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This book is dedicated to my **grandfather** "Sonny" (SWF)
who taught me to never settle for mediocrity
and always strive for excellence.
He who rises like the sun, shines like one.



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

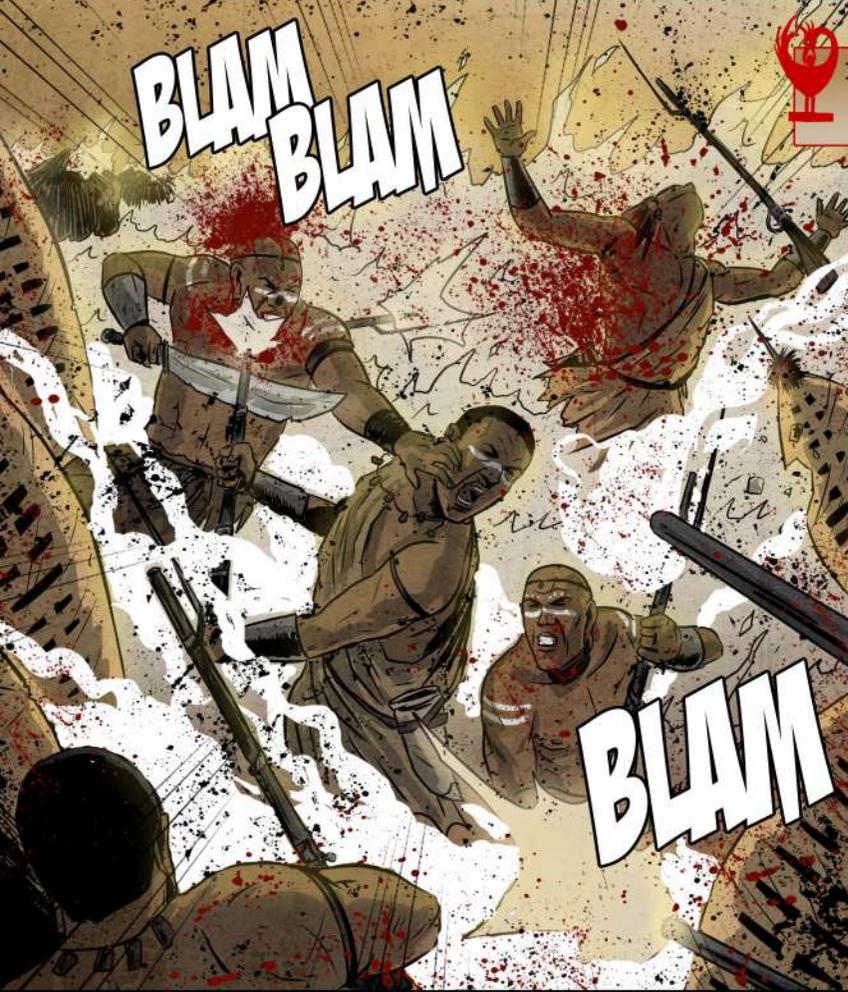
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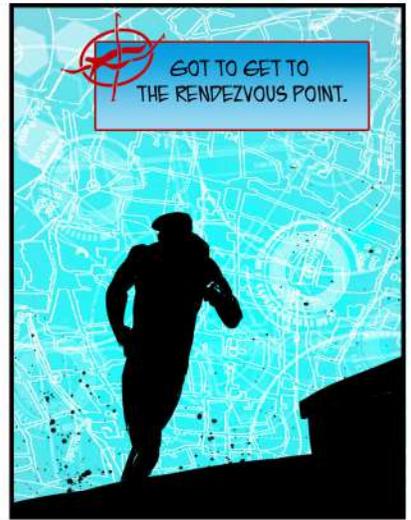
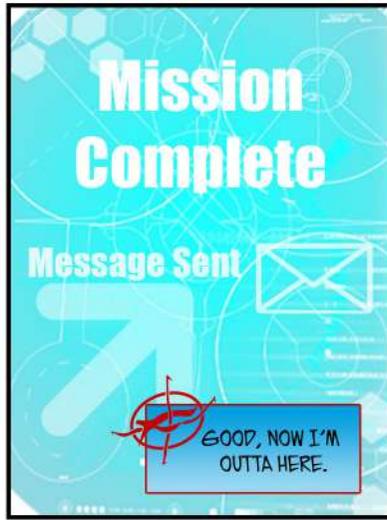
P.B.Soldier (Nat Cummings) gets a visit from his past.
The question becomes can you have a future with an unresolved past?













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SHUT UP AND FOLLOW ME.

HELL NO! WHY ARE YOU HERE?

YOU SHOULD BE GONE.

YOU WASTED ONE OF MINE.

ONE OF YOURS? THIS WAS BUSINESS. NO OFFENSE.

BACUA WAS GOING TO CHALLENGE THE E. NOW WE HAVE A CIVIL WAR ON OUR HANDS. YOU NEED TO THINK BIGGER.

SMALL MINDED FOOL.

I WAS... UNTIL YOU SHOWED UP.

FOOL. I'M THE BEST AHMEN HAS!



THAT WAS FUNNY.



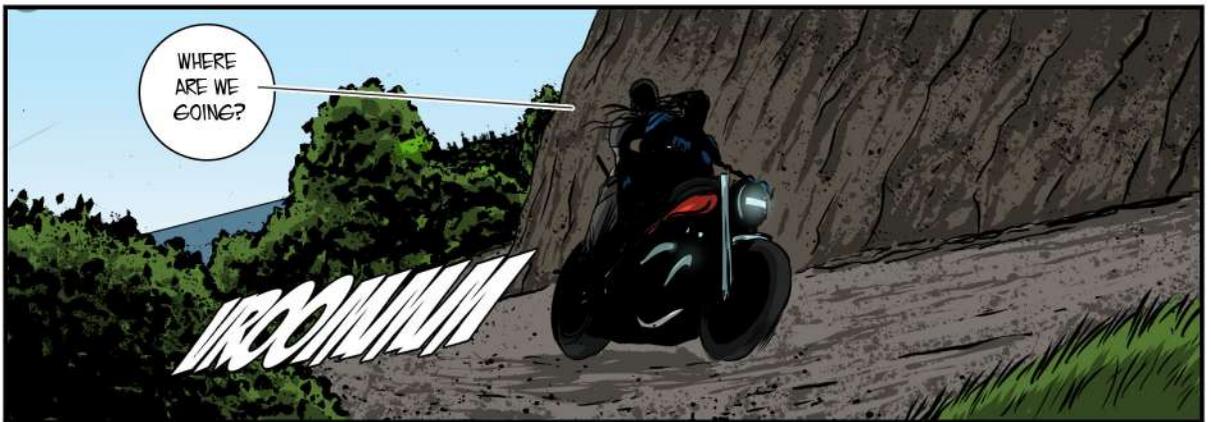
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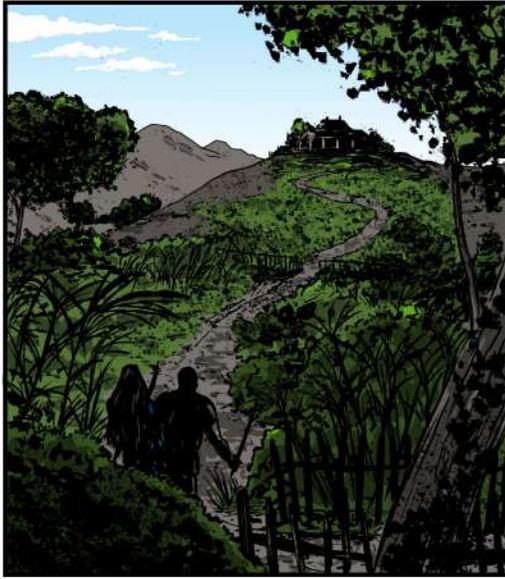
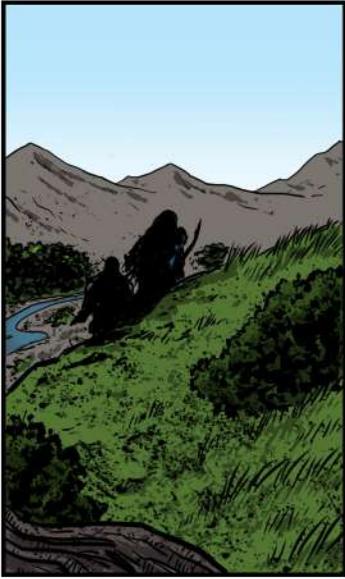


HA. HA. HA. JUST LIKE MY SECOND WIFE. SHE COULD LEAD TEN TRIBES.



FOLLOW ME.







THERE'S SOMETHING ABOUT THIS PLACE.

THIS IS A SAFE HOUSE FOR THE RESISTANCE.



KNOCK

KNOCK



¿HA OÍDO USTED LAS NOTICIAS?

SI



DONDE ESTA TODO EL MUNDO, SERIAMOS EN ALARMA?



ELLOS FUERON POR VENGANZA. ALGO DE QUEDADO ATRÁS POR SOPORTE.

THEY WENT OUT TO CHECK THE PERIMETER. NO ONE HAS BEEN BACK FOR SOME TIME NOW. I THINK THEY ARE IN DANGER.



STAY HERE. I'LL BE BACK.

THIS MAN WILL GIVE YOU EVERYTHING YOU WILL NEED.





THIS MAN LOOKS LIKE MY FATHER.

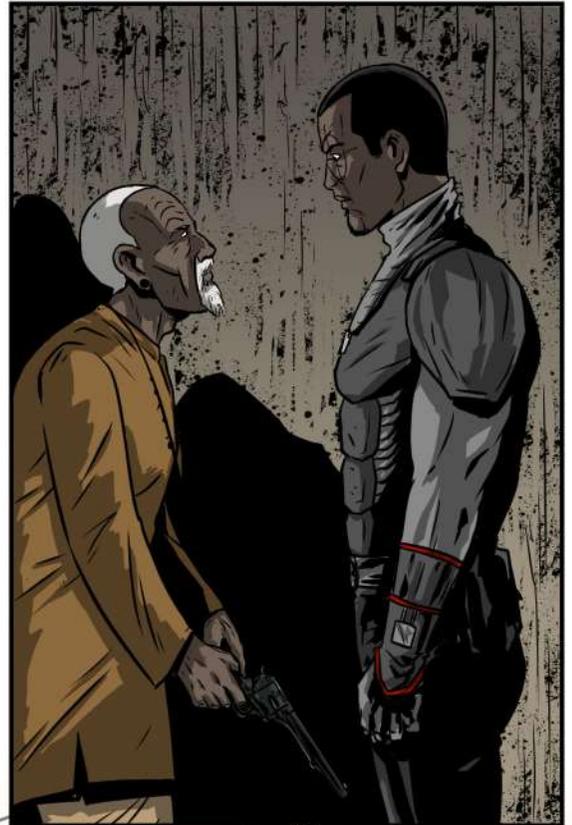
IT'S STRANGE. I FEEL LIKE I KNOW THIS MAN.



AM I CRAZY? I KEEP HEARING THESE VOICES.



SORRY



OUR DAY HAS COME. LONG HAVE WE WAITED. BUT OUR DAY HAS COME.

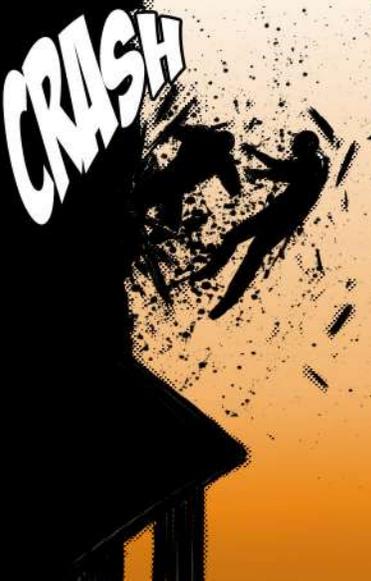


HA. HA... YOU DON'T KNOW WHO THIS MAN IS? HE IS...











WELL
I REMEMBER
YOU...

I KNOW
YOU SEE ME
IN HERE.

LOOK
AT ME!



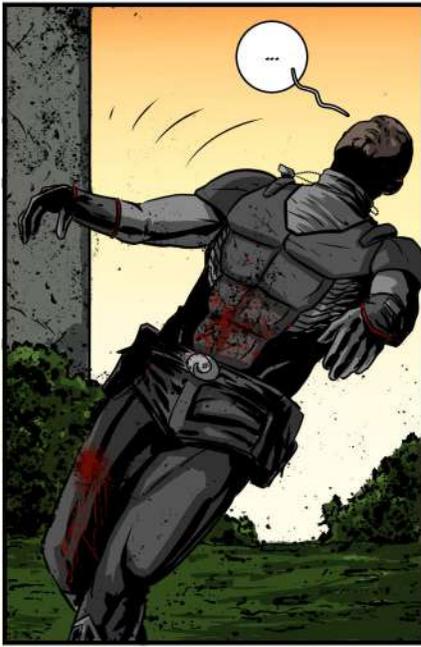
NO,
IT CAN'T BE.
YOU'RE DEAD!



AND SO
ARE YOU.
I'M BACK NOW.



MAN,
I REALLY NEED
TO GET OUT
OF BACUA.



I GUESS YOU REALLY DO CARE.



SHUT UP.



BE GENTLE. I'M FRAGILE.

DIDN'T KNOW YOU COULD BE FUNNY.



WE NEED TO SEPARATE NOW.



AHMEN WILL SEND HIS MEN AFTER YOU.

SO HE DOESN'T NEED TO KNOW, I'M STILL ALIVE.



MAKE SURE TO TAKE CARE OF THE HIDEOUT.

IT WILL BE BURNT DOWN. BEFORE AHMEN'S PEOPLE EVEN ARRIVE.

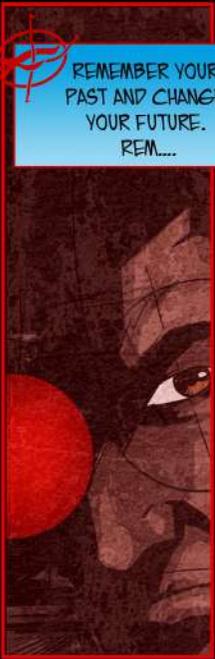


TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF.

I WILL.



I HOPE I DID THE RIGHT THING.



REMEMBER YOUR PAST AND CHANGE YOUR FUTURE. REM....



HOLA, MI AMIGO. ARE YOU OK?



THE PRESIDENTE HAS BEEN SHOT AND THEY ARE LOOKING FOR THE ASSAILANT NOW. WITHOUT PRESIDENTE SANTOS, BACUA IS SURE TO FALL.



WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

ALEXANDRO IS THE LAST OF THE SANTOS LEGACY. WITHOUT HIM, THE E IS SURE TAKE OVER.



WHAT'S WRONG WITH THAT?

PROSTITUTION, CASINOS, SANTOS REALLY CLEANED UP ALL THAT.



SANTOS'S CABINET MADE THIS A TRULY INDEPENDENT NATION.

I THOUGHT SANTOS'S PEOPLE WERE THE MAIN PROBLEM WITH BACUA.

EXACT OPPOSITE





I SEE YOU MADE IT BACK.

BARELY



AS LONG AS YOU COMPLETED THE MISSION THAT'S ALL THAT COUNTS.

DOESN'T MATTER IF I COME BACK ALIVE OR NOT.



YOU MUST UNDERSTAND THAT MISSION COST THE ORGANIZATION A LOT OF MONEY AND MANPOWER.

I SENT YOU ON TWO MISSIONS AND TWO OF MY BEST PEOPLE END UP DEAD. WHAT'S WITH THAT?



YOU'RE TOO SLOPPY. CLEAN UP YOUR ACT,

BEFORE I CLEAN YOU.



IS THAT A THREAT?

NO. IT'S A PROMISE.

REMEMBER I'M WATCHING YOU.



WELL, YOU NEED TO LAY LOW.

I'LL CALL YOU, WHEN I NEED YOU.

TRY CHECKING OUT SOME OF YOUR HOMIES IN THE SOUTHSIDE.

I'LL DO THAT.





~~E~~ RENAISSANCE CITY IS WHERE POOR PEOPLE PLAY, AND DRUGS, CRIME AND IGNORANCE ARE IN ABUNDANCE.



~~E~~ THE MORE DRUGS SOLD, THE MORE GUNS NEEDED.



~~E~~ THE OMINOUS E WATCHES ALL THAT TAKES PLACE.





UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN SOLDIER.

UNTIL THEN.





REMEMBER YOUR PAST,
CHANGE YOUR FUTURE.



THEN YOU WILL KNOW
THE TRUTH AND THE
TRUTH WILL SET YOU FREE.

WHAT DOES
IT ALL MEAN?



TO BE CONTINUED IN
THE NEXT EPISODE

Seek and you shall find.



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EPISODE 0.9
JAEEN'S LAST
MISSION



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(Prequel) Episode 0.9
Jazen's Last Mission

Jazen makes a decision that will change everything.

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**BEEP
BEEP**



Live

IN RUSSIA, WE ARE A FREE PEOPLE. WE DON'T NEED THE ESTABLISHMENT TO KEEP US SAFE. ALL THEY DO IS KEEP OUR HEADS DOWN AND AS LONG AS WE LISTEN. WE ARE FREE PEOPLE ALREADY. THE POWER THE ESTABLISHMENT HAS IS FROM US. THE MORE THEY HAVE, THE LESS WE HAVE.

Nadia Antakov,
Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs

I DO DIFFICULT.

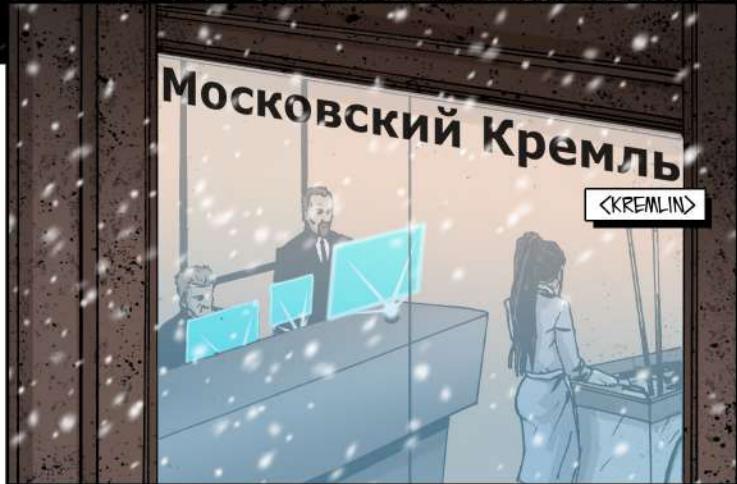
THIS COULD BE THE START OF SOMETHING., JAZEN. WE DON'T NEED THIS WHILE THE A.T.S. IS STILL GETTING A FOO THOLD IN THE CITIES. KILLING HER WILL BE DIFFICULT.

I KNOW. THIS IS WHY I CHOSE YOU. WATCH FOR AN OPPORTUNITY AND TAKE IT.

ANY RESTRICTIONS?

JUST ONE... NO MISTAKES.

THEN I DON'T HAVE ANYTHING TO WORRY ABOUT.



* TRANSLATED FROM RUSSIAN





WHAT'S BEST FOR THE COUNTRY IS NOT, WHAT'S BEST FOR ME?

I NEED TO STEP AWAY FROM THIS.

IF I'M FOUND OUT, THE CAUSE WILL BE OVER.

MOTHERHOOD IS THE ROLE I CHOOSE NOW.



SHE IS STEPPING DOWN; NO LONGER A THREAT.

I DON'T CARE. COMPLETE THE MISSION.



NEXT DAY

JAZEN,
HAVE A
SEAT.

NEVER,
QUESTION
THE MISSION.

I WON'T...
BECAUSE
I'M BETTER
THAN THIS.
I'M DONE...

YOU'RE
NEVER
DONE.

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IN EPISODE 1.0

BEEP

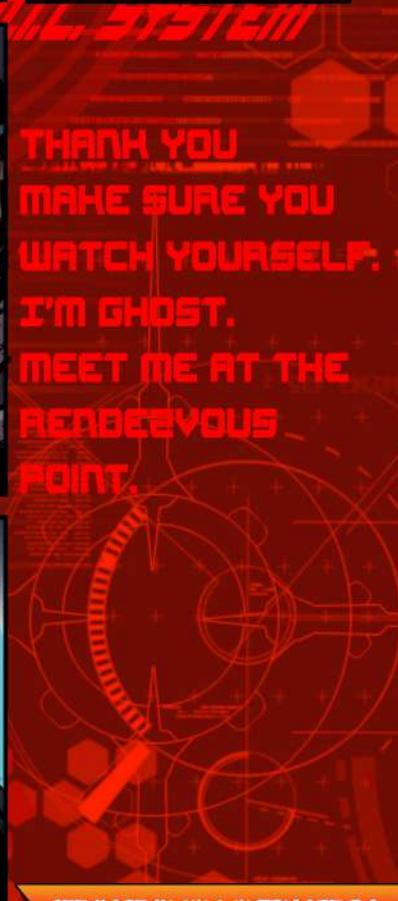
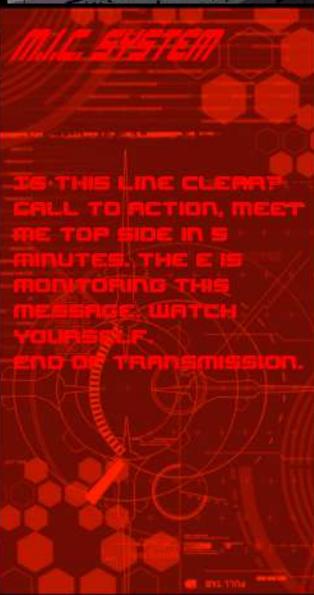
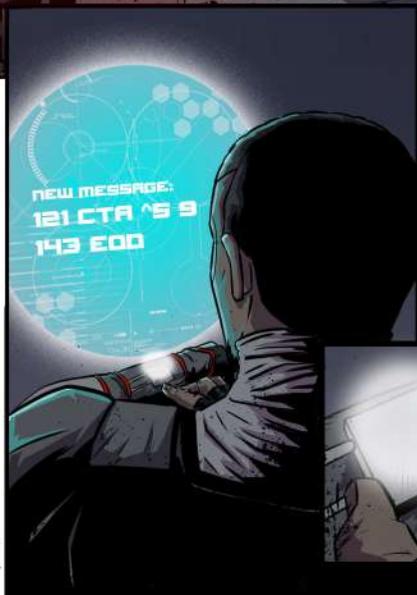
GET ME,
P.B.SOLDIER.

The Awakening.

M.I.C. (MESSAGE IN CODE)

IN THE WORLD OF P.B. SOLDIER, THE ESTABLISHMENT (THE E) RECORDS ALL TRANSMISSIONS TO MAINTAIN SURVEILLANCE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. TO CIRCUMVENT THE SYSTEM PEOPLE SEND ENCODED MESSAGES A/K/A M.I.C. (MESSAGE IN CODE) OR MICING. WHILE THESE MESSAGES ARE SEEN AS JUST PLAINTEXT THEY CONTAIN VALUABLE INFORMATION.

BEEP
BEEP



SEE MORE MICING IN EPISODE 3.0



P.B. SOLDIER EMPLOYS INGENUITY TO NAVIGATE STRENUOUS SITUATIONS MAKING OPTIMAL USE OF AVAILABLE RESOURCES.

(COMMON CORE STATE STANDARD RST.11-12.3; S2: DEVELOP AND USE MODELS; S6: CONSTRUCT EXPLANATIONS & DESIGN SOLUTIONS)



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.

Featured on **Black Enterprise**, **Comic Buzz**, **Comic Reporter**, **NBC**, **Ghetto Manga** & more
P.B.Soldier Episode 2.5 "The New Revolution, Part 2" nominated for two (2) **Glyph Awards** is a science fiction adventure that follows covert operative **Nat Cummings**, a skilled computer hacker using his skills to help pay for college tuition when his activities are discovered and he becomes listed as an International Terror Threat - code red. The newly formed government/paramilitary organization called **The Establishment**, gives him a simple choice, either work with them to become a highly-trained assassin or be terminated.

Cummings, a sniper class operative, now not only specializes in hacking, but hand-to-hand combat and stealth, as well. Nat is exceptional at his job, until the day he meets Jazen, a mark who knows more about him and "**The E**" than he does and is confronted with the stunning realization that his work might not be for the greater good. Now he's on a quest to learn the truth while coding an elaborate program to divest himself from The Establishment before becoming its next target.

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