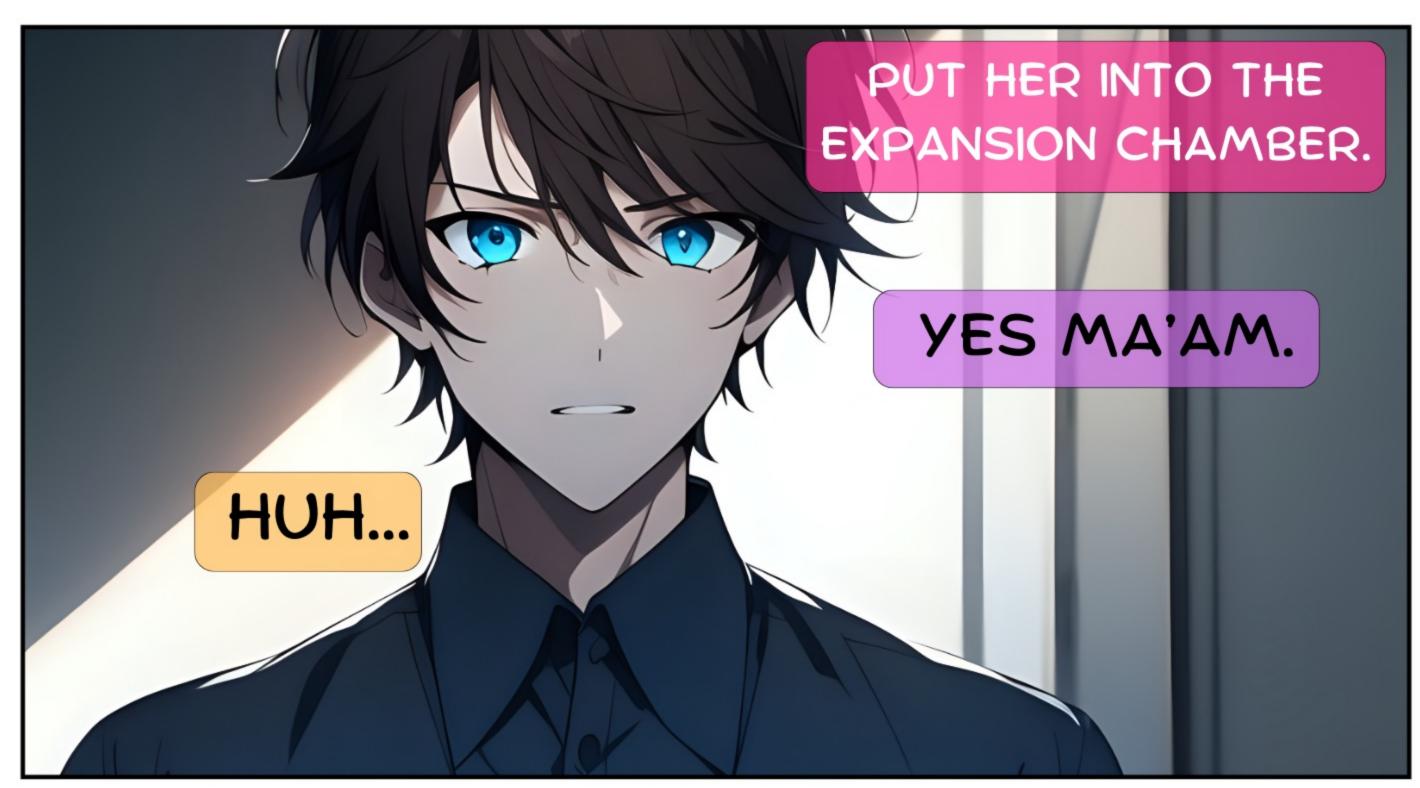
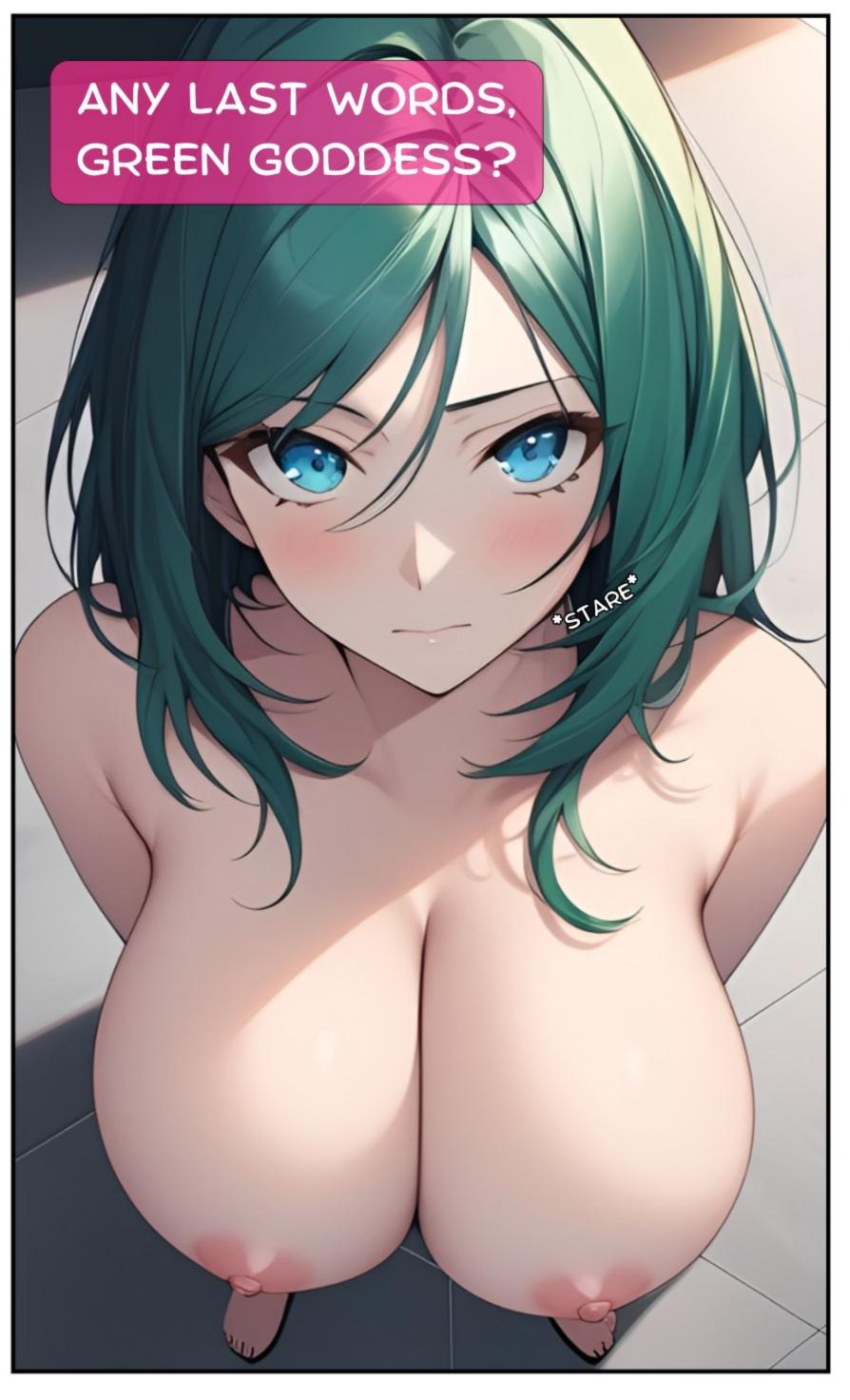


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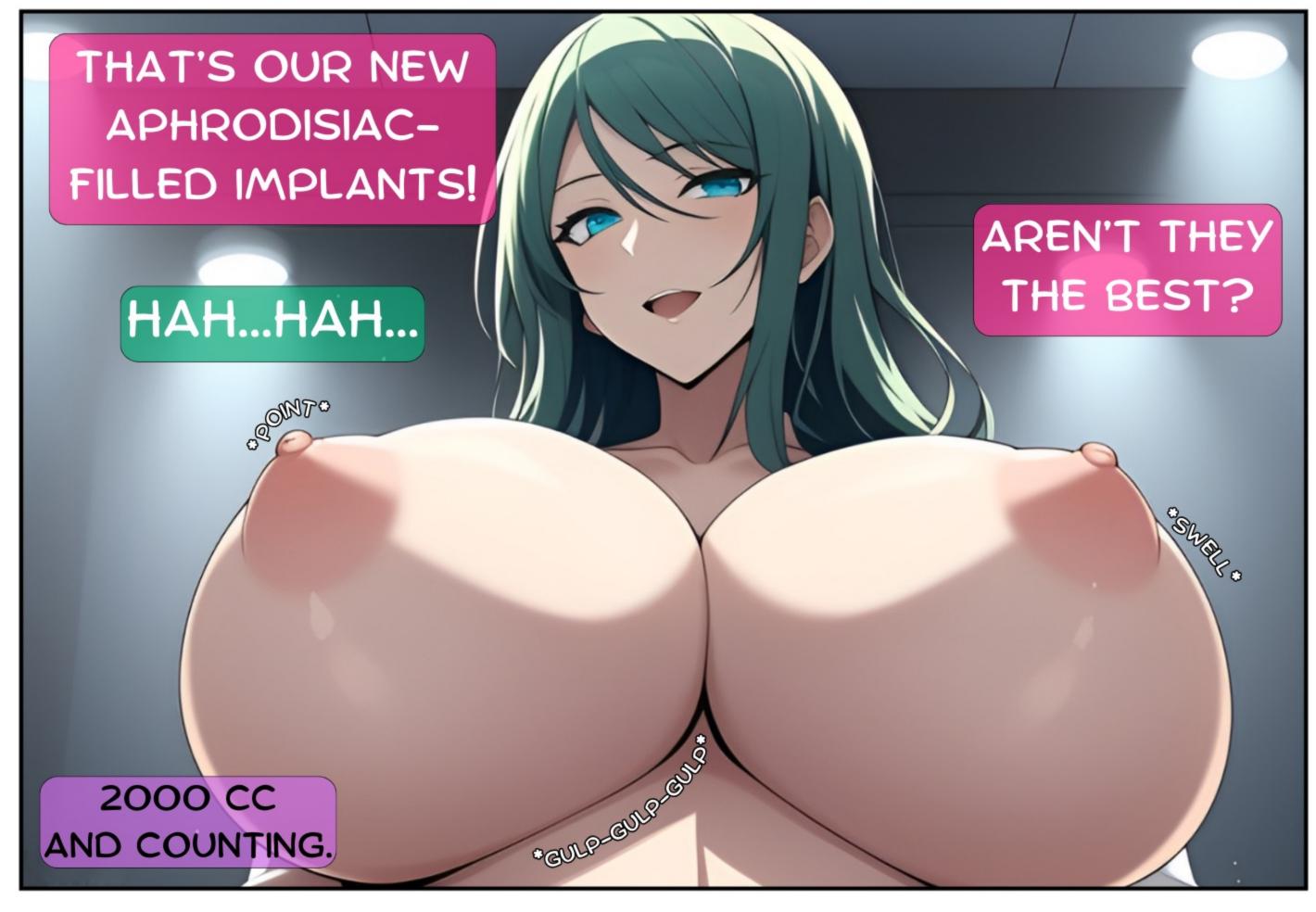


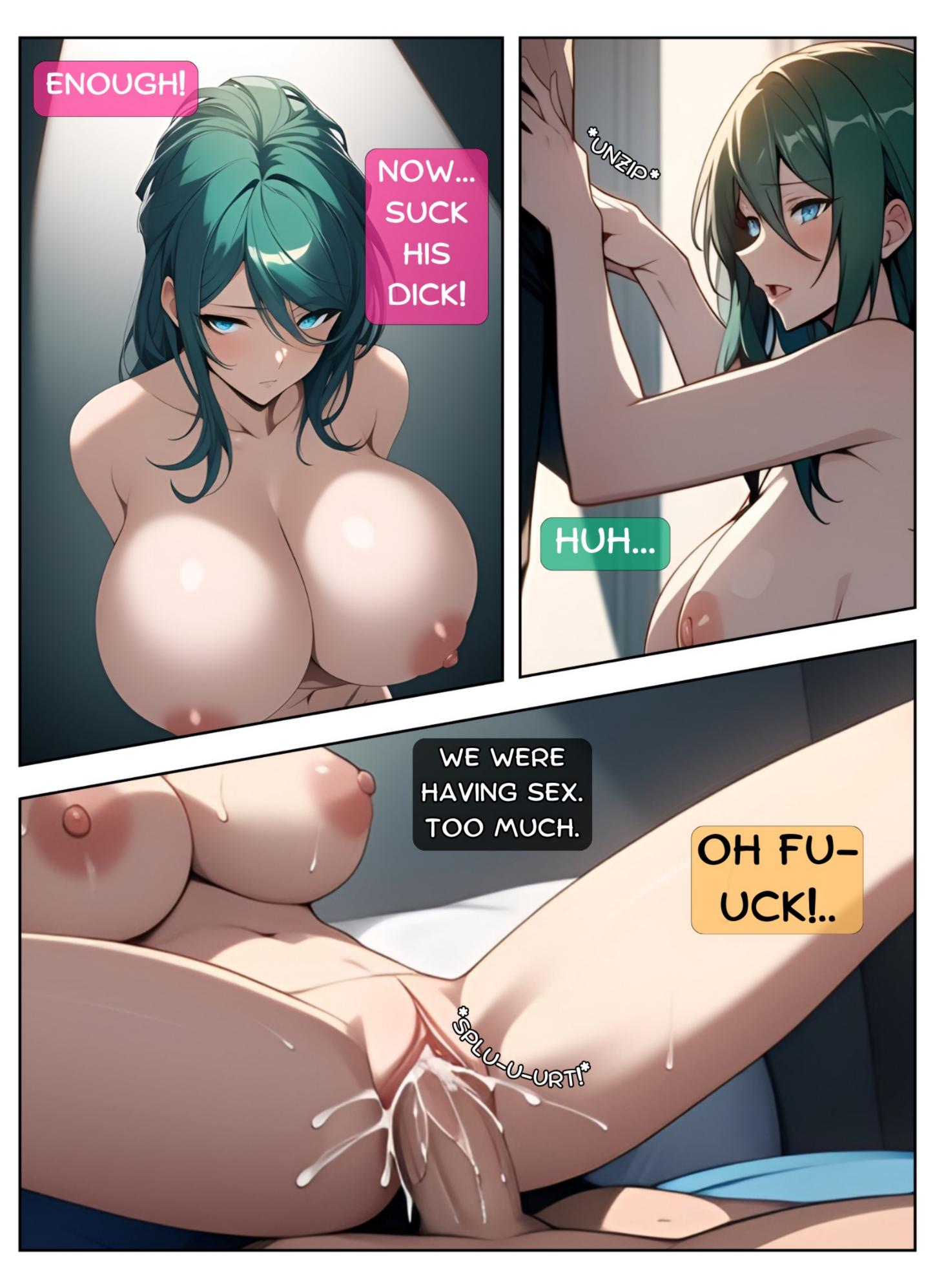
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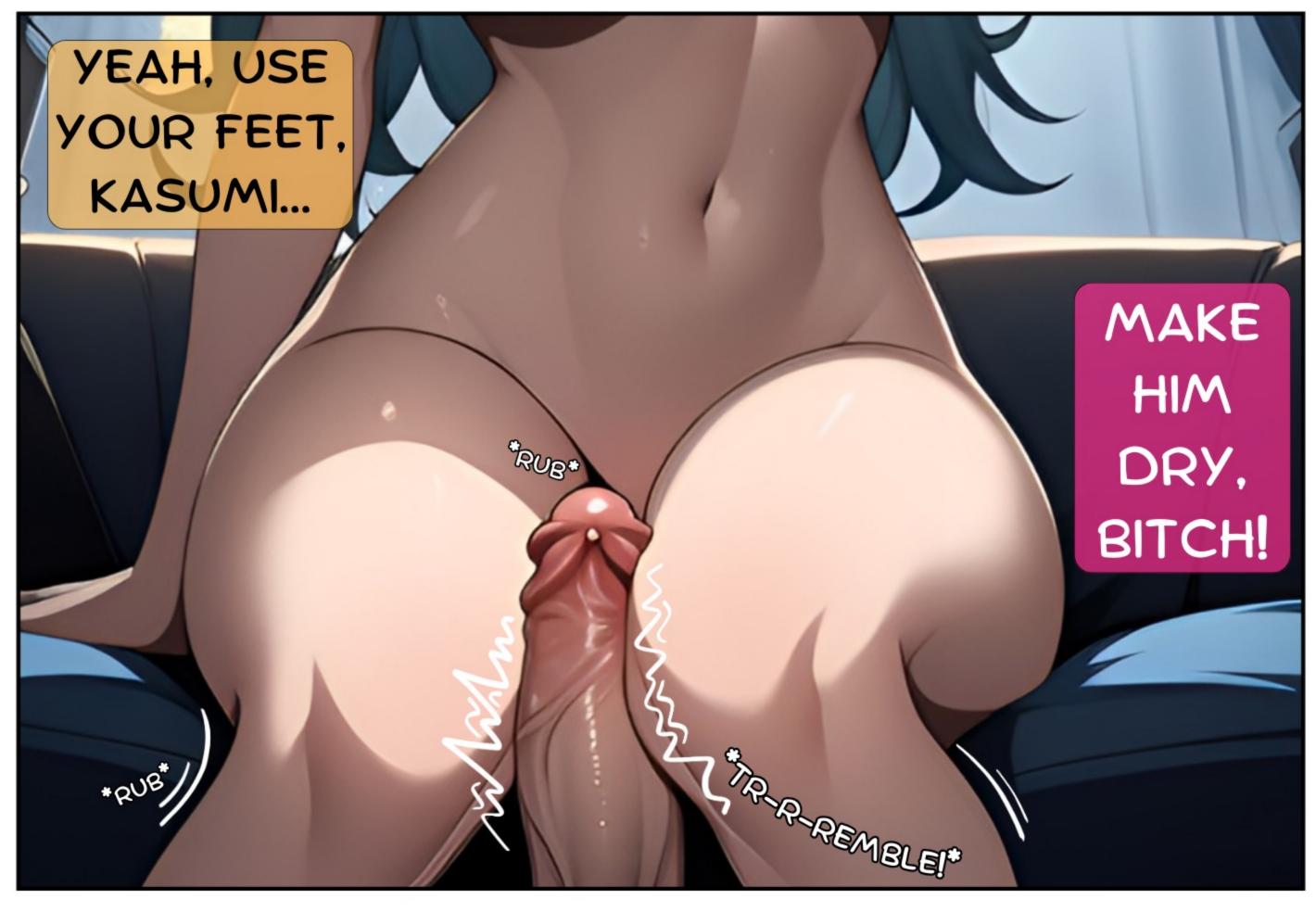




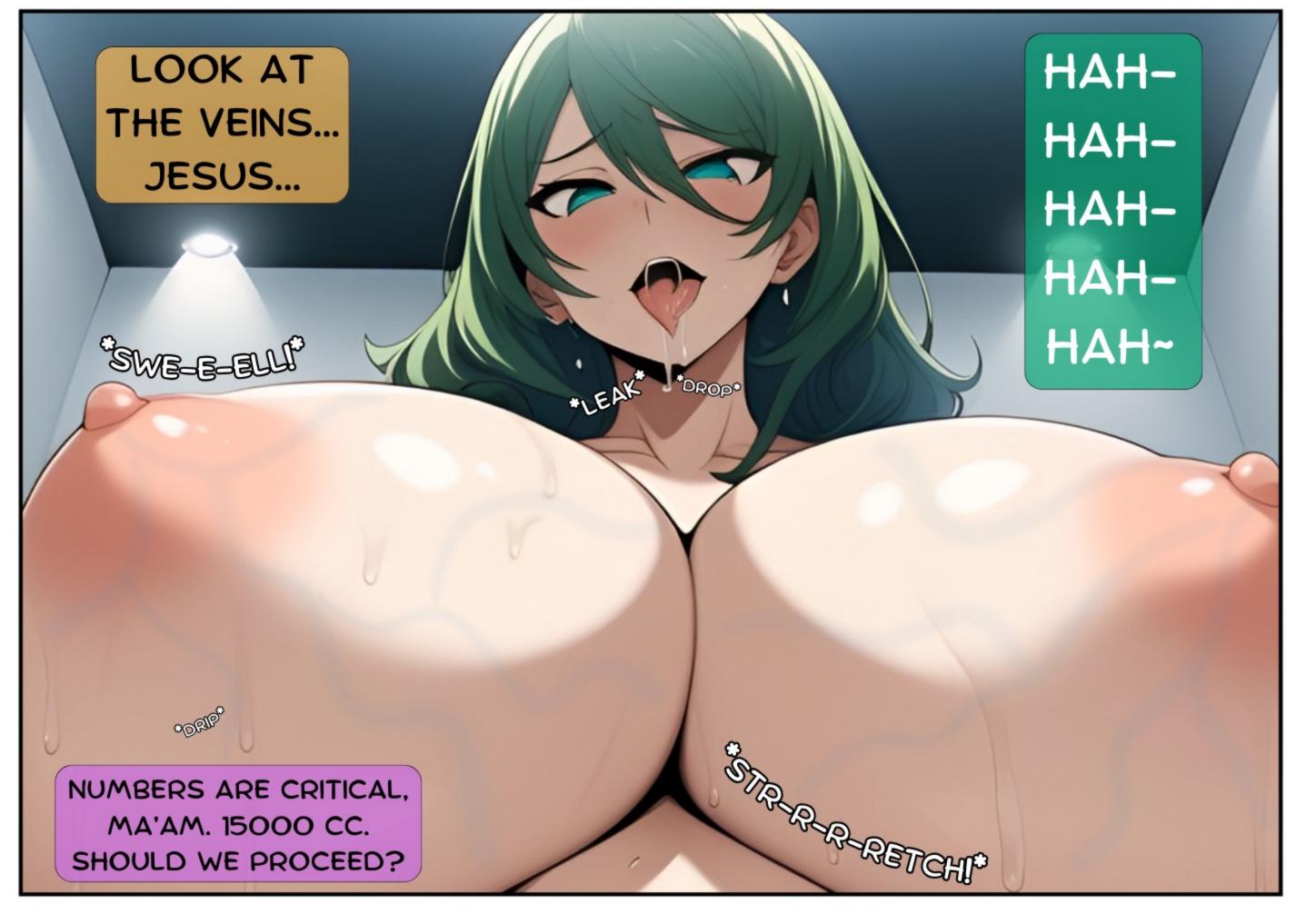


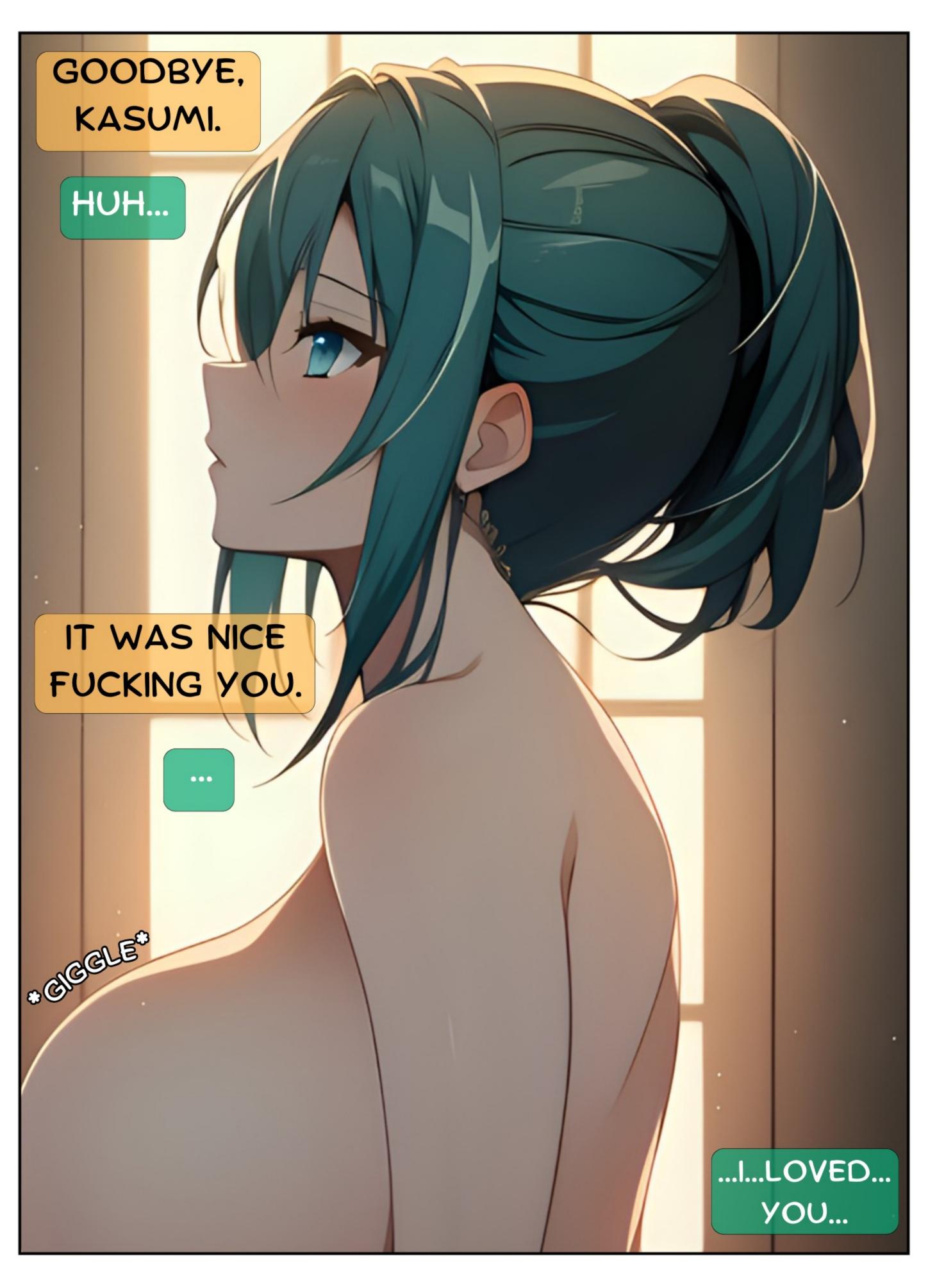




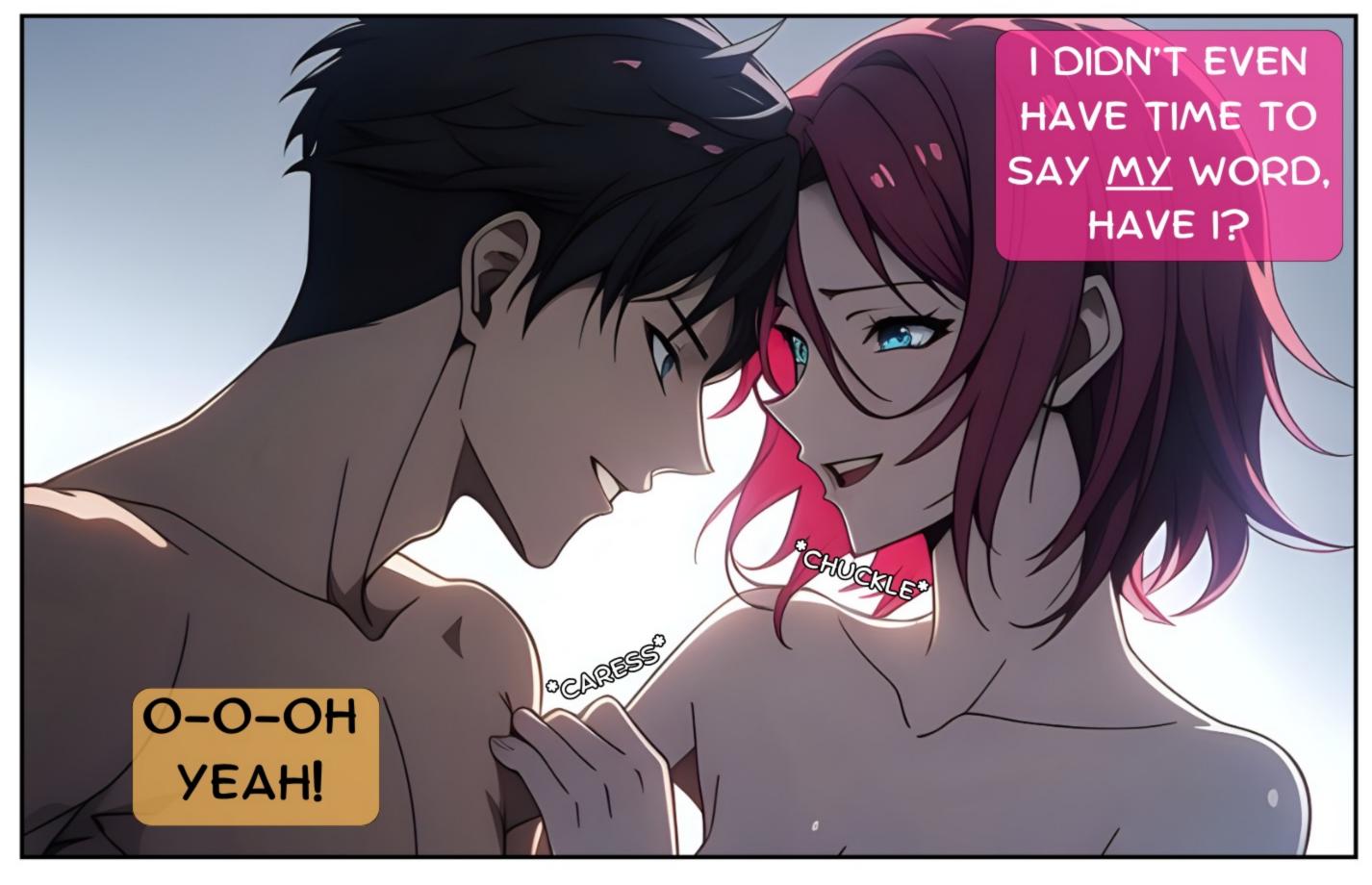






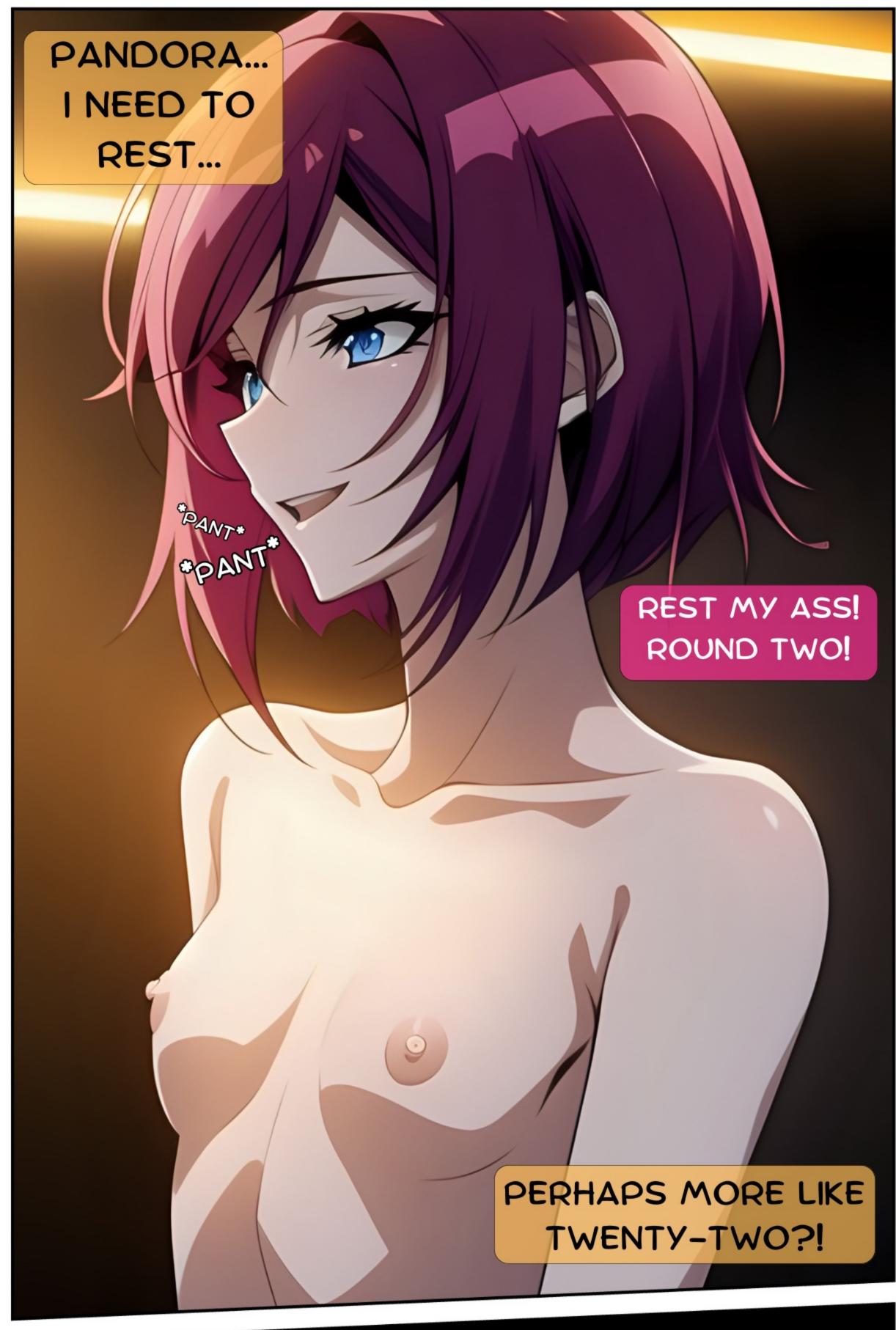




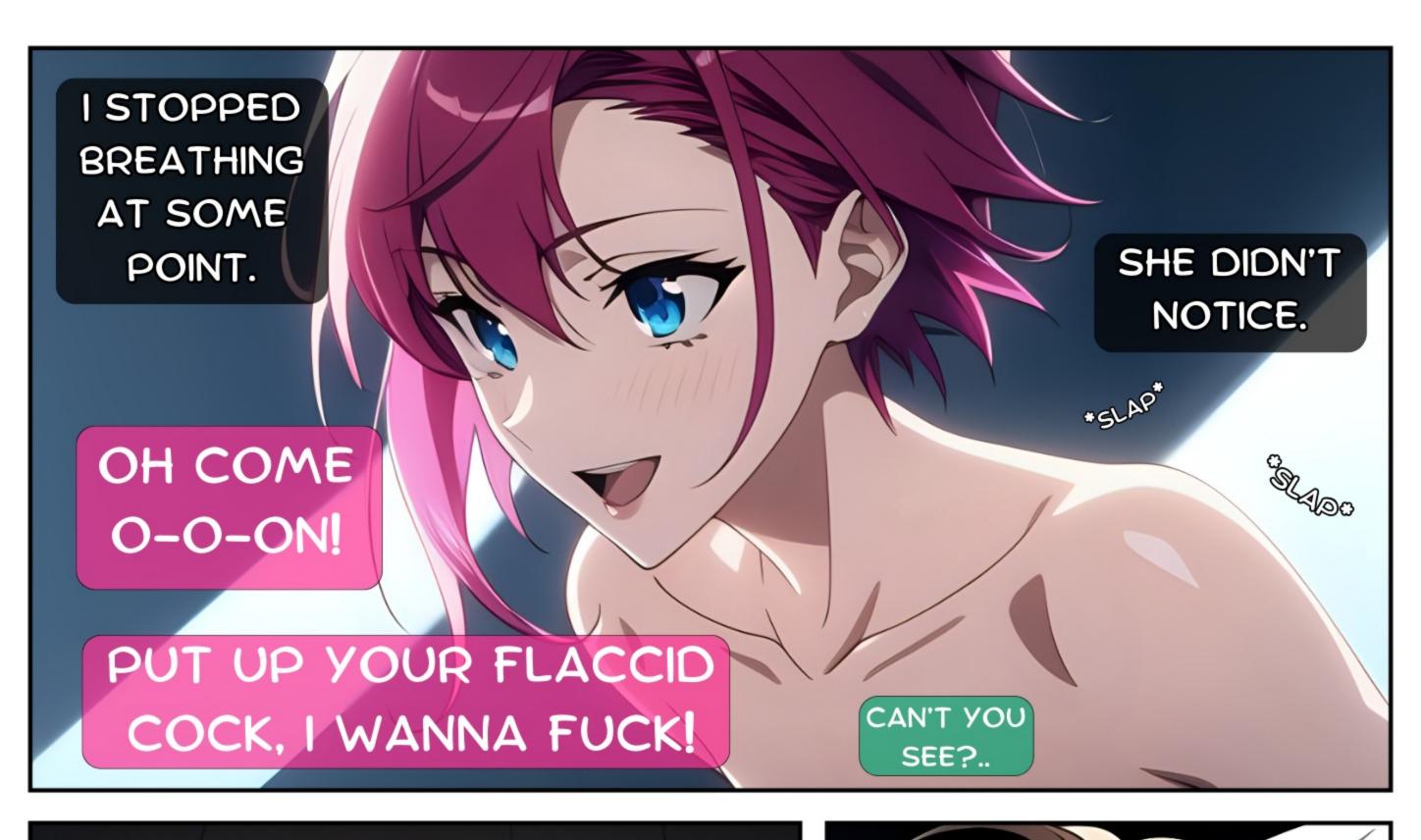


I TRIED TO TAKE A RES-PITE.

BUT SHE WAS TO-TAL-LY IN-SA-TI-ABLE.



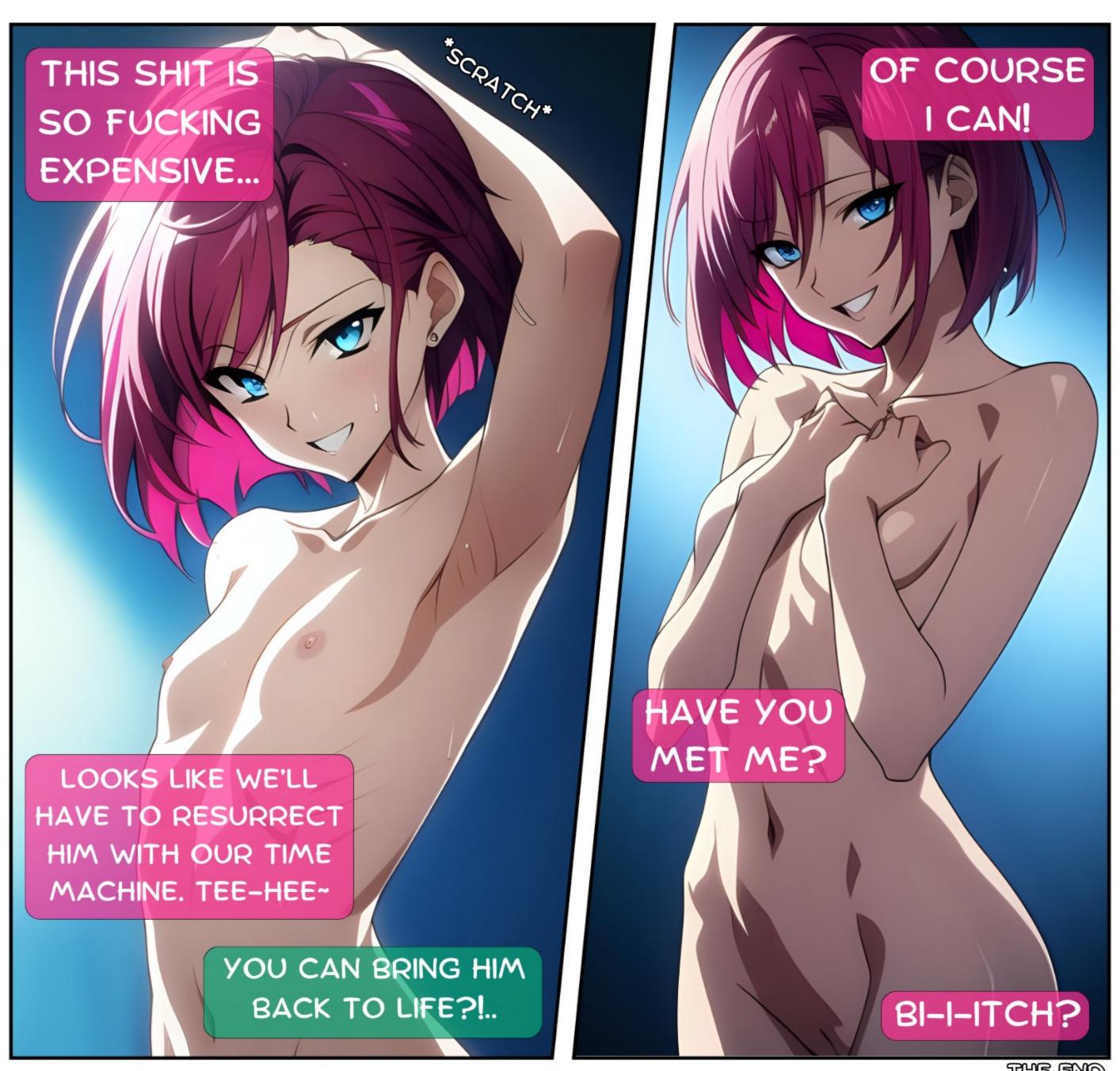
IT WAS AS IF SHE WANTED
TO MAKE UP FOR ALL THE YEARS WE SPENT APART.











EXTRA: BOOK COVERS!

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AND ALL OTHER WONDERFUL PATRONS (



