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This book is dedicated to my **father** (RJF) who told me to never give up and stay phocused.



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In today's ever-changing world, we are confronted with issues that will drastically affect the future of our generation and the generations that follow. In response to this, one man with humble beginnings, stands up against the opposition. But now he must defeat his own inner demons in order to be beneficial to all humanity.

Welcome to the world of the **P.B.Soldier**.

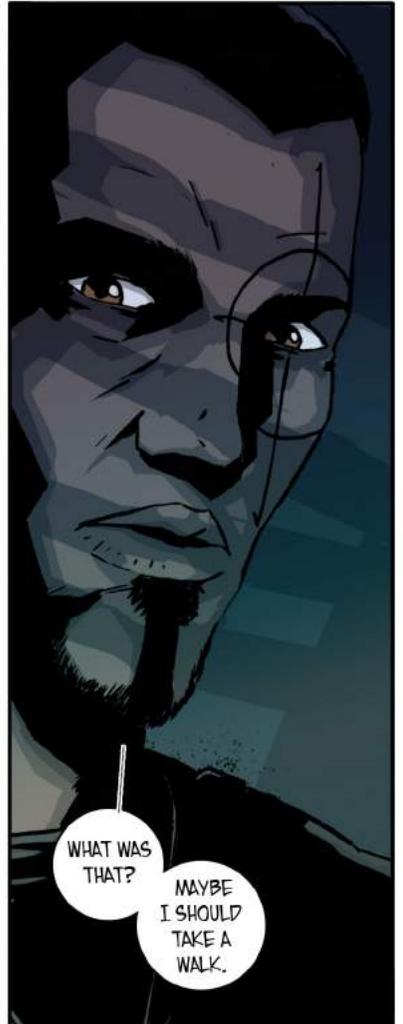
### Overview

Previously in Episode 1, P.B.Soldier (Nat Cummings) successfully carried out his mission and now needs to make amends for his early betrayal to **the Program**.

### Episode 2.0 - The New Revolution

**P.B.Soldier (Nat Cummings)** goes to Bacua in order to assassinate the new President only to find more trouble than he bargained for.







THERE IS A PLACE LIKE RENAISSANCE CITY  
IN ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.



RENAISSANCE CITY IS WHERE  
THE UNDERPRIVILEGED PLAY AND  
DRUGS, CRIME AND  
IGNORANCE ARE IN ABUNDANCE.



THE MORE DRUGS BEING  
SOLD, THE MORE  
GUNS NEEDED.

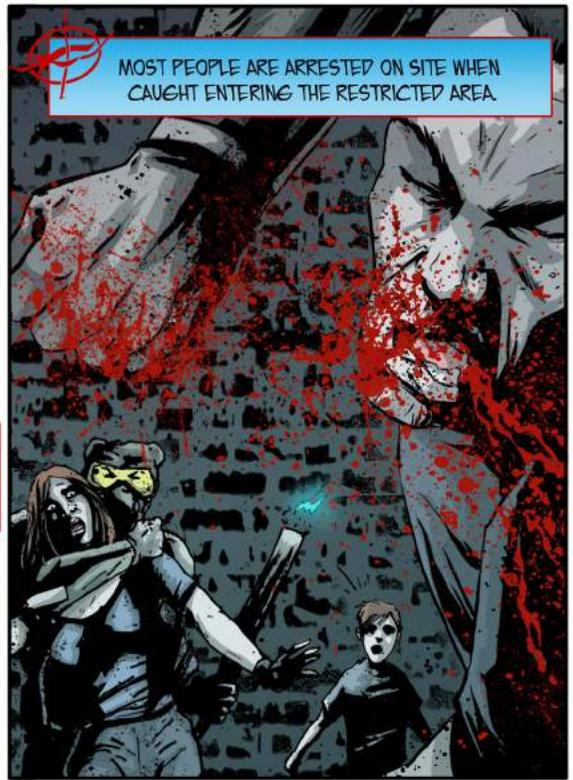


THE OMINOUS E  
WATCHES ALL THAT  
TAKES PLACE.





WITH NO MEANS TO SUPPORT THEIR FAMILY, PRISON IS A COMMON PLACE FOR CITIZENS OF RENAISSANCE CITY.



MOST PEOPLE ARE ARRESTED ON SITE WHEN CAUGHT ENTERING THE RESTRICTED AREA.



FAMILIES CONTINUE TO HUSTLE, DOING ANY AND EVERYTHING TO PUT FOOD ON THE TABLE, BUT THE MEAN STREETS TAKE NO PRISONERS.



CURFEW VIOLATION IS ANOTHER WAY TO END UP IN THE PENAL SYSTEM, GET THE CRAP BEAT OUT OF YOU, OR BOTH.



NOW THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM PERFORMS SPEEDY TRIALS. ONCE PROCESSED YOU CAN DO THREE TO FIVE YEARS WITHOUT ANY PRIORS.



YOU'RE CONVICTED AND SENTENCED WITHIN THE SAME DAY.



Bacuan Civil War leave thousands dead.



After the assassination of President Alex Santos, the two factions that fought by his side now fight each other for control of Bacua.



E sends in the A.T.S. to restore order.



SIX MONTHS EARLIER

HOW DID THIS  
COME TO PASS?



JAZEN WAS  
MY TARGET.



ONLY TO ALMOST  
GET MYSELF KILLED  
IN THE PROCESS.



# SLASH

I HAVE TO DO  
SOMETHING QUICK.



# QANG



I CAN'T  
MOVE.



# FWOOOSH

# SHRRIP



SEE PARASOLITE:  
EPISODE 1



Prodigy

LT

Destiny

L.T.



HOW ARE WE LOOKING GIZ?



I'M ALMOST IN.

DESTINY, MAKE SURE HE'S NOT GETTING BACK HACKED.

ON IT.

LT, CHECK THE PERIMETER MAKE SURE THE AREA IS SECURE.



HOW ARE WE ON TIME PRODIGY?

YOU GOT ANOTHER TWO MINUTES, BEFORE SOMEONE GETS HERE.



I'M IN.

LET'S REALLY CAUSE SOME MAYHEM.



GOOD. GO TO THE ENERGY GRID.



**BOOOOM**



**ZZZZZZZ**

**KABOOOM**



**BWAHAHAHA**

**CRASH**





**FLICK**

**MOMENTS LATER**



WAKE UP...

THOUGHT YOU WERE GOING TO TAKE ME OUT.



AHMEN, GOT TO COME HARDER THAN THAT.

THERE'S ONLY ONE THING KEEPING ME FROM KILLING YOU.



WHAT?

YOU HAVE VALUE.

VALUE?



WE SHOULD WORK TOGETHER. AHMEN WANTS ME DEAD BECAUSE OF WHAT I KNOW.

WHY SHOULD I GO AGAINST THE E?



THE ESTABLISHMENT IS WRONG FOR THE PEOPLE AND THE WORLD.

NO WAY IN HELL.

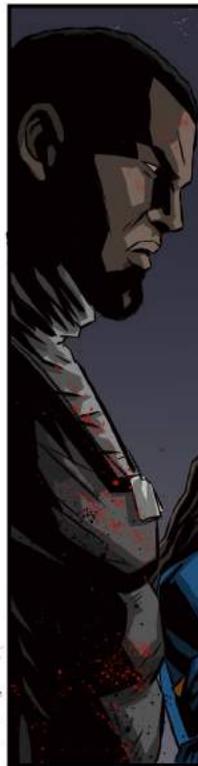


JUST LISTEN FOR ONCE!!

I AM COMPLETELY GONE NOW..



IT MAY WORK OUT FOR EVERYONE.



LET'S WORK TOGETHER FOR NOW, BUT WE HAVE TO GET YOU OUT OF HERE, OR BOTH OF US WILL BE DEAD.



WHERE CAN I GO?



YOU CAN CRASH AT MY PLACE. THEY'LL NEVER LOOK FOR YOU THERE, BUT I NEED PROOF OF THE KILL.



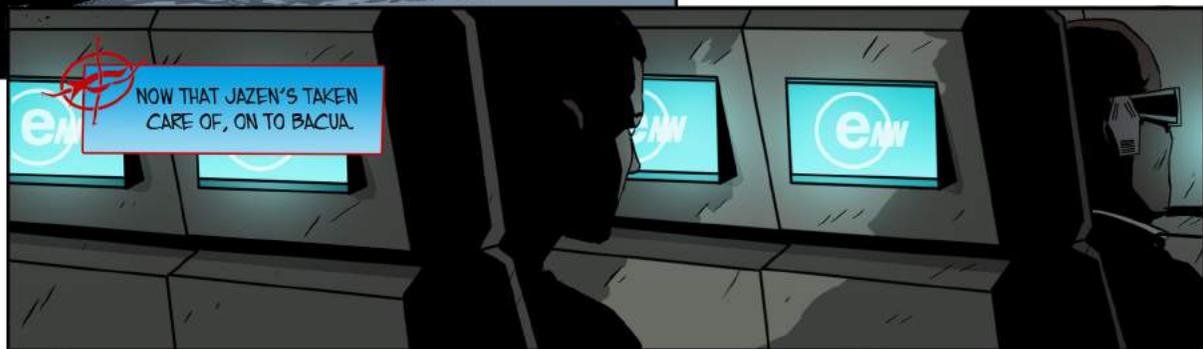
Richard  
CEO Ahmen

THREE WEEKS LATER

I NEED YOU TO GO TO BACUA AND TAKE CARE OF PRESIDENT SANTOS. HE POSES A THREAT TO EVERYTHING. DON'T BOTCH THIS ASSIGNMENT UP.



HOPEFULLY THIS GETS ME BACK IN, OR ELSE I'M DONE.



NOW THAT JAZEN'S TAKEN CARE OF, ON TO BACUA.



SANTA ANA BOMBINGS. STILL ON THE RISE

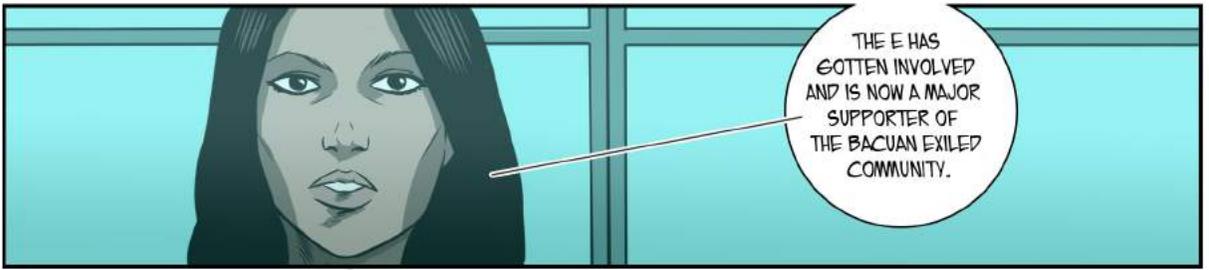
MARCH 13TH MARKED FOUR YEARS SINCE THE DEATH OF THE BELOVED PRESIDENT OF BACUA, PHILLIPE SANTOS.



NOW KNOWN AS BACUAN CIVIL WAR, THE DEATH OF PRESIDENT SANTOS LED TO THE DETONATION OF SEVERAL BOMBS IN PUBLIC BUILDINGS THROUGHOUT BACUA.



A STRUGGLE FOR POWER HAS ERUPTED BETWEEN THE EXILED COMMUNITY OF BACUA AND FORMER MEMBERS OF THE LATE PRESIDENT SANTOS' CABINET. ALEX SANTOS, SON OF THE LATE PRESIDENT AND CURRENT LEADER OF BACUA, HAS ATTEMPTED TO RESTORE ORDER.



THE E HAS  
GOTTEN INVOLVED  
AND IS NOW A MAJOR  
SUPPORTER OF  
THE BACUAN EXILED  
COMMUNITY.



SECRETARY  
OF DEFENSE  
**GENERAL  
HONEYWELL**  
WAS QUOTED  
EARLIER.



THE CLIMATE  
WITHIN BACUA BORDERS  
IS EXTREMELY HOSTILE,  
SCREAMING TERRORISM.  
BACUA HAS BEEN HARBORING  
TERRORISTS SINCE THE 70'S.  
IN ORDER TO PROTECT ITS CITIZENS  
IT MUST BE NEUTRALIZED  
AND PLACED  
UNDER THE E.



MY JOB IS TO MAKE  
BACUA A BETTER PLACE.



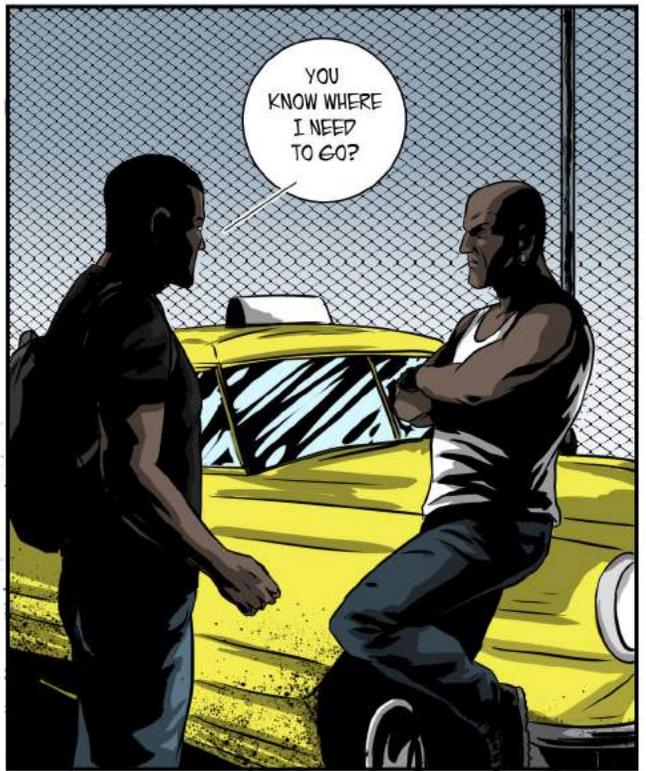




I THINK MY COVER IS BLOWN.



HERE IS YOUR CAR SERVICE. HAVE A GOOD DAY SEÑOR.

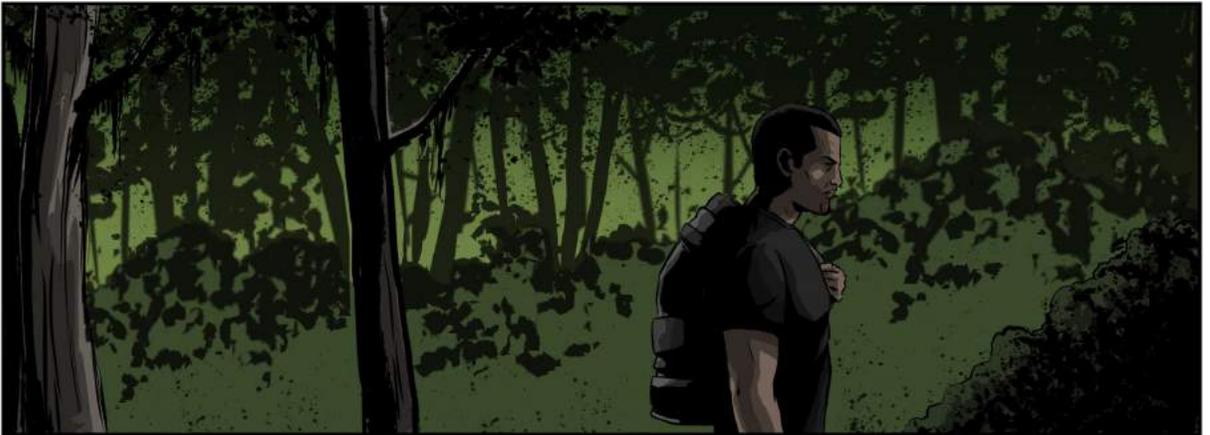


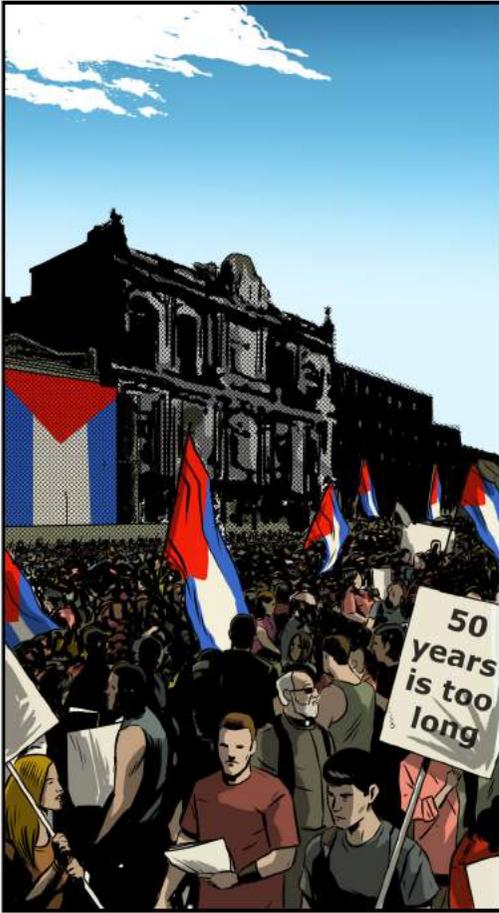
YOU KNOW WHERE I NEED TO GO?



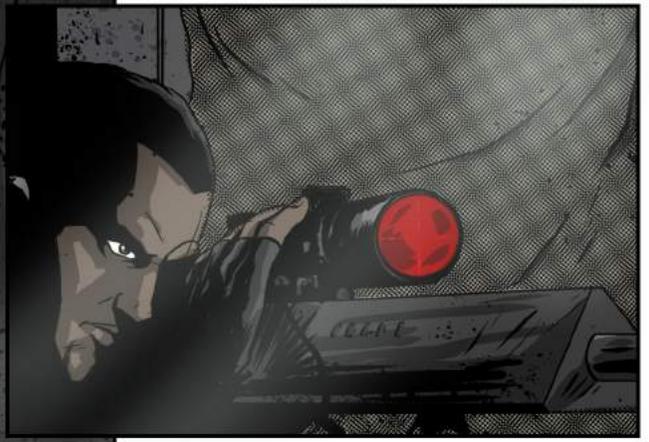
GET IN.











~~🎯~~ I NEED TO HACK INTO NEXUS TO MAKE SURE I DON'T MISS.

**HVT**  
Temp: 28° Celsius  
Wind Speed: 3 kph NE  
Humidity: 98%  
Target Height: 1.78 m  
Angle: -20°



ONE ONE THOUSAND,  
TWO ONE THOUSAND,  
THREE ONE THOUSAND.



CAMARADAS,  
CAMARADAS!!



CAMARADAS

MY FATHER  
EMBARKED ON A  
VISION THAT HAS PUT  
BACUA ON THE FOREFRONT  
OF THE WORLD'S ATTENTION.  
WE HAVE MADE PROGRESS  
BEYOND WHAT IS TO  
BE BELIEVED.



WE ARE ONE  
OF THE ONLY TRUE  
INDEPENDENT NATIONS.  
WITH THAT, I PLAN TO  
CONTINUE THIS VISION.  
THE WORLD WANT APART  
OF BACUA. YOU ALL  
MUST SEE THAT.



WE ARE ALL PITTED AGAINST EACH OTHER  
IN ORDER TO SELF DESTRUCT.  
THEY ARE USING  
DIVIDE AND CONQUER  
TO ACHIEVE THESE GOALS.



YES,  
PLENTY OF BLOOD  
HAS BEEN SHED  
IN THESE STREETS,  
BUT IT'S UP TO US TO  
PRESERVE  
OUR FREEDOM.



WHAT  
FREEDOM??





SECTOR 7, DID YOU SEE ANYTHING, SECTOR 7?



SECTOR 7 IS MISSING. CHECK THAT AREA FIRST.

HEY YOU, COME HERE!



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RUUF  
RUUF

RUUF  
RUUF



RUUF  
OOO

RUUF  
RUUF

RUUF

TO BE CONTINUED...





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Preliminary Pencils  
for Blue Steel page eight





## Creator Bios

### Naseed Gifted

...is an educator, engineer and writer from Newark, New Jersey. Something that was once his childhood hobby has since spring-boarded into a passion to change the face of comics. He realized that a greater understanding of the comic book industry was needed. This led him to an internship with a developing publishing company, as well as enrollment in the courses, "Writing Graphic Novels and Comics" and "Storyboarding and Animatics," at New York University. In addition, Gifted traveled to various comics cons/trade shows. His mission is to encompass a distinct balance between unprecedented storytelling and exceptional artwork. Currently, Gifted serves as an educator in the Newark Public Schools district and resides in Union, New Jersey.

### Abel Garcia

From an early age Garcia liked to draw. As a youth, he studied illustration and animation at various art schools in Barcelona, Spain. For a brief period after school, Garcia pursued other career interests, before finding his way back to the world of comics and devoting himself to illustration, full-time. His work can be seen in the comic, "Bad Puppy", "Nancy in Hell" in TP edition, published by Image Comics (USA) and "Drums," #2,3 and 4, published by Image Comics (USA) and Dibbuku Editorial (Spain). Today, Garcia lends his talents to numerous comics, with various themes, enjoyed in many different parts of the world. He now resides in Mollet del Valles, Barcelona, with his wife, daughter and kitten.