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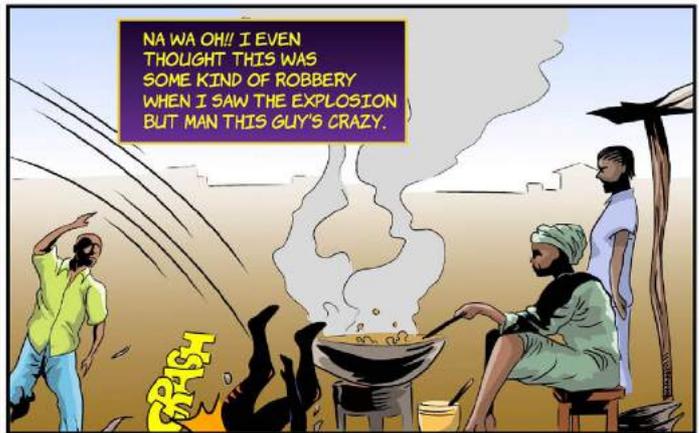




\*SIR, PLEASE RELAX.



\*NA WA O\* - CAN YOU IMAGINE?





LUHN, GOOD MORNING MA! CAN I... UM



CAN I HAVE SOME AKARA!!?

\*AKARA\* - BEANS CAKE



SMASH!

AAARRGH!!!



WHICH STUPID AKARA, YOU MUST PAY IF WAN CHOP!

BUT I NEVER CHOP TODAY MA!!!



WETIN CONSIGN ME...

WHY DOES SHE LOOK SO SHOCKED. JUST SHA GIVE ME AKARA AT LEAST.

\*WHAT IS MY BUSINESS\* \*CHOP - EAT\*



THIS GUY AGAIN!!! WHAT'S YOUR PROBLEM AM JUST TRYING TO TALK TO YOU.

AAAAHHHHH!!!

BBRRUUUUUGGGH

WELL I GUESS I'LL BE GETTING FREE AKARA SINCE SHE'S LEAVING, WHAT A WAY TO START MY DAY!



GUY LETS TALK ABOUT THIS NOW, I REALLY DONT WANT TO BEAT YOU.



THAT'S IT. I TRIED TO BE NICE ABOUT IT.

BAGN!



CHOP AM!!

KA-WAH!!

CHAI!!! LOOK AT ME DROPPING ALL THIS AKARA. I SHOULD HAVE JUST EATEN AT HOME.

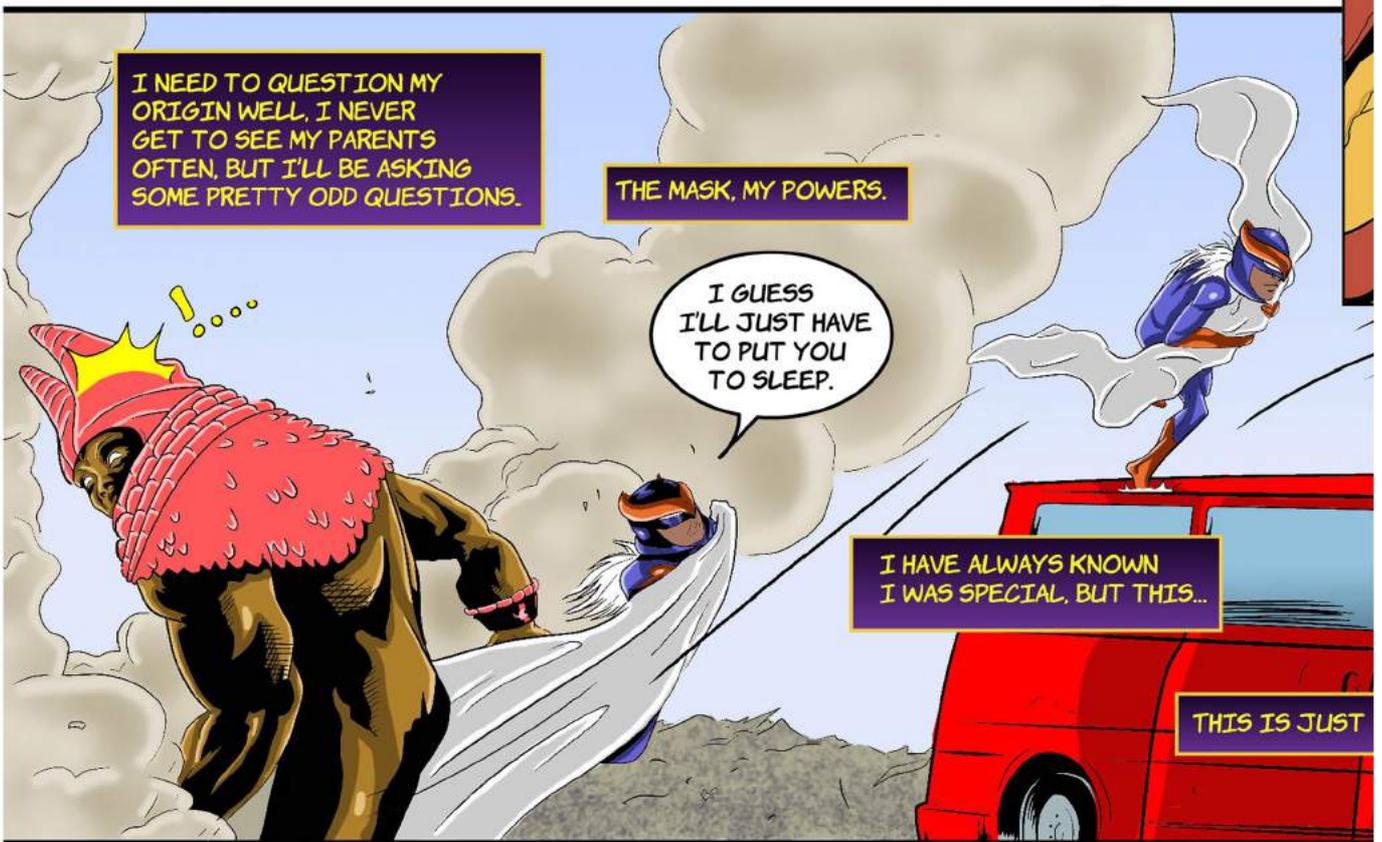


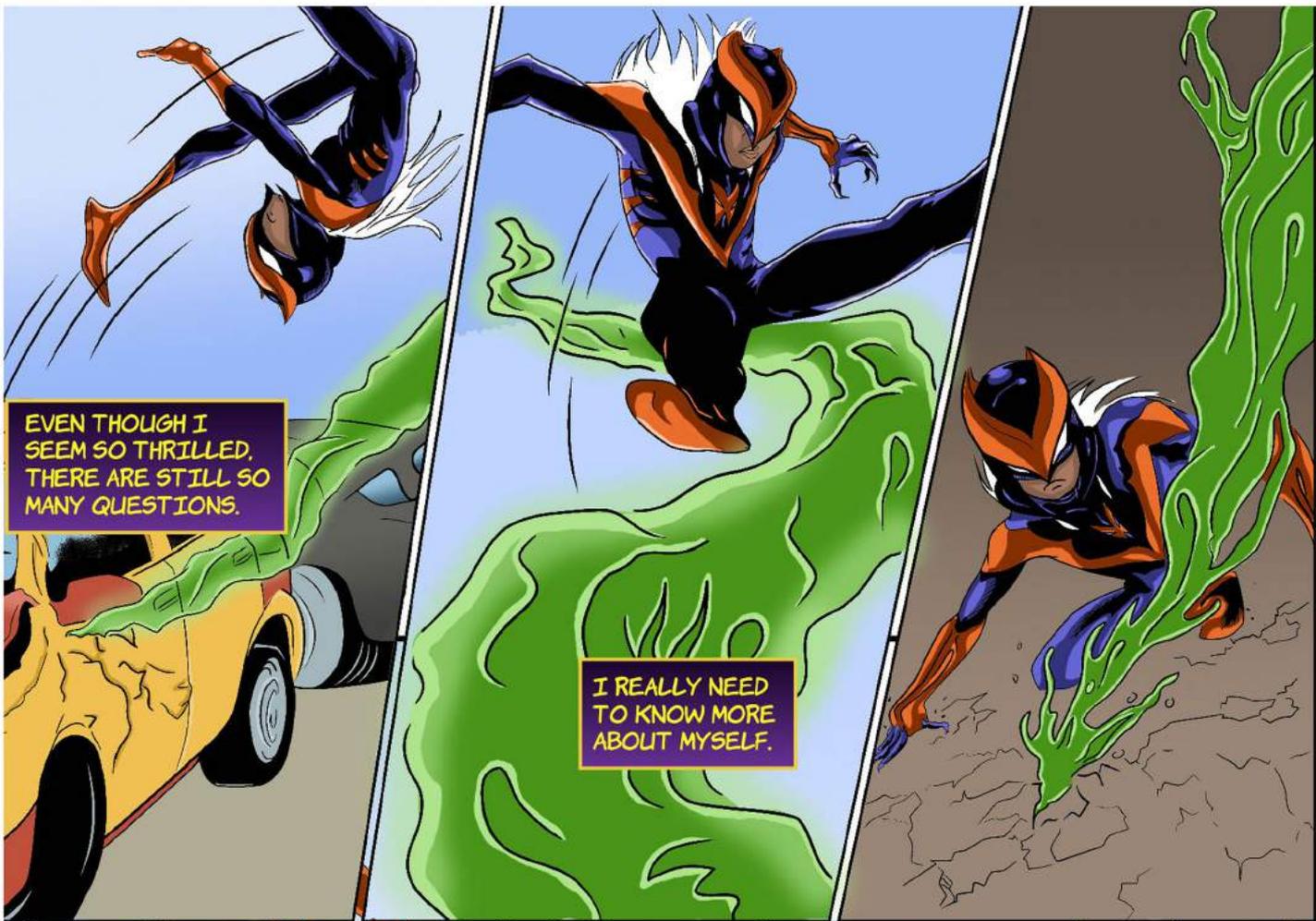
I BET YOU THOUGHT ALL I COULD DO WAS RUN ABI!?

WHO AM I KIDDING? ALL THIS POWERS AND CRAZINESS STARTED WHEN I FOUND THIS MASK.

I MIGHT LOOK AWESOME BUT THERE ARE STILL SO MANY QUESTIONS TO BE ASKED.

ABI - RIGHT? CHOP AM - TAKE THAT!\*





EVEN THOUGH I SEEM SO THRILLED, THERE ARE STILL SO MANY QUESTIONS.

I REALLY NEED TO KNOW MORE ABOUT MYSELF.



AMAZING!

IT'S LIKE MY BODY COMES ALIVE WHEN I WEAR THE MASK.



...OH, AND THIS TOO.

...STRONGER.





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## Love In Lagos

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WITH THIS NEW IDENTITY AND POWERS, THAT'S THE ONLY WAY TO GO FROM NOW ON—FORWARD.



YOU SHOULD HAVE JUST TALKED TO ME, BRO.



WHAT'S HAPPENING TO HIM? !?



HEY YOU! WHO YOU BE?

I GOT THIS MAD GUY FOR YOU, OFFICERS. NA HIM DEY CAUSE ALL THIS WAHALA SIR.

WOW THE POLICE I'LL JUST TELL THEM ABOUT WHAT HAPPENED. I MIGHT EVEN GET A REWARD.



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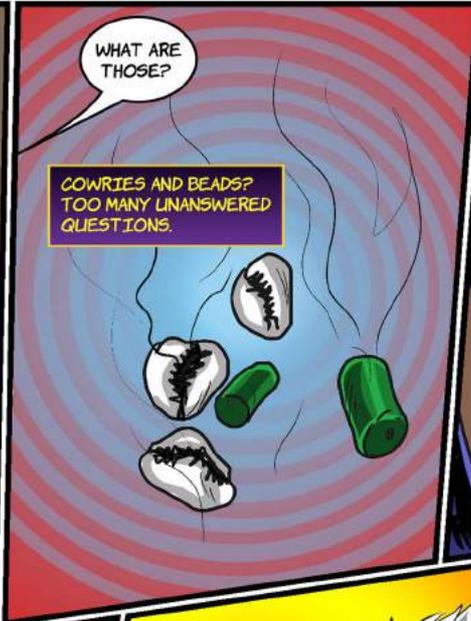
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WHERE IS HE?  
WHO ARE YOU?



WHAT ARE  
THOSE?

COWRIES AND BEADS?  
TOO MANY UNANSWERED  
QUESTIONS.



HE COULDN'T HAVE  
JUST DISAPPEARED.

I SWEAR,  
OFFICER.



SHEY YOU NO  
DEY HEAR WORD?  
I SAID WHO  
ARE YOU?



SIR, I JUST  
ANSWERED YOUR  
QUESTION. I DONT KNOW  
WHAT HAPPENED, THE  
GUY WAS JUST...



BLAM

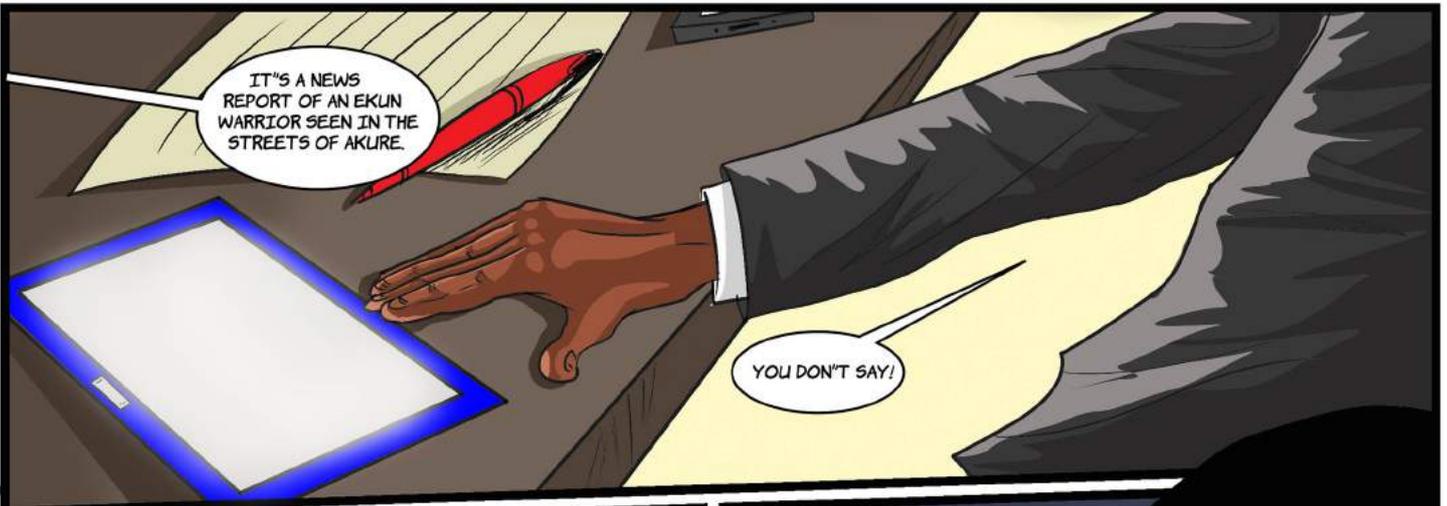
AAAAHHHH!!!

SO NAH  
YOU CAUSE ALL  
THIS TROUBLE  
ABI?

LAGOS BUSINESS DISTRICT.



SIR YOU  
NEED TO SEE  
THIS.



IT'S A NEWS  
REPORT OF AN EKUN  
WARRIOR SEEN IN THE  
STREETS OF AKURE.

YOU DON'T SAY!



WELL HELLO,  
IT'S BEEN A WHILE  
I HAVE SEEN YOU, EKUN.  
HE LOOKS SMALLER



I GUESS I'LL  
HAVE TO SPEED UP  
MY PLANS NOW THAT  
YOU HAVE  
RESURFACED.



LAGOS STATE CEMETERY



NOT AGAIN.  
LOOKS LIKE HE  
DEFEATED MY  
PUPPET.

AND TO THINK  
EKUN STILL LIVES,  
ANYWAYS IT'S ALREADY TOO  
LATE, MY PLANS HAVE BEGUN  
ALREADY AND ALL SHALL  
SUBMIT. THIS IS JUST THE  
BEGINNING EKUN.

# CULTURE 101

## AFRICAN WILD CATS



### **THE SERVAL**

THE SERVAL (*LEPTAILURUS SERVAL*) IS A THREE TO FOUR FOOT LONG AFRICAN WILD CAT THAT IS BELIEVED TO BE THE ANCIENT ANCESTOR OF BOTH THE LION AND THE CHEETAH.



### **THE CARACAL**

THE CARACAL IS A MEDIUM-SIZED WILD CAT THAT LIVES IN AFRICA, THE MIDDLE EAST, PERSIA AND THE INDIAN SUB-CONTINENT. IT REACHES 40-50 CENTIMETRES AT THE SHOULDER, AND WEIGHS 8-18 KILOGRAMS



### **THE FISHING CAT**

THE FISHING CAT IS A MEDIUM-SIZED WILD CAT OF SOUTH AFRICA AND SOUTHEAST ASIA. IN 2008, THE IUCN CLASSIFIED THE FISHING CAT AS ENDANGERED. FISHING CAT POPULATIONS ARE THREATENED BY DESTRUCTION OF WETLANDS AND DECLINED SEVERELY OVER THE LAST DECADE.

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**YOU ARE THE NEW AFRICA**

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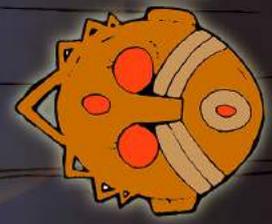


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Memory Lane has come to a close.

*Thank You for the journey*

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Somto Ajuluchukwu, Ayodele Elegba.

# ORACLE EKUN SPOILERS #2



## Ekun & His Bidjogo

Ekun's powers are spawn from his helmet, a family hierloom passed down generations holding African magic (juju) which connects the chosen ones with a well of spiritual powers; Agility, 6th sense ... The helmet also grants its bearer the ability to change form, right now the teenage boy imagination isn't past being a costumed hero like his idol Strike Guard thus his costume. He will grow.

## Double WAHALA -Two Villians on the prowl

Now we know! Apparently some serious under G Juju is going on Ekun has finally landed himself into some BiG trouble hope he can jump is way out of this one! Who ar these not ONE but TWO villians after the poor tiger boy. well for sure both seems to know him well, Family?

## EKUN featured on SPIRIT WARS

FEATURING in SPIRIT WARS as a surprise for mot of the Ekun fans but it also shows the significance of the part time joker, part time african martial artist. Ekun seems to riddled by his own powers as the rabbit hole gets deeper is the lightest vortex comic gettng Darker, a lot of these answers would be shared in JAGUN JAGUN get ready!



## Afolabi Ayodeji - Creators Thoughts

What we think about EKUN

Ekun reminds me of myself, confident, full of energy and most importantly has a love for danger, he also has a keen sense of humour that puts SG comedy career in the back seat, we are excited about #2 alongside the coming #3 as well

## Ghana Jollof is full of COLOUR!

Introducing Alfred Atatsi a young ghanian illustator and colorist changing the Ekun universe one colored page at a time, he's colors was in such synergy with the project Ayo says thier chemistry is unheard of, he would be working on his original color style on the ANIKULAPO project. Rah!

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