

Everything the Light Touches

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MISTER, I AM.

AWAKEN. LISTEN.
HOME TERRITORY QUIET.

BIG MONKEY IS ASLEEP IN HIS ROOM.
BIG MONKEY MAKES GROWLING NOISES.

LITTLE MONKEY IS ASLEEP.
DOG IS WITH HER,

DOWN FROM BOOKSHELF. INTO KITCHEN.
OVER TO BOWL. BOWL IS EMPTY.

HMPH

EAT LITTLE MONKEY?

NO.

LITTLE MONKEY HAS DOG.
AND IS SOMETIMES USEFUL.



GO TO BIG MONKEY.



SIT ON BIG MONKEY'S CHEST



BIG MONKEY TRIES TO PUSH ME AWAY. BIG MONKEY ALWAYS DOES.



I DO NOT GO AWAY. I LAY DOWN ON BIG MONKEY'S FACE.



BIG MONKEY MAKES MOUTH NOISES.

MPH HRRMPH
TERRBOO SEENNG
MOOSK



I KNEAD BIG MONKEY'S CHEST WITH MY FRONT PAWS.

I EXTEND MY CLAWS SLIGHTY

OW.

SAYS BIG MONKEY TIREDLY.

OW.

OW.

OW.



I PURR AND KEEP KNEADING.



MONSTER

BIG MONKEY SAYS.

FINE, I'M AWAKE.



I ALLOW BIG MONKEY TO STAND.



BIG MONKEY TEETERS OVER TO KITCHEN.

PUTS FOOD IN FOOD BOWL. WHERE IT BELONGS.

EVEN A MONKEY COULD DO IT.



DOG RISES AND FOLLOWS BIG MONKEY IN TO KITCHEN.



DOG PAWS HIS DISH AND LOOKS UP AT BIG MONKEY.



YEAH, YEAH

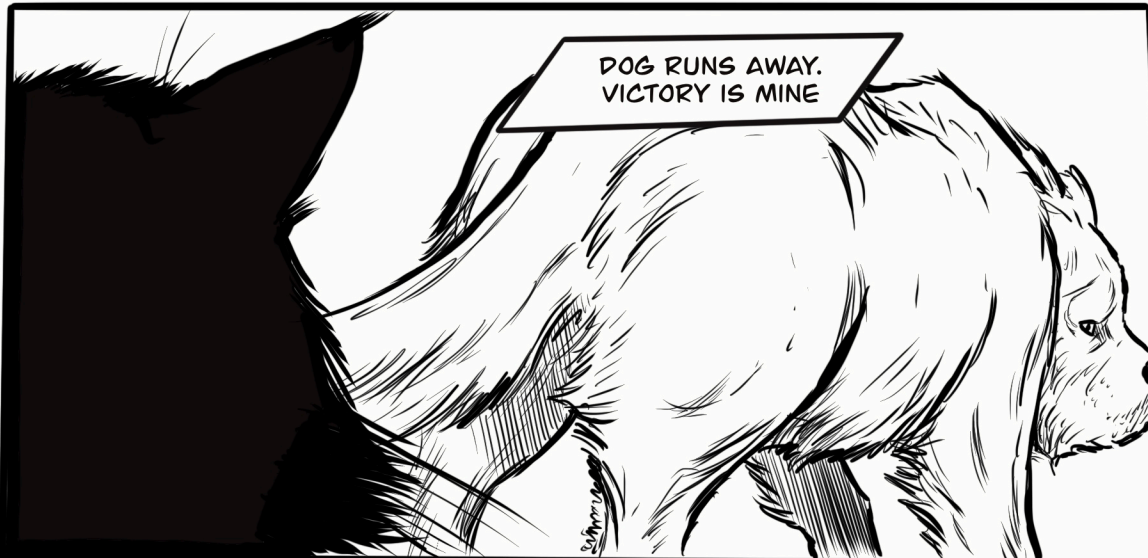
BIG MONKEY YAWNS.

HE GIVES FOOD TO DOG.



GO TO DOG.

SWAT DOG ON NOSE.



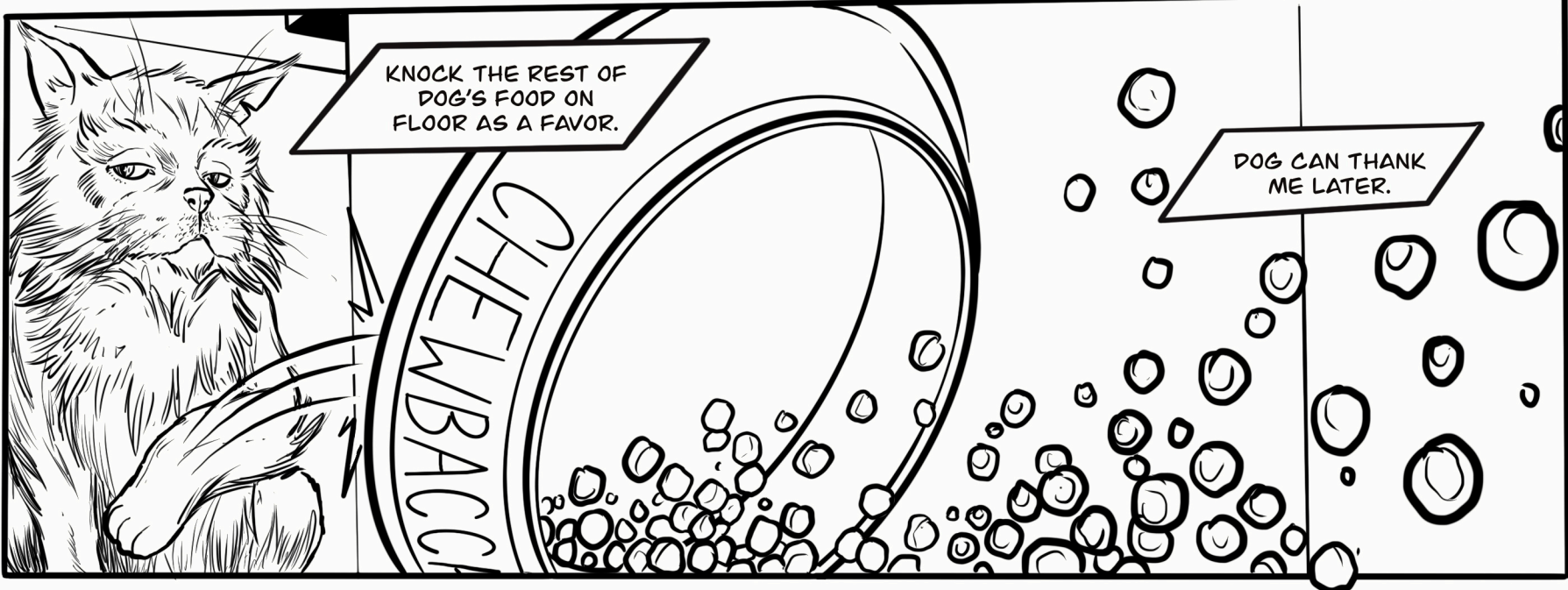
DOG RUNS AWAY. VICTORY IS MINE



BIG MONKEY LEANS
DOWN TO PET ME.
AS IS PROPER.



EAT A BITE OF
DOG'S FOOD.

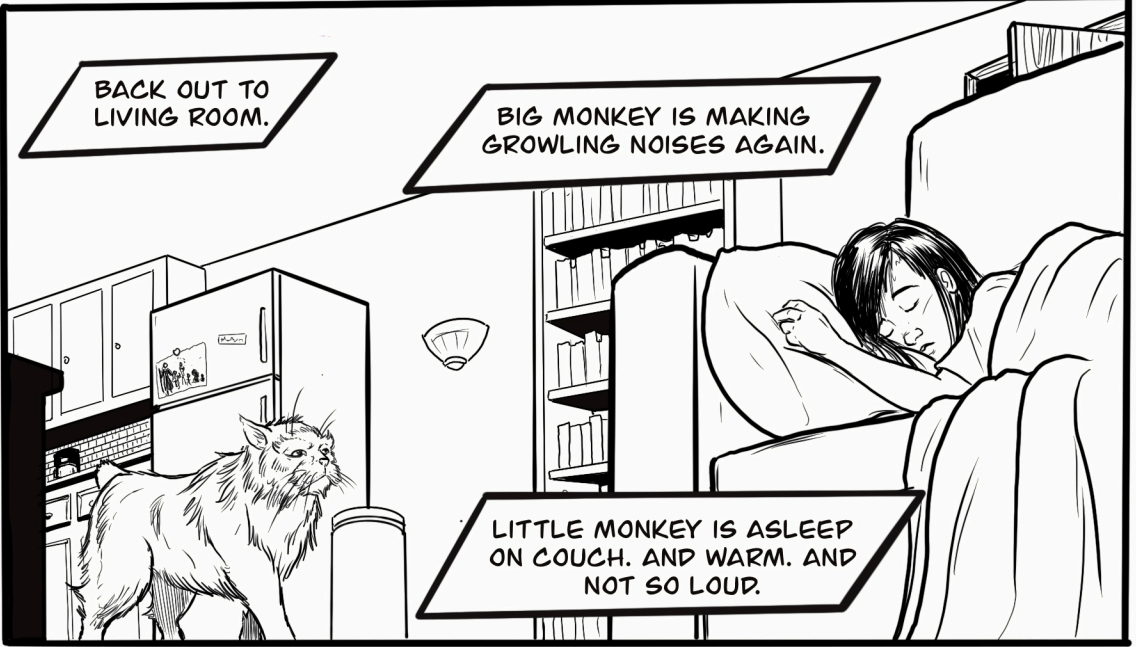


KNOCK THE REST OF
DOG'S FOOD ON
FLOOR AS A FAVOR.

DOG CAN THANK
ME LATER.



GO BACK TO FOOD
BOWL. EAT FOOD.



BACK OUT TO
LIVING ROOM.

BIG MONKEY IS MAKING
GROWLING NOISES AGAIN.

LITTLE MONKEY IS ASLEEP
ON COUCH. AND WARM. AND
NOT SO LOUD.



JUMP ON COUCH. PURR TO
LITTLE MONKEY TO KEEP HER
STILL WHILE I SETTLE DOWN.



SNUGGLE LITTLE MONKEY.
LITTLE MONKEY IS WARM. NICE.

USEFUL LITTLE MONKEY.

