



EPISODE 8: -
"ANLIBIS"

IT IS THE 23RD CENTURY AND THE HUMAN RACE HAS EXPLORED WELL INTO THE STARS, MAKING BOTH FRIENDS AND ENEMIES IN THE PROCESS. THE DEEP SPACE COLONIES WERE FORMED - A PEACEFUL GROUP OF PLANETS AND SPACE STATIONS OCCUPIED BY HUMANS AND ALIENS, FAR AWAY FROM EARTH...

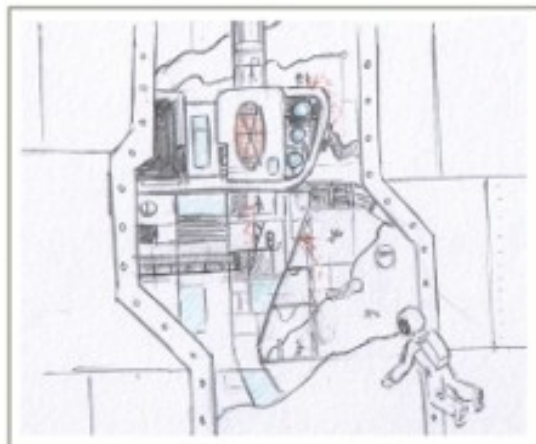


THE YALI, A HUMAN FRIENDLY RACE, BELIEVE IN THEIR PROPHECY - WHERE A HUMAN WARRIOR FROM THE PAST WILL COME THROUGH TIME TO END THE WAR AND BRING PEACE TO THE DEEP SPACE COLONIES..

GHOST
NEBULA

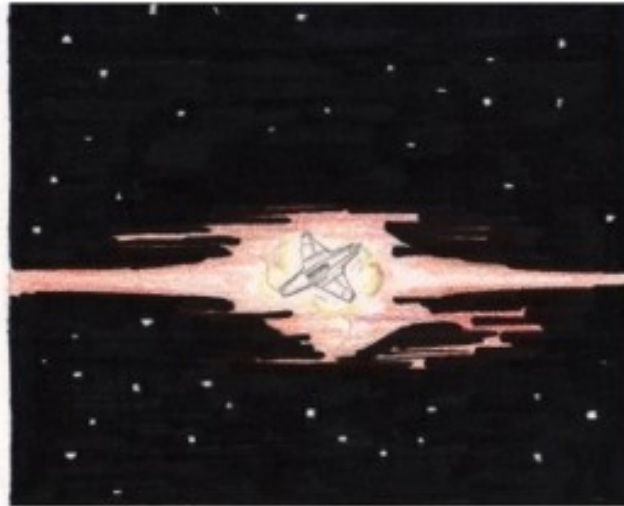
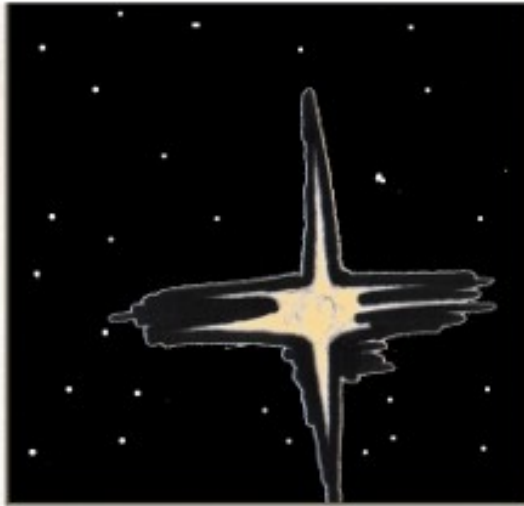


.. SOME ALIENS, MOST NOTABLY THE PHTAAH, DID NOT WANT TO BE PART OF THIS ALLIANCE. INFACT, DUE TO DIFFERENCES, THEY WAGED WAR ON IT, ATTACKING BASES ON PLANETS AND ALSO SPACE STATIONS..



A BAND OF DANGEROUS SPACE ANOMALIES MEANT THAT THE DEEP SPACE COLONIES BECAME CUT OFF FROM EARTH. THE EARTH SHIPS LEFT THERE DESPERATELY FIGHT TO KEEP THE ENEMY AT BAY. MEANWHILE A POWERFUL EARTH SHIP IS BEING BUILT..

ACCORDING TO THE YALI, THIS SHIP WOULD BE A POWERFUL LIVING SHIP, AND THE WARRIOR WOULD COME THROUGH TIME FROM THE PAST AND PILOT THIS SHIP. THE SHIP IS CONSTRUCTED AND GIVEN ITS DESIGNATION OF CRUISER NUMBER 12. TRIALS OF THE SHIP BEGIN TO SHAKEDOWN ANY PROBLEMS. SOME PROBLEMS ARE FOUND AND ON EARTH DATE 2ND MARCH 2260, THE SHIP SITS IN DOCK FOR DIAGNOSTICS AND MODIFICATIONS. HOWEVER, ON THIS DAY, READY OR NOT, IT WILL HAVE TO LEAVE TO COLLECT ITS PILOT...



FOR THE WARRIOR
FROM THE PAST IS
COMING....



KELSO 1: CRUISER 12 "ANUBIS"
SITS DOCKED FOLLOWING
DEEP SPACE TRIALS

COMMANDER, HOW MUCH IS
LEFT TO DO BEFORE WE CAN
COMPLETE OUR SPACE
TRIALS?

WELL CAPTAIN, MY TEAM
ARE RUNNING CHECKS
WHICH SHOULD ONLY TAKE A
FEW MORE HOURS...

THATS GOOD TO
HEAR. I'M KEEN TO
GET UNDERWAY AGAIN

THIS WAS THAT SENSOR
NETWORK DETECTING EXCESSIVE
VIBRATION?

ITS FIXED - WE
TRACKED IT TO A
FAULTY SENSOR...

ERR.. WELL THERE IS
THE HIGH ENGINE ISSUE

CAPTAIN ALEXANDER SENDS HIS CHIEF ENGINEER BACK TO
ENGINEERING TO TRY TO HURRY UP PROCEEDINGS. THE ENGINEERS
FROM THE KELSO STATION HAVE BEEN FRUSTRATING HIM WITH
CHECK AFTER CHECK FOLLOWING HIS OWN CHECKS!

BUT THE ENGINEERS
FROM KELSO STATION
WANT TO RUN MORE
TESTS BEFORE WE GO





...A
LIVING
SHIP..
THIS
SHIP I
WOULD
THINK...



ANUBIS IS BRAND NEW AND A
GREAT SHIP, BUT NOT A LEGEND
AND NOT A LIVING THING. ANYWAY,
WEVE BEEN ORDERED TO
INVESTIGATE

IM ADVANCED AI - I AM LIVING!

CONFIRMED - WE ARE ORDERED
TO INVESTIGATE. KELSO
ENGINEERS ARE RETURNING TO
THE STATION...



GOOD! DISENGAGE UMBILICAL
POWER COUPLING, CLEAR ALL
MOORINGS AND RELEASE MAG
CLAMPS

WEVE BEEN TOLD BY THE
KELSO TEAM NOT TO USE
THE HIGH ENGINES JUST IN
CASE, SO NO FLANK SPEEDS

YARD CONTROL
SIGNALS WE ARE
CLEAR TO GO SIR



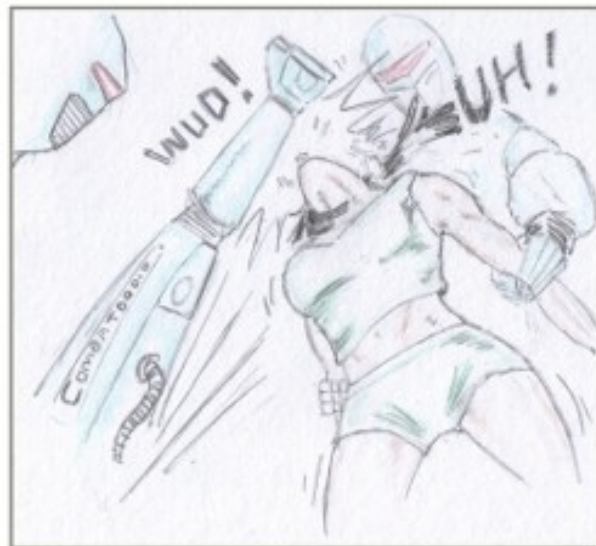
LET OUR MARINES
KNOW WE ARE ON
OUR WAY...



KELSO 2: A RUGGED, ROCKY
DESERT OF A PLANET.



AT THE EARTH OUTPOST
THERE, LIEUTENANT
DANICA WILLIAMS TRAINS
FOR COMBAT -



HAVING TAKEN ON 3 DANGEROUS COMBAT DROIDS AT ONCE, SHE
BEGINS TO THINK THAT MAYBE SHE HAS BITTEN OFF MORE THAN SHE
CAN CHEW... BUT SHE SOON HAS THE SITUATION UNDER CONTROL...



WILLIAMS! SOMETHINGS
COME UP. ANUBIS IS
ON THE WAY -
WE GOTTA GO!

WHAT?!!
ALL DROIDS
BROKEN
AGAIN?!

GONNA
TAKE ME A
WHILE TO
FIX THIS!



COMING SIR...

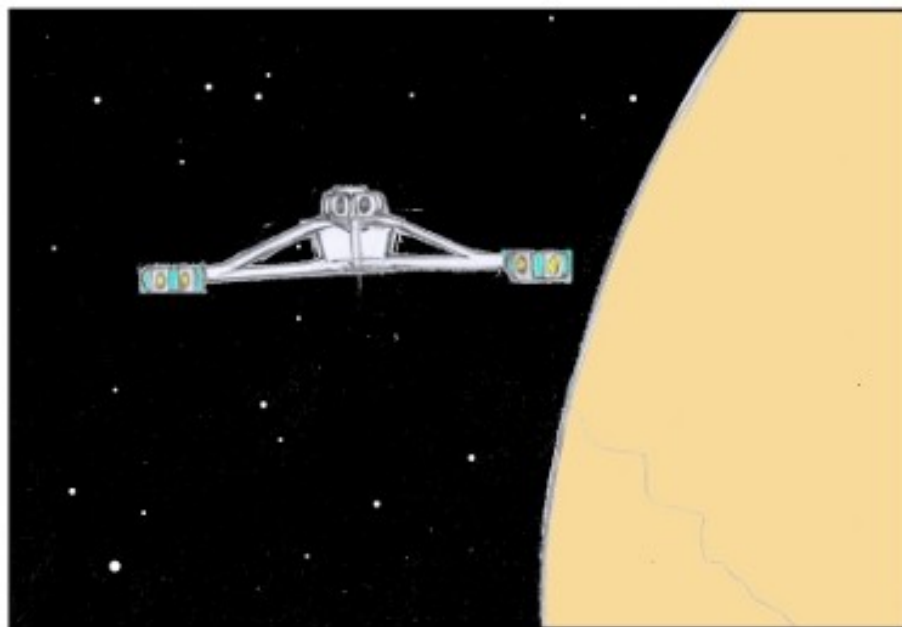
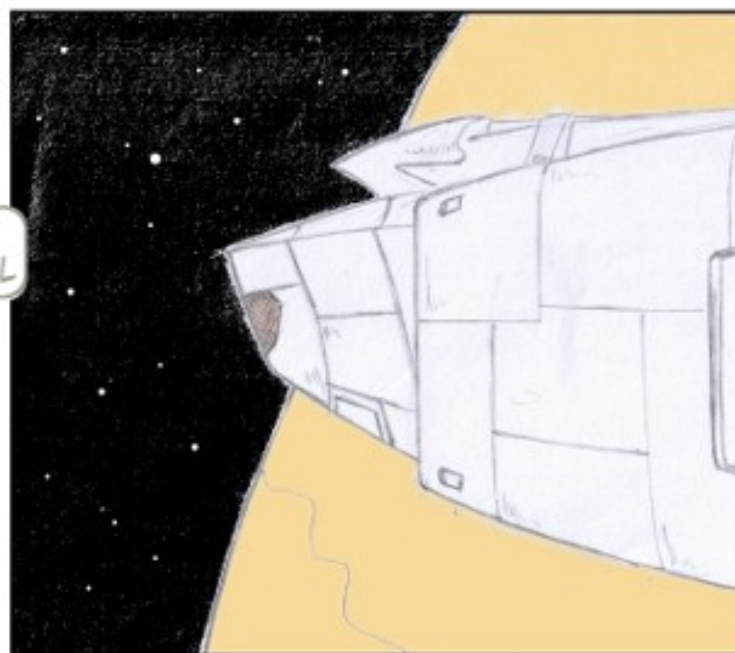


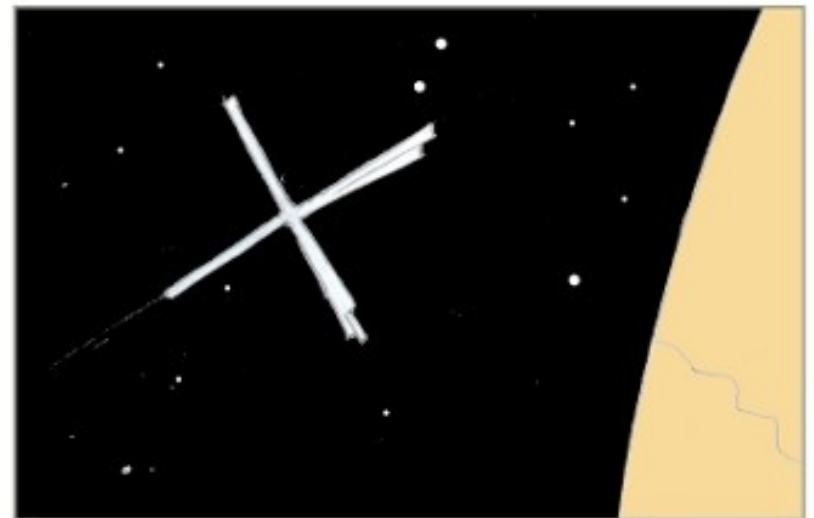
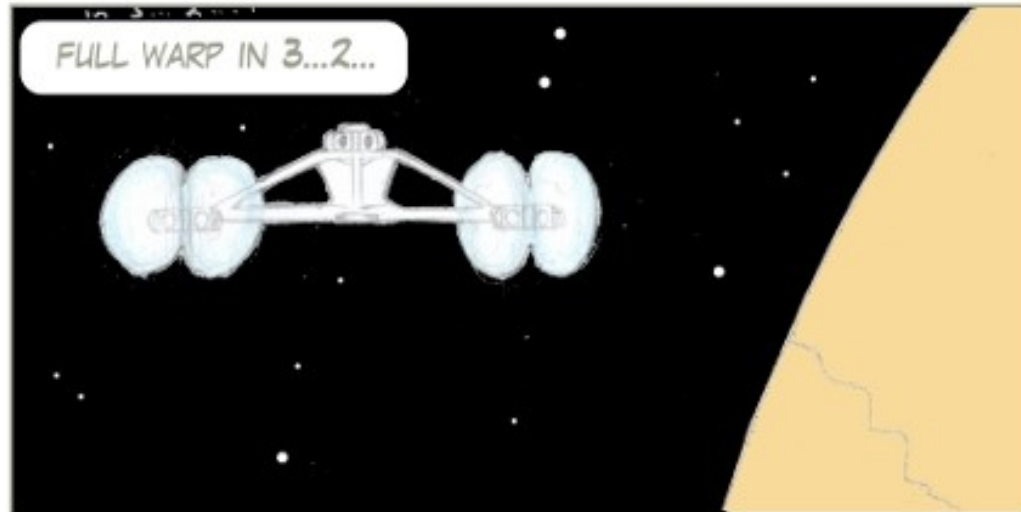
THERE SHE IS ALREADY



MUST BE IN
A HURRY!

IN A LOW
ORBIT TOO..





ANUBIS'S GREAT SPEED SOON TAKES THEM TO THE AREA WHERE THE ANOMALY OCCURRED. AS THEY CLOSE IN THE EVENT IS LONG OVER, BUT A SMALL CRAFT IS DETECTED BY THE SHIPS SENSORS....



ITS A TYPE 4
SCISSOR WING

DESIGNATION "RANGER 5",
BELONGING TO LIEUTENANT ANNA
SOLBERG. RANGER 5 DISSAPEARED
BATTLING THE PHOTAAH IN THE
FIRST KNOW PHOTAAH ATTACK ON
EARTH. IT GETS STRANGER,
SENSORS SHOW THERE IS A
HUMANOID LIFEFORM ALIVE ON THAT
SHIP! WEAK BUT ALIVE...

ITS HER!
THE WARRIOR WHO
COMES THROUGH
TIME TO CHANGE THE
FUTURE AND SAVE US!

AS USED BY THE
SPACE RANGERS
BACK IN THE
21ST CENTURY

MULTI ROLE SKY
AND SPACE
FIGHTER WITH A
RANGE OF LESS
THAN ONE OF
OUR SHUTTLES...

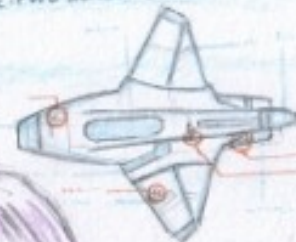
SO WHAT THE
HELL IS IT
DOING ALL THE
WAY OUT HERE?!

DRIFTED?
PROPELLED BY
SOME KIND OF
MAG FIELD?

VERY UNLIKELY
SIR, ALTHOUGH
WORMHOLE
EFFECT
REMAINS A
POSSIBILTY

ITS TAKEN SOME
HEAVY DAMAGE

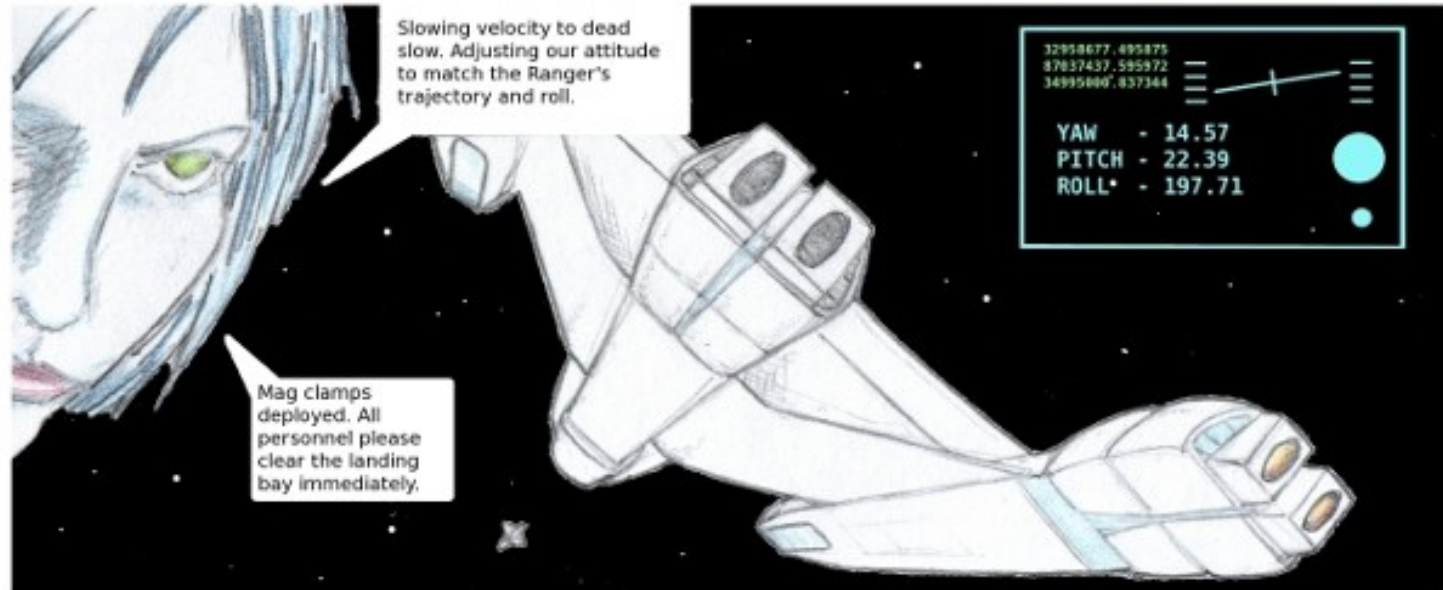
SOURCE: FWD SENSOR STRIP



OR IT COULD BE
A TRAP..
RADIATION AND
CONTAMINATION
LEVELS LOOK
LOW.. LETS
BRING IT IN -
WHOEVER'S ON
BOARD NEEDS
OUR HELP

DUE TO THE AWKWARD SPIN AND TRAJECTORY OF THE RANGER CRAFT AS IT DRIFTS OUT OF CONTROL, IT IS UNLIKELY ANUBIS'S HUMAN HELMSMAN WILL HAVE THE PRECISION TO ALIGN THE HEAVY CRUISER TO PICK UP THE RANGER..

..SO CONTROL IS HANDED OVER TO JANE, THE SHIP'S AI COMPUTER...

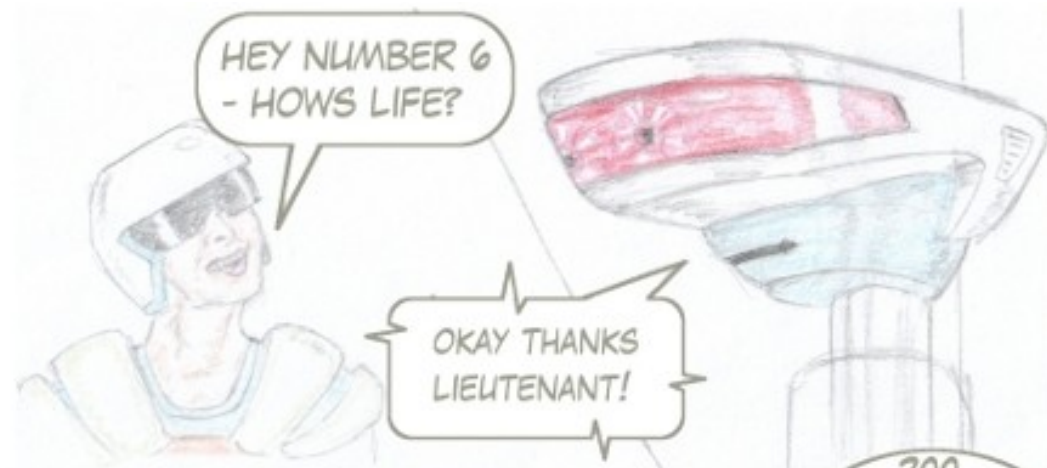


Mag clamps deployed. All personnel please clear the landing bay immediately.



ONCE THE RANGER CRAFT IS ABOARD, FOR SECURITY THE SPACE MARINES, LT WILLIAMS INCLUDED, ARE DEPLOYED TO THE LANDING BAY -





200
YEARS AND
SHE HASNT AGED
A DAY!



NEXT EPISODE: -

"STUCK IN THE 23RD CENTURY"