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ANUBIS

Dark Desire



Elin's Soapbox

by Elin Winkler

Summer is already here, and with it comes the beginning of convention season! There have been a few scattered conventions earlier this year where Radio put in an appearance (the very successful **Further Confusion**, **Ushicon** and **Texas Furry Con** shows), but the bulk of our conventioning ends up being done in the summer months, with a few scheduled for the fall. And what a season we have planned! Turn on the hype machine, because here's where we'll be!

A-Kon, Dallas, Texas, June 4-6: A-Kon is one of our favorite conventions to attend every year. Last year, the attendance blew all previous records, with a whopping 7000+ plus warm bodies enjoying the diverse tracks of anime and Asian pop culture programming. This year looks to destroy that record number, as the kon celebrates its fifteenth anniversary. (A-Kon is the longest running anime con in the US!) We'll have a full complement of Radio artists and writers there, as well as all staff, so it's your best chance to meet most of us in one place! Scheduled to appear: myself, Pat Duke, Will Allison, Josh Lesnick, Eddie Perkins, Ursula Husted, Phil Morrissey, Shon Howell, Brian Sutton, DAQ, and many, many more! <http://www.a-kon.com>

Comic Con International, San Diego, California, July 22-25: The 800-pound gorilla of geek-culture conventions! Over 60,000 attendees, and with program tracks encompassing the comic, game, animation, and toy industries, it is really a monster of a show. The convention center is so big, it can take forty-five minutes to an hour to walk from one end to the other once it's full of people. Every major comic company is there, and it's a must-attend for almost every professional in the industry. As always, we will have a booth in the Independent Press Pavilion, where we will be joined by a ton of Radio artists and writers. And as the convention is right by the ocean, it's a great vacation opportunity! Scheduled to appear: myself, Pat Duke, Will Allison, Eddie Perkins, Josh Lesnick, Christina Hanson, Baron Engel, Ursula Husted, Roz Gibson, Jenn Moore, Abby Denson, and many, many more! <http://www.comic-con.org>

Yaoi-Con, San Francisco, California, October: While it is a smaller show compared to the vastness of A-Kon and Comic Con, Yaoi-Con more than makes up for it in drive and focus. A con devoted completely to the yaoi genre of anime and manga, this very female-friendly con is an intimate and charming October break. We missed attending last year due to scheduling conflicts, but this year, we plan to get out there no matter what! If you're a fan of books like **Dangerous**, **Genus: Male**, **Liberty From Hell** or **Havoc, Inc.**, it's a great con to visit. Scheduled to appear: myself, Christina Hanson, more to be announced. <http://www.yaoicon.com>

Itzacon, Dallas, Texas, November: A true relax-a-con, run by the same great folks who bring us A-Kon every year. Itzacon is a small and casual affair, designed to allow us geek-types a nice, mid-holiday season break. Small, very laid back and extremely pleasant, a small contingent of Radio staffers will be making the scene and setting up in the dealers room. As the con is usually after Thanksgiving, the date changes every year, but more information can be found on the A-Kon website as the time for the con nears. Scheduled to appear: myself, Eddie Perkins, Will Allison, more to be announced. <http://www.a-kon.com>

Conventions are a great opportunity to get away from it all for a little while, find those rare items you've been searching for, and see old friends (or make new ones)! They're also a great way to meet your favorite artists or chat with the people who make the comics you read! I hope we see plenty of Radio Readers on the convention circuit this year!

Elin

The Hot Spot

cool stuff we like



The stuff we were listening to, reading or playing with when we put these comics together!

Comics

Blue Monday: Painted Moon by Chynna Clugston-Major (Oni Press)

Radio Comix Playlist

Various

354 Furlough #138

Horsehoes!

Various

355 Mangaphile #24

Valleyball!

Various

356 Anubis: Dark Desire #2

Freebee!

Various

357 Genus #66

Softball!

Various

358 Dangerous #2

Lawn darts!



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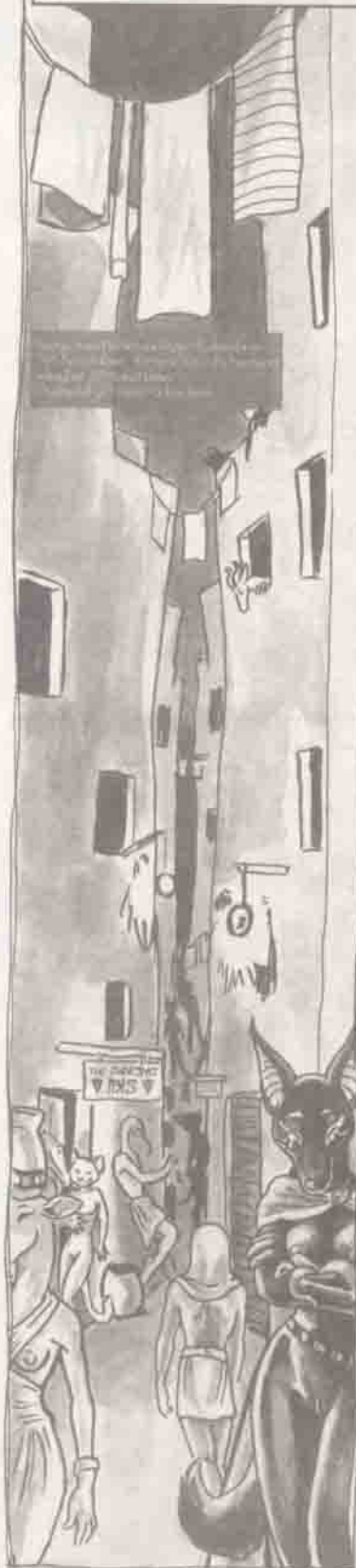
Hit the Beach #1! Check out this hot cover by Diana Harlan-Stein! Coming in July!

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a Kiss in the River










A black and white illustration depicting a mermaid with long, flowing hair and a sad expression, surrounded by various sea creatures. The mermaid is in the center, looking down. To her left, a large, dark, horned creature (possibly a merman or a large fish) is looking at her. To her right, another similar creature is looking at her. Above the mermaid, a large dragonfly or damselfly is flying. Below the mermaid, a large, dark, horned creature is looking up at her. The background is filled with bubbles and other smaller sea creatures. The overall style is reminiscent of a comic book or a storybook illustration.

MORE
BEAUTIFUL
THAN ALL
THE REST

*THE ONE WHO
HAS NO EQUAL...

SHE OF
THE RADIANT
PERFECTION...

TO LOOK ON HER IS
TO SEE THE STAR
THAT RISES AT THE
BEGINNING OF A
GOOD YEAR



SHE WHO GAZES
FROM SUCH LOVELY
EYES...

SWEET ARE
HER LIPS WHEN
SHE SPEAKS..

SHE NEVER
SAYS A WORD
TOO MANY...

SHE OF THE
DELICATE LONG NECK
OVER BREASTS IN
FULL BLOOM


HER FUR IS
LAPIS LAZULI

HER ARMS
SURPASS ANY
GOLD

AND HER
FINGERS LIKE
LOTUS BUDS

SHE WHOSE BACK
IS SO LITHEsome,
HER WAIST SO
NARROW

AND WHOSE
BEAUTY HER HIPS
STILL STRESS



HER BEARING
TURNS THE HEADS
OF EVERY MAN WHO
SEES HER

SHE OF THE
DELICATE LONG NECK
OVER BREASTS IN
FULL BLOOM

HAPPY IS THE MAN
WHO EMBRACES HER

HE IS
FIRST AMONG
ALL LOVERS

WHEN SHE IS
SEEN EMERGING
FROM HER HOUSE

IT IS LIKE
THE APPEARANCE
OF THE ONE.





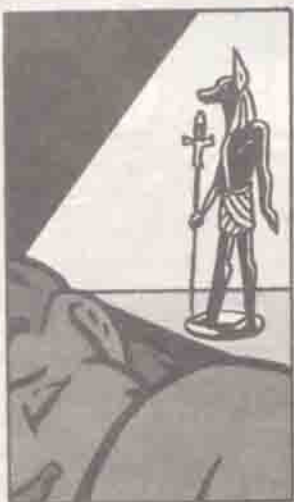
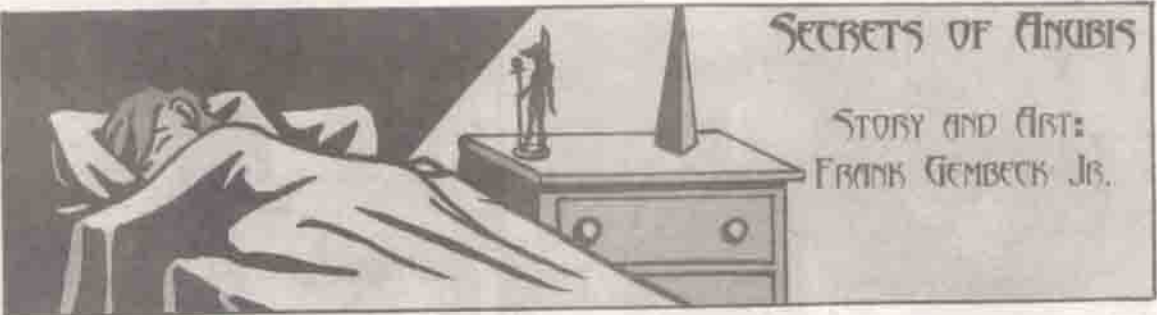
MAKE SURE YOU
WAKE ME BEFORE
DAWN..

"YAWN!"

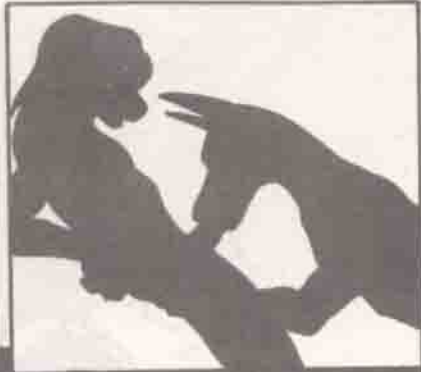
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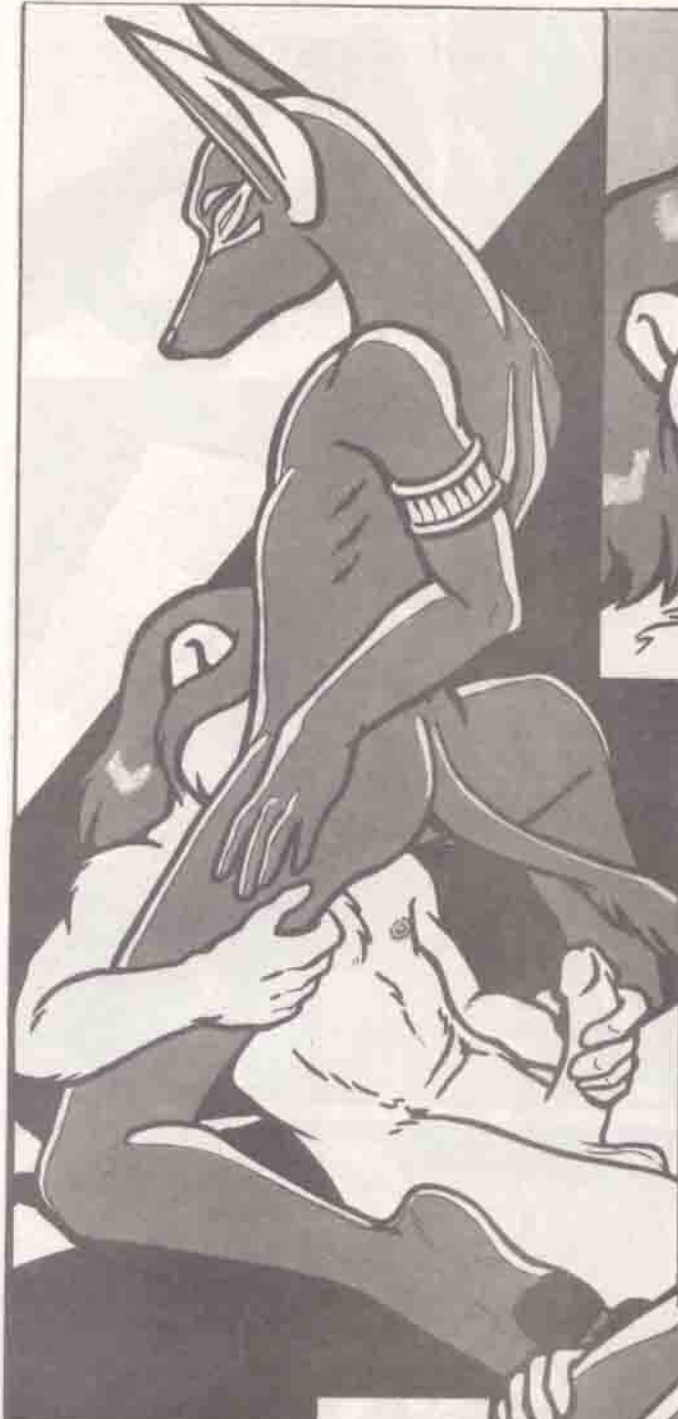
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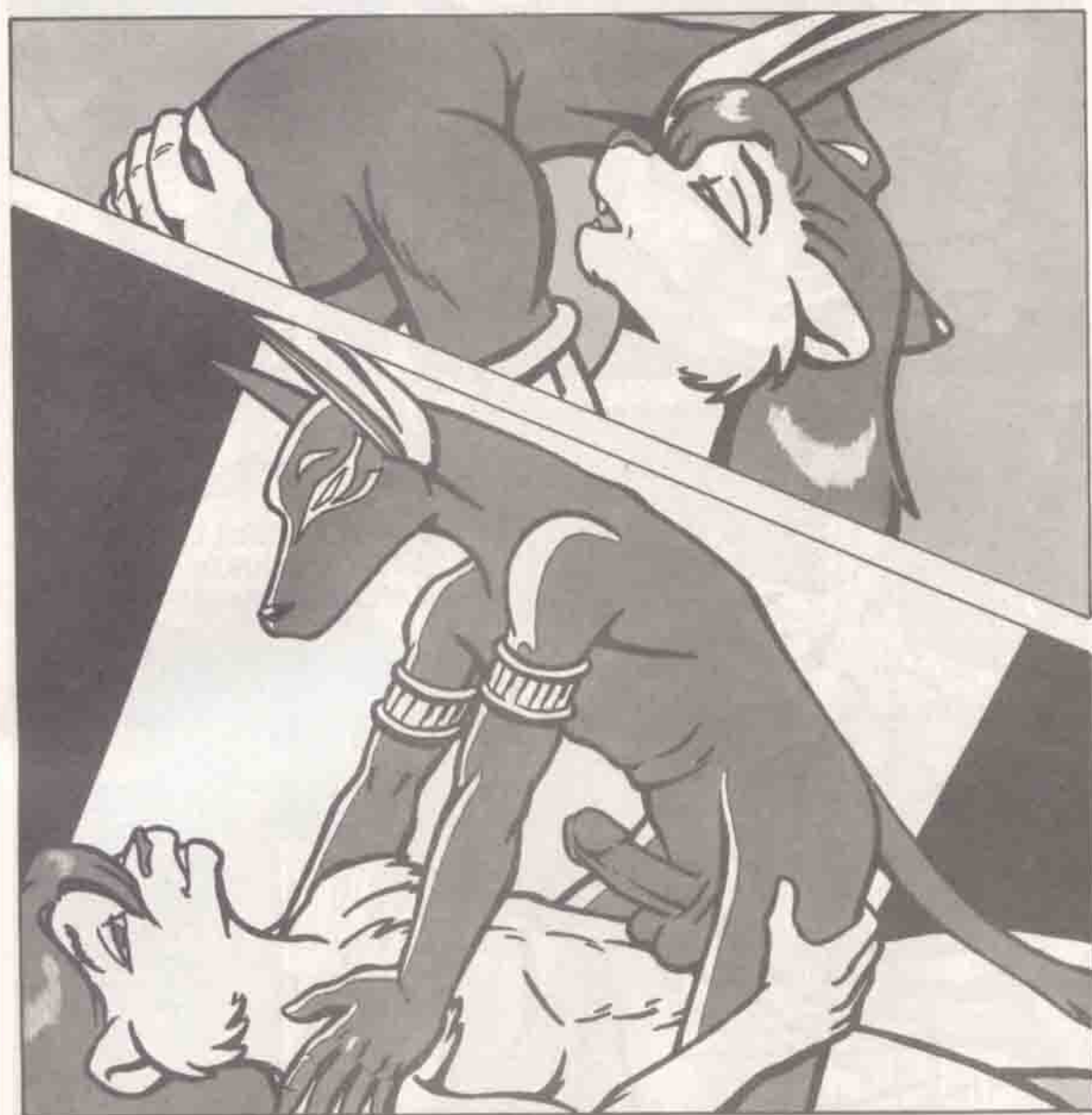
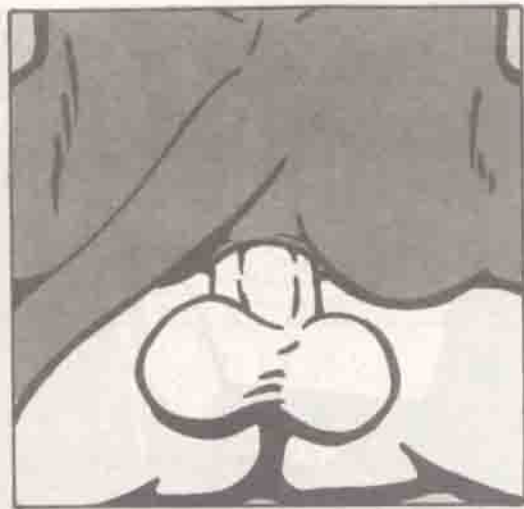
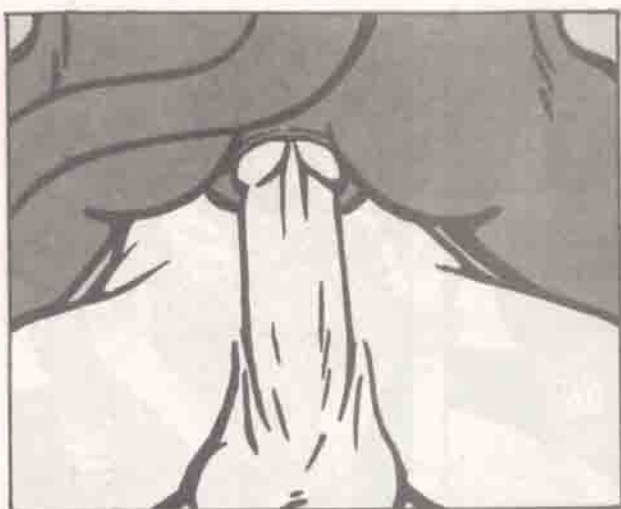
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FRANK GEMBECK, JR.













The Hunters

Story: Heather Denton
& Sara Palmer
Art: Heather Denton
Letters: Kevin Richardson



SHHH!





BE A
GOOD BOY,
NOW.

MMMM...

MMM...

OOOH...

OOOH...
LET ME
TRY!

MMMM...TASTES
AS GOOD AS
HE LOOKS!



MMM...

MMMMM...

TIGHT!
NNGGH!

VERY NICE...

I'LL HELP!



WHA...WHAT'S THIS?!

AND YOU TOO..

NOW, LADIES, MY TURN.

OOOH... WE CAUGHT A CREATIVE ONE!

AREN'T YOU WORRIED AT ALL?

NOT WHEN I'M THIS TURNED ON! JUST RELAX





VERY NICE, LADIES...
YOU'LL DO NICELY
IN THE HAREM.

WHAT??!
WE'RE
NO HAREM
GIRLS!

WHAT DID
YOU EXPECT
WHEN YOU JUMP
ANUBIS IN THE
MARSHES?

A GOD, HUH?

AND A PALACE,
NO DOUBT!

SILK AND
DATES AND
SOFT BEDS...
AND...

COME ON,
LADIES! IT'S
TIME TO GO.

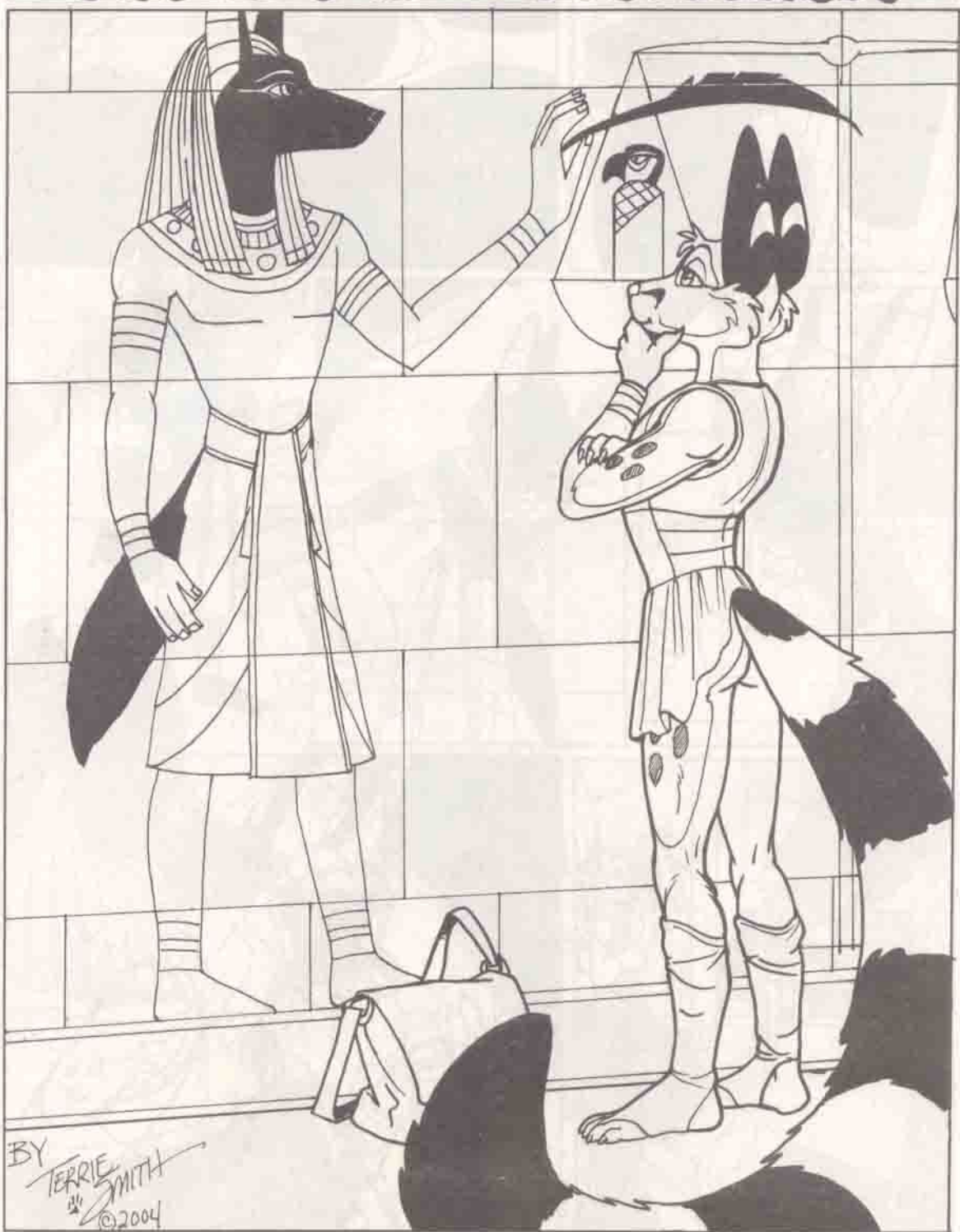
AND GOLD!
MAYBE THIS
WILL WORK OUT
WELL AFTER
ALL!

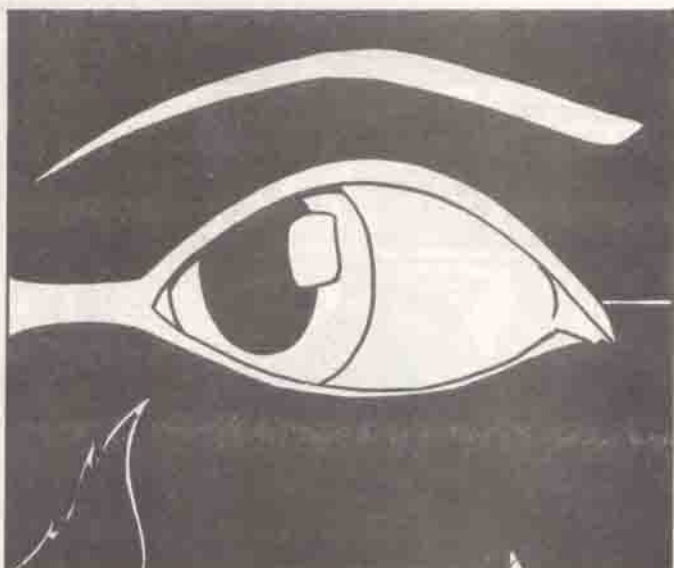
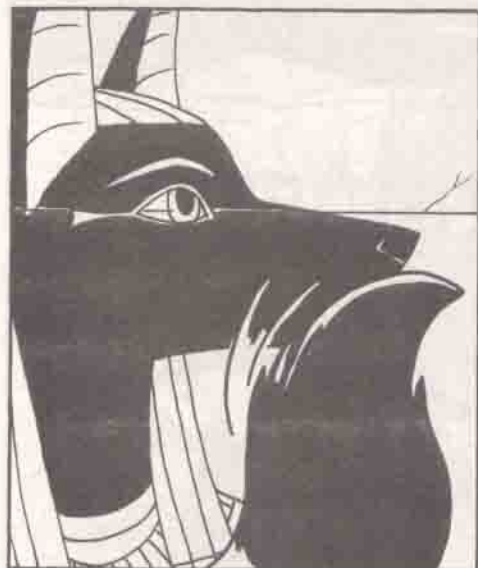
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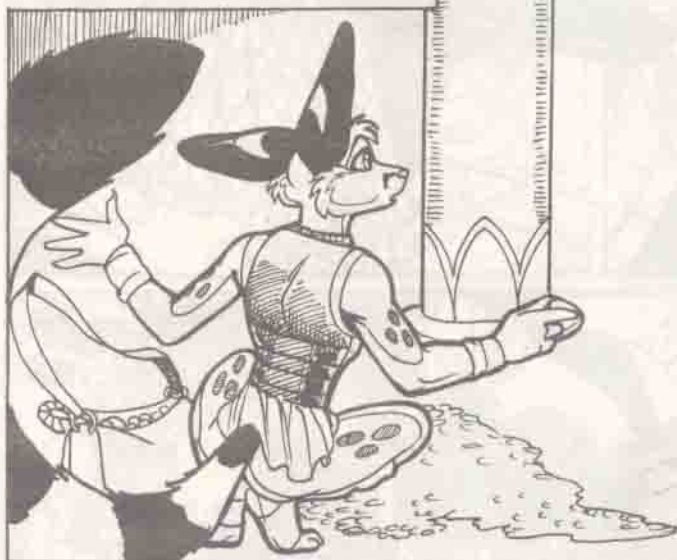
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THE TOMB PLUNDERER







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Dark Egypt

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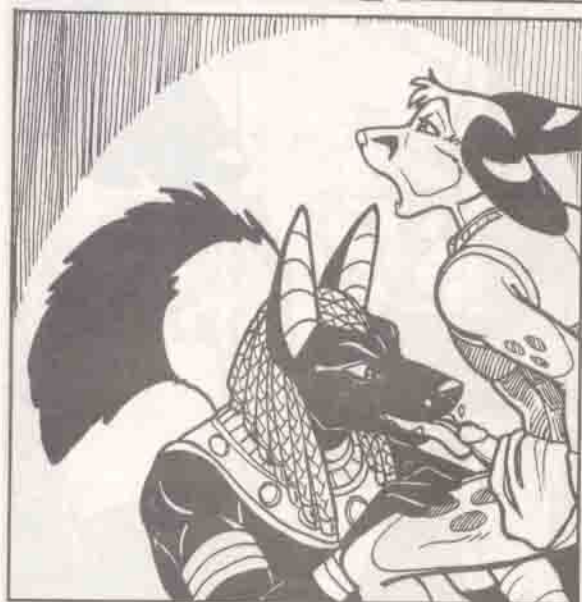
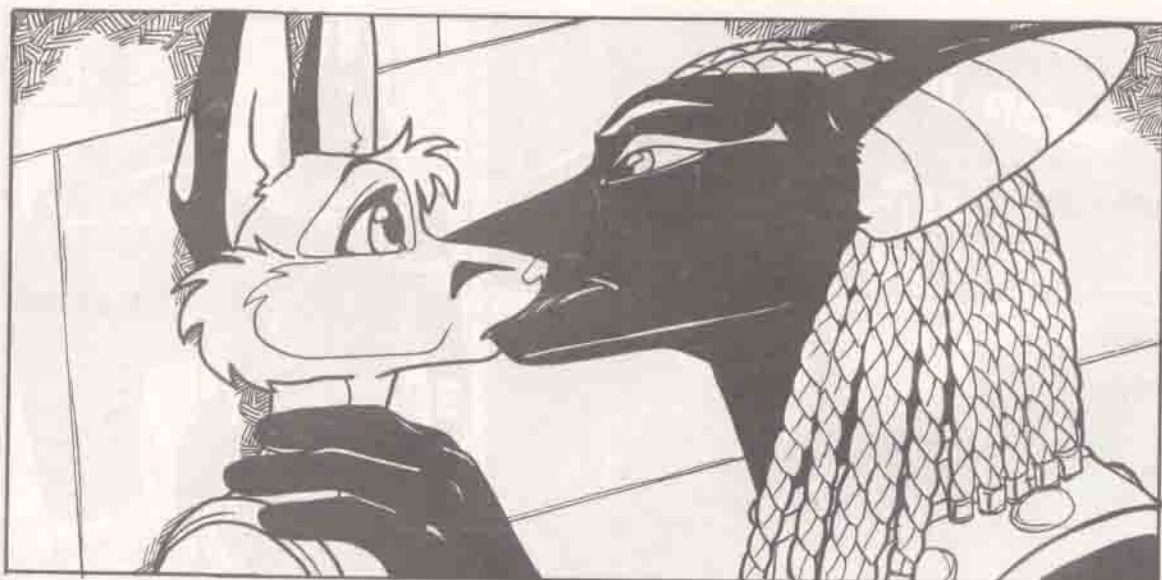
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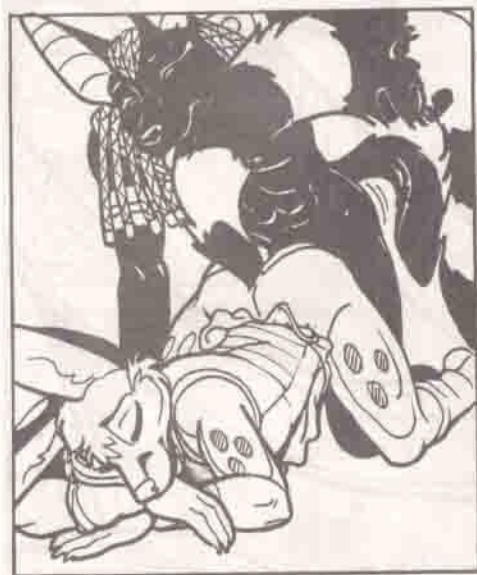
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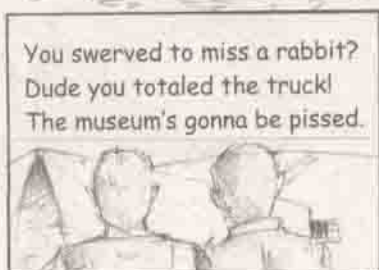




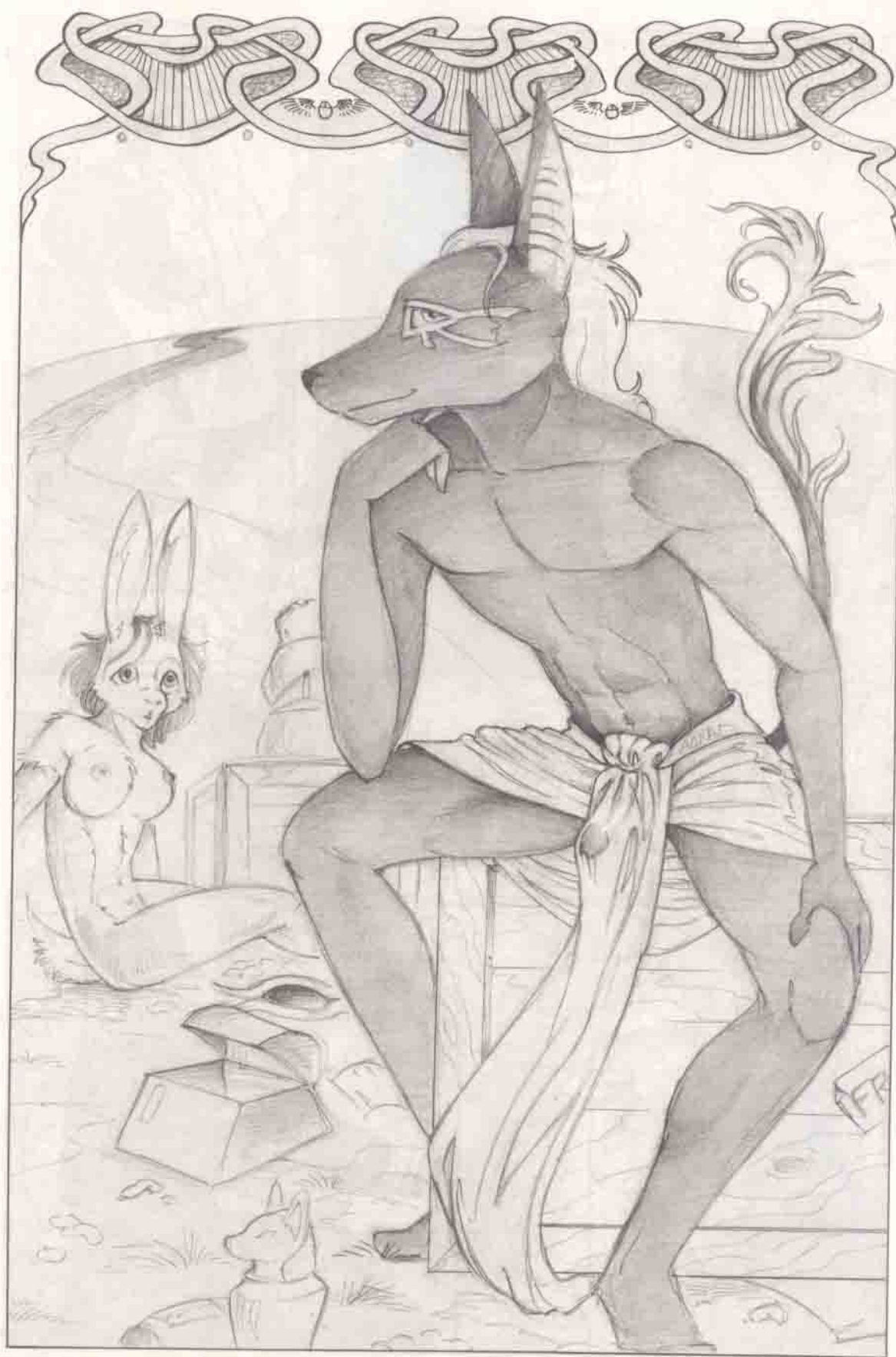




Diana Harlan Stein









There has been an exchange of energy between us - during the crash. In order to return to your normal state and form, you need to give this energy back to me.







AHHHHHHH!

Oh My Goodness!



Not all
the
Energy
is
returned.



hi....



ANOTHER GREAT TREASURE
BY DARK NATASHA





To GREAT LORD ANUBIS
A gift to be to your
Collection
From THE GULFAM

RUMI







