

TOOTH, CLAW AND ANIMAL FEROCITY.
THE BATTLE OF BEASTS CONTINUE.



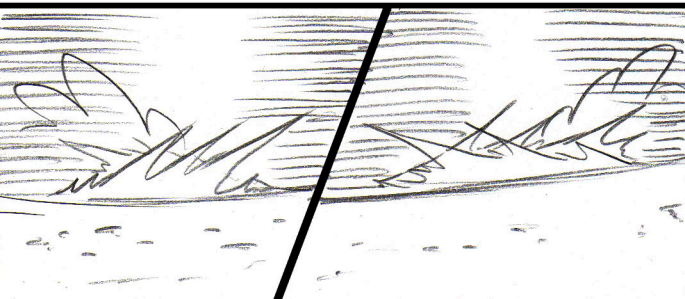
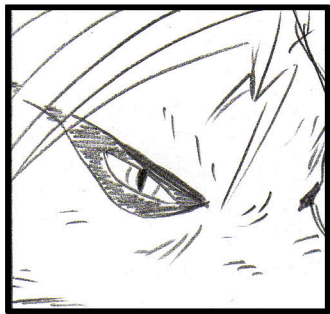
NARUTO!

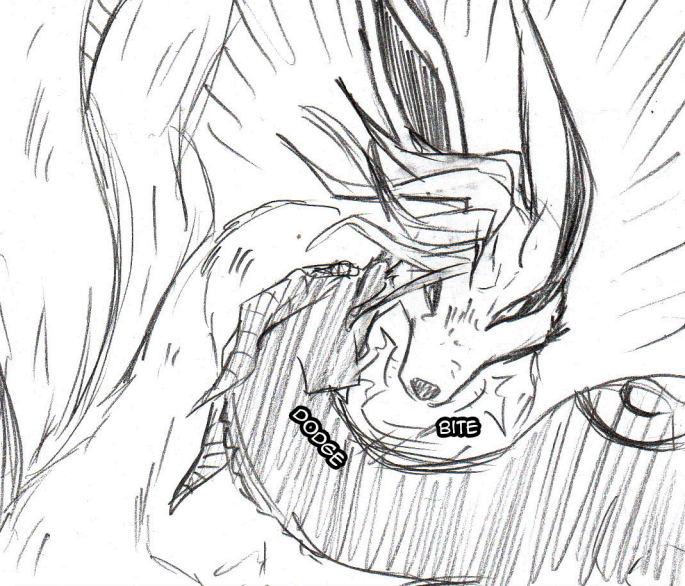
**NARU-HINA
CHRONICLES**



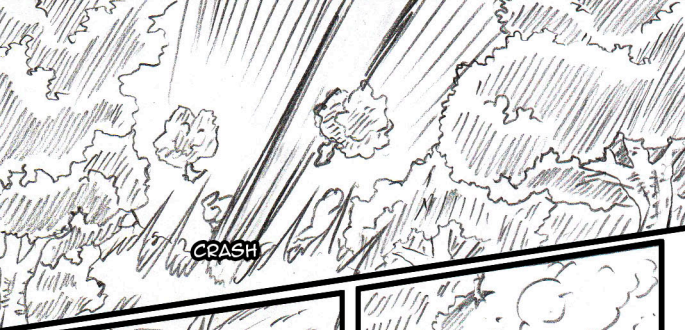


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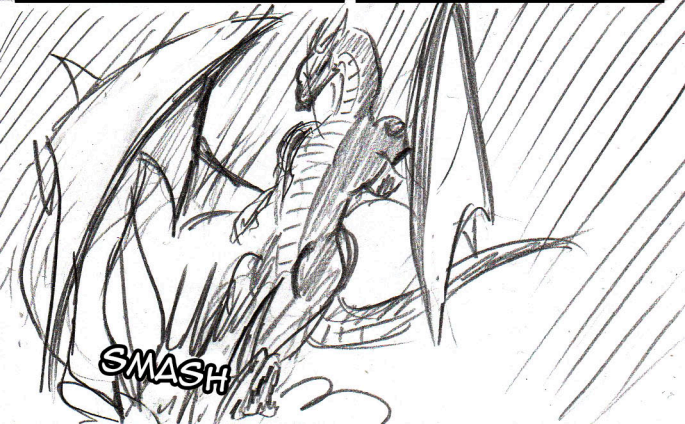




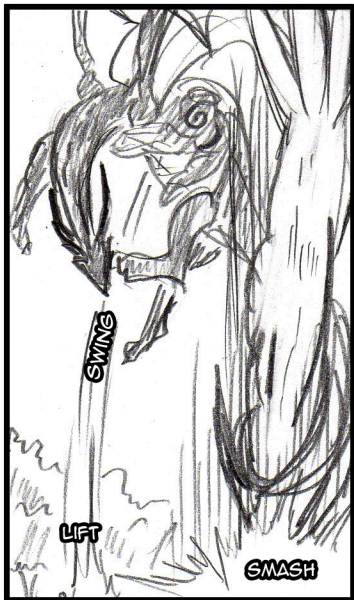
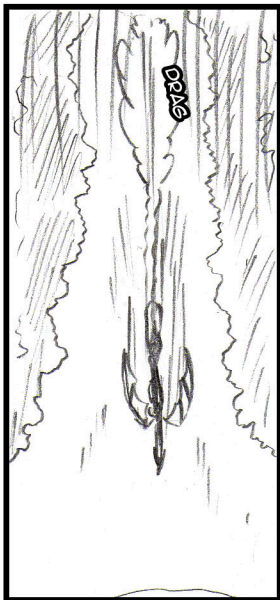
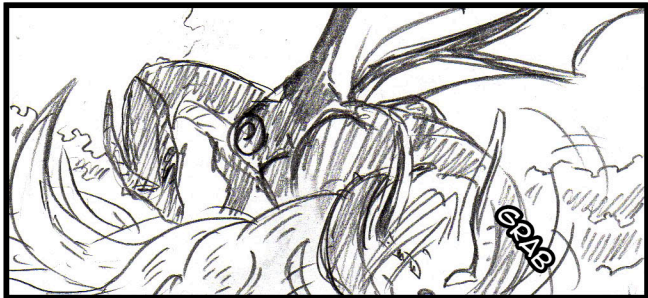




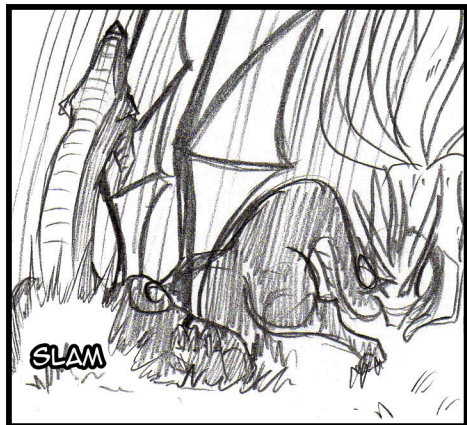
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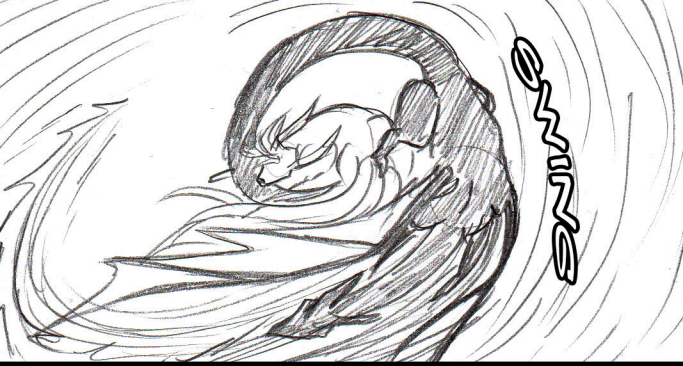


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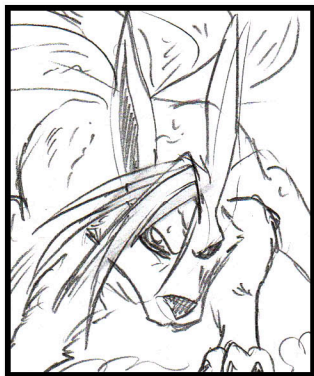
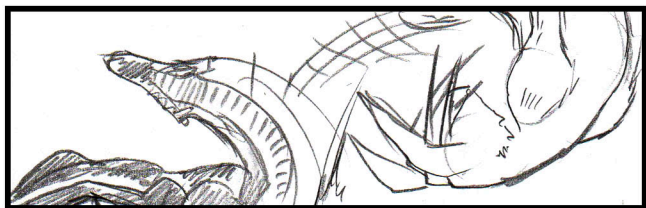
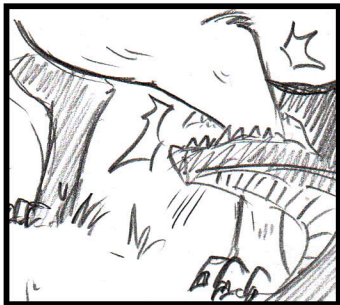


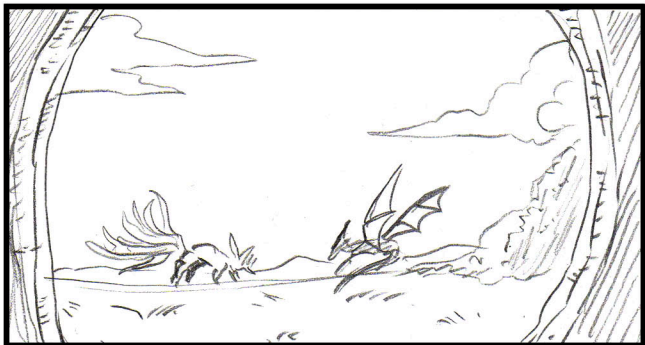
SHINE

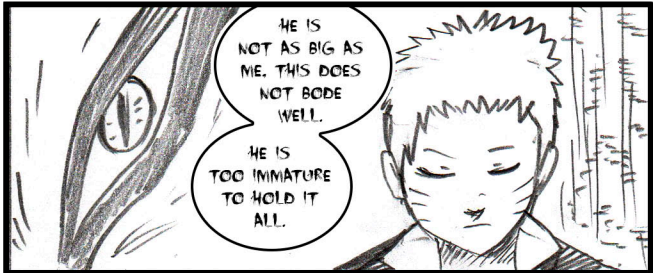


SLAM









HE IS NOT AS BIG AS ME. THIS DOES NOT BODE WELL.

HE IS TOO IMMATURE TO HOLD IT ALL.

HOW LONG WILL HE LAST?

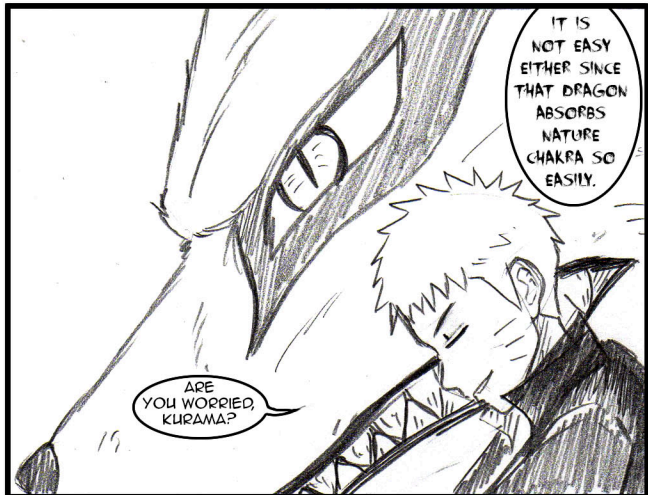
I AM UNSURE.

HIS BODY MAY RIP ITSELF APART BEFORE HE CAN WIN.

THEN I HAD BETTER GET BACK IN THIS FIGHT, AND FAST.

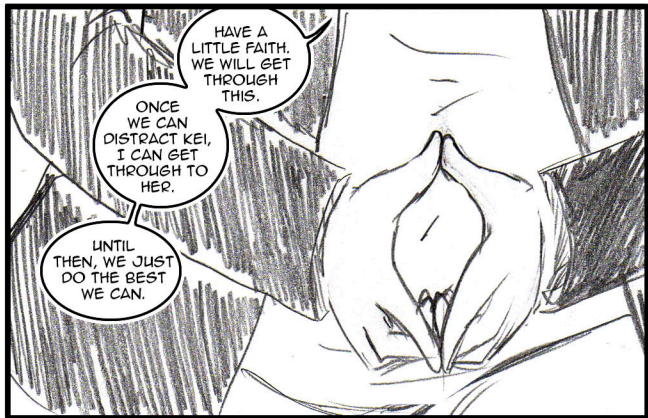
YOU CAN NOT RUSH GATHERING NATURE CHAKRA.





IT IS NOT EASY EITHER SINCE THAT DRAGON ABSORBS NATURE CHAKRA SO EASILY.

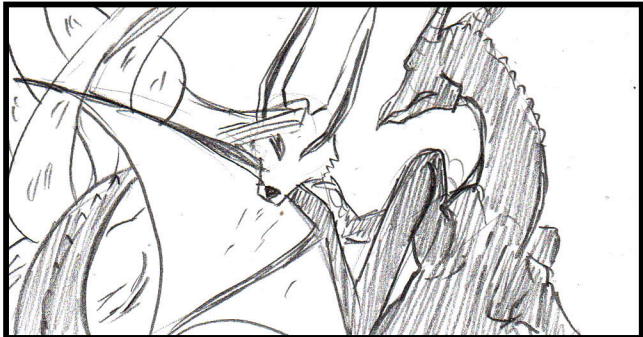
ARE YOU WORRIED, KURAMA?

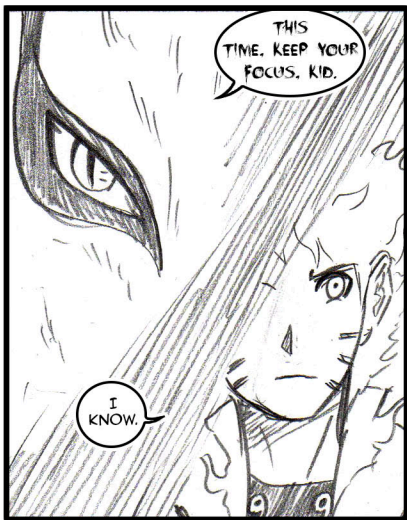
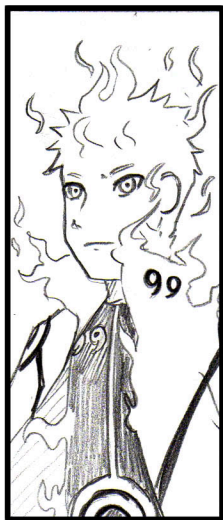
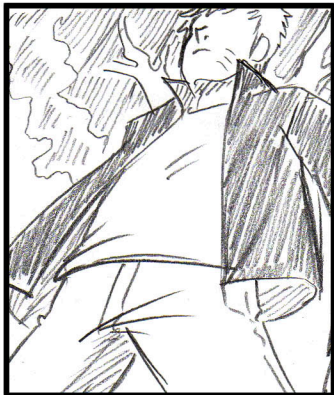
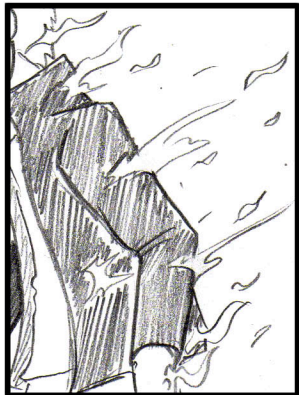


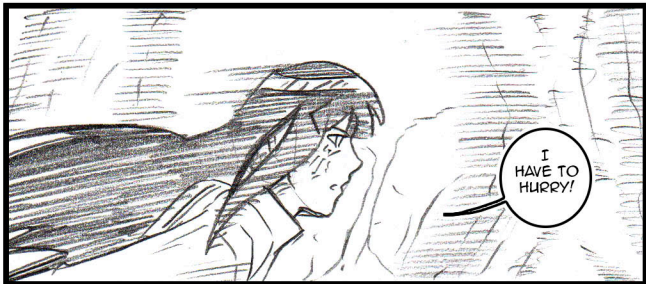
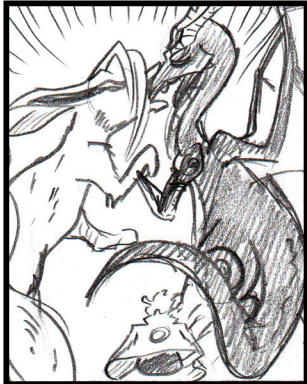
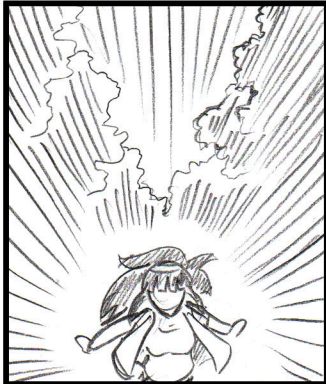
HAVE A LITTLE FAITH. WE WILL GET THROUGH THIS.

ONCE WE CAN DISTRACT KEI, I CAN GET THROUGH TO HER.

UNTIL THEN, WE JUST DO THE BEST WE CAN.



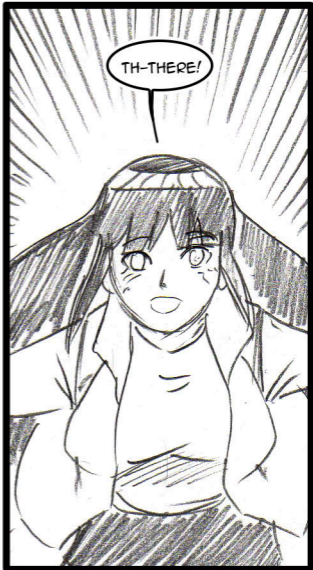
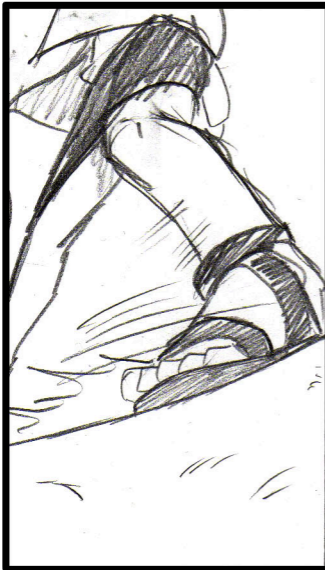


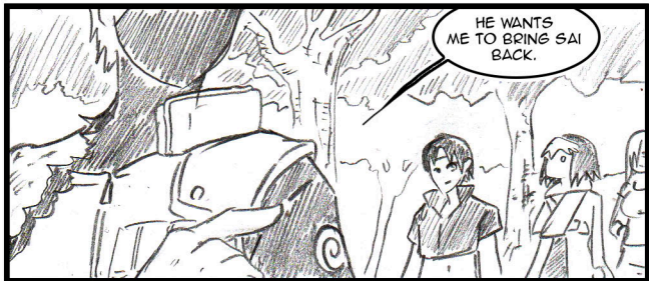


I
HAVE TO
HURRY!



WAIT
FOR ME
NARUTO.

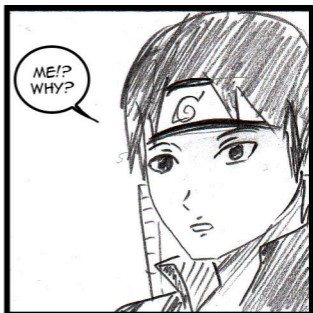




HE WANTS
ME TO BRING SAI
BACK.



HE
JUST
ASKED ME
TO BRING
YOU TO
HIM.

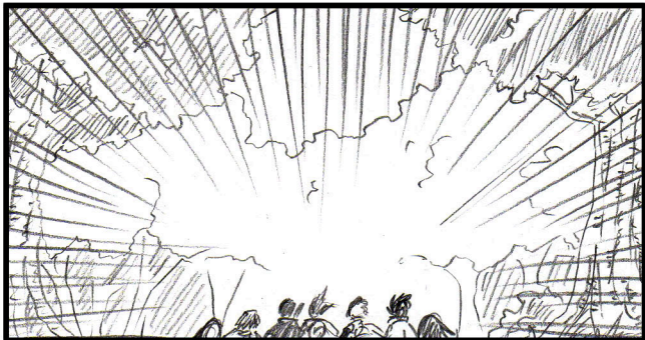


ME!?
WHY?



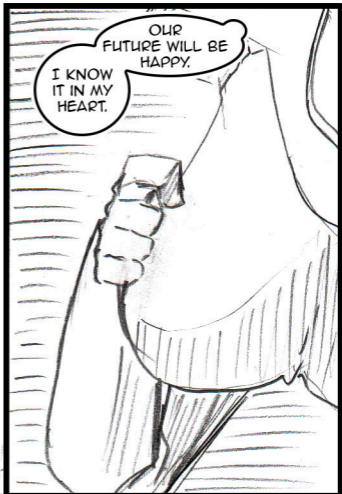
SO,
COME
ON.

OF
COURSE!





SO, LET US END THIS DANGER QUICKLY.



I KNOW IT IN MY HEART.
OUR FUTURE WILL BE HAPPY.

THE PIECES MOVE INTO PLACE AND THE STAGE IS SET TO SAVE A FRIEND IS THE MISSION

