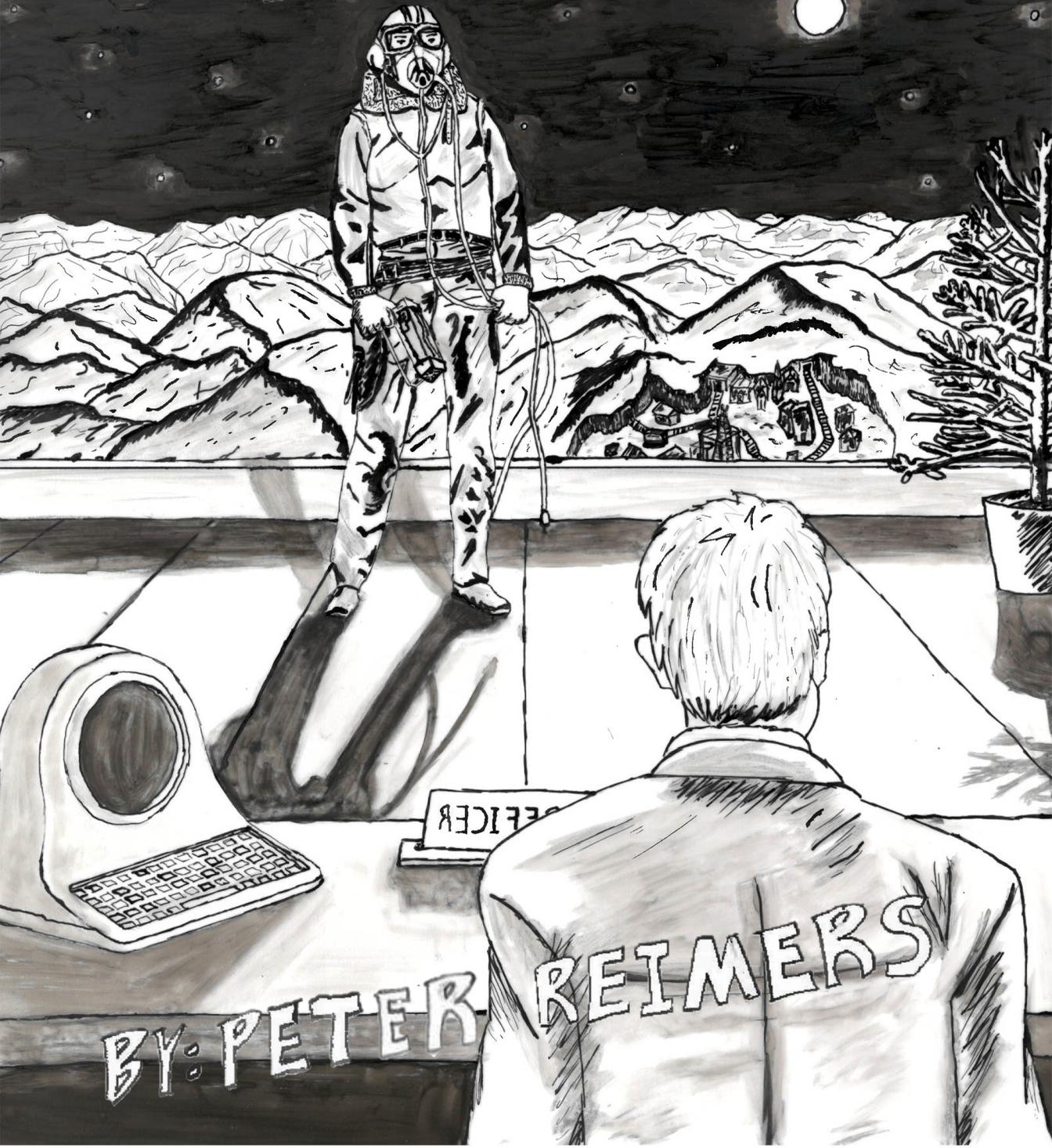


THE

WORLD



BY: PETER

REIMERS

THE

WAR

BY PETER REIMERS

HE WAS ALL I EVER WANTED TO BE. HE WAS "THE WALL."

GROWING UP ON A SMALL MINING PLANET, LIFE WAS DULL.

MAYBE WORSE THAN DULL.

IT WAS WRONG.

I CAN ONLY ASSUME THAT AT ONE POINT PEOPLE WERE HAPPY.

THAT WAS BEFORE I WAS BORN, THOUGH.

THIS PLANET WAS A BARREN WASTELAND, UNINHABITABLE AND DESOLATE. THAT WAS UNTIL *ALLOCORE* DISCOVERED DEPOSITS OF THE ELEMENT SELENIUM. QUICKLY, THEY TRANSPLANTED DESPERATE FAMILIES LOOKING FOR WORK AND FORMED MINING COLONIES.

ALLOCORE NAMED THE COLONY SE-12.

IT TURNED OUT TO BE A WORTHY INVESTMENT.

IT SHOULD HAVE STAYED A WASTELAND.

ALLOCORE DIDN'T MENTION EVERYTHING ABOUT SELENIUM TO THOSE FIRST COLONISTS.



ALTHOUGH ITS USED IN HELPFUL TECHNOLOGIES AND SUPPLEMENTS...



HIGH EXPOSURE IS LETHAL.



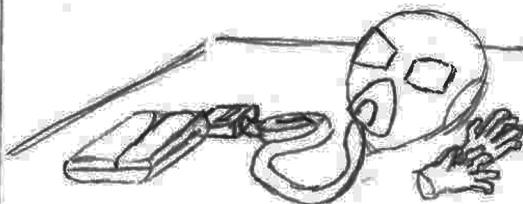
BUT FOR ALL FOLLOWING GENERATIONS...



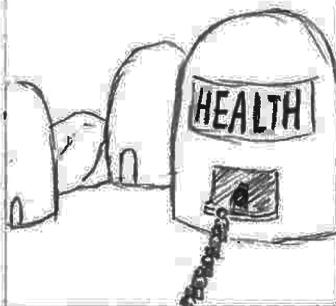
WE HAVE NOWHERE TO GO

WE HAVE TO WEAR ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION BUIITS NEARLY ALL THE TIME.

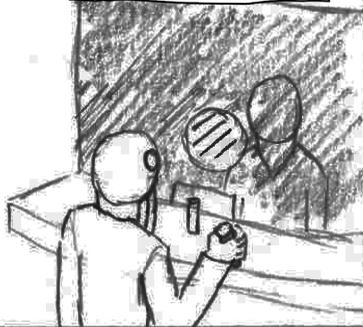
BUT THE DUST ALWAYS FINDS A WAY IN.



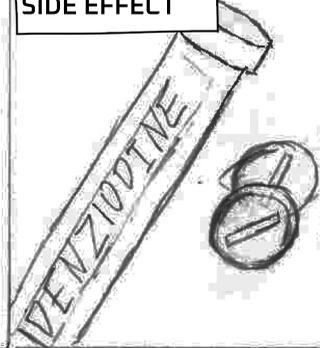
LUCKY FOR US, THERE IS A TREATMENT FOR SELENIUM TOXICITY.



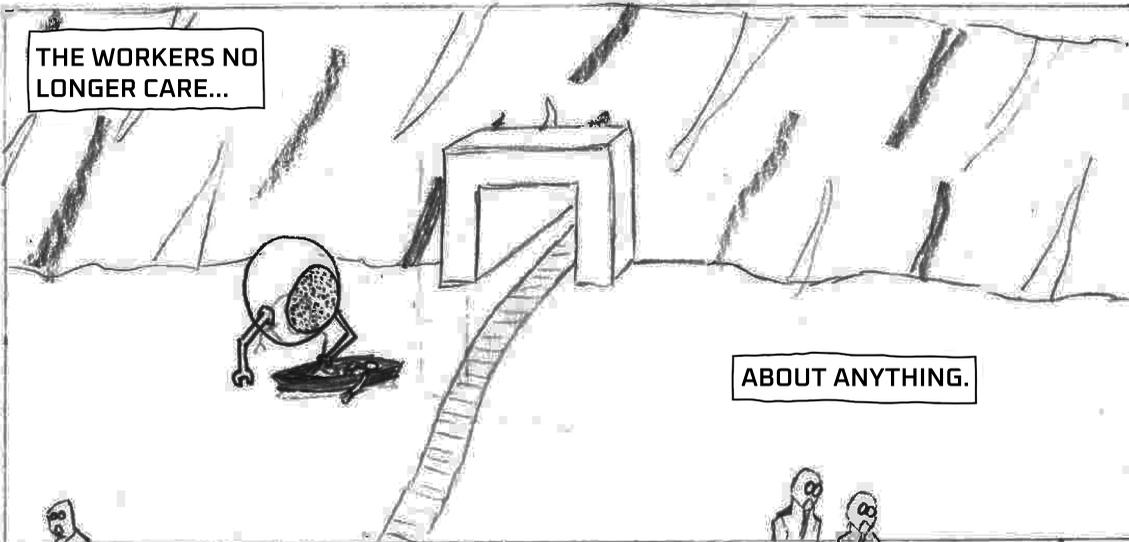
ONE OF ALLOCORE'S MANY PRODUCTS



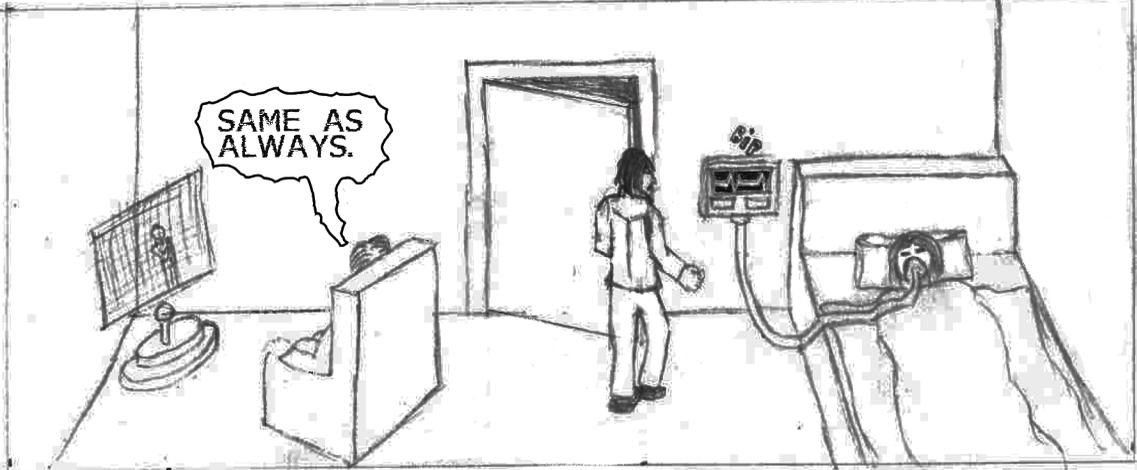
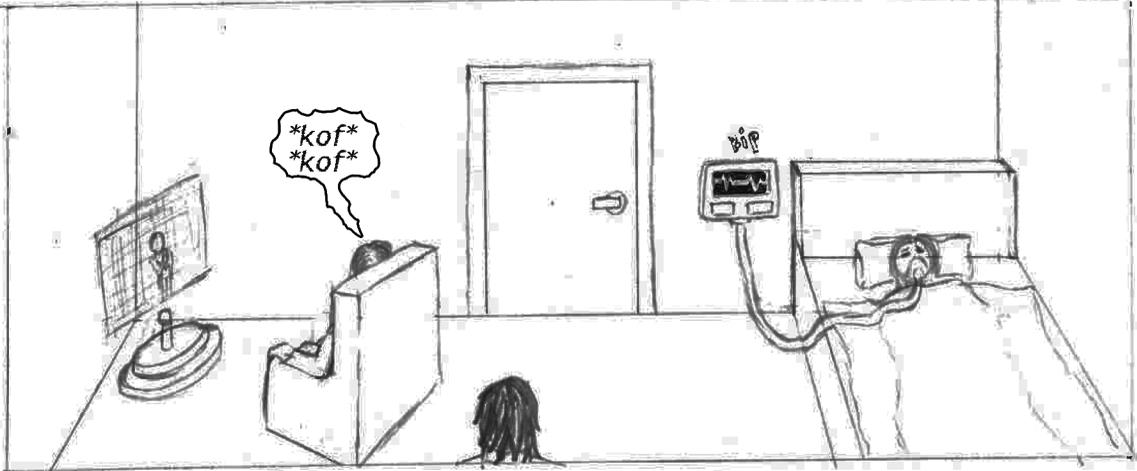
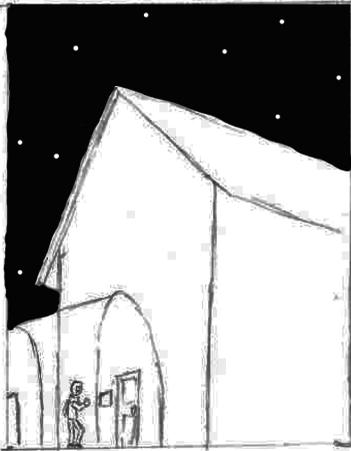
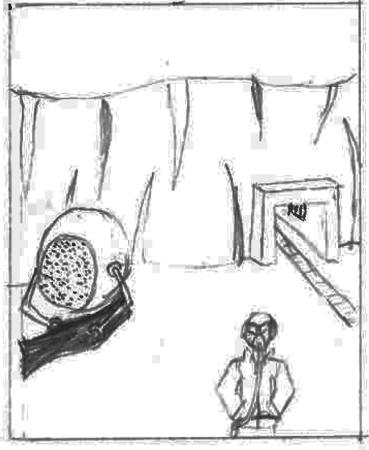
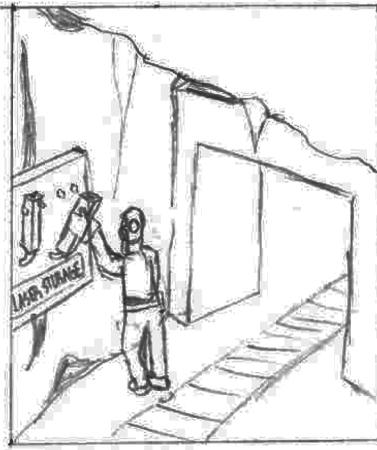
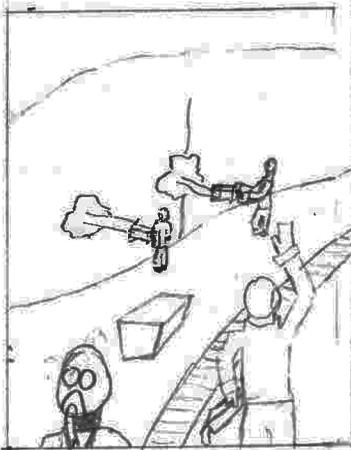
BUT IT HAS AN UNFORTUNATE SIDE EFFECT



THE WORKERS NO LONGER CARE...



ABOUT ANYTHING.



I DIDN'T HAVE MUCH TO LOOK UP TO GROWING UP.

MY PARENTS ONLY KNEW WORK, SO THAT'S ALL THEY TAUGHT.

TAP

BUT HE GAVE ME HOPE.

ENLIST NOW.

WE COULDN'T PICK UP MANY BROADCASTS ON SE-12,

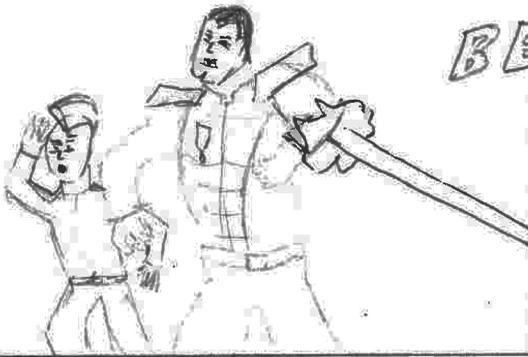
Serve Guiding light!

EXCEPT FOR HIM.

THE WALL

AUDIO FREQUENCIES WOULD BE TRANSMITTED AND SPREAD WORD ABOUT **THE WALL** AND HIS WORK WITH **GUIDING LIGHT**. THEY WOULD TRAVERSE GALAXIES AND MAKE A REAL DIFFERENCE.

HE DEFENDS THE WEAK,



BEEP

HE TREATS THE INJURED,

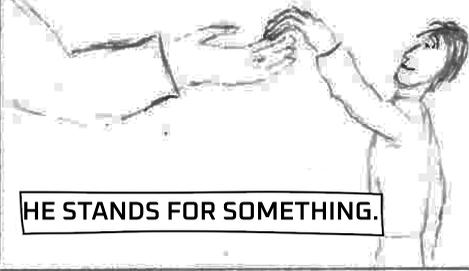


AND FIGHTS INJUSTICES
WHEREVER HE SEES THEM.



BEEEEP

MOST IMPORTANTLY FOR ME,



HE STANDS FOR SOMETHING.

HE STANDS FOR A UNIVERSE
THAT PUNISHES THE EVIL,
AND UPLIFTS THE GOOD.

ENLIST NOW!



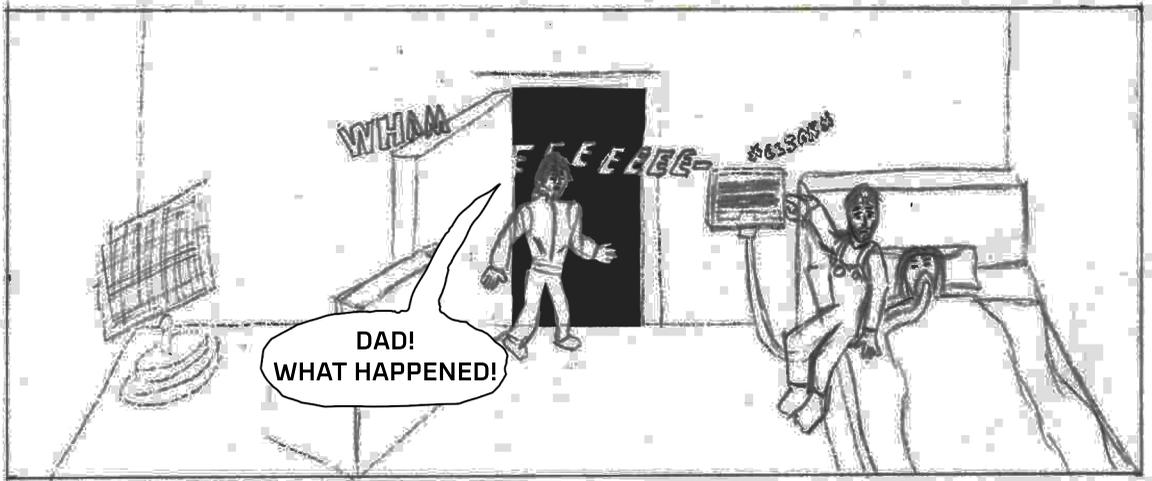
Serve Guiding Light
Join the Wall!

BEEEEEE

WE COULD REALLY USE
THAT AROUND HERE.



MOM!



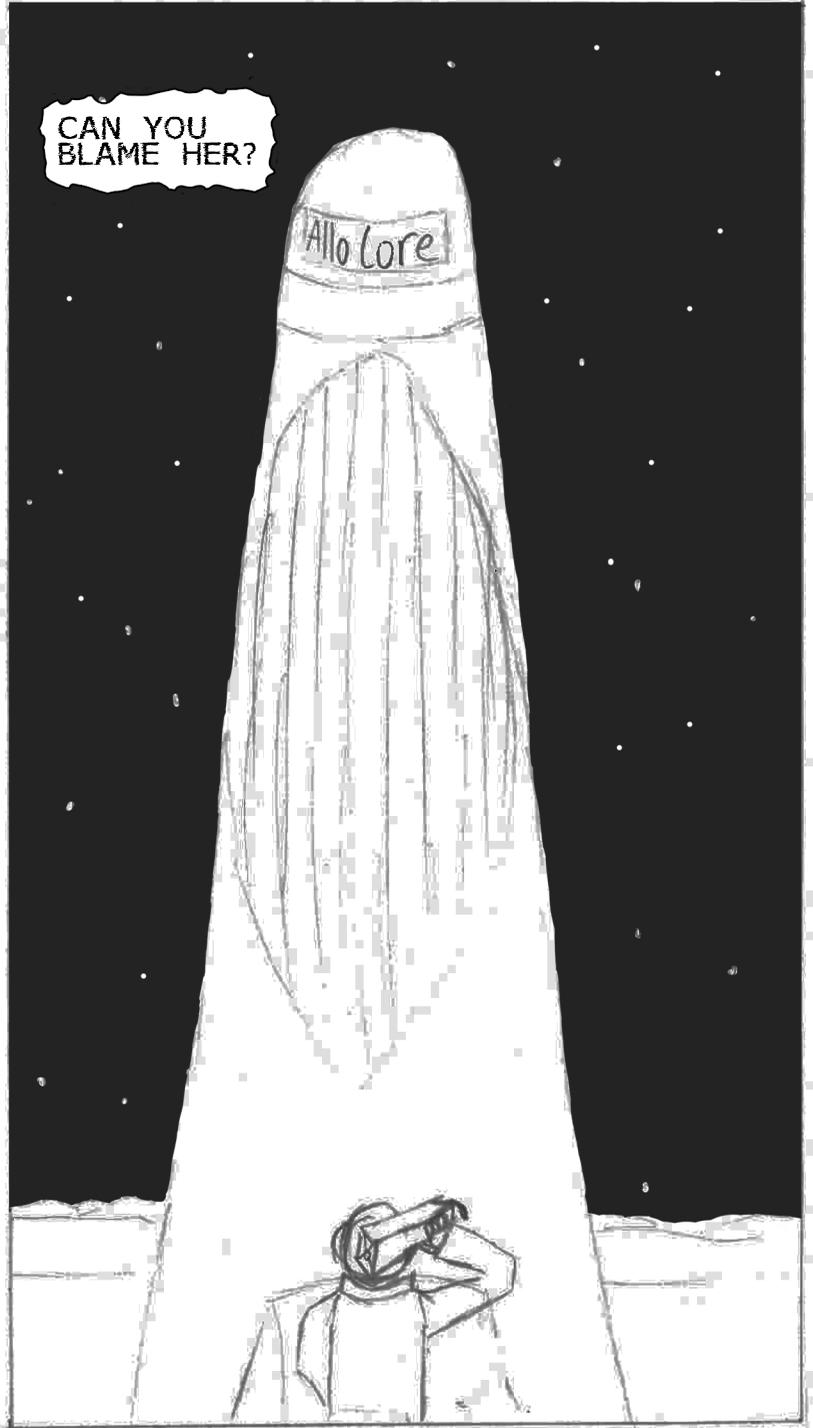
SHE WAS DONE.



IT WASN'T WORTH IT ANYMORE.

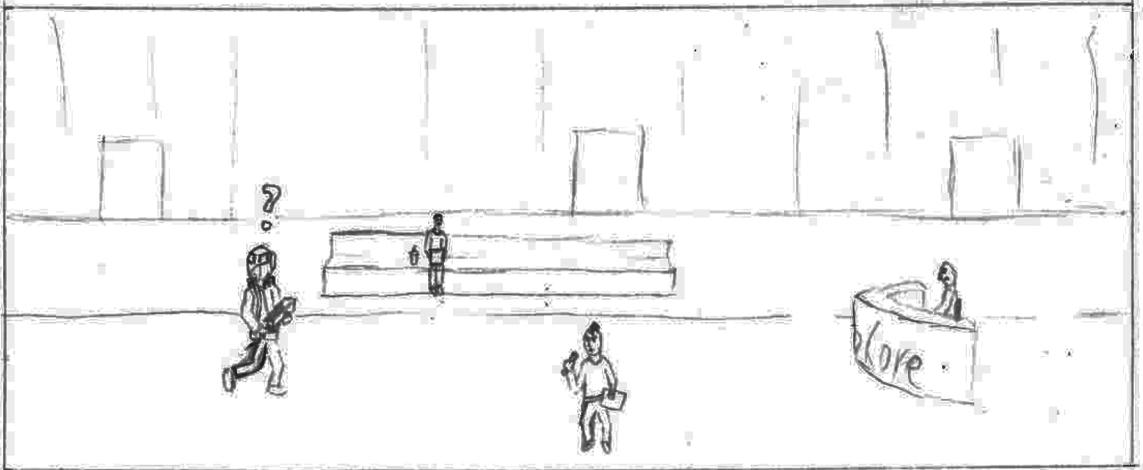
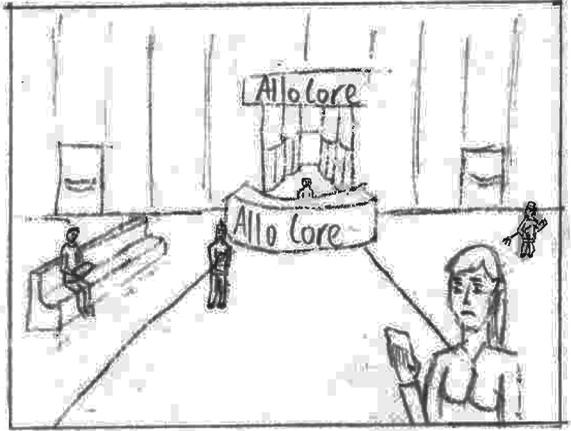
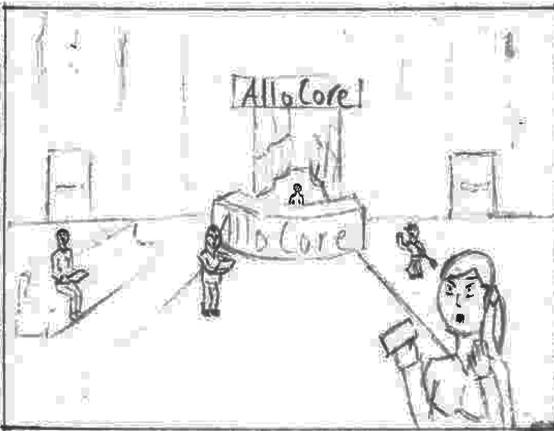
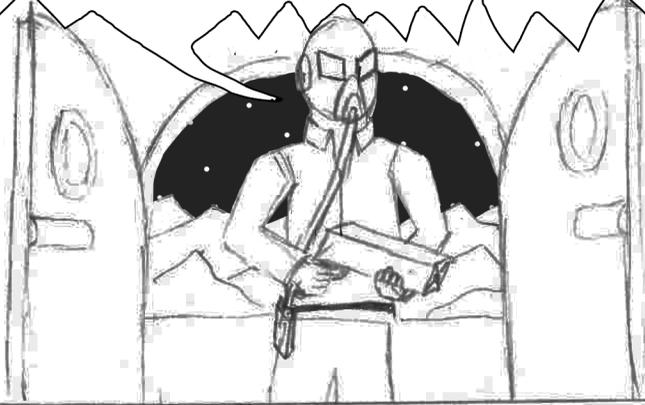


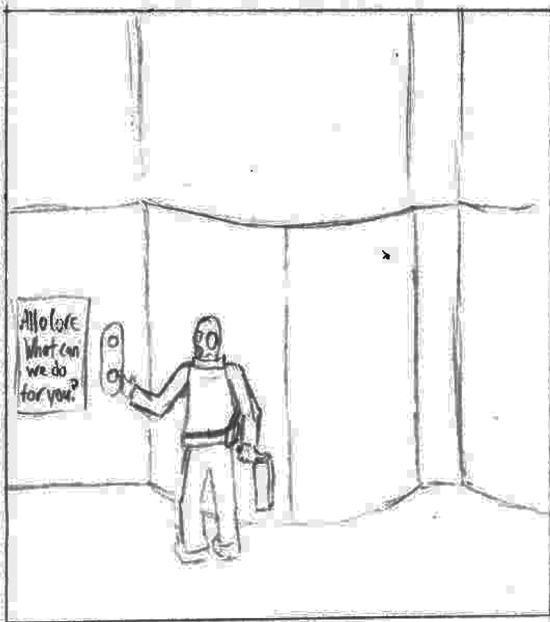
SHE DIDN'T WANT TO FIGHT ANYMORE

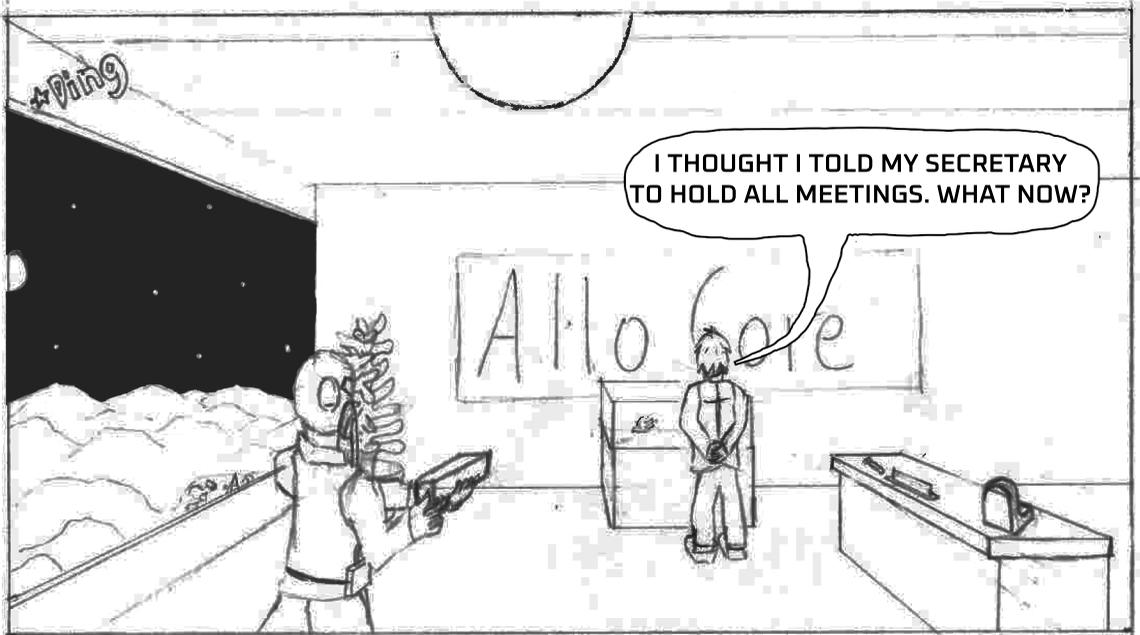


CAN YOU BLAME HER?

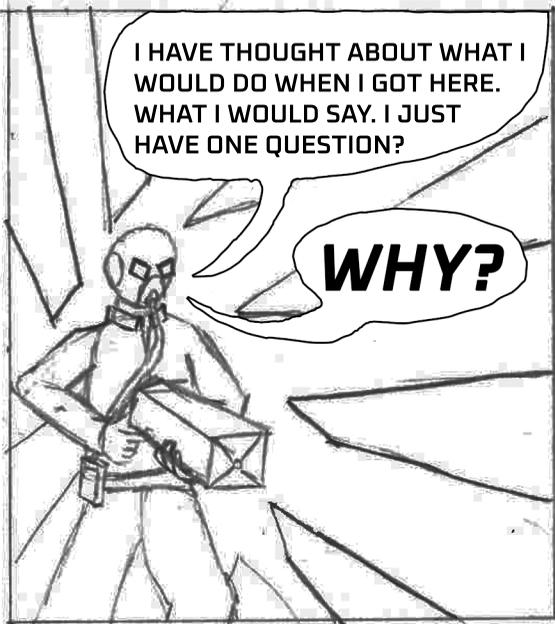
NOBODY MOVES, NOBODY GETS HURT!







I THOUGHT I TOLD MY SECRETARY TO HOLD ALL MEETINGS. WHAT NOW?



I HAVE THOUGHT ABOUT WHAT I WOULD DO WHEN I GOT HERE. WHAT I WOULD SAY. I JUST HAVE ONE QUESTION?

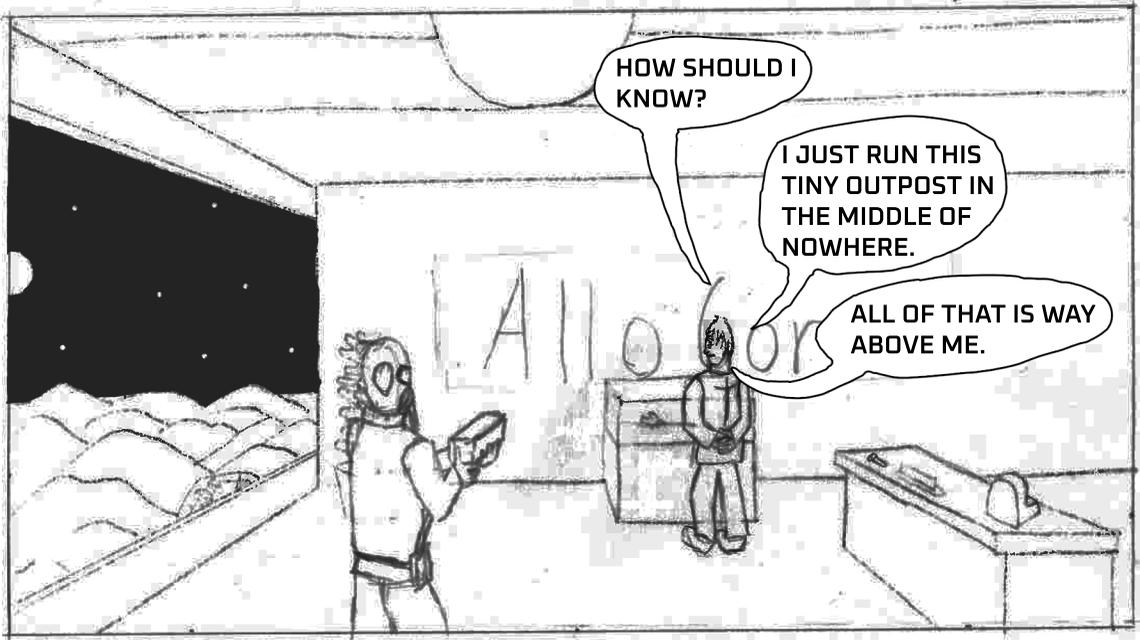
WHY?



WHY BRING US HERE JUST TO SUFFER?

WHY IS IT ALL SO CRUEL?

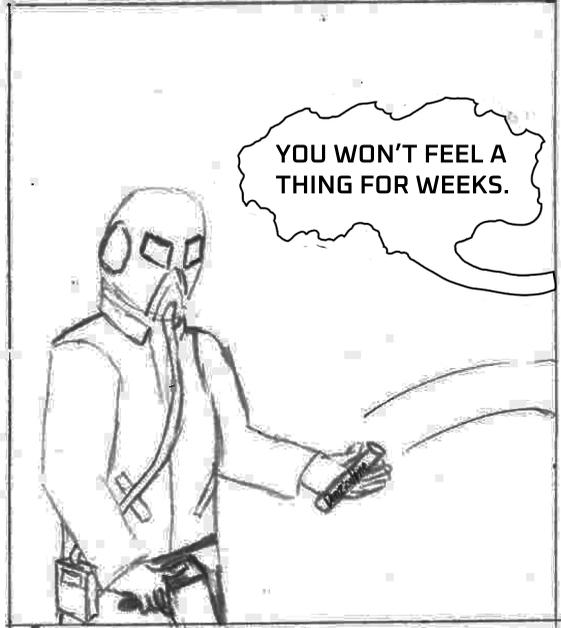
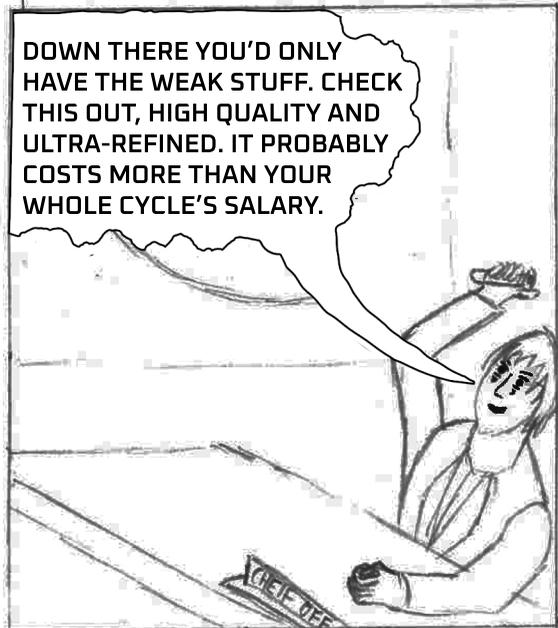
TELL ME WHY?

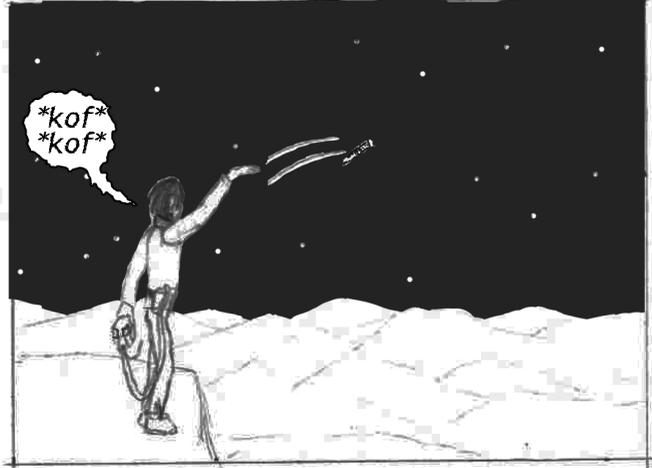
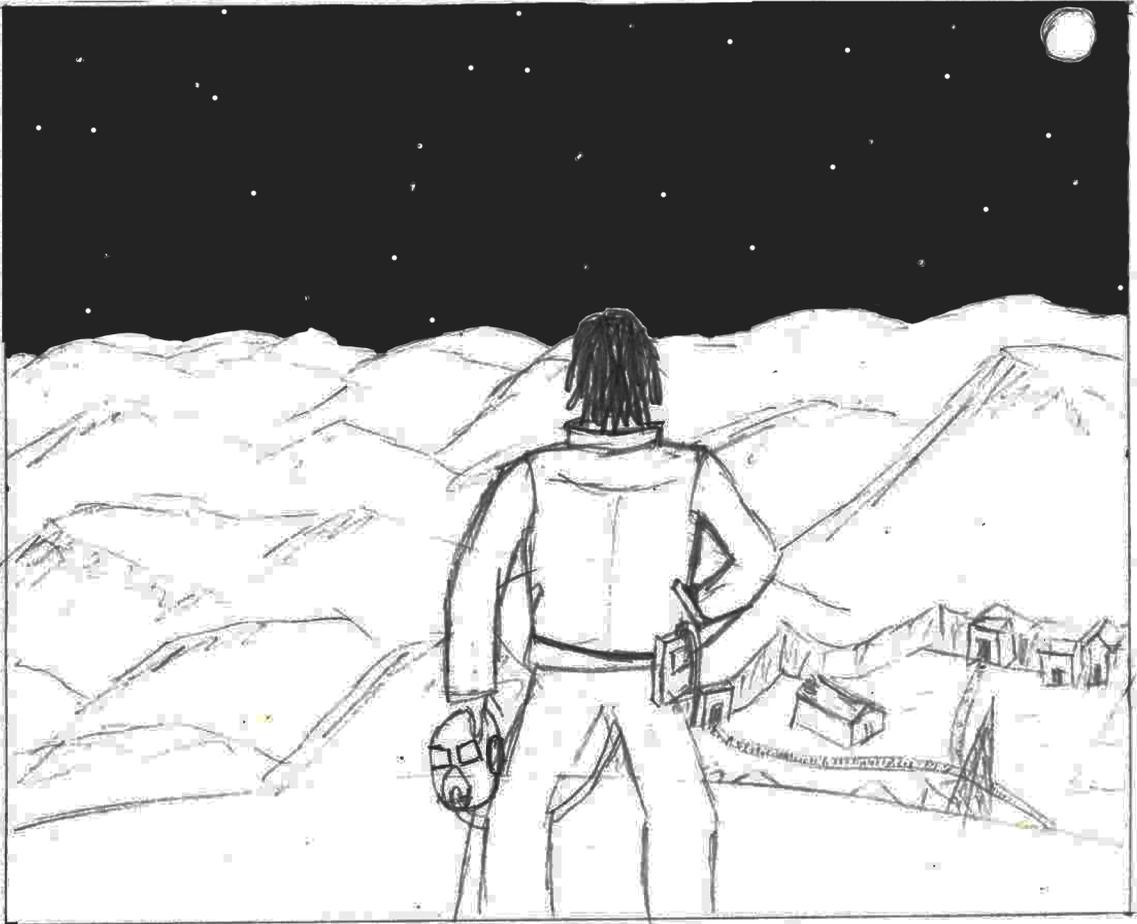


HOW SHOULD I KNOW?

I JUST RUN THIS TINY OUTPOST IN THE MIDDLE OF NOWHERE.

ALL OF THAT IS WAY ABOVE ME.





I NEEDED TO GO SOMEWHERE ELSE.
THERE WAS NOTHING LEFT FOR ME HERE.



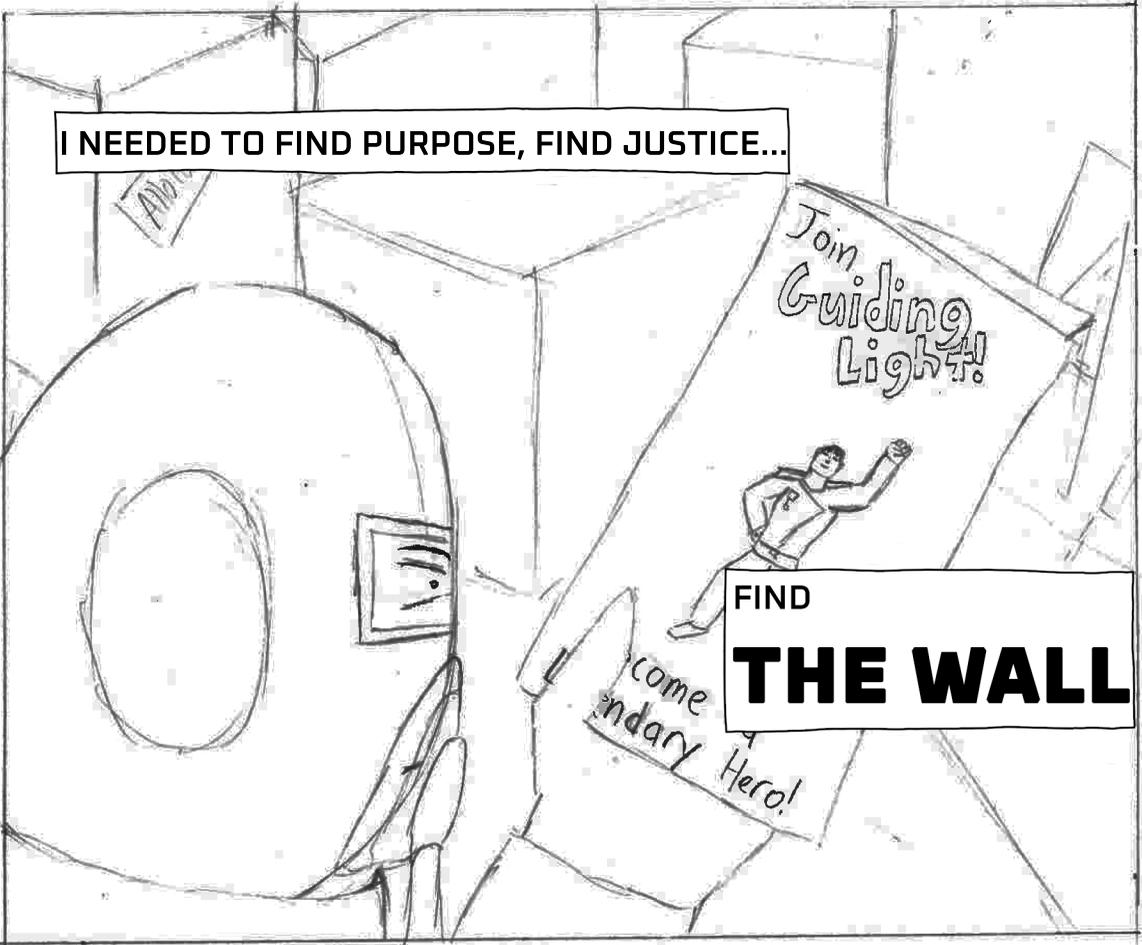
SE-12 WASN'T MY HOME ANYMORE.



I NEEDED TO FIND SOMETHING I
HAVE BEEN MISSING IN MY LIFE.



I NEEDED TO FIND PURPOSE, FIND JUSTICE...



FIND
THE WALL

