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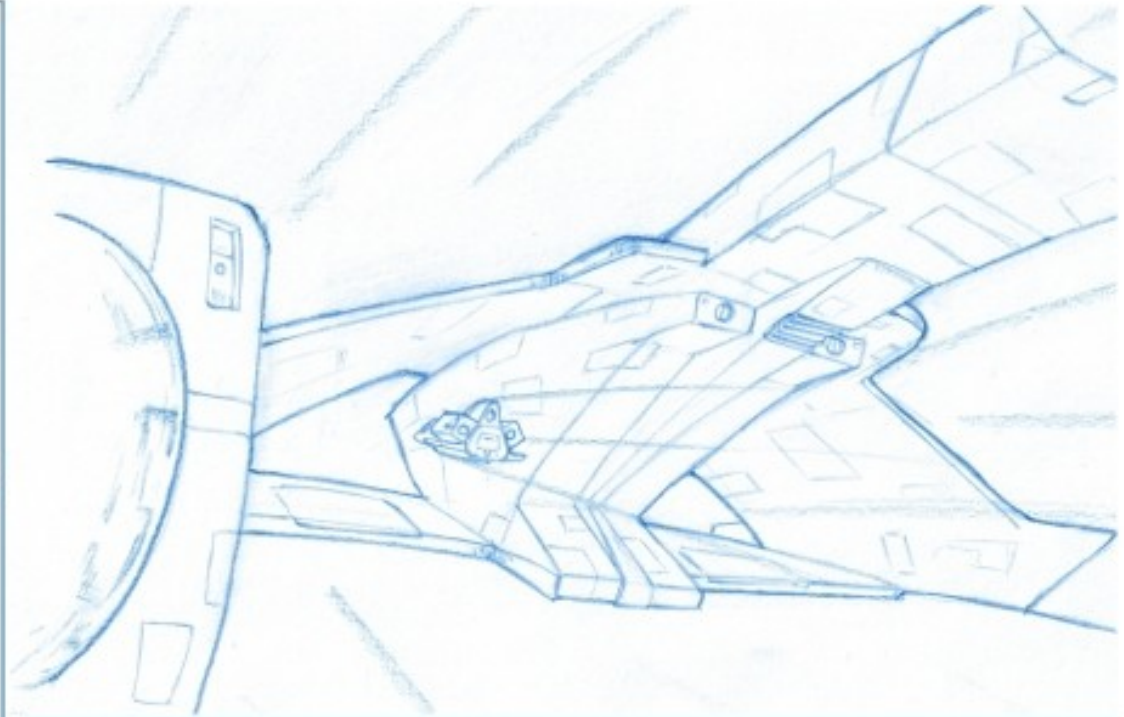
"THE END OF THE
DREAM?"

THE EARTH YEAR IS 2061

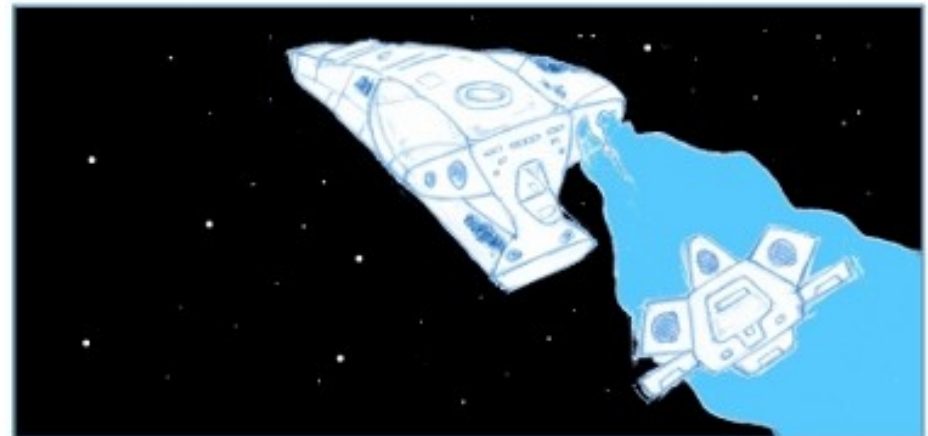
SPACE RANGER ANNA SOLBERG
HAS BEEN CAPTURED BY THE
ALIENS KNOWN AS THE PHOTAA.

DURING HER INTERROGATION SHE IS
SHOWN SOME SORT OF "FLASH
FORWARD" OF HER FUTURE, AND
THIS IS A FUTURE SOME 200 YEARS
AWAY!

SHE APPEARS TO BE PART OF AN
ELITE CREW OF A SPACE CRUISER
KNOWN AS CRUISER 12 "ANUBIS".
THE SHIP IS ON A RESCUE MISSION
TO PROTECT A CIVILIAN CRAFT
FROM PHOTAA ATTACK....



ANNA PILOTS THE SHUTTLE WITH PRECISION AS THE CRUISER DROPS
OUT OF WARP. THEN USING ONLY MOMENTUM AND MINIMAL
THRUSTERS TO AVOID DETECTION, THEY SNEAK OVER TO THE
STRICKEN SPACE LINER, WHILE CRUISER 12 DISTRACTS THE
ATTACKING ALIEN CRAFT -



WITH THE HEAVY CRUISER DRAWING THE
ALIEN FIRE, THE SHUTTLE ENTERS THE
LINERS OPEN LANDING BAY...



GOOD WORK
LIEUTENANT.
WAIT HERE FOR
US.

I'VE SEALED
THE LANDING BAY DOORS
TO MAKE YOUR LIFE EASIER.
I'D KEEP YOUR RESPIRATORS
ON STANDBY THOUGH.



THE TWO SPACE MARINES MAKE
THEIR WAY SILENTLY TOWARDS THE
HOSTAGE LOCATION...

MEANWHILE
OUTSIDE...

WE OUT
NUMBER THEM -
ATTACK AND
DESTROY!



THIS IS EARTH SHIP C12
ANUBIS - YOU ARE
ORDERED TO SURRENDER!

ON THE CRUISERS
BRIDGE -

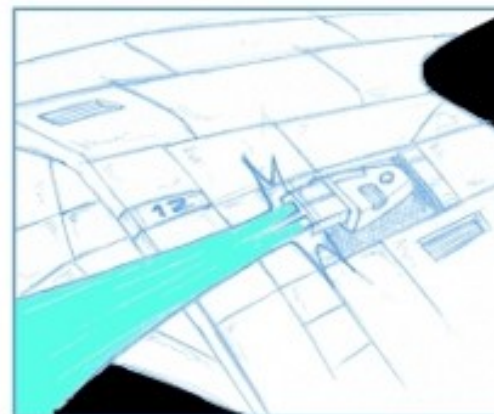


OUR SHIELDS ARE
HOLDING, WEAPONS CHARGED..
WAIT! ALIEN CONTROL SHIP IS
PREPARING TO EXECUTE THE
HOSTAGES!

ORDER THE MARINES
TO ATTACK - AND TAKE OUT
THE CONTROL SHIP!

YES SIR -
OPENING
FIRE!

THEY HIT US!
HUGE FIREPOWER!
MASSIVE DAMAGE!!





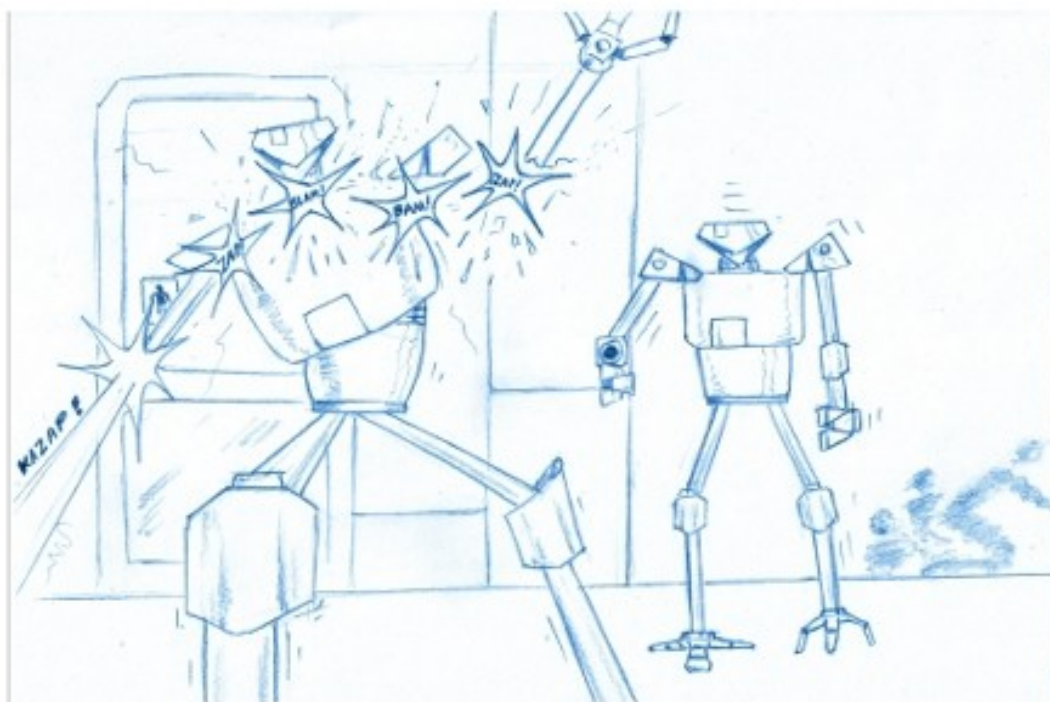
THE COMMANDER TAKES OUT THE
FIRST DROID AND GETS THE
ATTENTION OF THE OTHERS...



THE
LIEUTENANT
DROPS IN
BEHIND THE
OTHER
DROIDS..

..AND BEGINS
DISPATCHING
THEM

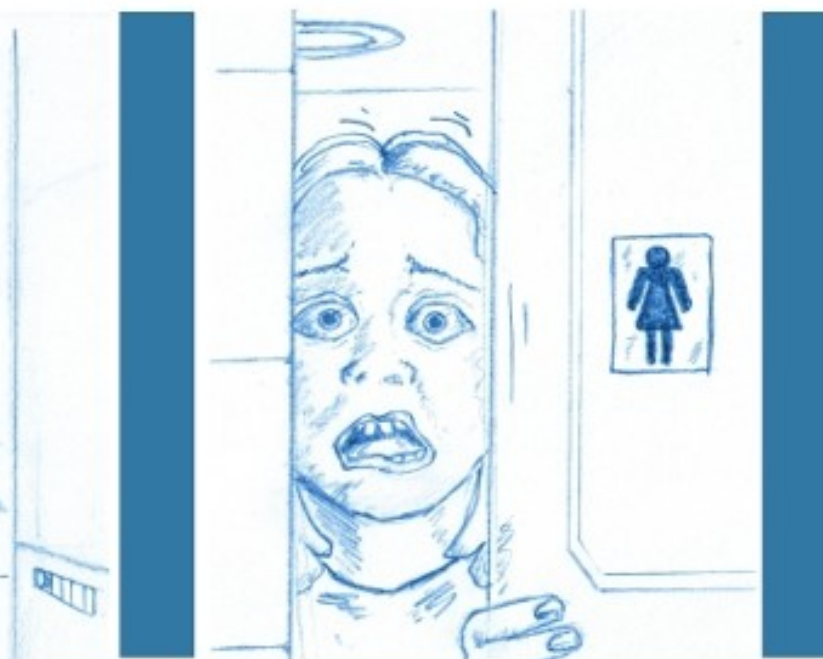




AS THE EXCHANGE IN FIRE CONTINUES, A YOUNG GIRL WHO HAS BEEN HIDING FROM THE DROIDS BEGINS TO PANIC... SHE WANTS HER PARENTS.

SHE MAKES A BREAK FOR IT - RIGHT BETWEEN THE LIEUTENANT AND THE ALIEN DROIDS!

THE MARINE ACTS FAST TO PROTECT THE CHILD BUT THIS ALLOWS THE REMAINING DROID TO CLOSE RIGHT IN ON THEM!





GOOD WORK
MARINE TEAM!
ONE ALIEN SHIP IS
RETRACTING THE REST
HAVE ALL BEEN
NEUTRALISED.

...AND
THE
SPACE
AROUND
THE
LINER IS
ALSO
NOW
SAFE.

BUT THE ATTACKING DROID DOESN'T
GET A SECOND CHANCE - THE
MARINE'S KICK BOX MOVE SETS IT
BACK FAR ENOUGH FOR HER TO PUT
A LASER SHOT STRAIGHT THROUGH
ITS CONTROL HEAD.

THE MARINES CONTACT CRUISER 12
TO INFORM THAT THE SPACE LINER
IS NOW SECURED AND HOSTAGES
SAFE...

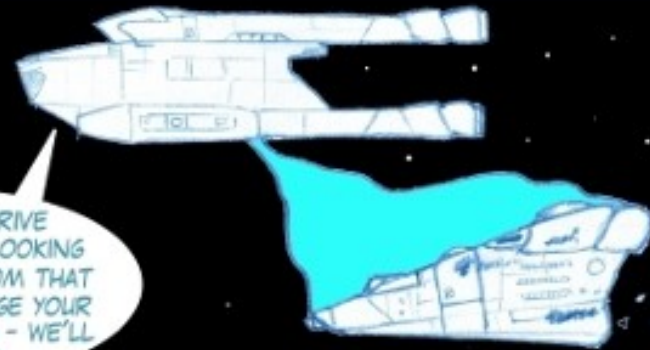


RED STAR LINER
SITUATION IS SECURE.
SEND US DAMAGE AND
CASUALTY REPORTS ...
..... WE WILL GET
MEDICAL AND REPAIR
TEAMS OVER TO YOU



THANKYOU!
YOU SAVED US ...
THANKYOU!

YOUR STAR DRIVE
SYSTEM ISN'T LOOKING
TOO HEALTHY FROM THAT
ATTACK. DISENGAGE YOUR
DRIVE SYSTEMS - WE'LL
TOW YOU



AND WITH THAT,
THE FOOTAGE OR
"FLASH-FORWARD"
COMES TO AN
END.. AND BACK
IN 2061, ANNA
FEELS A SHARP
PAIN IN THE SIDE
OF HER NECK! -



OUCH!
HEY!

DNA TEST
CONFIRMS -

IT HAS TO
BE HER!



IT COULD
STILL BE A
TRICK - A CLONE
PERHAPS?

UNLIKELY
SIR...AND THINK
- IF ITS NOT SO
WHAT? BUT IF
IT IS?

SEAL
THE CHAMBER!
RELEASE
THE DEATH
GAS!!

HAHA!
THIS TIME THERE
WILL BE NO HAPPY
ENDING FOR YOU
SOLBERG!

OH
HELL!

THIS IS NOT
GOOD!



IS THIS THE END
FOR ANNA?!

NEXT EPISODE: -
"BEGIN
THE
ATTACK!"