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Man, Lich, why you gotta make this into a creepy time??



There's no escape, Finn. You don't need to run. You should be happy, because you don't need to do anything anymore. All you need to do is die.

AHHHHH! WHY IS EVERYTHING SO CREEPY HERE??

Okay buddy, okay, you got this. You're trapped in a creepy illusion that the Lich created, and that Jake out there is fake-o too. You need to escape this dungeon. And to do THAT, you need to do something the Lich wasn't expecting when he created this place!



What are his weaknesses? Dude was vulnerable to the GAUNTLET OF THE HERO, but that's hecka smashed. Dude was also vulnerable to THE POWER OF LIKING SOMEONE A LOT, but everyone's fake here so I can't get any love action from th--



OF COURSE!

We knew you'd come back. You have nowhere else to go, Finn. Come. This is where your story ends.



THIS GOES OUT TO THE MESSED-UP EVIL VERSION OF MY FRIEND AND ALSO TO YOU, MESSED-UP EVIL LADY!!

Ohhh the Lich is so lovely, I love him all the time / His body is so rocking, it inspires me to rhyme!



toodle dooodle dooooo

What are you doing?

I love him with my face and I love him with my brain / To think of a world without him makes my heart feel paaaaain!



toodle de dooodle

Why are you doing this? Stop! STOP IT!!

I love the Lich, what can I say? / I want to smooch him most of every day!!



STOP IT, THIS FRANK DISPLAY OF ALLEGED LOVE BURNS!

IT BURNS!!

HEY I DON'T WANT TO TALK ABOUT WHY I WROTE A COMIC WHERE TALKING ABOUT OUR FEELINGS HURT SO MUCH THAT IT VIBRATES THRU PEOPLE'S BONES!!



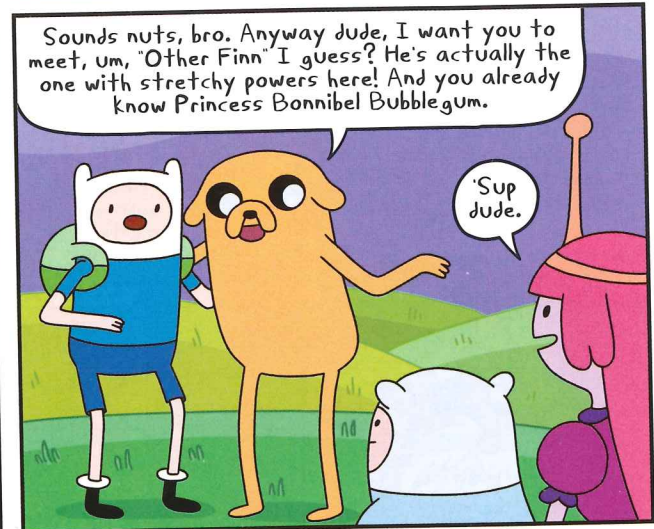
Hey! Hey buddy!

Jake, is it really you?!



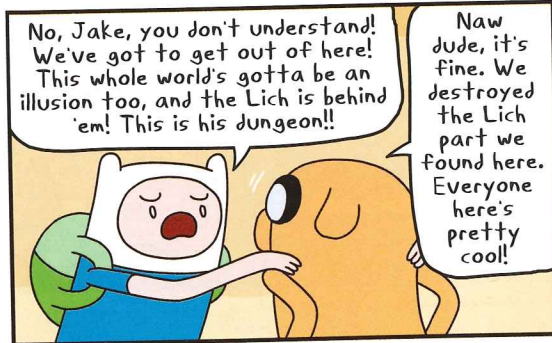
Heh. Yeah man, it's me! I've just been chilling here with my pals!

I was trapped in a fake world and there was another you there! He chomped my arm!



Sounds nuts, bro. Anyway dude, I want you to meet, um, "Other Finn" I guess? He's actually the one with stretchy powers here! And you already know Princess Bonnibel Bubblegum.

'Sup dude.



No, Jake, you don't understand! We've got to get out of here! This whole world's gotta be an illusion too, and the Lich is behind 'em! This is his dungeon!!

Naw dude, it's fine. We destroyed the Lich part we found here. Everyone here's pretty cool!



They're not who they appear to be, Jake! They're like-fake people! Everyone here is evi--

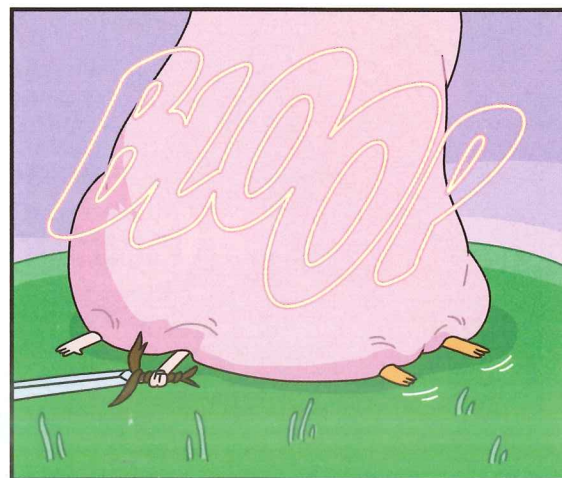
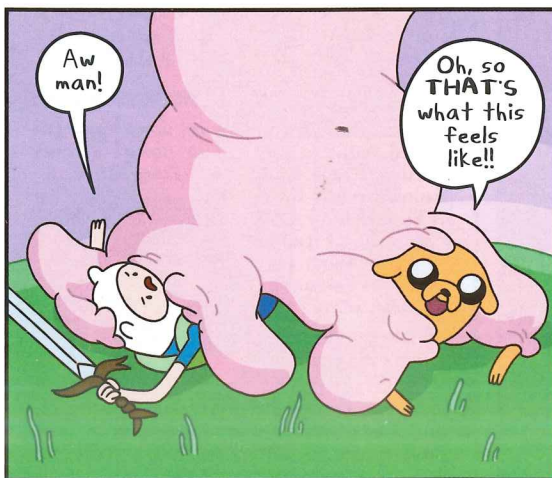
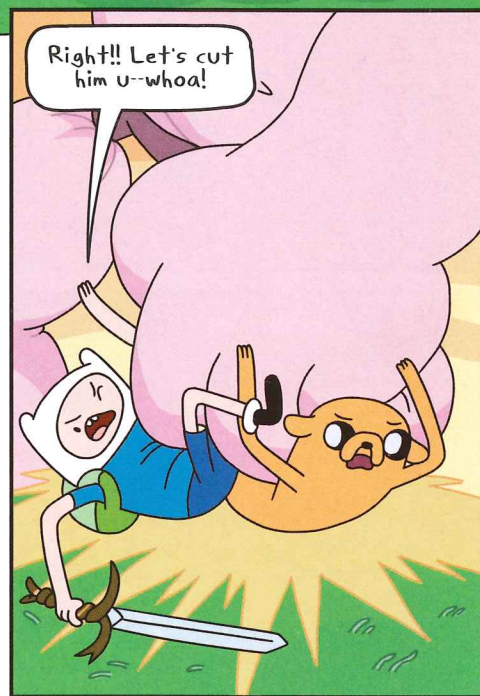
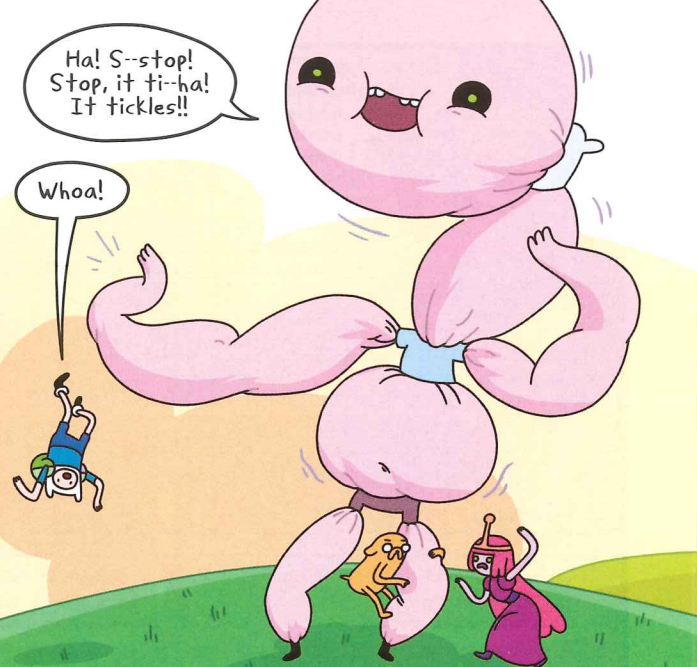
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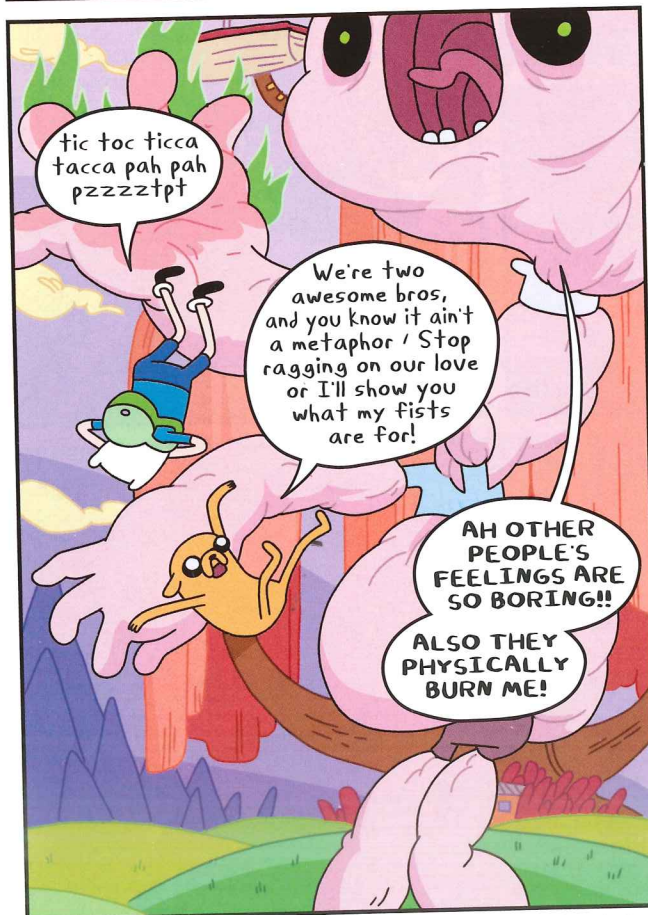
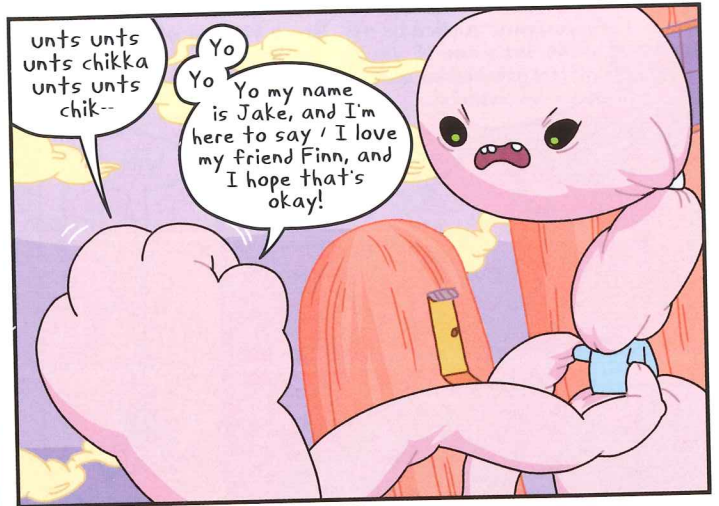


I'm going to chew you up, Jake. Like GUM.

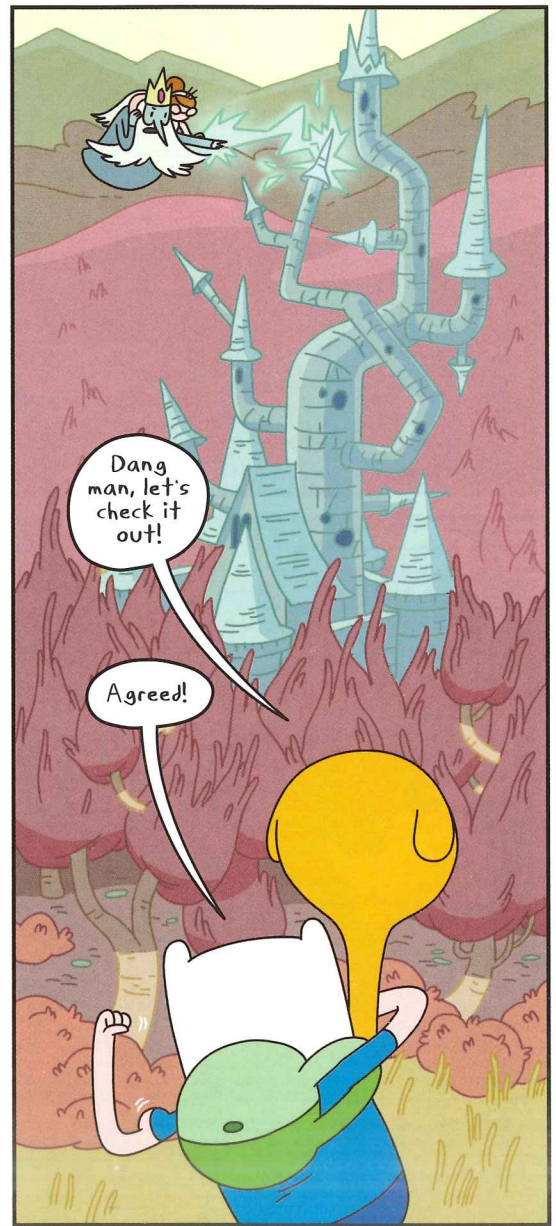
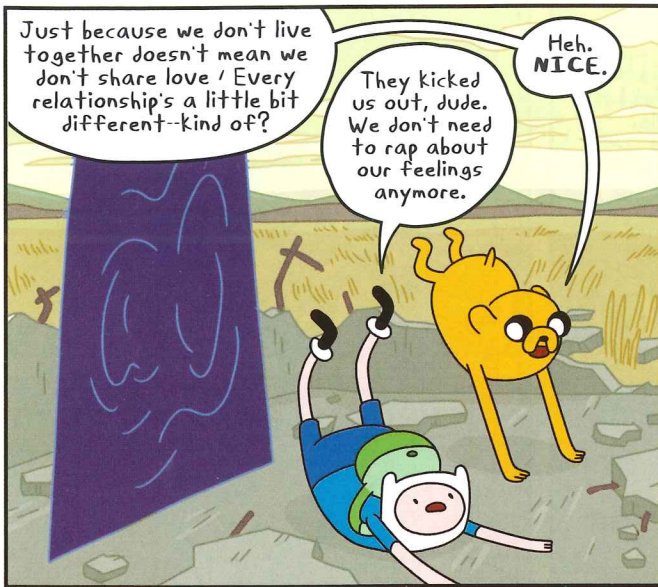
Aw guys, is this SERIOUSLY like--nightmare world or something? I liked it here. You guys were chill!

YOU MADE CHILL CAKES!!

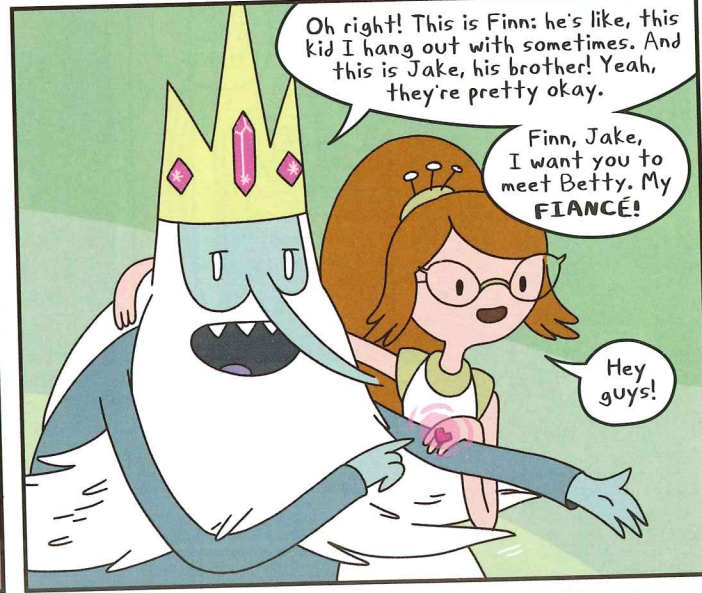
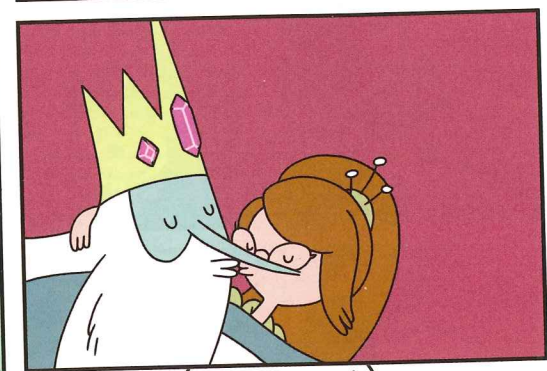
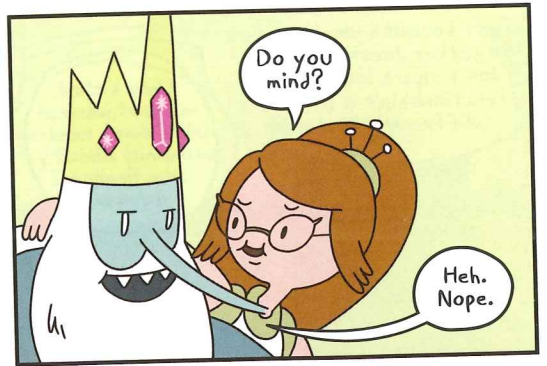




ATTENTION READERS: Yeah that door was never actually locked. Nobody thought to check it! ah well, at least we got a cool rip out of it.



THESIS STATEMENT: It's never not a good time for muscles! PROOF: My muscles. CONCLUSION: Yes, how much do you lift? My muscles.



MAKEOUT THEATRE

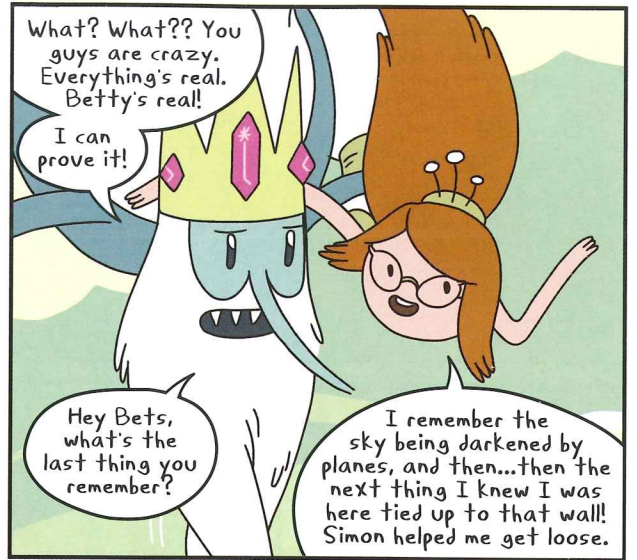


THIS CONCLUDES MAKEOUT THEATRE



Dude, she's nice but this reality is totes fake! **THIS** is the dungeon. We need to bust out!!

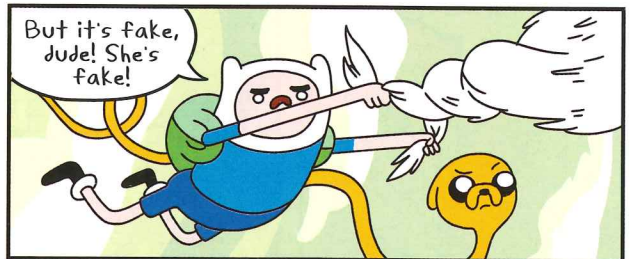
We need you to help us sing emotional love raps, okay?



What? What?? You guys are crazy. Everything's real. Betty's real!
I can prove it!

Hey Bets, what's the last thing you remember?

I remember the sky being darkened by planes, and then...then the next thing I knew I was here tied up to that wall! Simon helped me get loose.



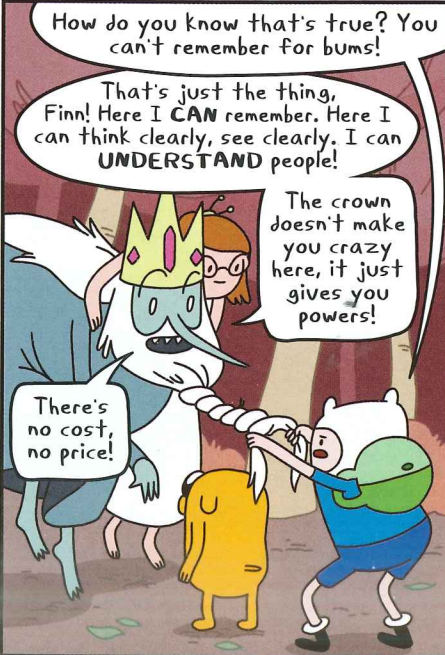
But it's fake, dude! She's fake!



No she's not. Betty, where'd we go on our first date?

Our first **OFFICIAL** date? Well, I suggested skating, and you went along with it even though you didn't know how. You kept falling over and over but would never admit that you just never learned how to skate.

It was sweet.



How do you know that's true? You can't remember for bums!

That's just the thing, Finn! Here I **CAN** remember. Here I can think clearly, see clearly. I can **UNDERSTAND** people!

The crown doesn't make you crazy here, it just gives you powers!

There's no cost, no price!



Show 'em, princess.

Sure!

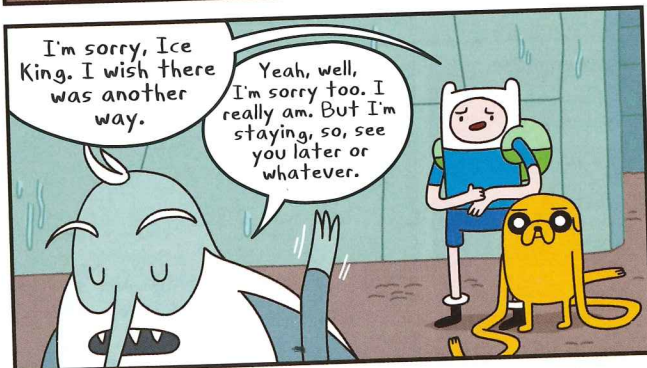


EVERYTHING IS BEAUTIFUL AND NOTHING HURTS

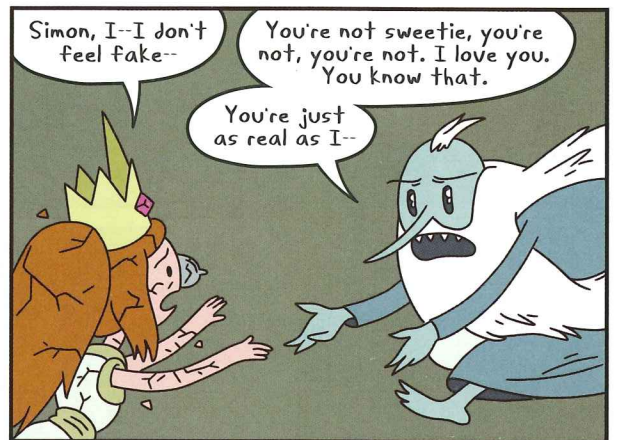
See? It's fun! It's kinda like finger painting, but with your mind!

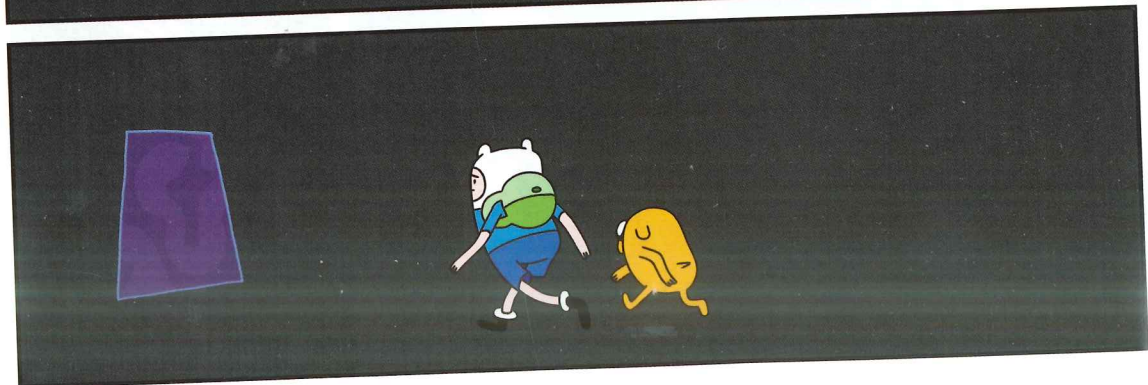
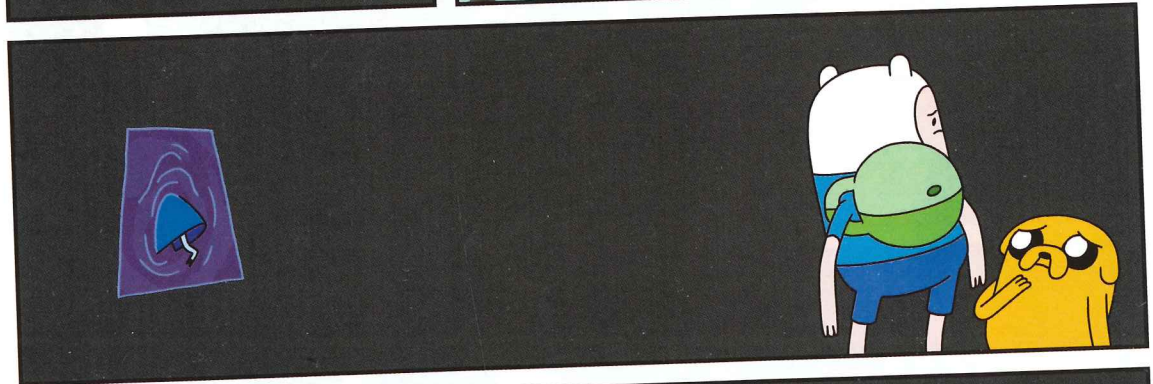
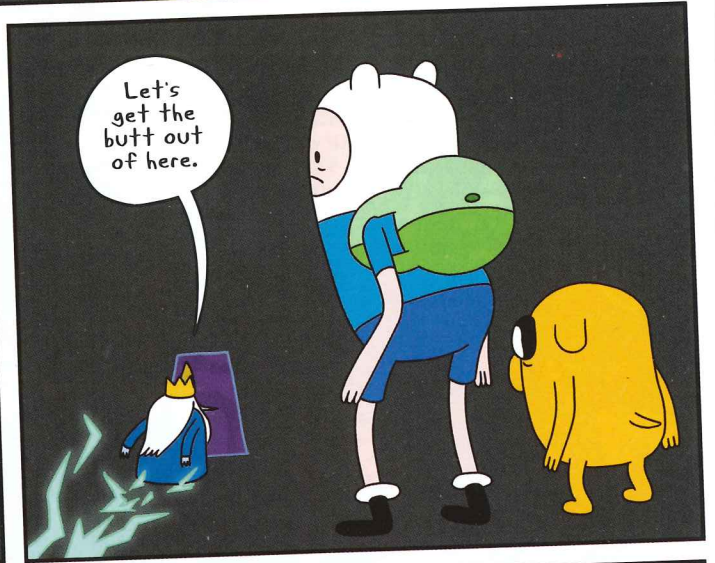
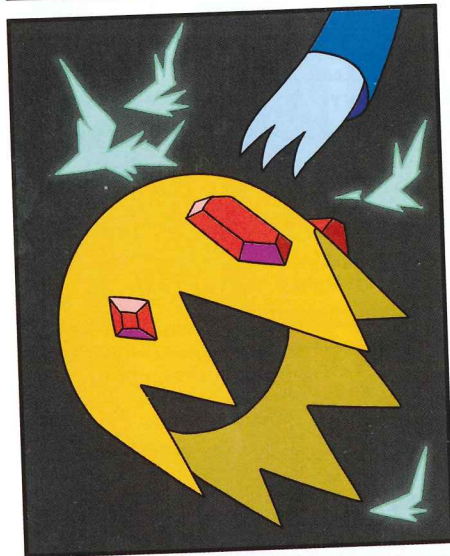
Weeee!

Everything was ice, and nothing melted.



These beats are dangerously fresh: they're not on ANY books! They're outside the range of our sight! They're taking some envelopes and patches from you!







YOU FELL FOR IT. YOU ACTUALLY FELL FOR IT.

You shut up!!

Huh? Dude I didn't say anything--

Aw snaps!!



We already took care of you!

THERE WAS A PART OF ME HERE THAT... CONTINUES.

ECHO OF THE LICH

FINAL BOSS



Why?! Why create a dungeon just to mess with our heads?!

SWORD ATTACK COMBO!

I AM THE SECOND SWORD!!

IT WAS SO EASY TO TRICK YOU. YOU WANTED IT SO BADLY TO BE REAL.



ONCE I WAS INSIDE YOUR HEAD, I KNEW YOUR SECRETS. I KNEW YOUR FAILURES.

I KNEW THE PEOPLE YOU'VE HURT, AND BETTER. THE PEOPLE YOU'VE LET BE HURT.

Ow!

Gah!



WHY DO YOU FIGHT?

IT'S HOPELESS. YOU'RE A JOKE, AN OLD MAN WHO CAN'T EVEN REMEMBER HIS NAME.

It's true. I forget important things sometimes...



Sometimes I do think I should give up--just let the crown win and the world freeze, with me in it.

Some days I can't remember a single reason to keep fighting.



Some...some days I--I can't even remember her.

YOU'RE A LOSER. NOBODY LIKES YOU. NOBODY EVEN WANTS TO LIKE YOU.



But giving up's EASY. You know what's hard? To BELIEVE in your own worth, to KNOW you've got something special in you even if nobody else can see it. Even when YOU can't.

YOU DON'T HAVE ANYTHING SPECIAL IN YOU. YOU'RE GOING TO BE ALONE FOREVER.

YOU'RE GOING TO DIE ALONE. ALL ALONE.

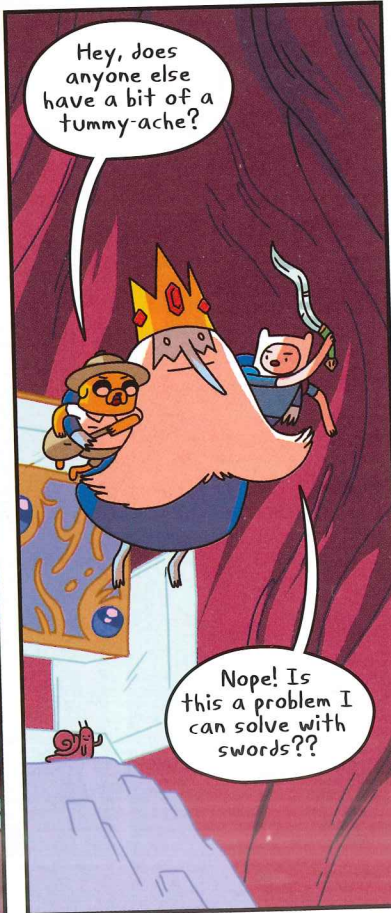
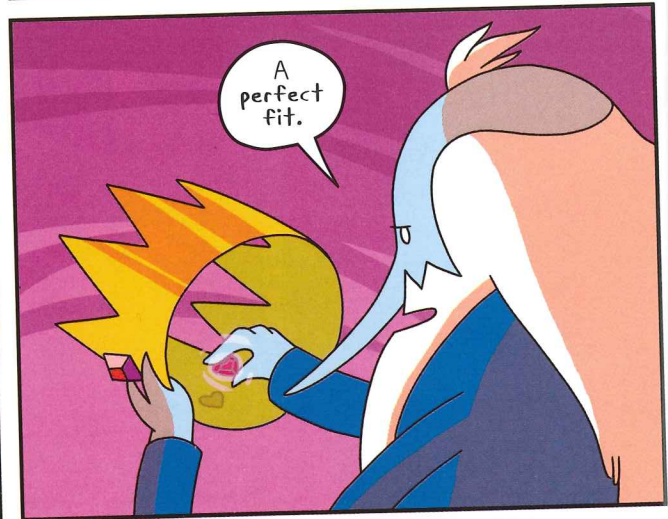
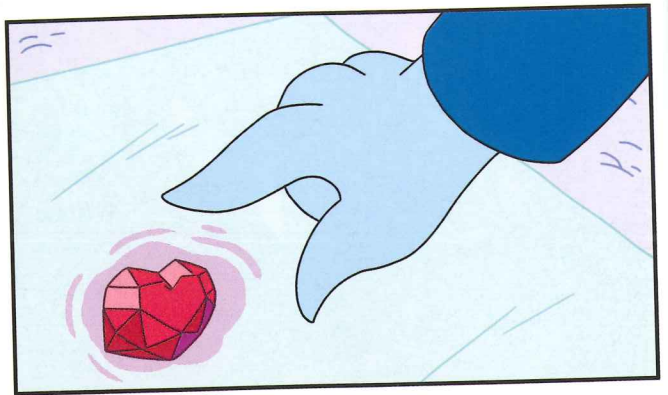


Yeah, maybe.



But at least that means I'm not dying today, you CHUMP!!





THE END.

AFTER-CREDITS SCENE: Finn and Jake rap about how much they love the bird rap, so make sure they ARE actually in reality now. BMO is confused and saddened to hear this rap and refuses to join in. Even on the "can I get what what" parts. He straight up refuses to give them a work what.