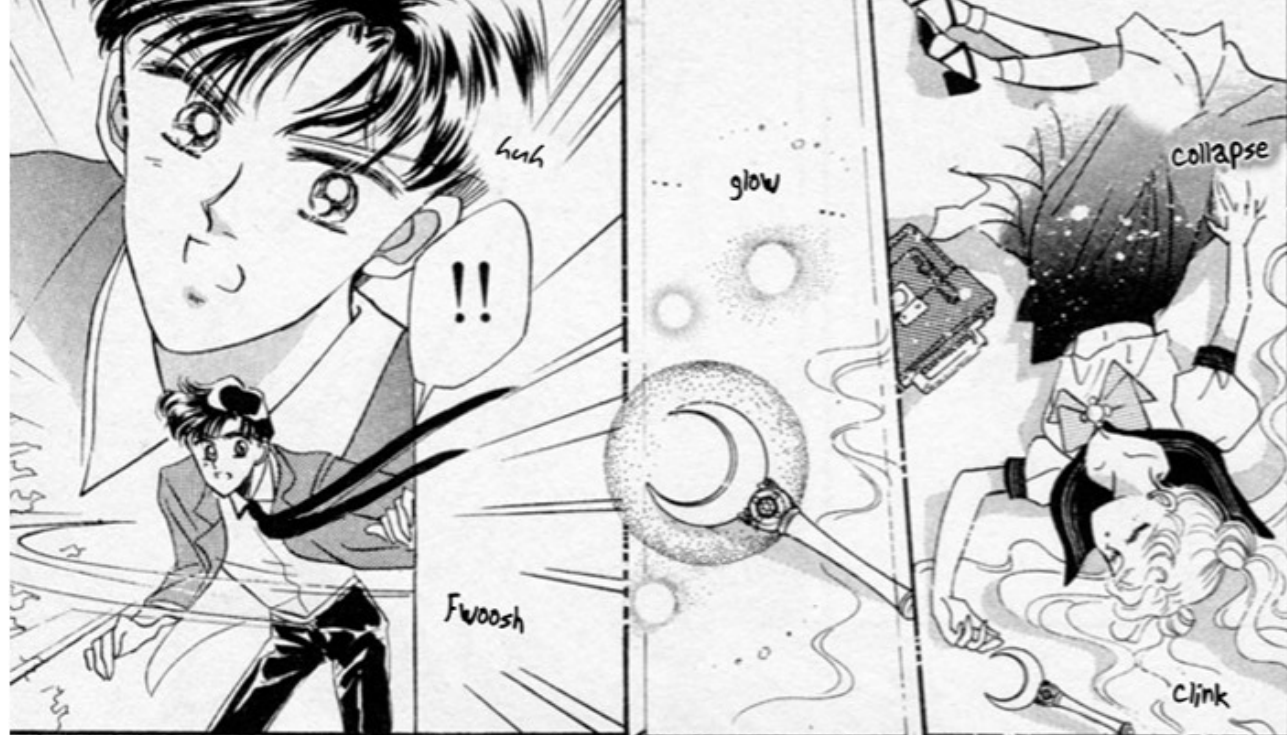
groan

I've gotta go help
everyone! I feel like such
a jerk, falling right into
their stupid trap!

The enemy
must be
behind
this....!!

My head feels
so foggy, and I
feel so weak...

swoon







This panic was caused by my irresponsible actions

I take full responsibility for this



No way. Am I dreaming?

W-what are you doing here?!



You were the one behind this...?

All along?

So it was you

Tuxedo Mask...!



And I don't have any powers like you do...!

But I don't have enough information to locate it

The only thing I want is the "Silver Crystal", that's it

That's not true! I didn't intend for it to end up like this.





I can't do anything
to fix this situation,
now it is up to you

You have to
transform!
Into Sailor
Moon!



thump

He knew all along? He knew that I am Sailor Moon...!

thump

Just who is this guy...!



You are the only
one who can save
us now!!



I feel like
I've seen
them before

Like I know
him from
long ago

His eyes
seem like
he knows
everything

The deep
color of
his eyes...



Make
Up!!



I don't
have time

to hesitate!

Moon
Prism
Power



OK! You guys need
to head over to the
TV station and stop
that broadcast,
defeat the enemy!

LUNA! I'VE MET
UP WITH REI AND
MAKOTO!

Ami?!

LUNA!

EVERYONE,
TRANSFORM!

I-I'm sure Usagi will be
alright, go ahead!

Usagi

Tch!!

Ah!

What are we
going to do
about all the
people who have
collapsed...

That jerk!
He got
away!

Ah ha, we've
found you!
Now hurry up
and return
everybody to
normal!!



I don't really have any special powers at all...a coward like me can't do anything at all in a time like this!

I don't have the powers to create fog, or fire, or lightning like Mercury, Mars and Jupiter



Please
Everyone

BWAAA

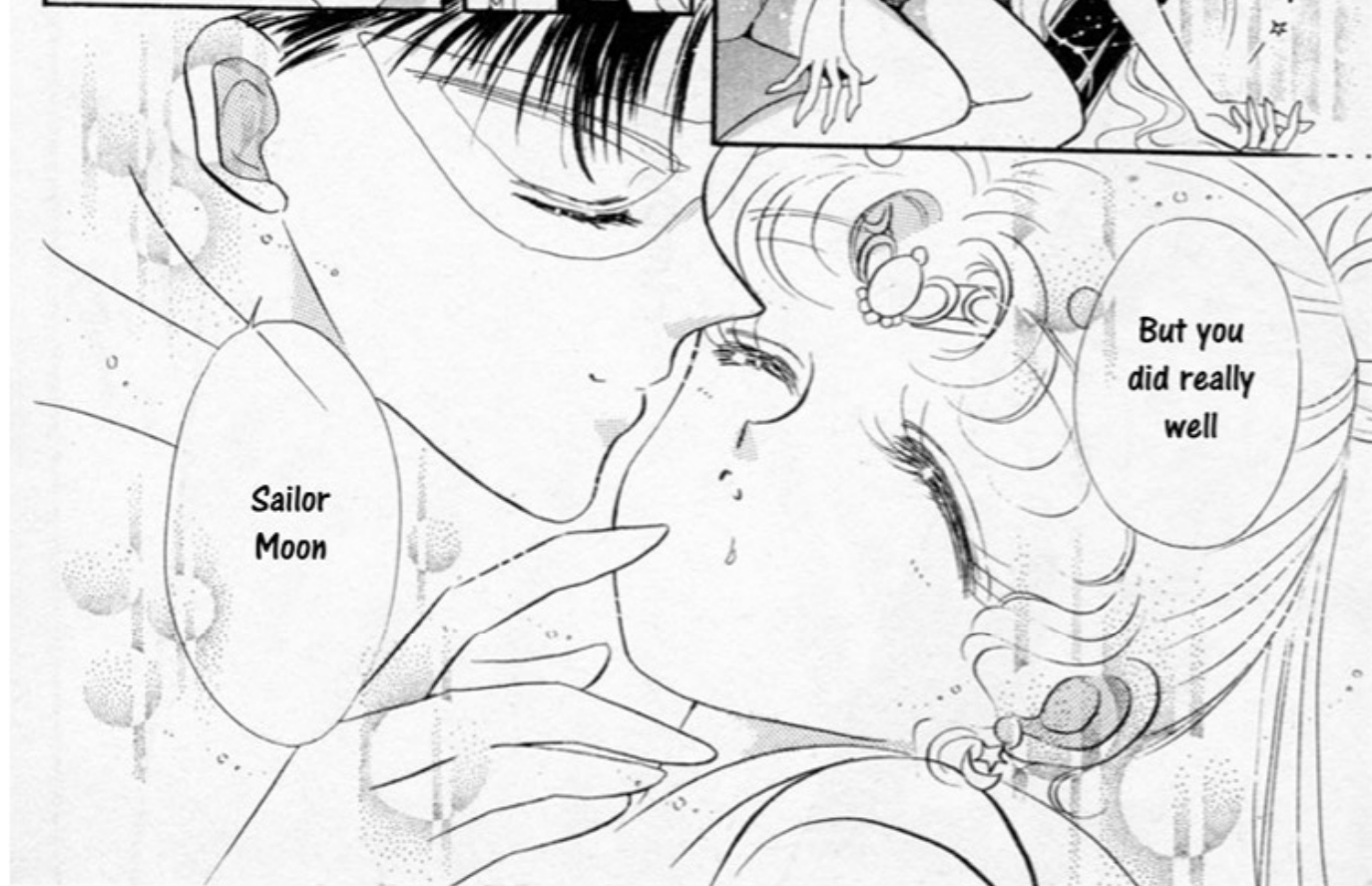
Bring everyone back
to life! Help them!

ugh

ooh

u-uggh?

groan





grip

clink

I feel better

Ahh

*Such warm
hands*

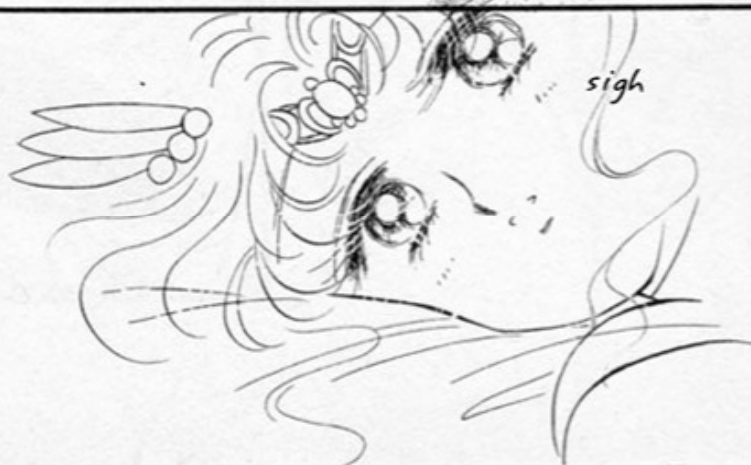
*I feel like I'm
coming back to life*

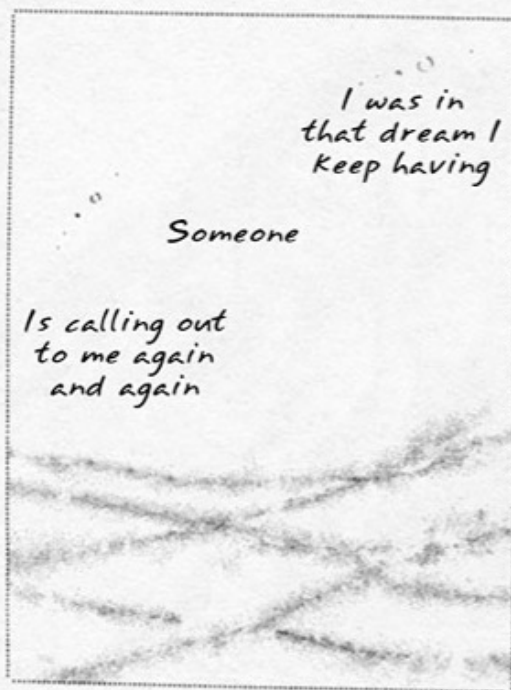
*My spirit feels like it's
getting healthier too*

*And somehow
it feels like*

sigh

*I've held these warm
hands before, long ago...*





I was in
that dream I
keep having

Someone

Is calling out
to me again
and again



I feel like
I was
dreaming

As if



Where
am I?

Where



But who

Could it be...?

A man's
voice...

A Moon Phase
Pocket Watch...
but it's broken...

whose is it?

Could it be?



thump



glimmer





HE'S
DEFI-
NITELY
NOT AN
ENEMY

Oh yeah...I....
transformed in
front of
Tuxedo Mask...



He's always been there to help me

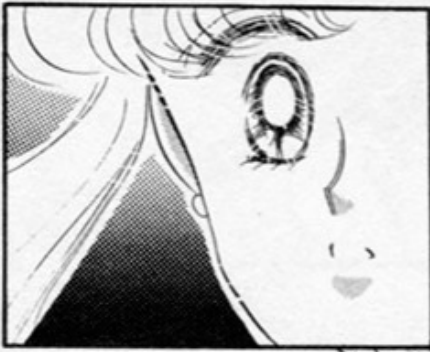


I want to
know

Why is he
always coming
to my rescue?

But why?

It's as if
he knows every-
thing about me



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