

# SAHCON ZINE 2024-25 WELCOMES YOU!

Every life begins on a birthday, as so many adventures do though in between those yearly recurrences of your first jubilee, you will find a lot more opportunities and causes to party with the friends you found since then.

The SAHcon 2025 zine is all about these celebrations, about community and togetherness, and, though this was not planned, it will now also raise a glass to celebrate the final SAHCon, the friends and experiences we made here and whatever comes next.

Cheers!



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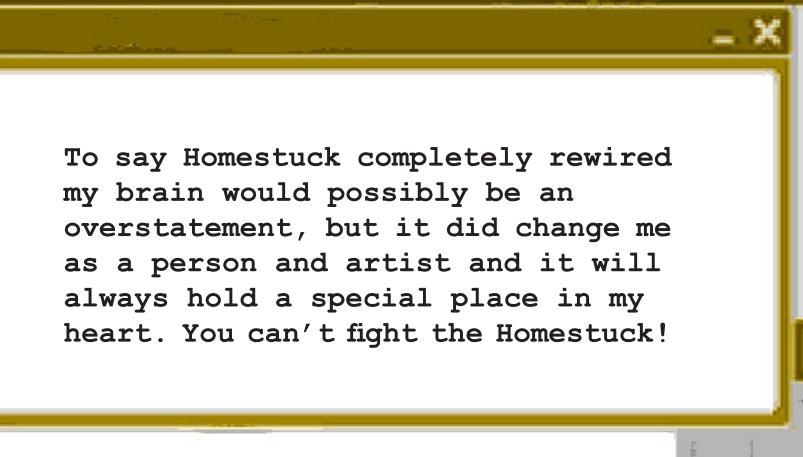
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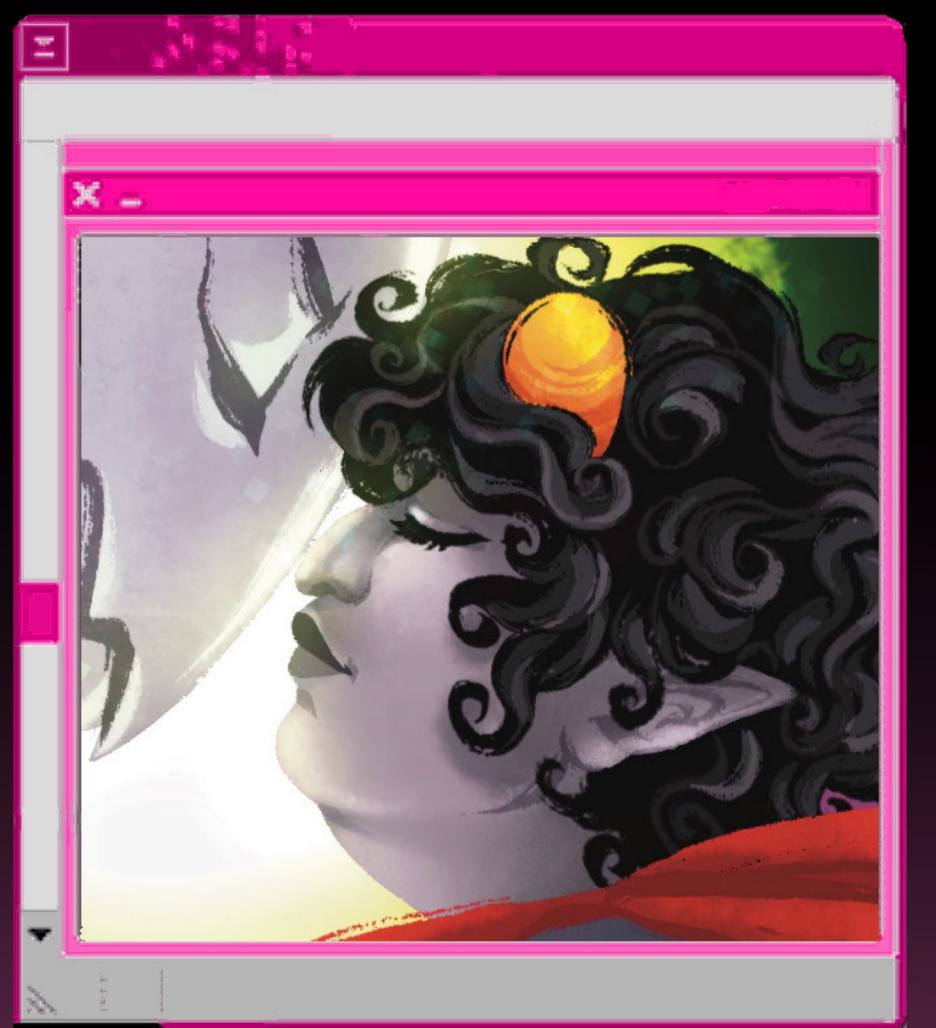
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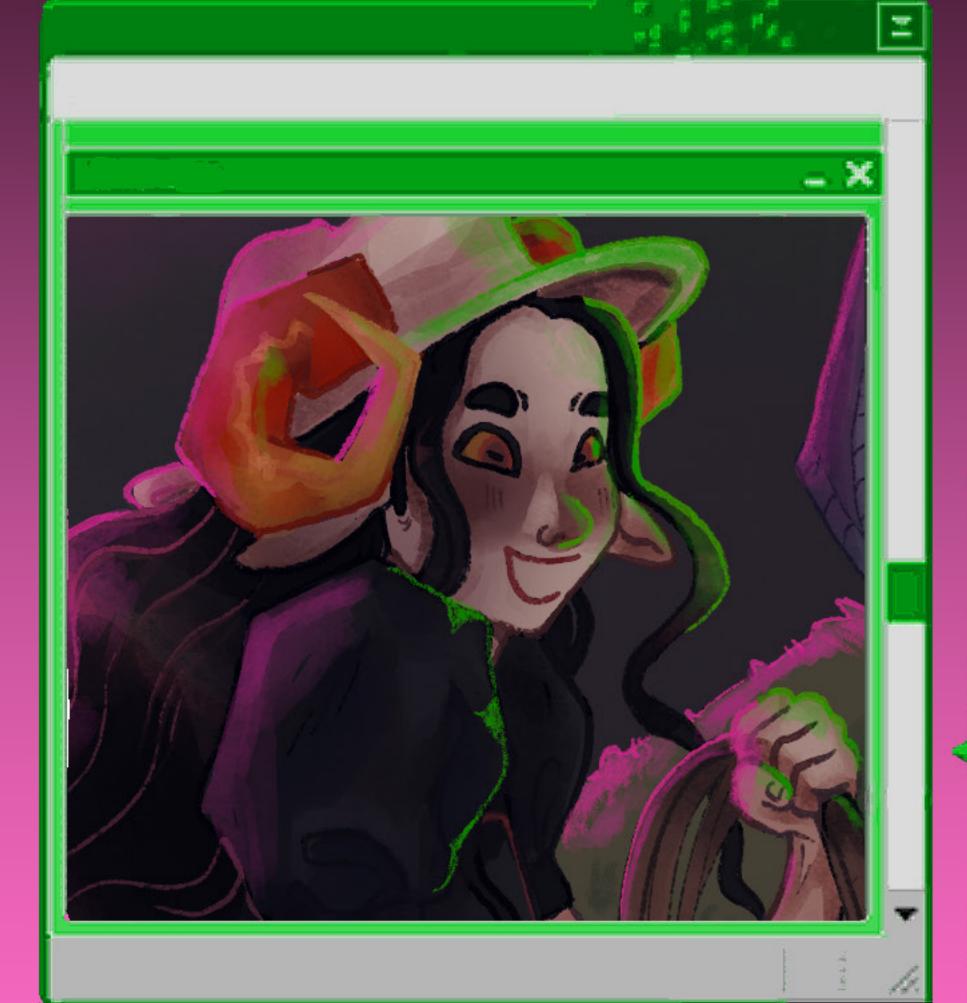




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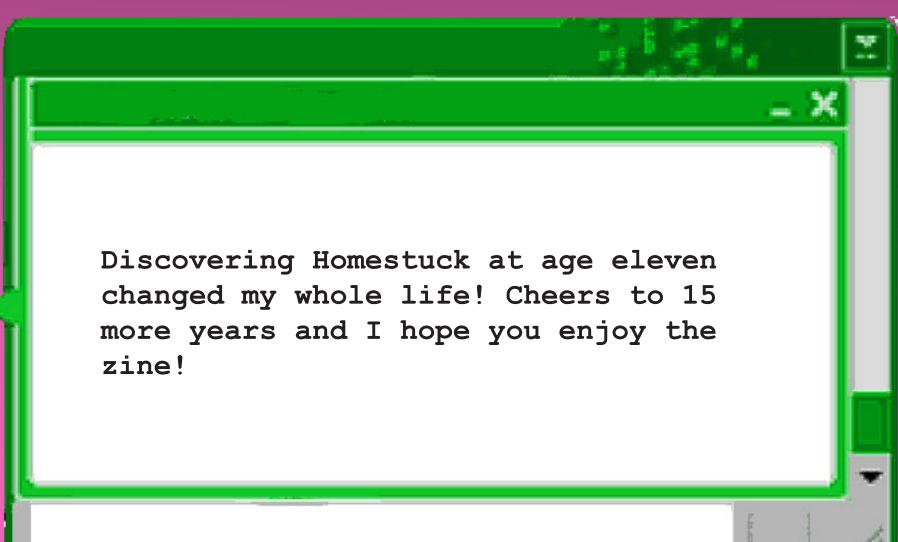
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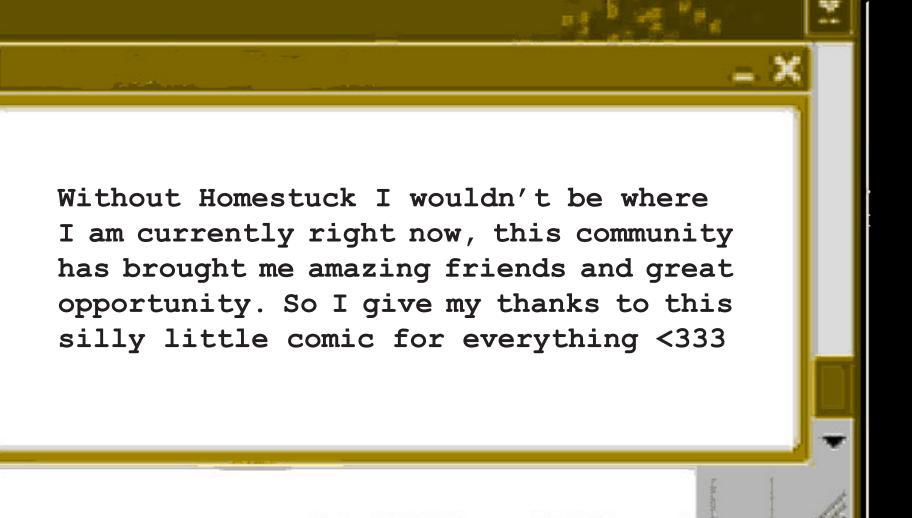
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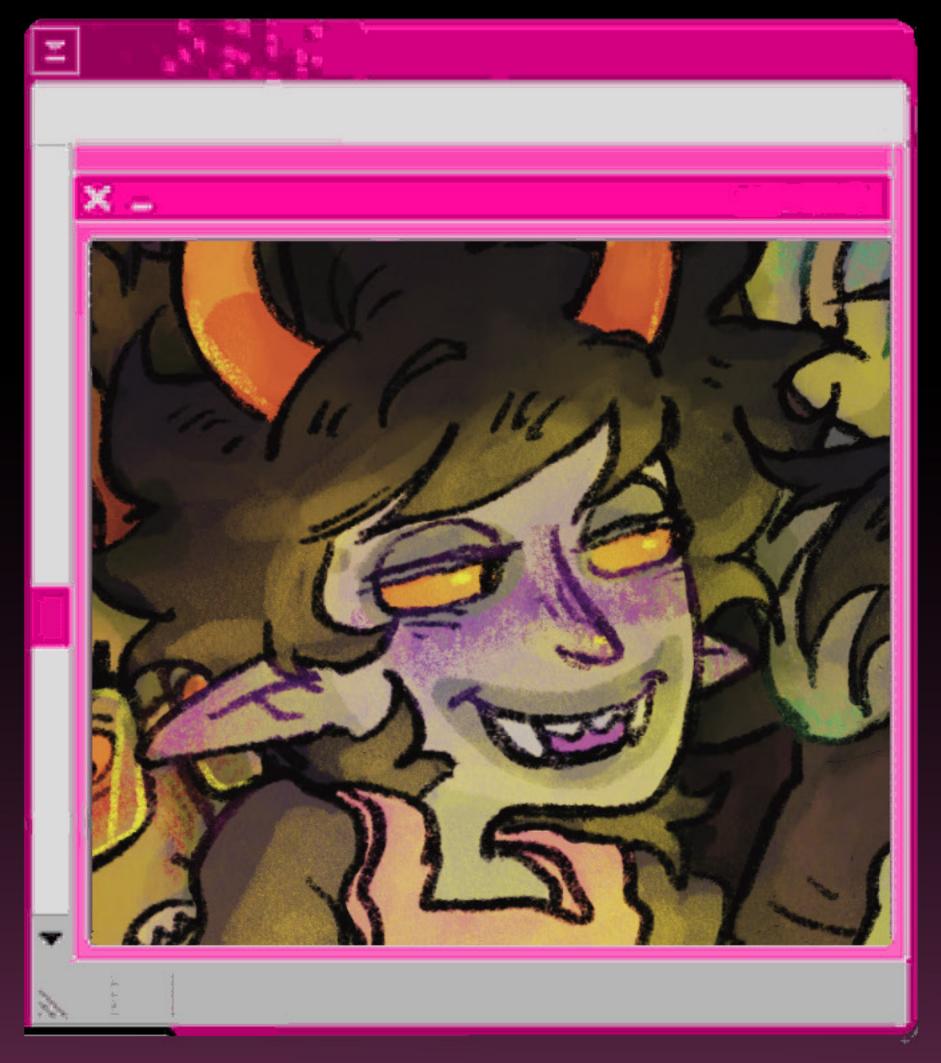
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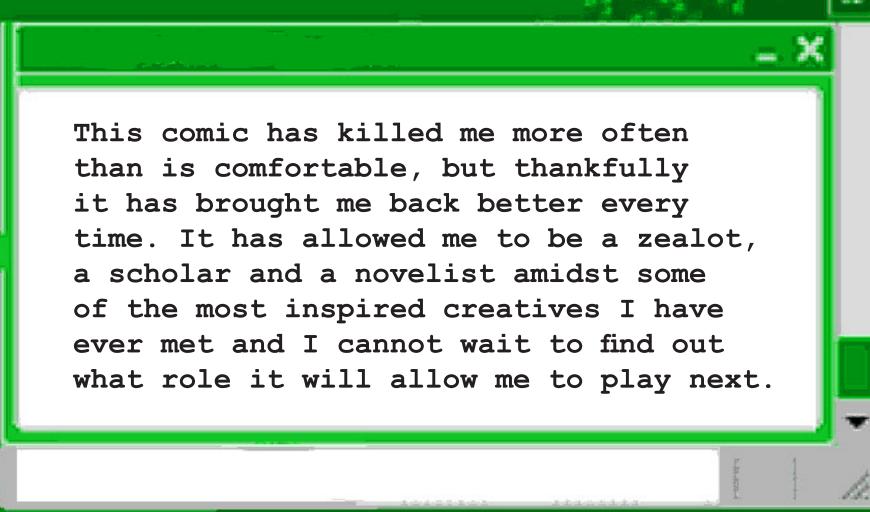
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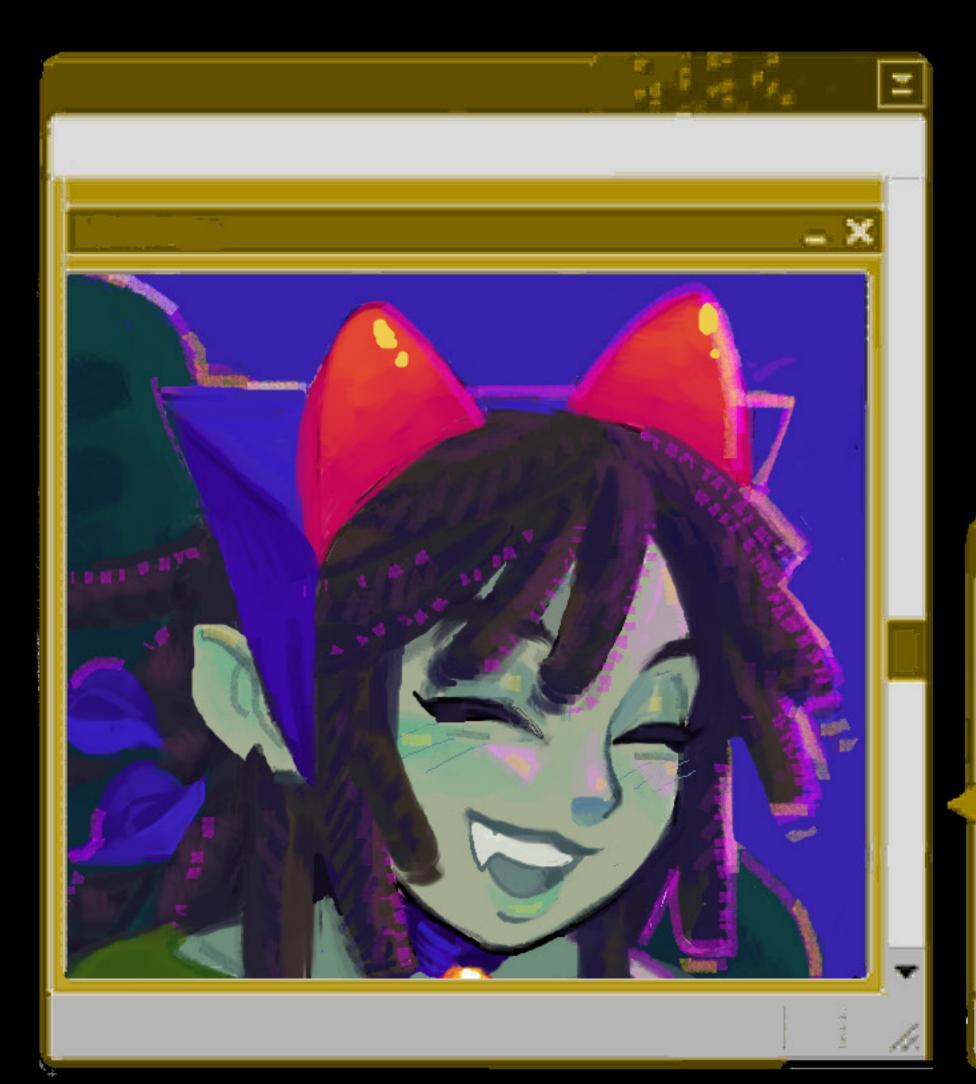




OUROBORISTA

ouroboros.cafe (website)





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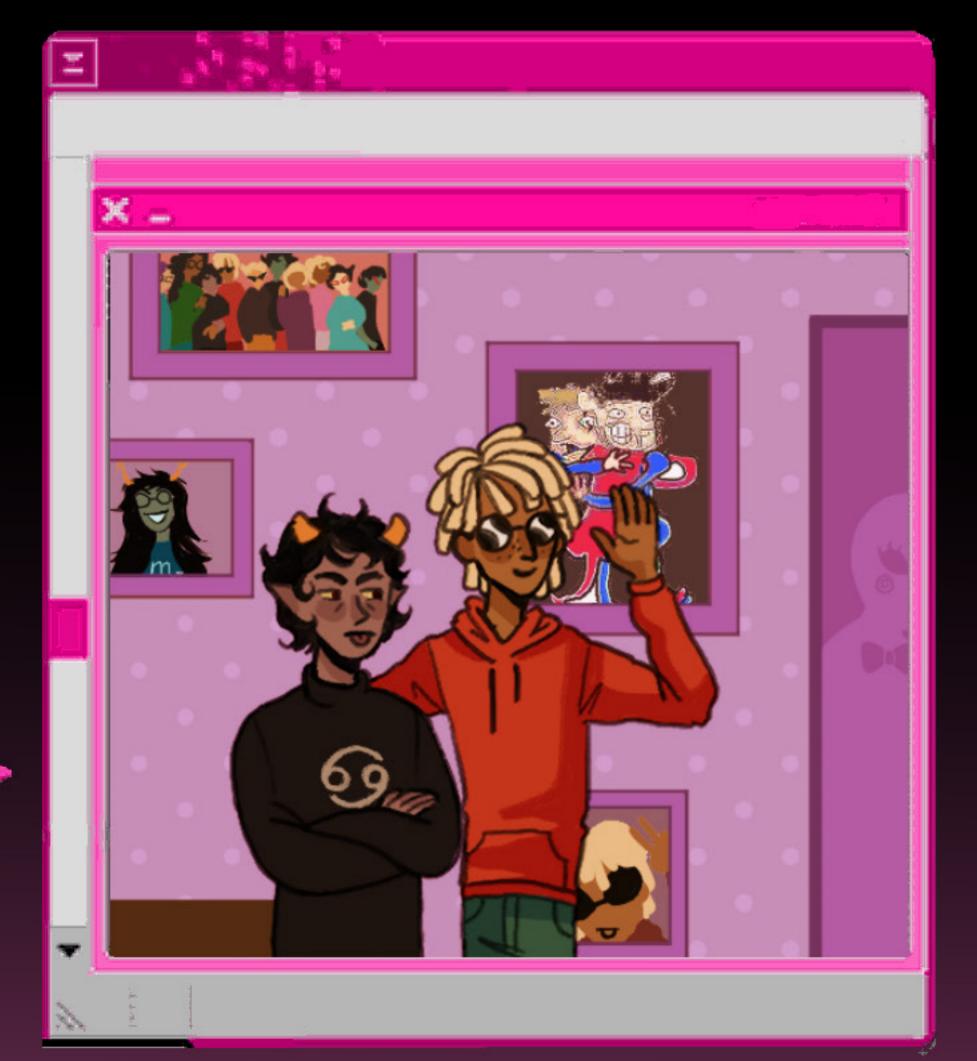
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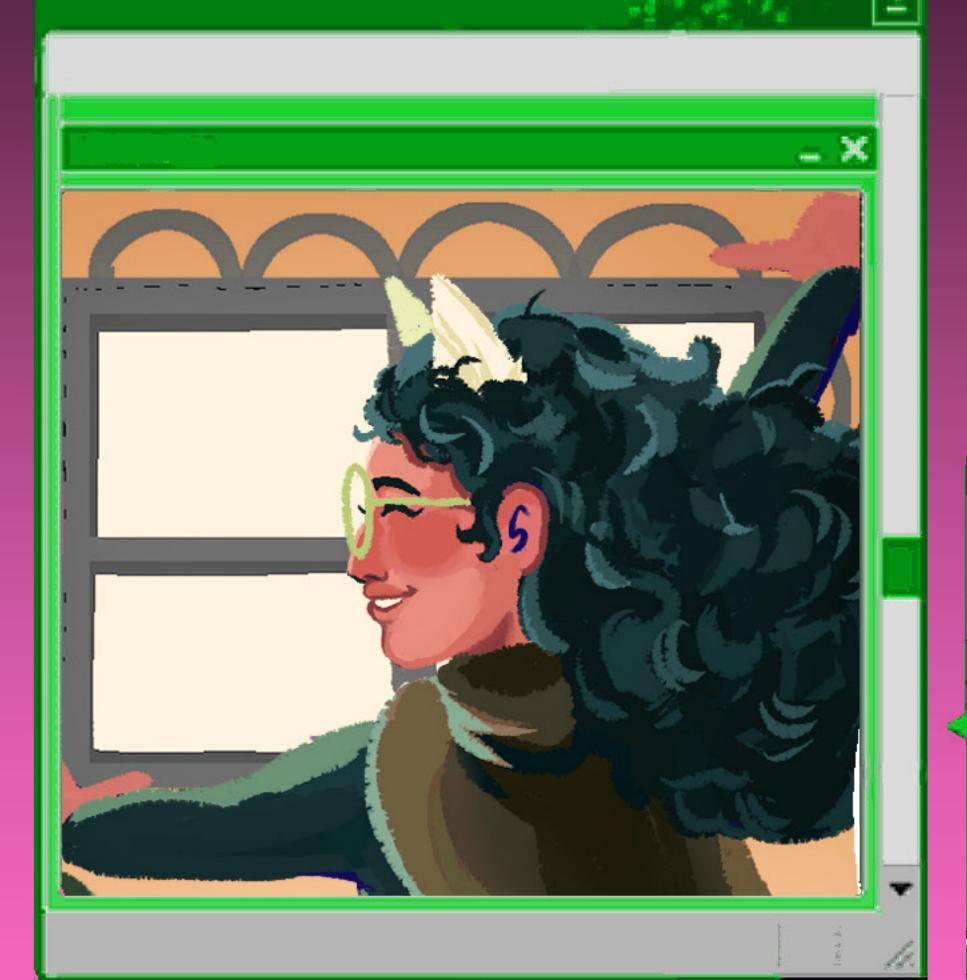
Homestuck has led me to many close friends, happy memories, and much improvement, art-wise! It sounds a bit silly to say, but this silly webcomic is something I hold dear, having been in the fandom for over a decade.



scrapoddles (tumblr/instagram)

I've been a homestuck fan since I was 13 (which is, coincidentally, also when I was given a name), and I'm thrilled that I've finally got the art skills to participate in the cool fandom stuff that I used to admire so much. Creating content for a piece of media I love (and consuming content... perhaps obsessively) has helped me grow so much as an artist and writer. Thanks, silly little homestuck people!

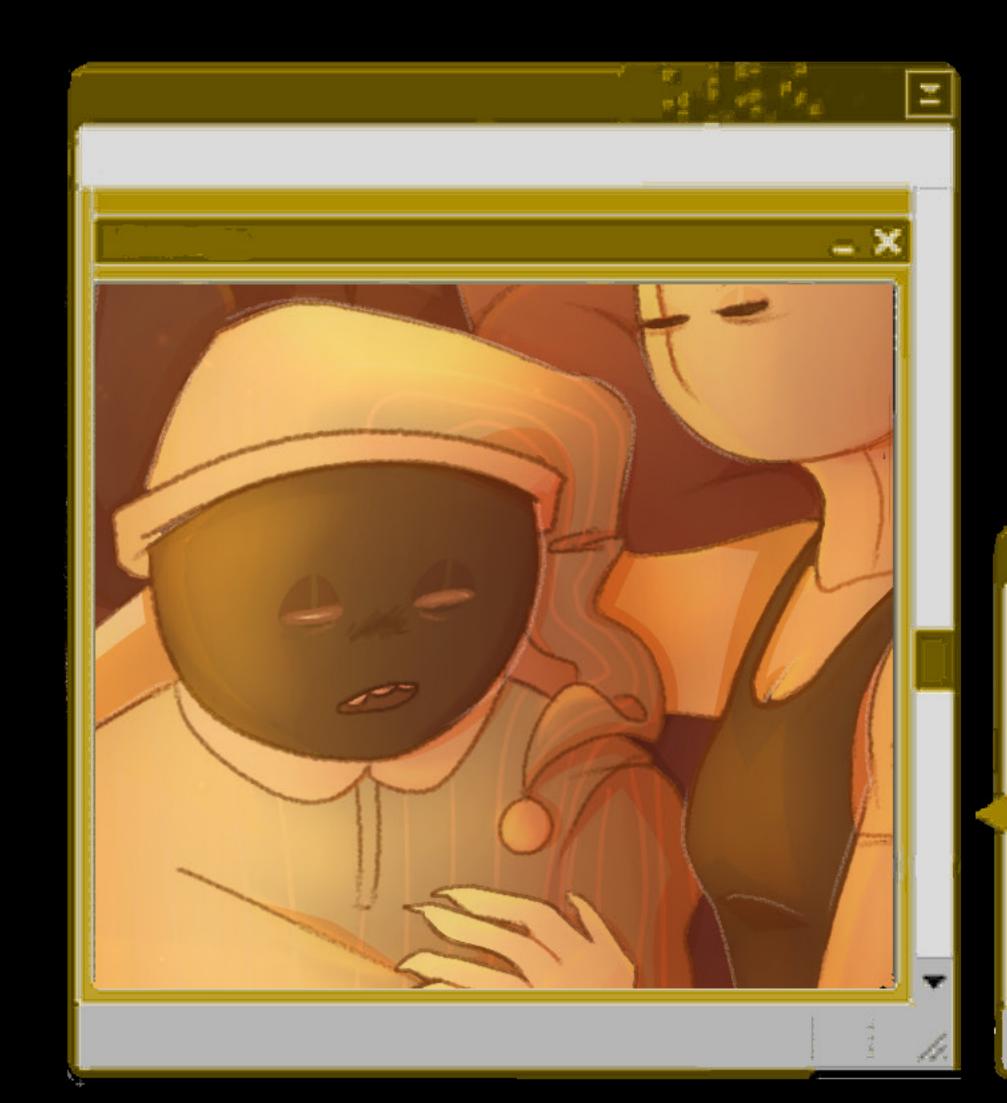




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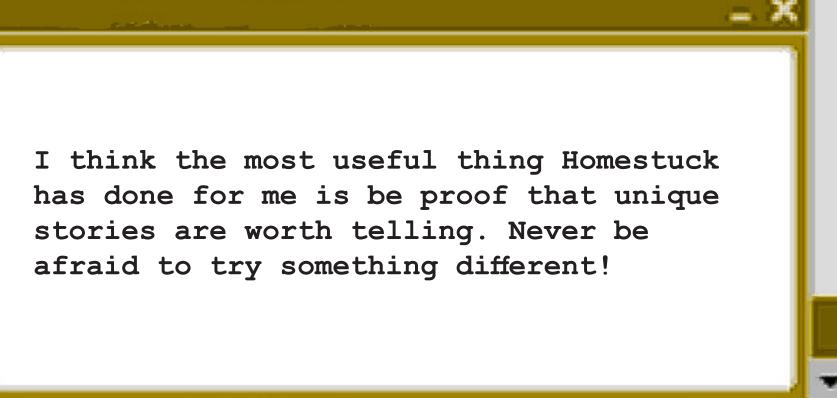
kindlestuck (twitter)
kindlesparkk (instagram)
kindlespark (tumblr/bluesky)

I got into Homestuck when I was 15 years old. I'm 24 as of writing, and I'm not joking when I say it fundamentally changed my brain chemistry. It solidified my love for complex queer female characters, and the fandom is one of the most fulfilling and creatively inspiring communities I've ever seen; an energy I now try to bring to every other fandom I join. I'll be here for life!



#### RADZCATZ

radzcatz (tumblr/bluesky/cara)



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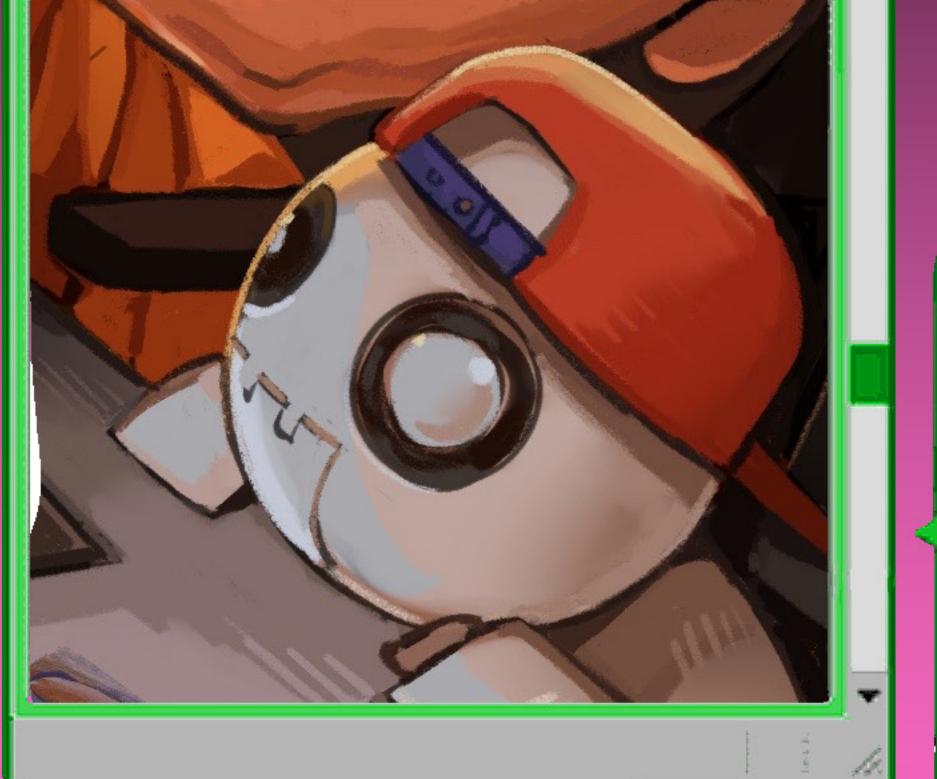
karkat (tumblr)
eggxie2 (twitter)

At 13, my best friend and I discovered mspaintadventures.com. I owe both my longest-standing friendship and my love of drawing to this silly, ridiculous, brainaltering comic. Thanks, Homestuck.



#### ISAAC JOEY

hamsterdads (tumblr/instagram) rotationcube (twitter)

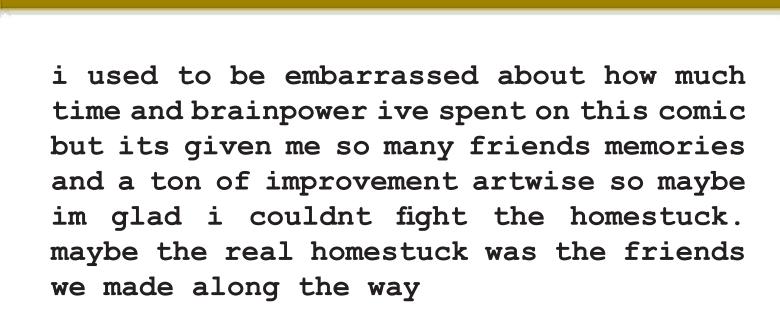


I discovered Homestuck about 10 years ago and came back because a dear friend of mine was re-reading it! It's always been something I've shared & bonded over with others, and for that, Homestuck has a special place in my heart.



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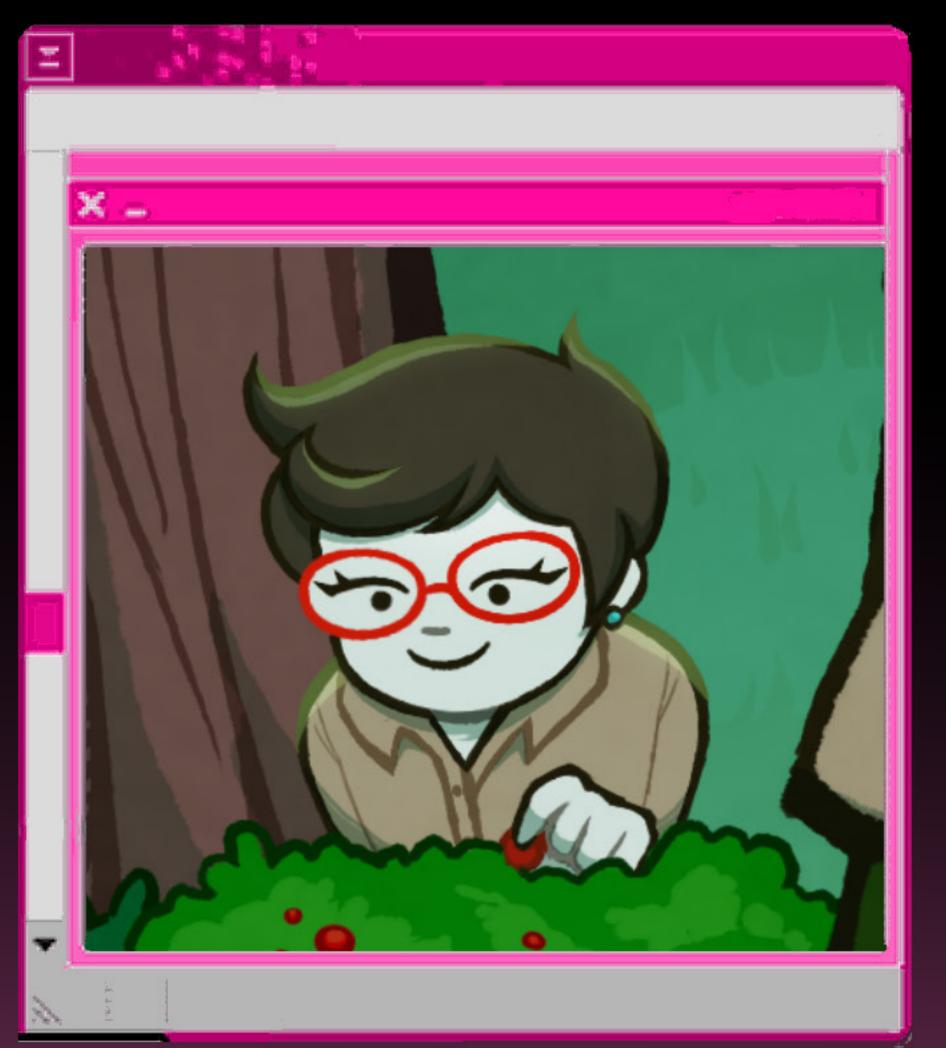
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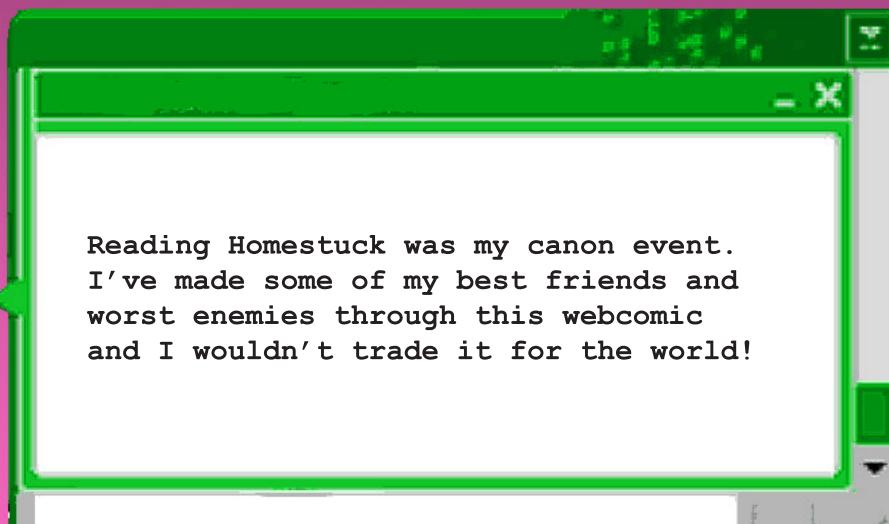
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#### MELI

buzzingRoyalty (tumblr/twitter/instagram)



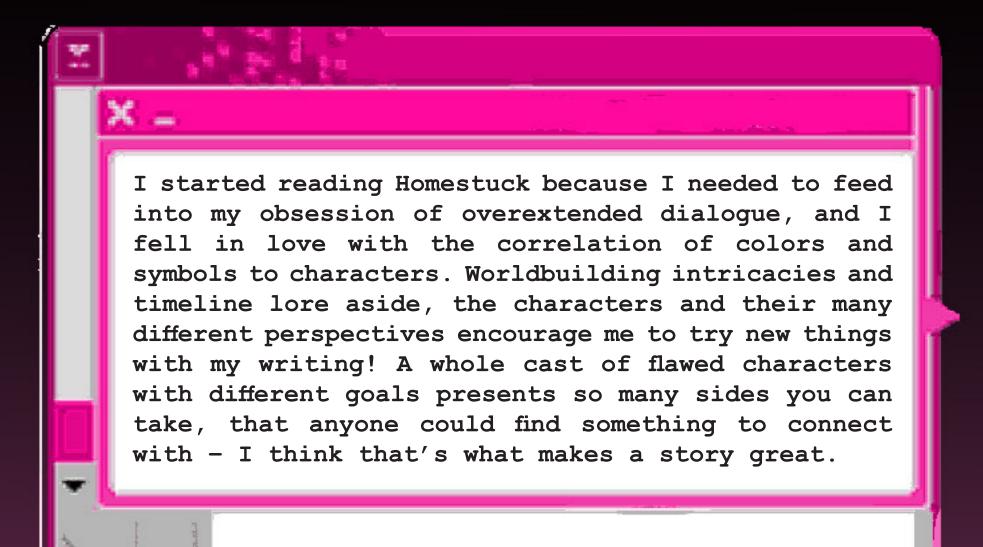


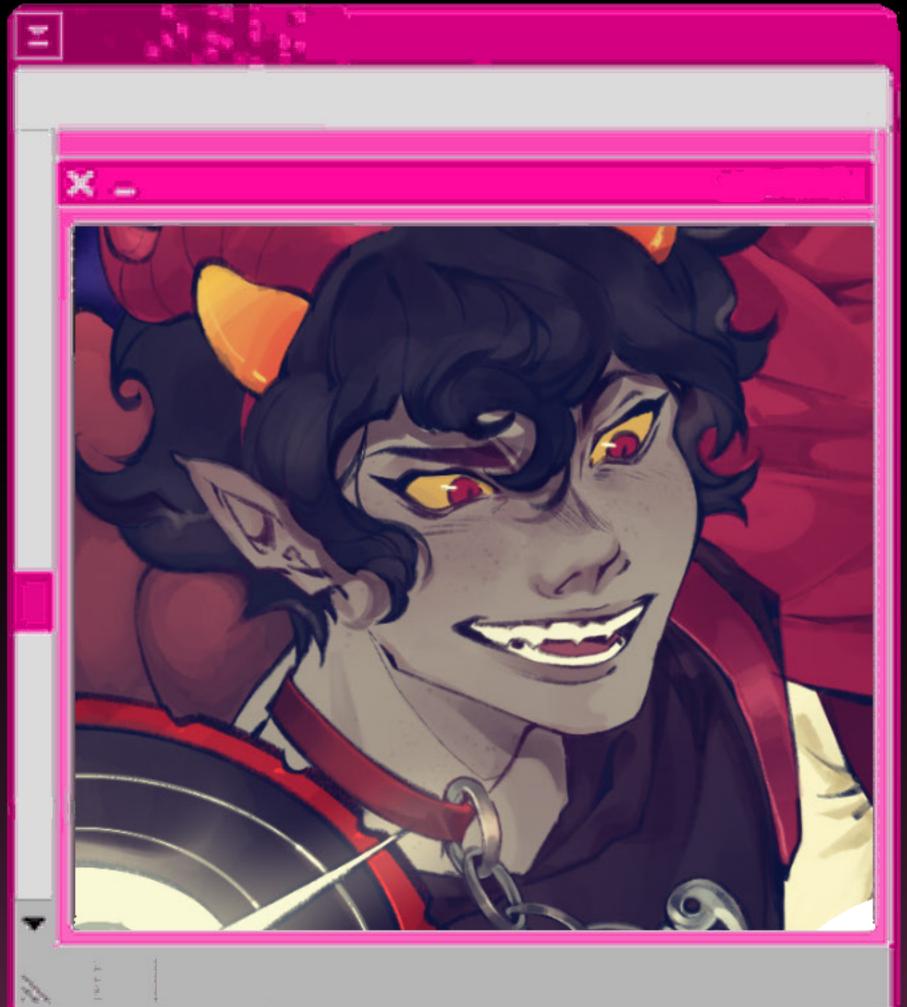
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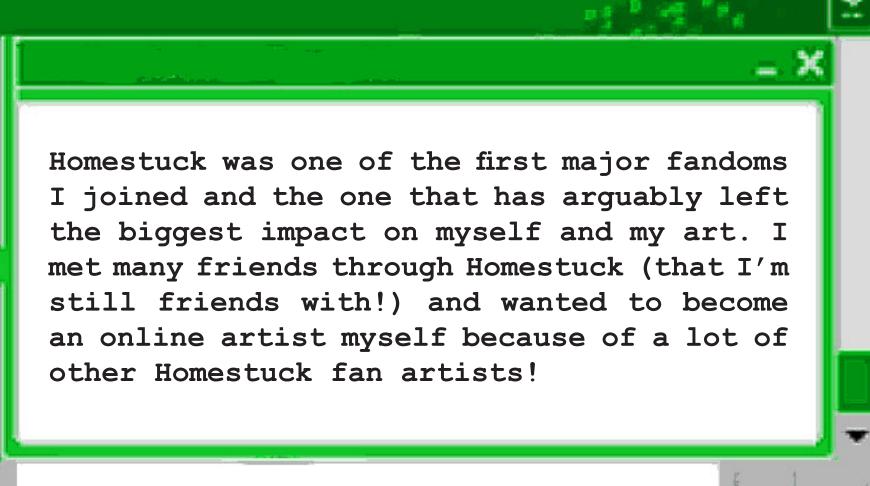
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mezzeerie (tumblr)

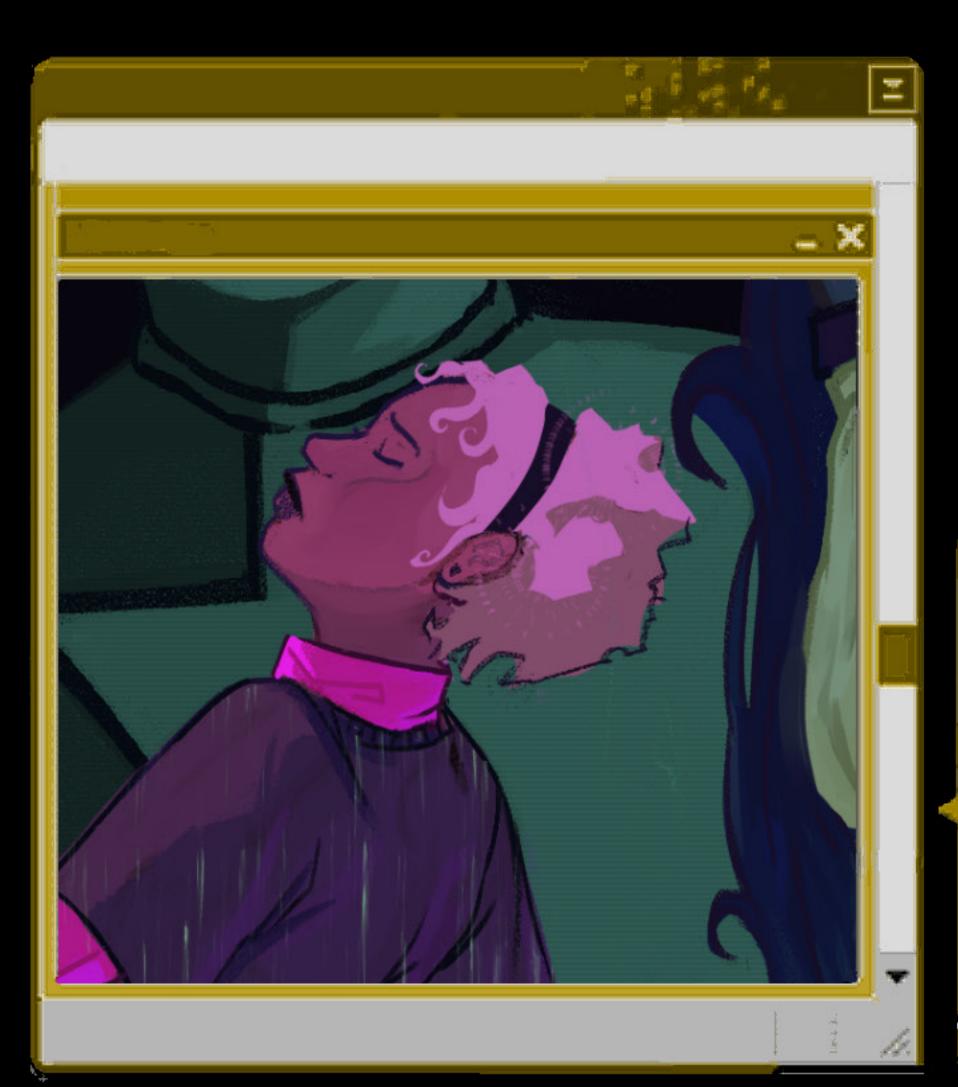




#### CHARLZ

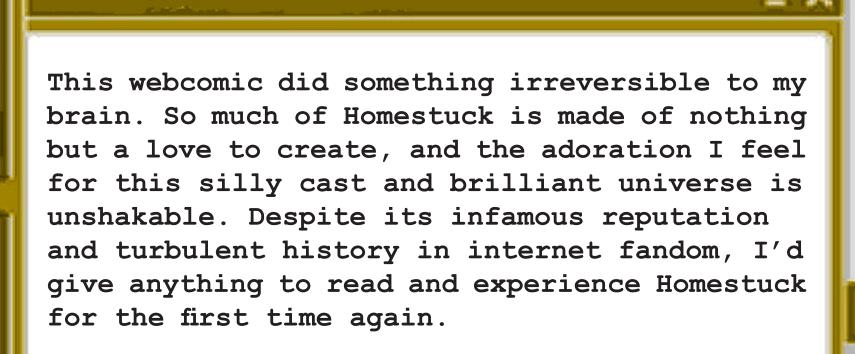
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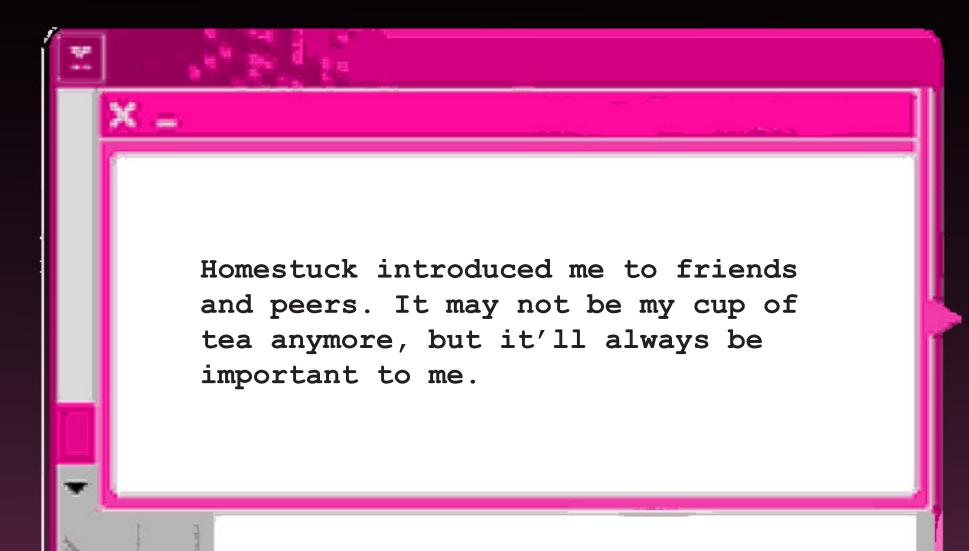
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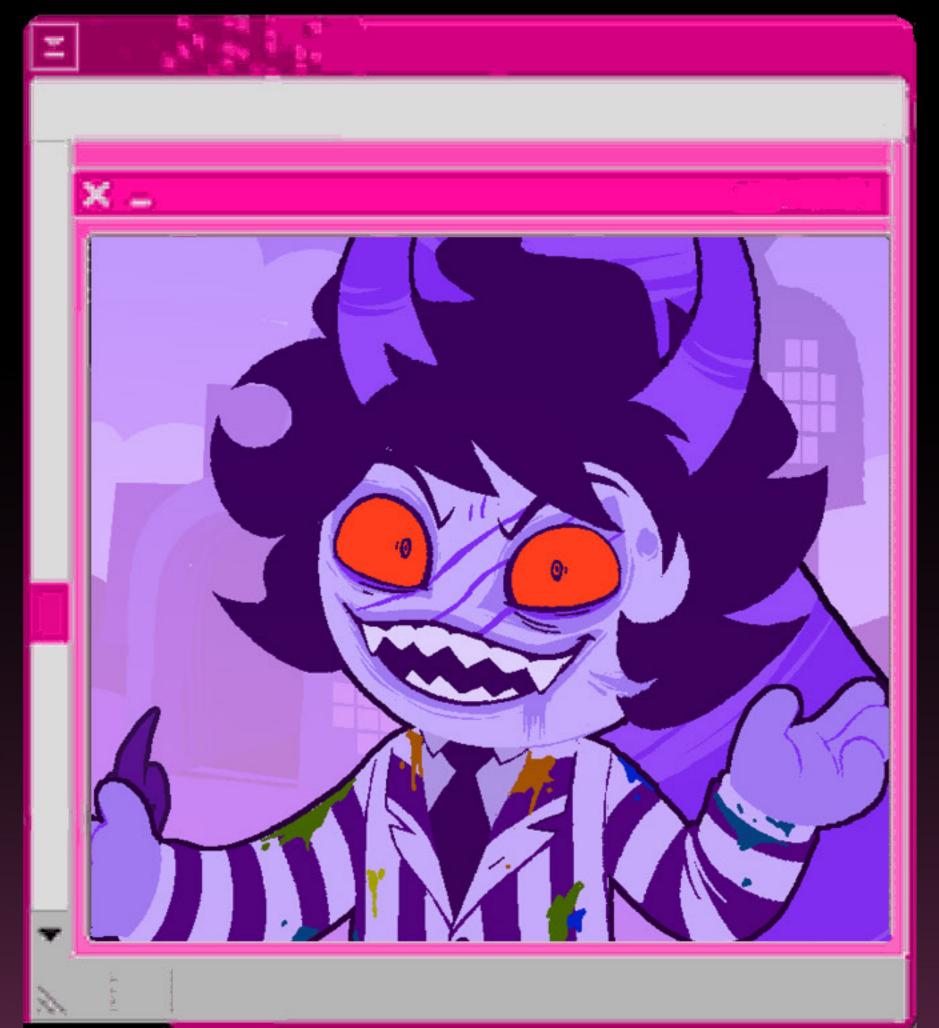
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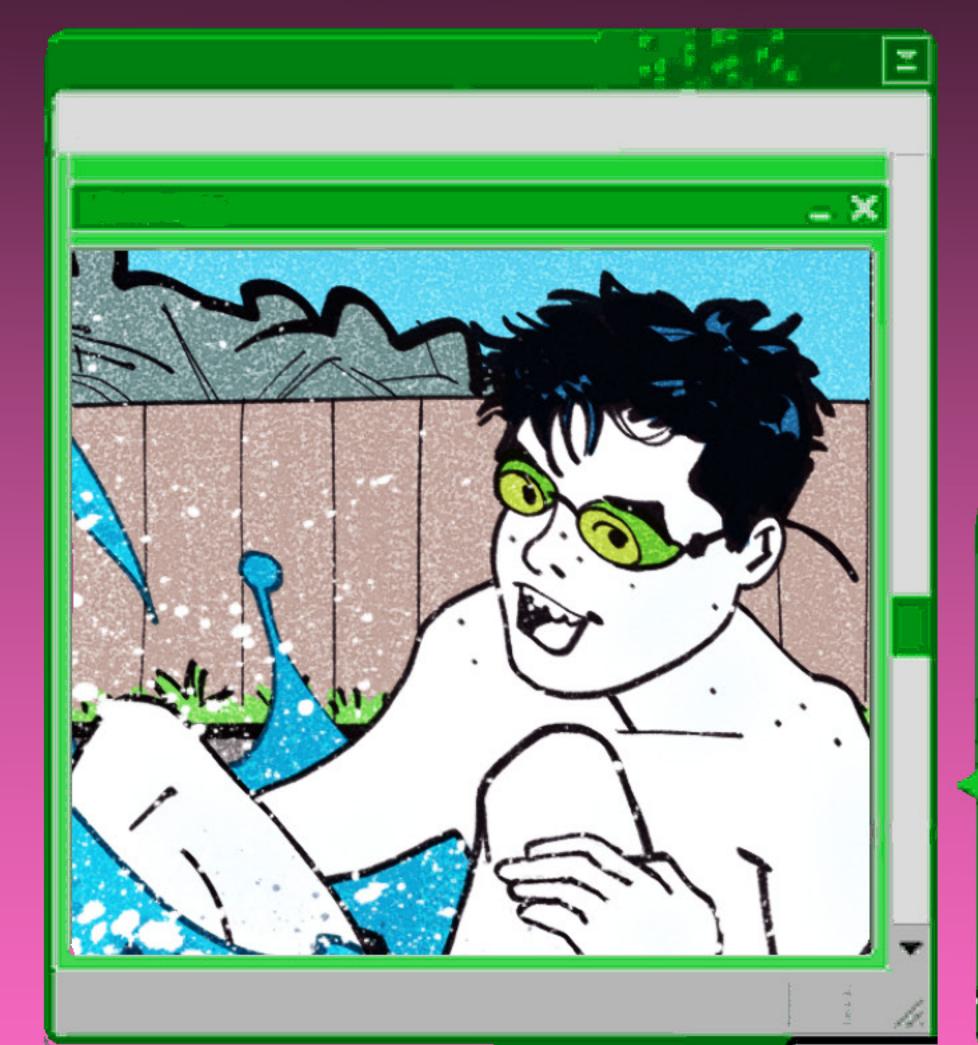




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onlykarkat (twitter)

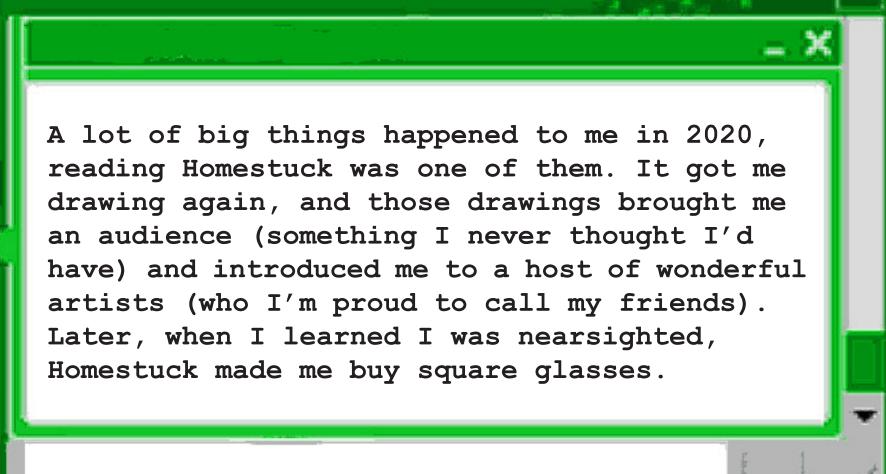






#### DEACON BLUES

protagonist\_of (twitter)
deacblues (tumblr)





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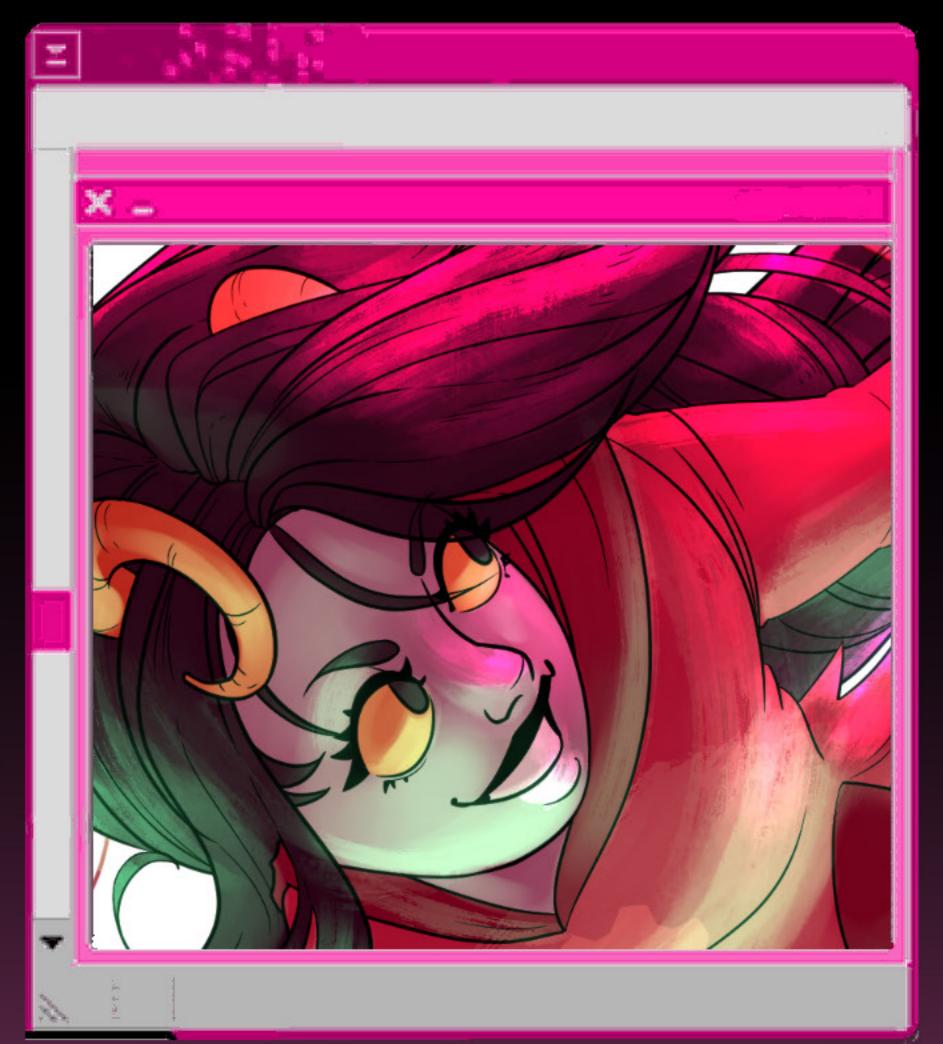
indigonite0 (twitter)
indigonite (tumblr)

With an ambitious story and unbelievably creative fans, this comic has, no doubt, left its mark on the lives of many - mine included. It caused irreversible damage to the way I look at zodiac signs, but I think that's a small price to pay for all the great memories. Wouldn't be where I am today without it.

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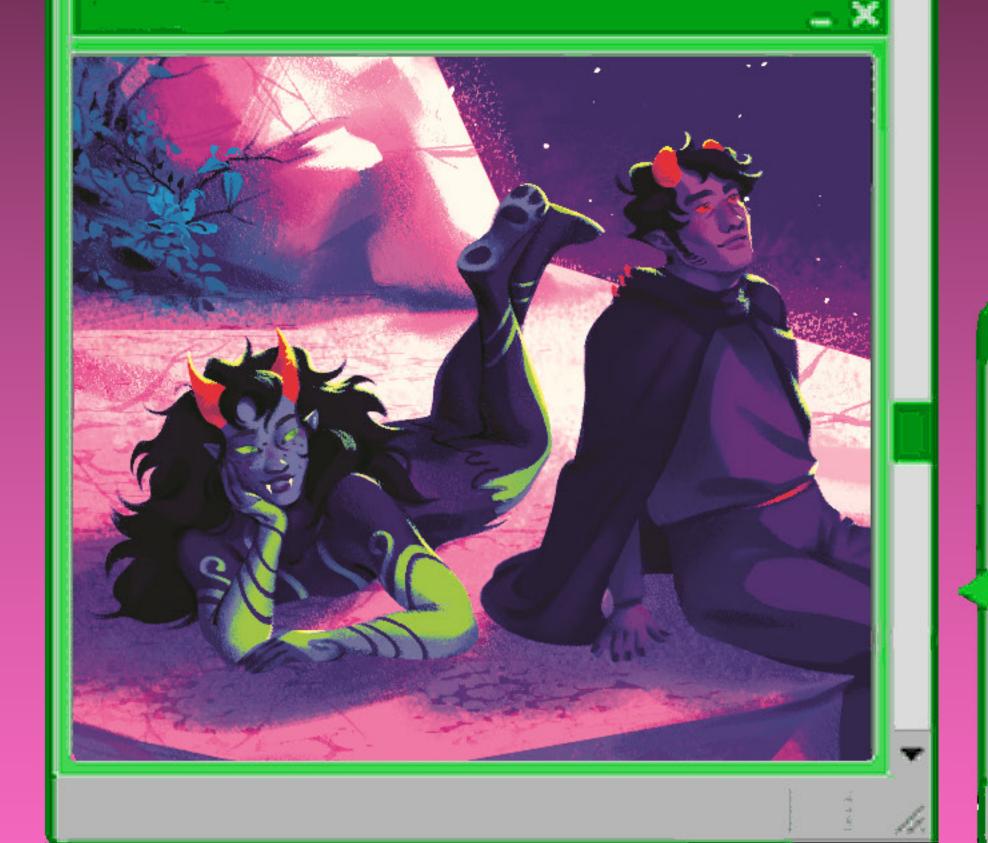
awkwarddoesanart (tumblr)

I still can't seem to escape this place after 5 years!! The Homestuck fandom been the main home for my artwork for a LONG time now an definitely the first place where I felt truly confident in my work. My piece itself is pretty self-indulgent, Aradia's always been my favourite character and I really enjoy working with flashy lights and chunky textures.

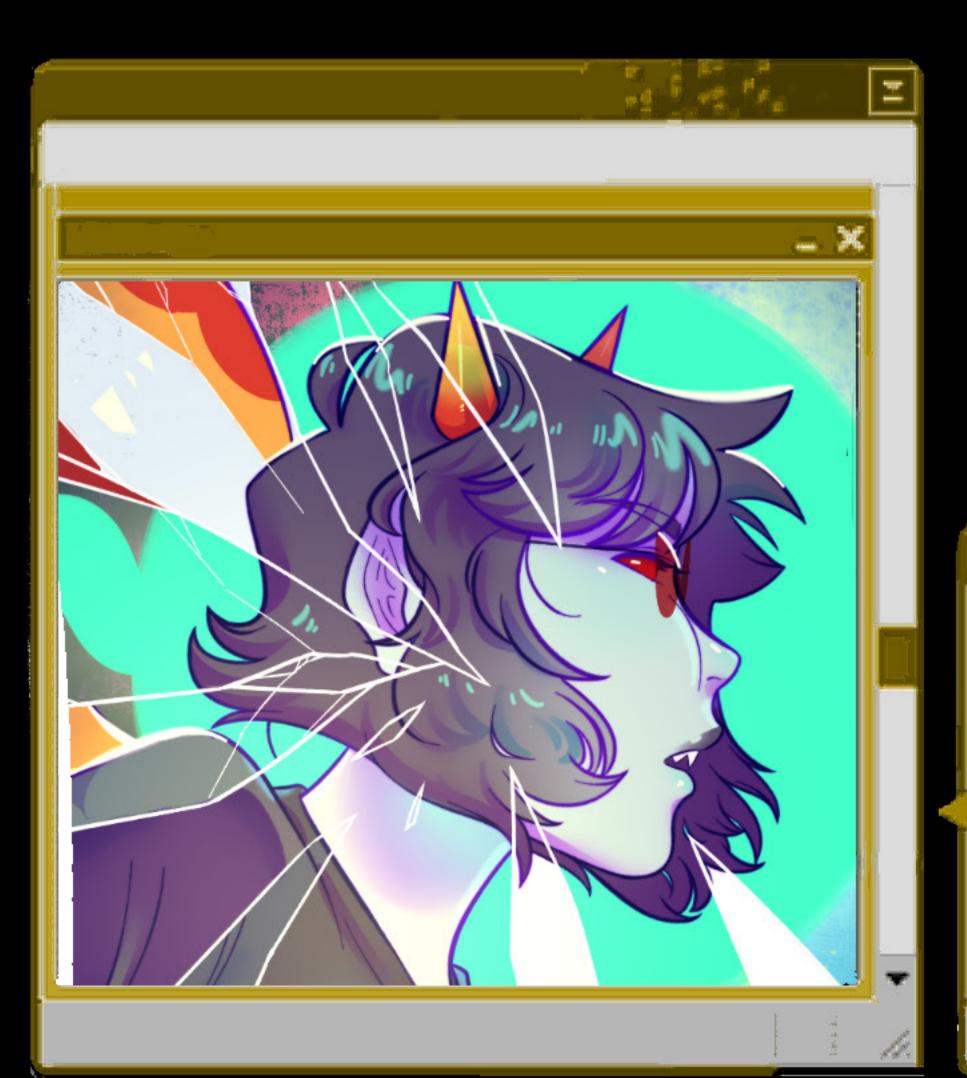


#### SOMA

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somrtins (instagram)

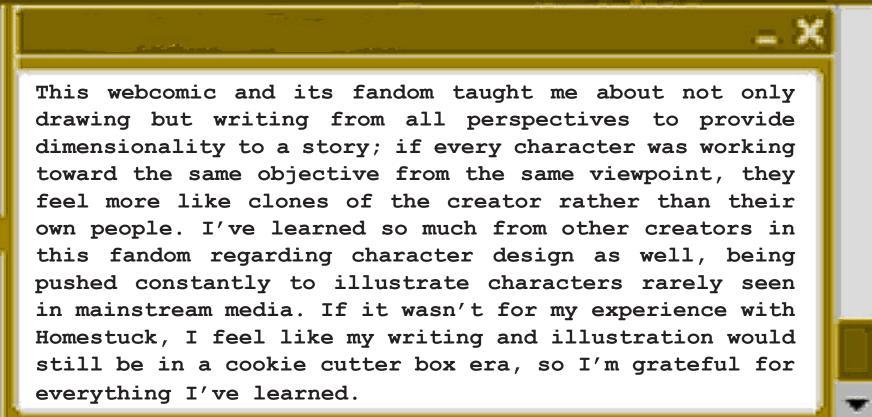


My homestuck phases may come and go, but I'm sure I'll always have a dedicated spot for it in my heart. I've made friends I'll always cherish and found many incredible artists because of it.



#### MAKARIOVERLORD

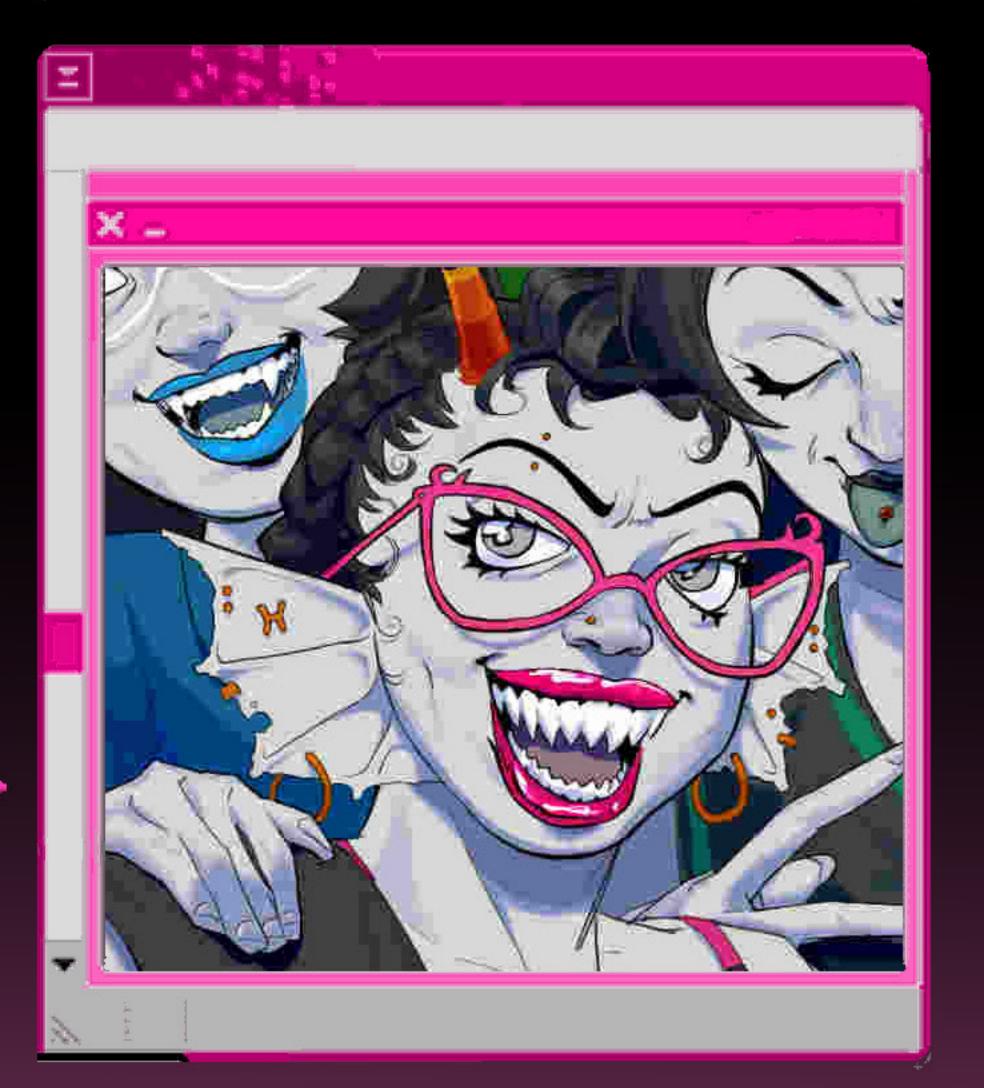
MAKANIOVERLORD (instagram/tumblr) hawtyuris (twitter)

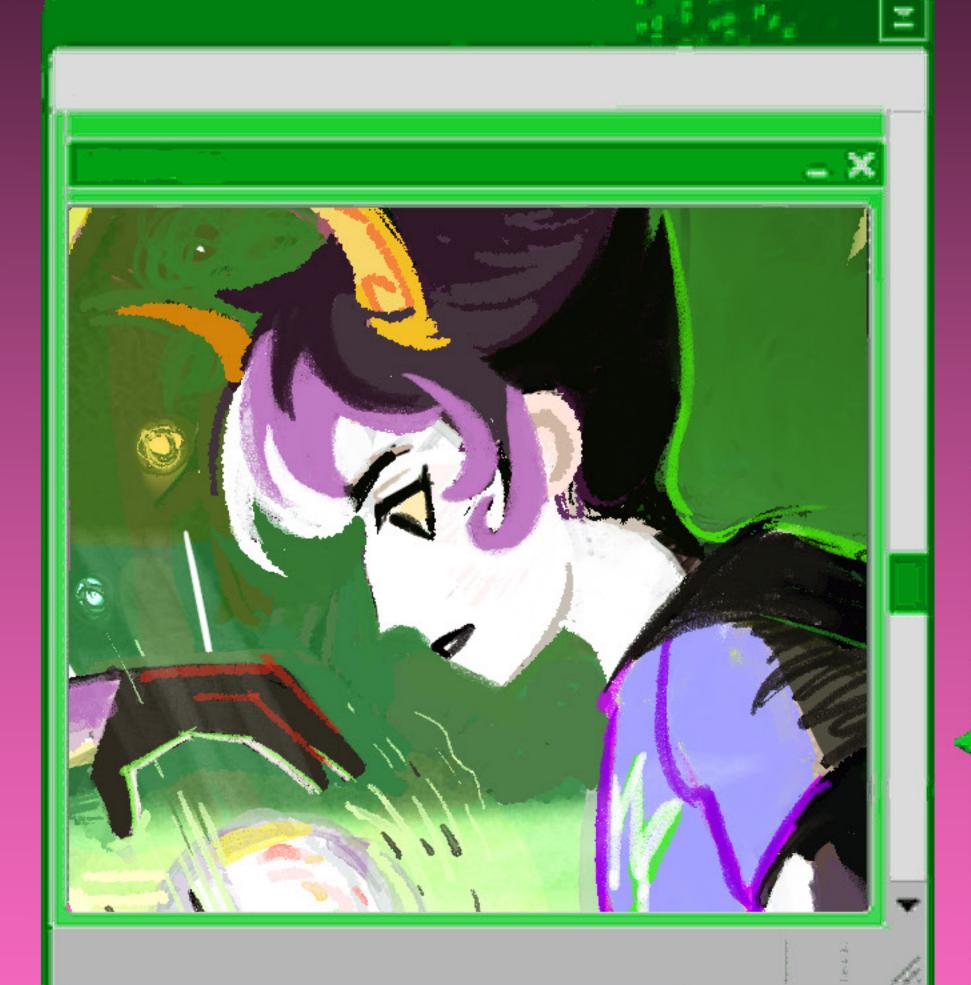




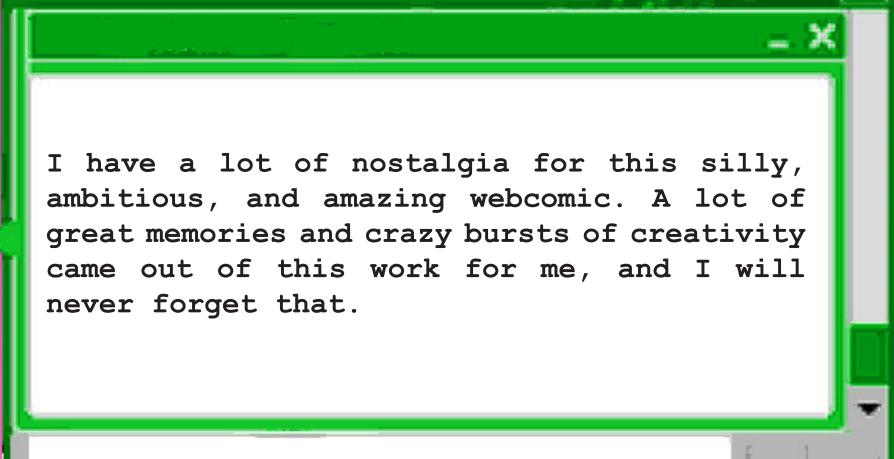
marinaraimpasta (twitter)

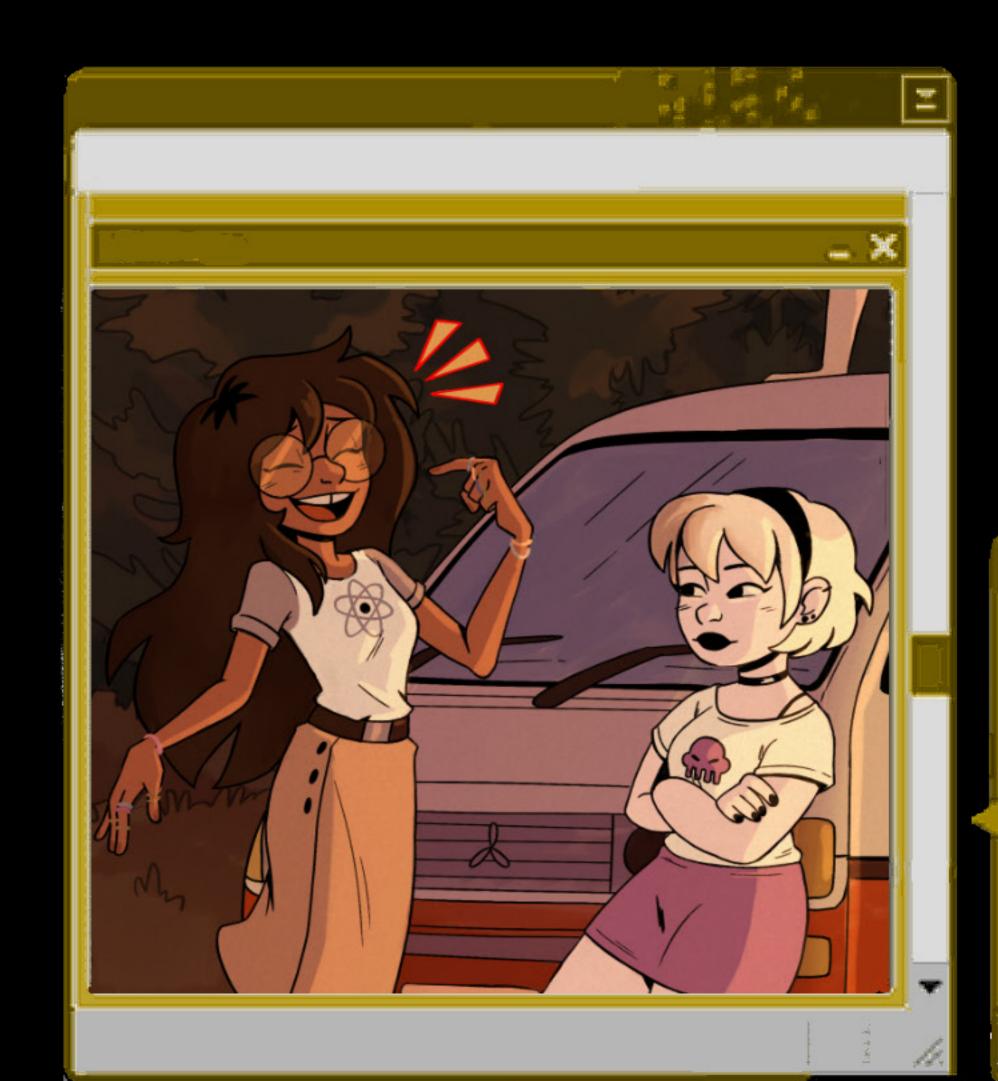
When I was 11 I got into homestuck because of all the memes and art I saw on deviantart and tumblr at the time. It really influenced the way I spoke and interacted with people, and as I got older it has latched onto me like a tumor.





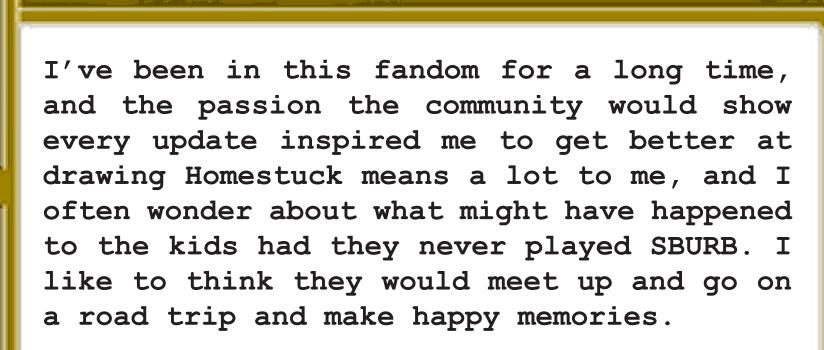
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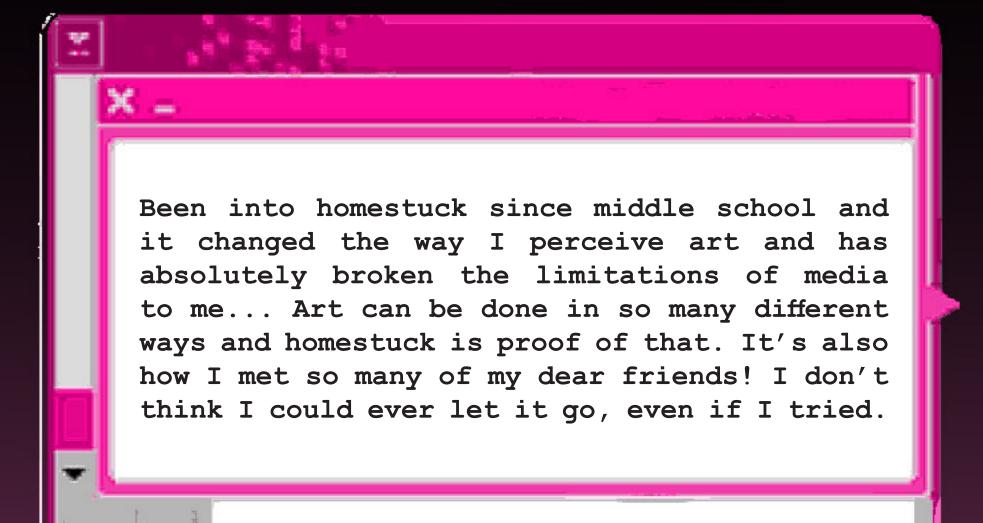
#### T0TR0

jojr0 (twitter/tumblr)
joj.draws.things (instagram)



#### SHARK

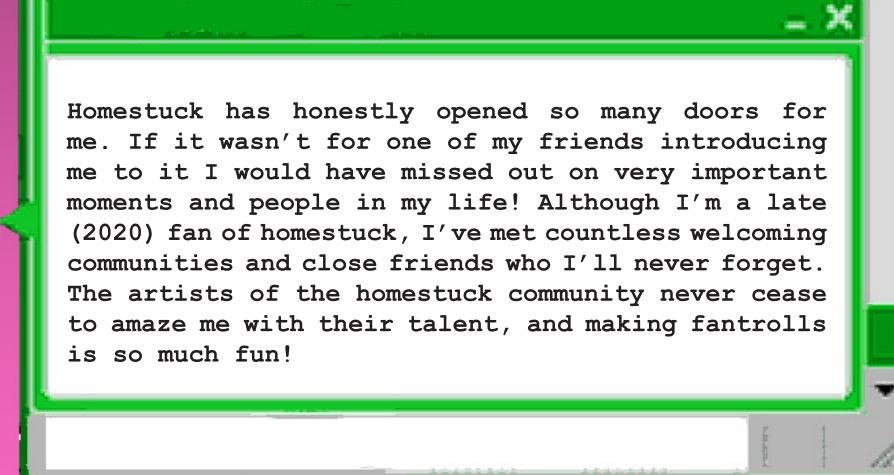
melonsharks (twitter/tumblr)
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#### FANGS

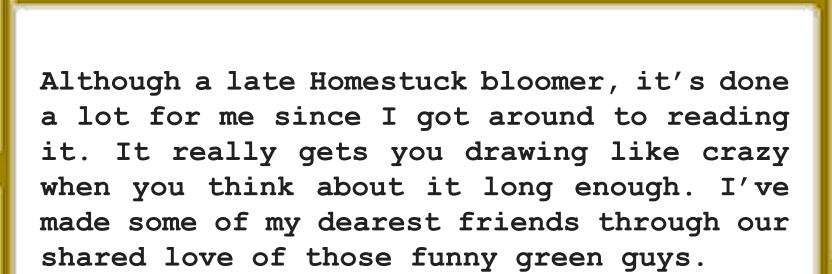
umefangs (twitter)





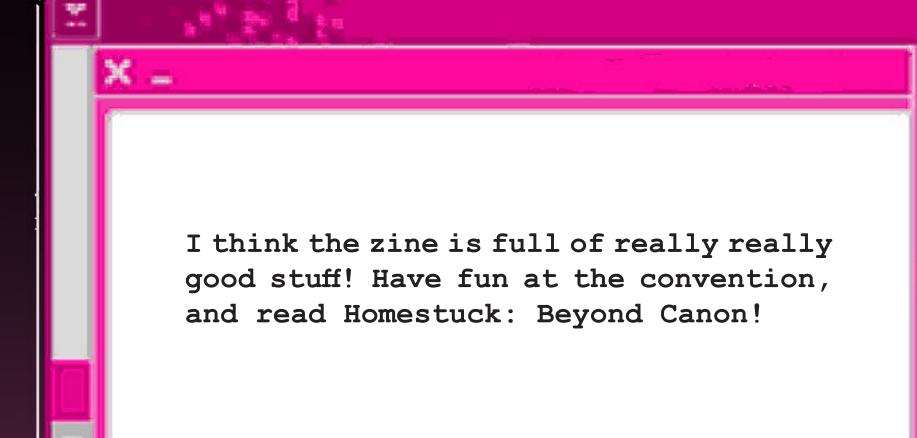
#### LOBSTERLOVER

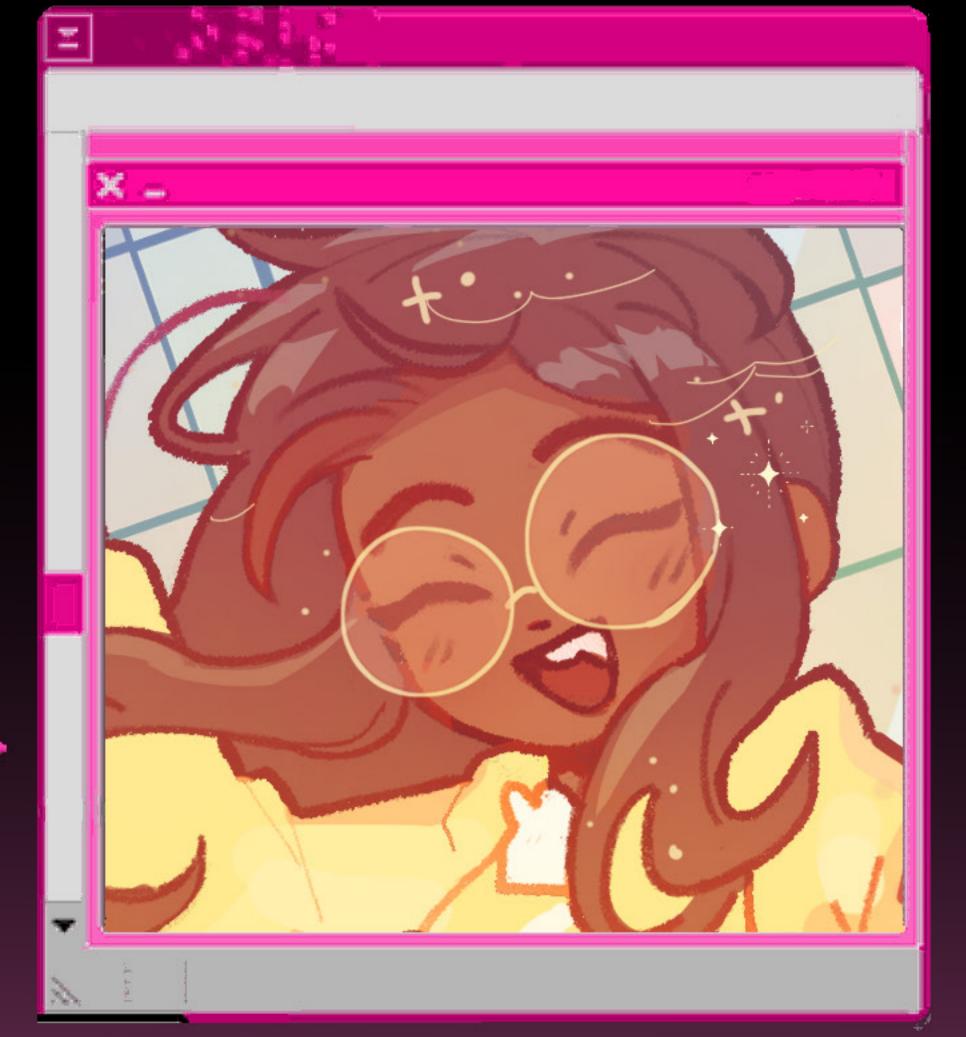
lobster-lover (tumblr)
lobsterlover (twitter)

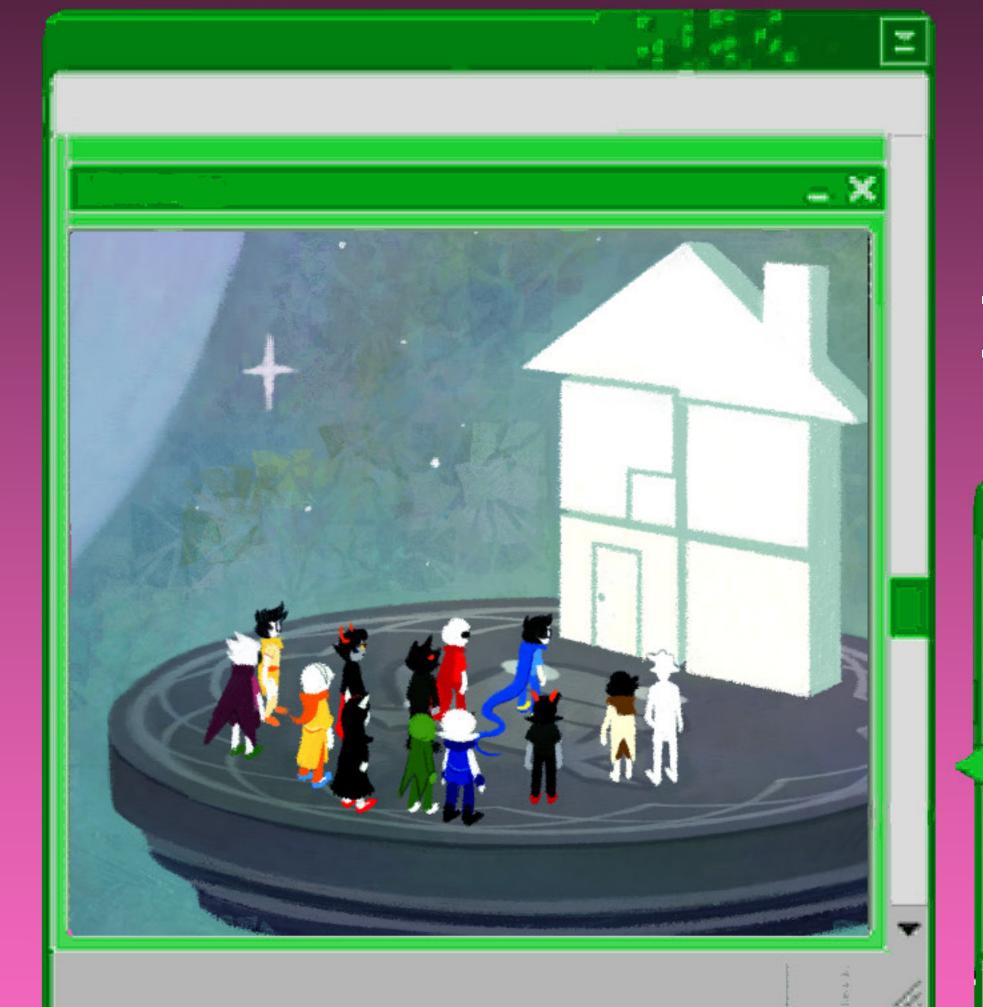




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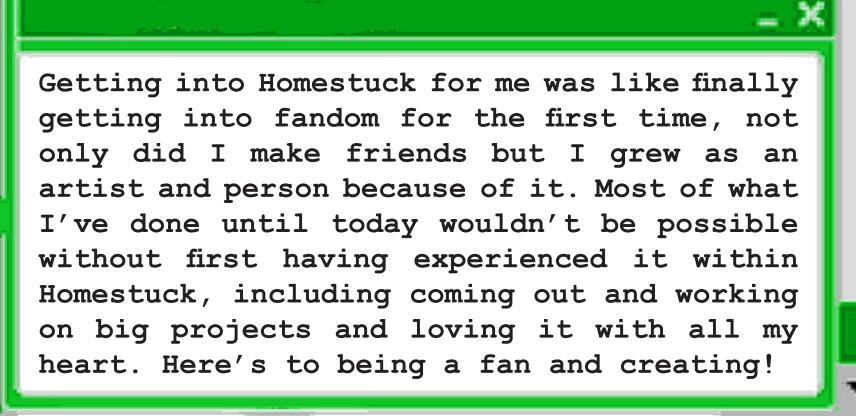


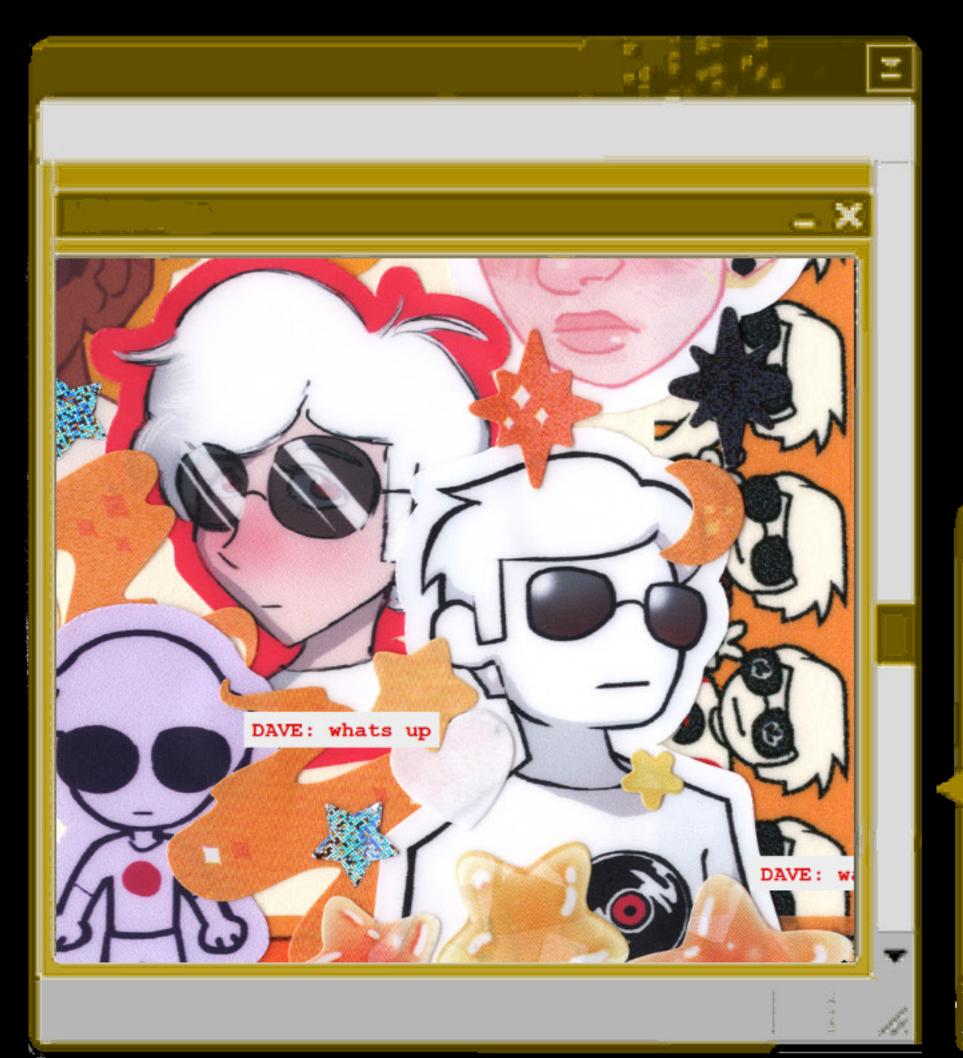




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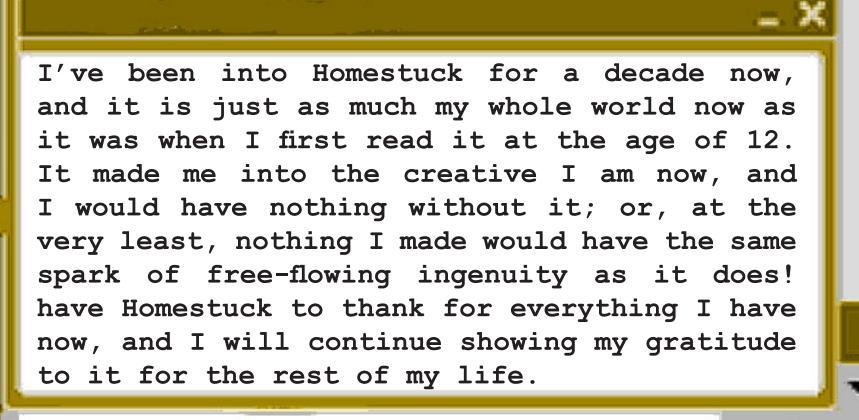
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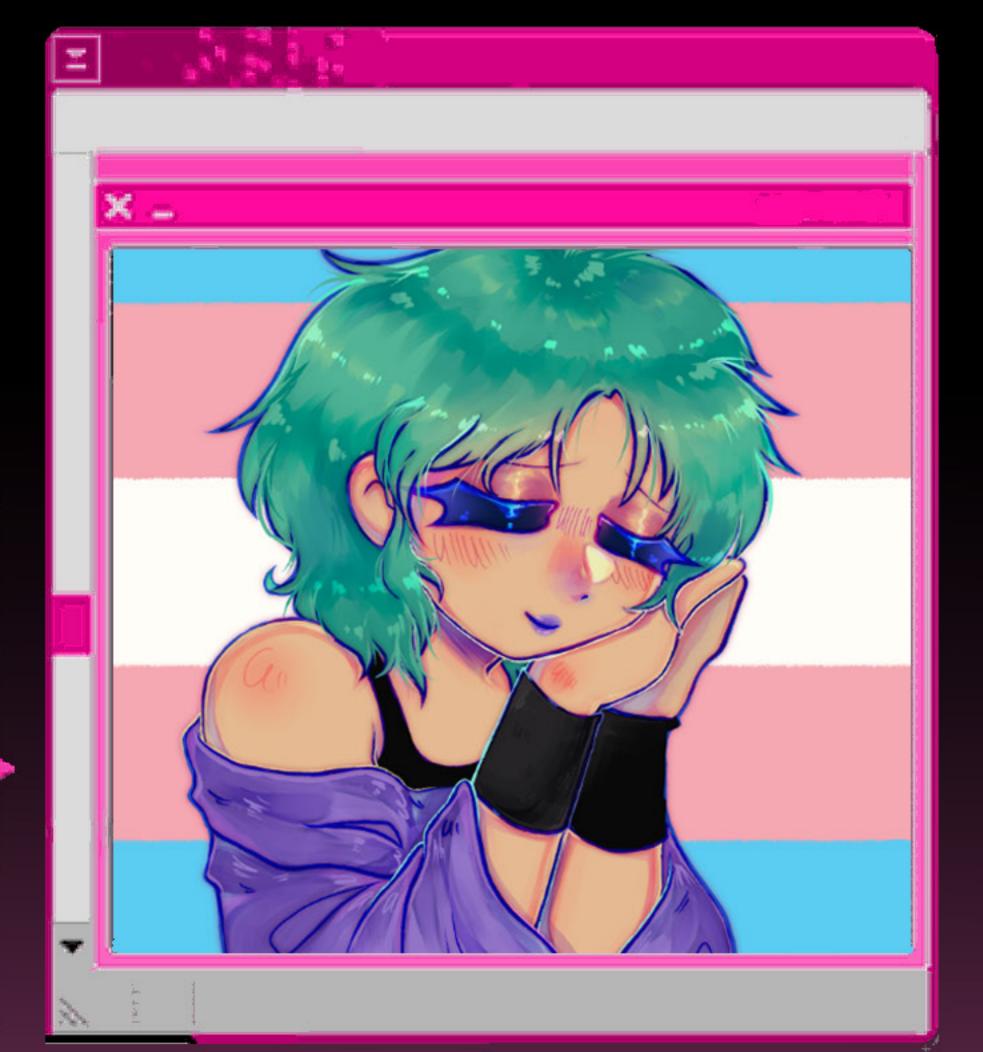
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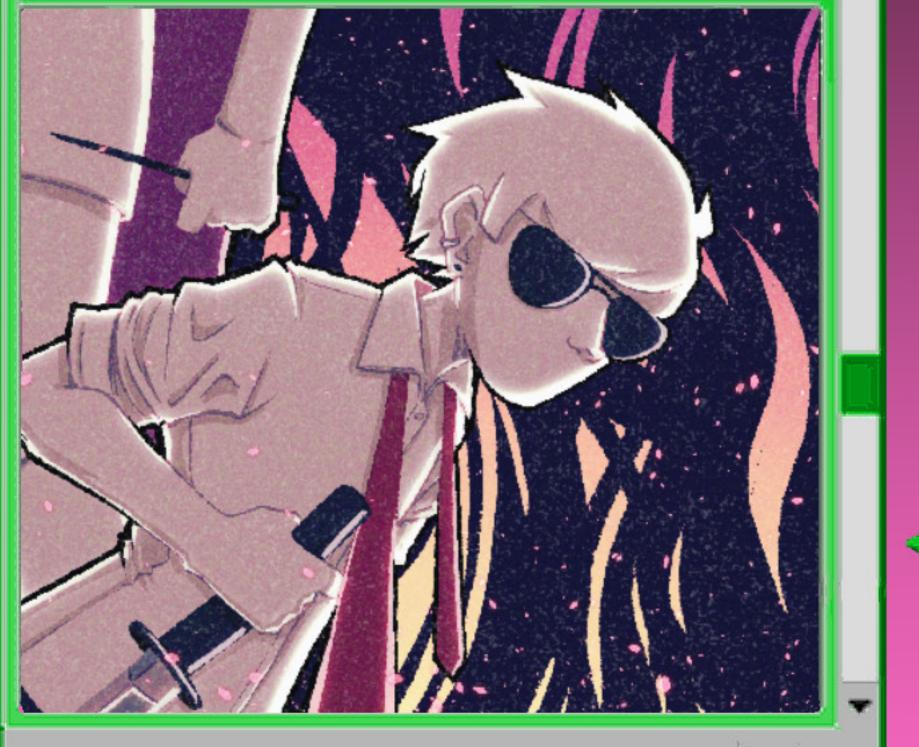
4-murasame(tumblr)

in the time since i was approached for this zine i've moved house, graduated, changed gender, found love, lost it again, and stopped being a fan of homestuck. jig saw was the biggest hero that the world will never know.

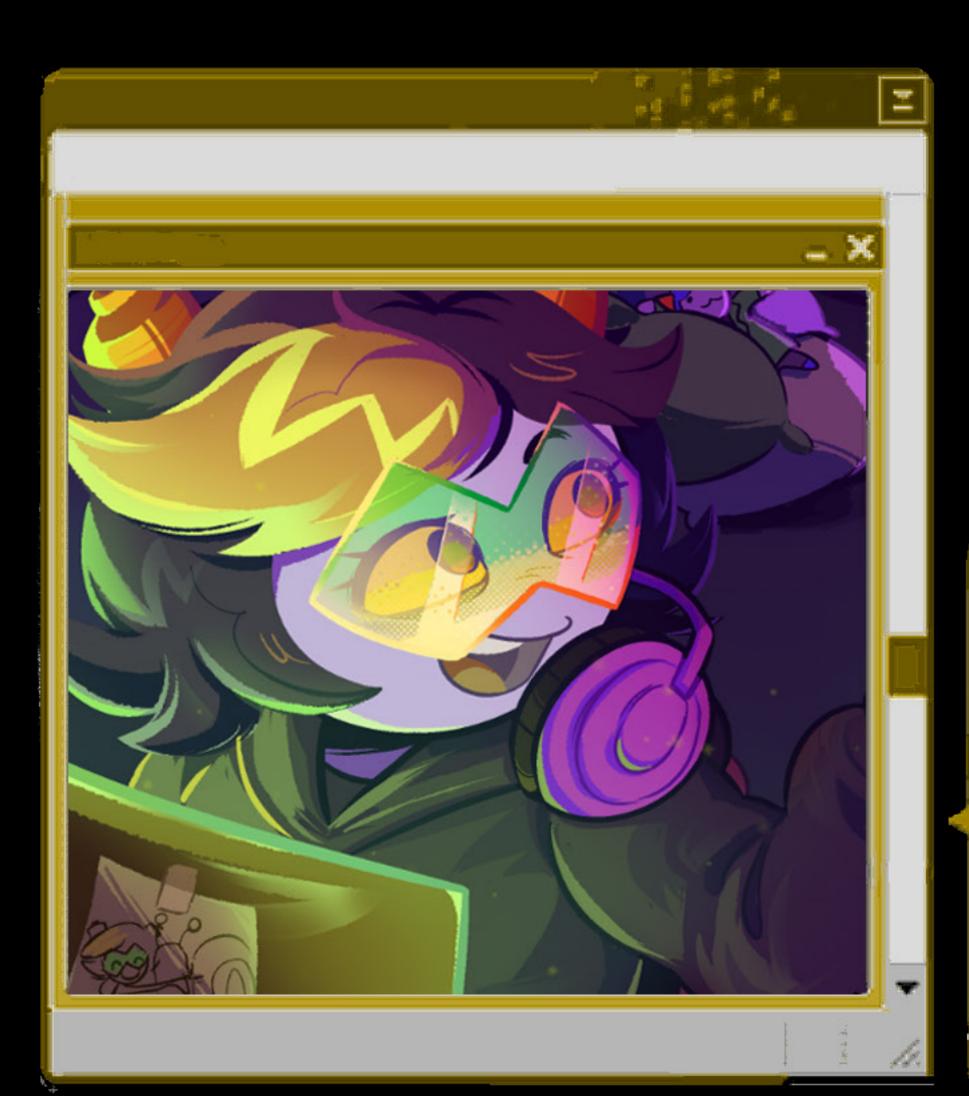


### LUX LUSUS

luxlusus (bluesky/tumblr)

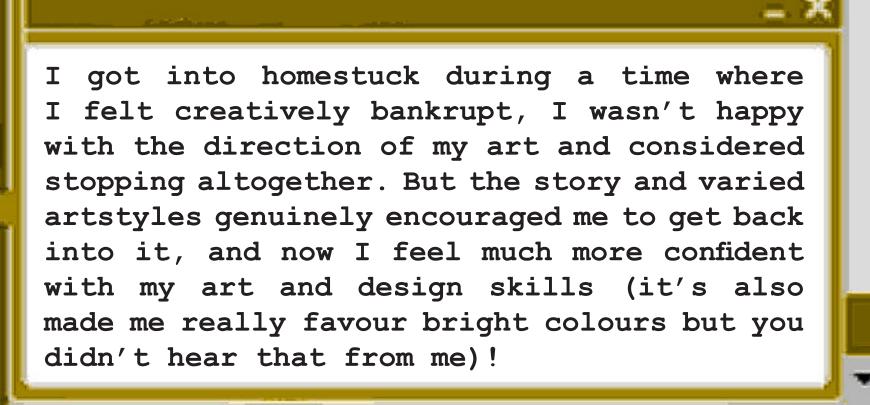


Homestuck has inspired me a lot as an artist. It made mewant to get out of my comfort zone and try new things! I also made some great friends thanks to it, and it got me to contribute to my first ever zine - the very same you are reading right now!!



#### KARWA KOO

LeFruitcakeVEVO(twitter)

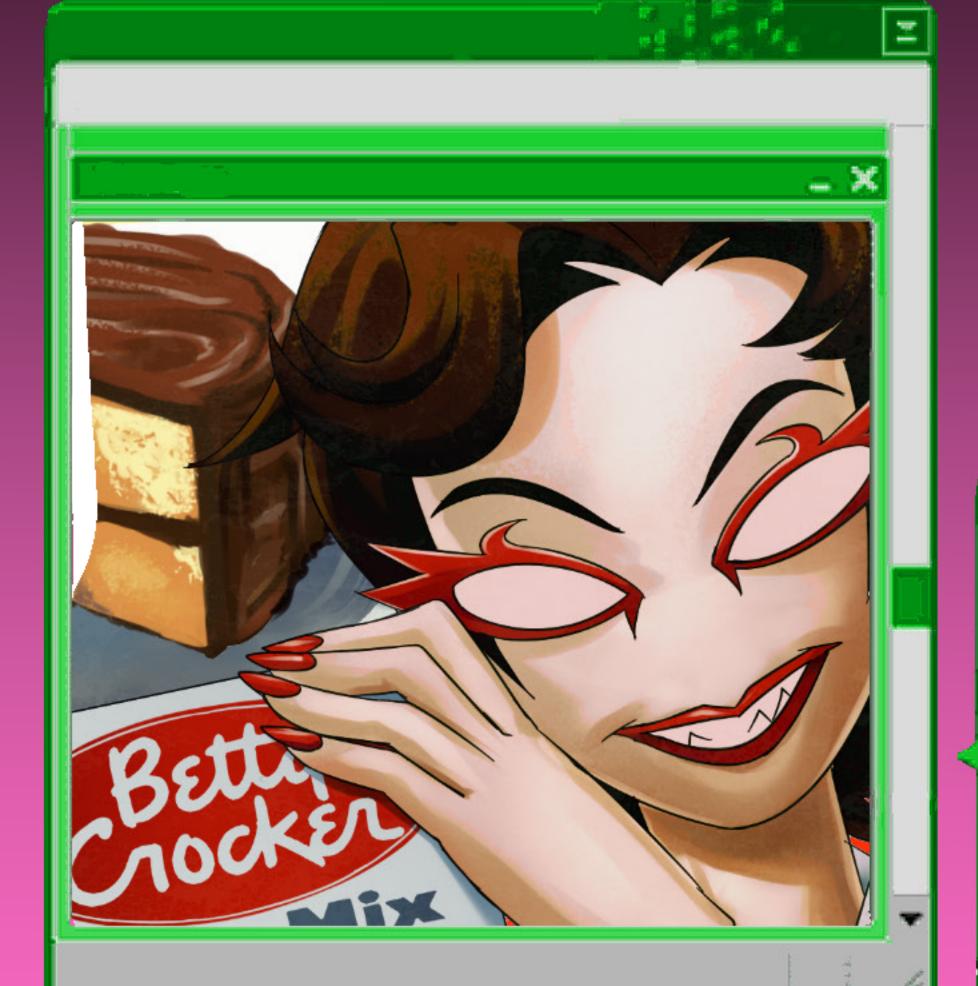




appl\_juice42 (twitter)
aj\_sunnio (instagram)

Homestuck means everything and beyond. It vastly influenced the way I create art and shaped a big part of my personality growing up. Each character holds a special place in my heart (especially the Striders!) and Homestuck has been and continues to be an inspiration to many others. I'm really happy to join a cool project that evokes so much nostalgia:)

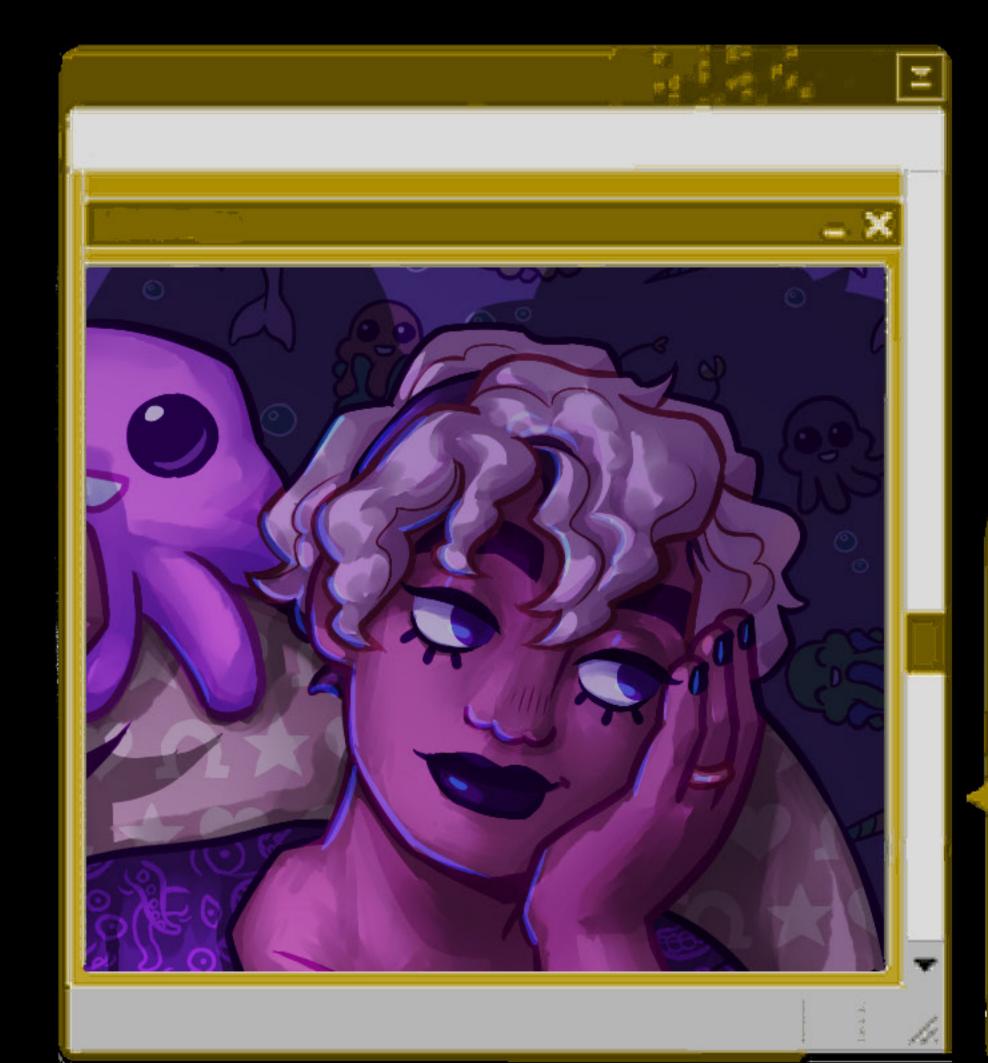




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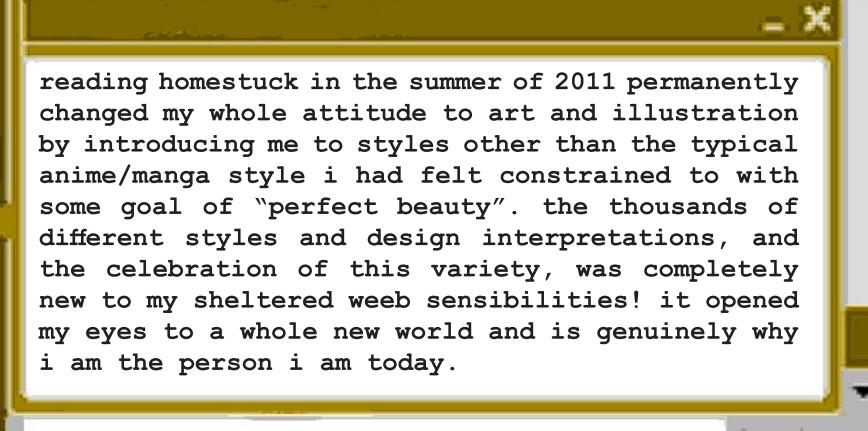
tentapillar (twitter)





#### PARCAKEMO

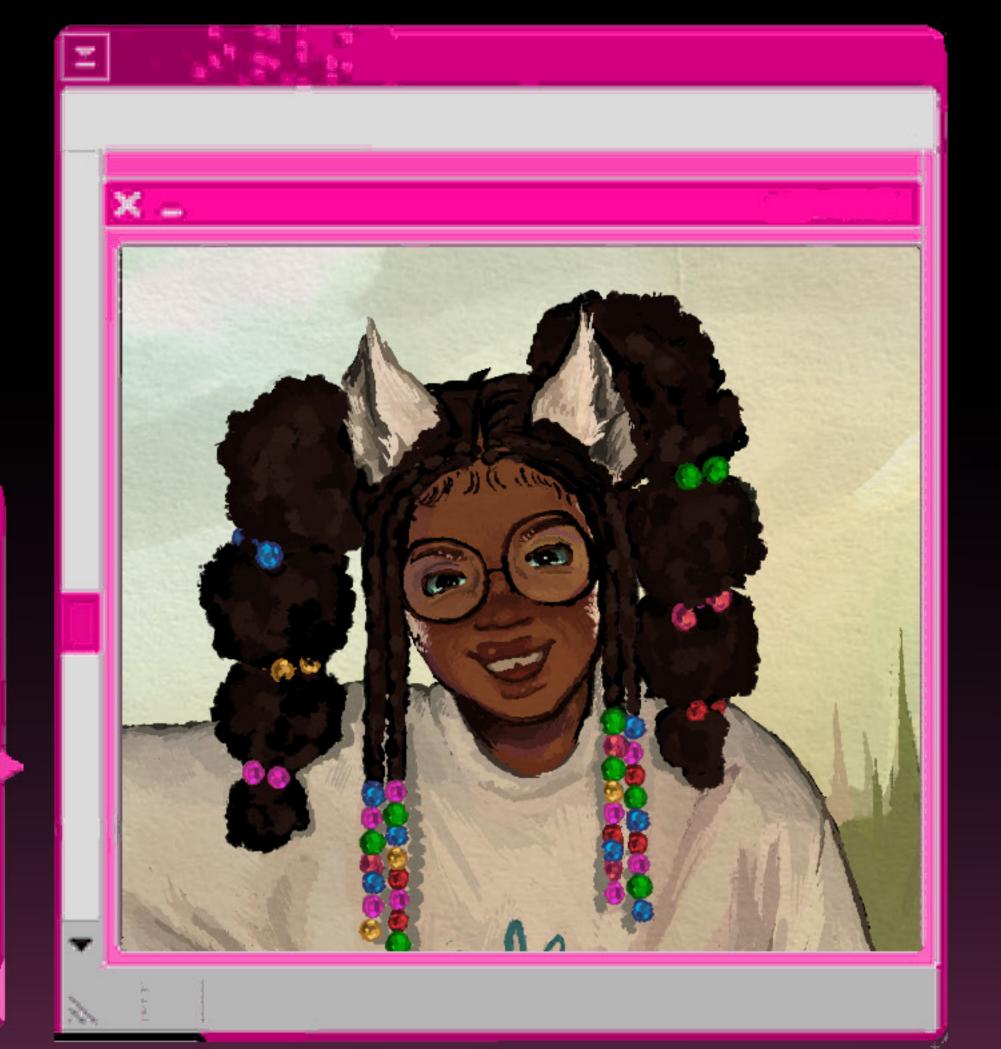
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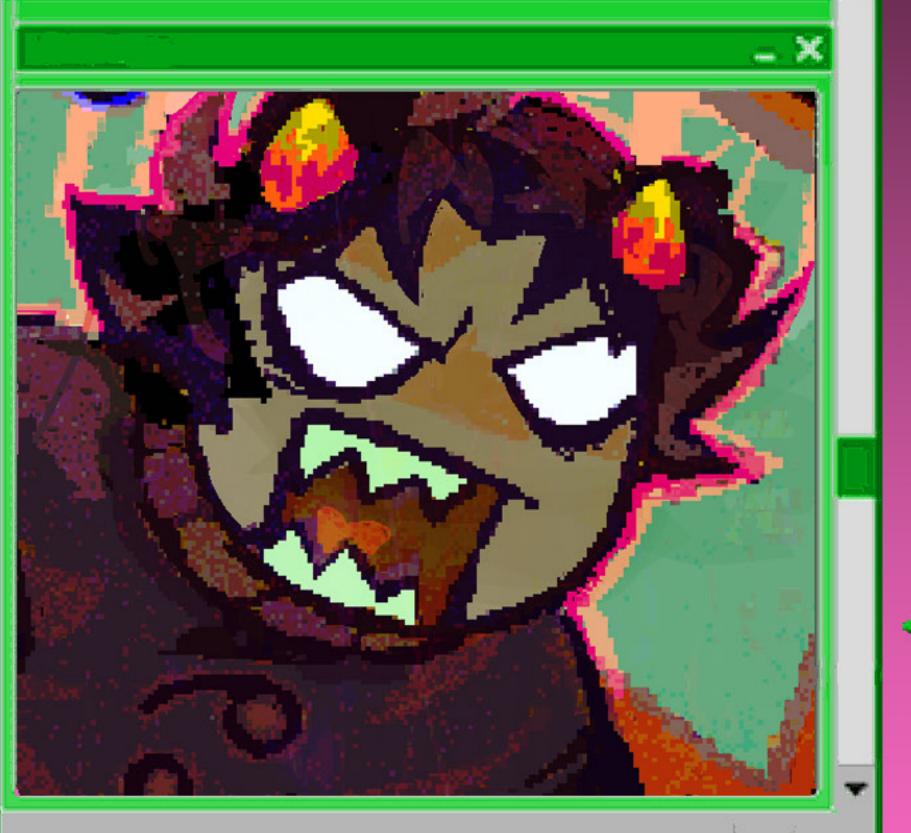
yooptheyot(twitter/instagram/tumblr)

I've joked before that Homestuck has sort-of irrevocably wedged itself into my life, but I believe it's true! I can see myself one day as a shriveled, geriatric man scribbling Kanaya Maryam on my dinner napkins. And damn it all, it's made me a better artist and a happier person! A karkalicious 2009 to you all, and to you all a good night ^^



### METIANULL

metianull (twitter/soundcloud)



homestuck is like that obsessive love-hate relationship you went through in your 20s that changed the trajectory of your life... its inevitable, and itll show u a good time. and also a bad









#### WRIGGLING DAY

#### BY OUROBORISTA (COMPANION PIECE TO FAYGOS)

GAMZEE: So WhAt DoEs My BeSt MoThErFuCkInG wRiGgLiNg DaY hOmIe AlL

mAkE of this bitchin CoNfectionAry decAdence?

KARKAT: YOU WANT TO KNOW WHAT I MAKE OF IT?

KARKAT: YOU WANT TO HEAR MY HONEST AND UNCENSORED THOUGHTS ABOUT

THIS-

KARKAT: IS THIS GRUBTUBE?

KARKAT: IS THERE A HIDDEN CAMERA SOMEWHERE? AM I BEING OWNED BY SOME INFANTILE PRANK INTO REVIEWING WHAT IS PLAINLY A SACCHARINE FEVER DREAM \*BARELY HELD TOGETHER\* BY THE GEOMETRIC CONSTRAINTS OF THREE DIMENSIONAL SPACE?

KARKAT: THERE IS A CRAYON STICKING OUT OF IT. NO, YEAH SURE THAT IS A BOLD AND INNOVATIVE DIRECTION TO TAKE THE ART OF DUBIOUSLY COMESTIBLE SCULPTURE-WORK IN.

KARKAT: NO ONE HAS EVER CONSIDERED THE UNCHARTED FRONTIERS THAT WOULD BE OPENED UP IF ONE SURRENDERED ALL THOSE STIFLING CONSTRAINTS OF \*NOT POISONING THE RECIPIENT\* WITH SOPOR SLIME AND MIND HONEY AT ONCE! AND MAYBE, JUST MAYBE, THAT WAS A \*GOOD\* THING.

KARKAT: LET ME GUESS. THERE'S BONES IN THERE. BONES AND FAIRY DUST AND MILK AND SALT WATER AND A DEAD SQUEAK FIEND IN A LITTLE DRESS? KARKAT: ARE THOSE CANDLES PLUNDERED FROM A PIRATE SHIP? IS THE SHAPE SUPPOSED TO INVOKE FEFERI'S GENOCIDAL LUSUS? \*WHO FUCKING KNOWS?\* KARKAT: IT'S JUST A BEAUTIFUL METAPHOR FOR OUR WHOLE DUMPSTER FIRE OF A SESSION.

KARKAT: A MULTILAYERED TEXTBOOK ON WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU TRY TO MAKE A SPECIES, CULTURALLY IMMUNIZED AGAINST THE MENTAL DISORDER CALLED TEAMWORK, PARTICIPATE IN A GROUP EFFORT.

KARKAT: AND FOR WHAT? HUH? FOR A NEUROTIC MUTANT WHO FAILED SO SPECTACULARLY AT THAT SAME EXACT TASK THAT IT KILLED A LITERAL UNIVERSE.

KARKAT: MAKING A RAGTAG GANG OF ALTERNIA'S MOST MALADJUSTED WRIGGLERS COMBINE THEIR WILDLY INCOMPATIBLE SENSIBILITIES AND DYSFUNCTIONS IN WHAT CAN ONLY BE DESCRIBED AS A \*TWELVEWAY SCUTTLEBUGGY APOCALYPSE\* OF LETHALLY INCOMPETENT COOPERATION.

KARKAT: AND YOU'RE STILL DOING IT. YOU'RE \*STILL\* FAILING TOGETHER...

NEPETA: :33 < \*ac waits patiently fur karkitty to finish his

meownologue and make a wish so she can have a slice\*

KARKAT: FINE. IT'S JUST... AS YOUR LEADER-

TEREZI: DO 1 SM3LL T34RS >:?

SOLLUX: yeah KK are you cryiing over a fuckiing cake? iit2 not that

deep

KARKAT: EAT MY BULGE, CAPTOR, I'VE JUST GOT SOMETHING IN MY GANDERBULB.

KARKAT: WHAT I WAS GETTING TO IS-

VRISKA: W8- were you seriously gonna say that your wish has already 8ecome true? Hahahahahahaha!

TAVROS: aWWWW

KARKAT: YOU KNOW WHAT? I CHANGED MY MIND. WHAT I WISH FOR IS NOTHING MORE THAN THE SWEET RELEASE OF DEATH.

















#### OF SAWS AND SWORDS

#### BY OUROBORISTA (COMPANION PIECE TO MEZCALOR)

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ROSE: The curtain parts to find our princess here,
ROSE: Atop the world of man in altitude and sense,
ROSE: For marriage soon should join her hand
ROSE: To brave and gallant knight of Maryam.
ROSE: Yet joy invites the meddling of kin
ROSE: who cannot bear permit a simple bliss
DAVE: yo
ROSE: Chimed a fiend beneath her lonely fort.
DAVE: my loyal drake and i were shooting shit
DAVE: about your gay upcoming fest of love
DAVE: where gay is just the matters fact not taunt
KARKAT: DON'T MAKE ME PART OF THIS WHOLE SPIEL, I SWEAR.
ROSE: Our maiden braced.
DAVE: you need a dj right
ROSE: The knight of Strider's words unmade her plans,
ROSE: As horrid fear seized mind and soul alike,
ROSE: For no such thing could taste or sense permit.
KANAYA: Have We Not Chosen Long Ago Our Music
ROSE: Cut clear a crystal voice through rising dread,
ROSE: Where virtue found its glowing, regal frame.
ROSE: She crafts her whitest lie in question's coat,
ROSE: But still the fell intruder mumbles on.
DAVE: though custom leaves the choice of beats to pros
KANAYA: And Pros We Are Should This Indeed Be So
KANAYA: For Who But Us Would Know Our Tastes Like We
ROSE: Though naught but words were spoken at this time,
ROSE: The prose of common diction fails our play.
ROSE: Such scenes are best portrayed in blades' swift dance,
ROSE: For metaphor extends a poets grasp
ROSE: To truth unornamented fact won't reach.
ROSE: So steel met steel as sword and saw cast sparks.
ROSE: My shining knight in practised whirls fought two,
ROSE: As dragon-fire backed this blackguard's ploy.
ROSE: But might it be so foul a beast held back
ROSE: In fear that righteous cause may claim its head?
ROSE: Or was it gods who tipped the scale for good?
ROSE: Not so, a canny analyst may glimpse.
ROSE: The numbers lie. Their loss was certain fate.
ROSE: An army could not quash a heart so pure
ROSE: And thus our lowly villains chose retreat,
ROSE: As gentle arms embraced my raptured form.
KANAYA: You Must Not Fret My Dear
ROSE: She panted softly.
KANAYA: I Pledge That None May Steal This Day From Us
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# ROAD TRIP BY OUROBORISTA (COMPANION PIECE TO JOJRO)

JOHN: you know we're never gonna get any where if we keep stopping for every nice bit of scenery, right? ROSE: But is it not a hallowed truth that journeys unerringly outshine their destination? That road trips are more than the distance between two cartesian points? JOHN: great to hear that the philosophers agree on fun things being fun for once, but i'm just saying that this "road trip" has seen very little road so far. JOHN: it's mostly been stops so dave can take pictures of dead things and so jade can touch alive things. JADE: theres just so much... stuff!!! JADE: i know im probably being annoying but its kind of mindblowing to see how the earth is so much larger than a single island JADE: like prospit and our lands but more varied JADE: every few steps there is a new plant or bug or view JADE: and i knew that JADE: of course i knew that JADE: but it doesnt really click when all you have is that one place : ( JADE: dave do you get that? JADE: dave? DAVE: yeah sorry just didnt expect to be called out on my stringent as fuck childhood ban on grass touching DAVE: getting read to filth out here DAVE: like yeah i guess in between all the deranged situational combat training bro never thought to prepare me for any environment that isnt a single texas apartment DAVE: everything a child needs in one convenient package developmental psychologists hate him DAVE: but like at the same time i probably never would have played sburb if id had this amount of access to dead bugs so thats gotta balance out the inscrutable cosmic scales somehow ROSE: Excellent deflection, Strider. Truly artisan. But you're right, Jade. I think even with less tightly circumscribed childhoods the mind falters at actually understanding scale without singular points to take refuge in. ROSE: Lovecraft knew to make his gods immeasurable by standard instruments since vastness is eldritch all by itself. JOHN: well i think it's pretty. JOHN: and i don't mind stopping all the time. JOHN: now that we have earth back we can take as long as we want :)









# DAVE BY OLLY (COMPANION PIECE TO HOBSYLLWIN)

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DAVE: whats good yall
DAVE: whats good
DAVE: whats up
DAVE: yo
DAVE: sup
DAVE: wagwan
DAVE: hey
DAVE: whats up
DAVE: whats good my man
DAVE: bonjour
DAVE: B) greetings
DAVE: wazzuppppp
DAVE: Salutations!
DAVE: yooooooo
DAVE: hows it hanging dude
DAVE: what is up my man
DAVE: yo
DAVE: supppppppp
DAVE: u-um... hi... *blushes cutely*
DAVE: real shit. serious answers only. no fuckin around. what is
the most versatile word to use when rapping
DAVE: gaming
DAVE: gaming
DAVE: yeah its gaming
DAVE: "my bars, some would say they're flaming / but i don't
care, to me this shit's just gaming"
DAVE: gotta be gaming
DAVE: nah no way its gaming. its swag
DAVE: ooh yeah i can see a case for swag
DAVE: swag is up there for sure
DAVE: easily top 10 words
DAVE: B) hive is a pretty good one
DAVE: yeah if youre making weird alien rap but for the rest of us
when are we gonna be dropping bars about hives
DAVE: wasp infestation
DAVE: wasp infestation
DAVE: wasp infestation
DAVE: this shits straight up ruining my vibe / punched my wall
only to discover a wasp hive
DAVE: ok yeah good point wasp infestation is a definite
possibility
DAVE: i still think its gaming
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## DAVE BY OLLY (COMPANION PIECE TO HOBSYLLWIN)

DAVE: you guys are the realest fuckers i know so im bringing this question straight to the experts: are we gay DAVE: shit dude thats a tough one DAVE: yeah i dont know if were gonna be able to tackle this DAVE: youre getting pretty high concept man DAVE: this is maybe the hardest question ive ever been asked DAVE: uwaaa... \*shyly blushes\*... i dont know... DAVE: great input man DAVE: i mean im gay but maybe thats just my thing. like youve got the troll dave youve got the anime dave youve got the bearded dave youve got the bird dave. maybe im just the gay dave. DAVE: bugger DAVE: yeah sorry i couldnt be of more help DAVE: no worries man u know we appreciate you DAVE: thanks DAVE: maybe we can find the dave that knows if the other daves are gay DAVE: thats a good as hell plan with two major flaws. one thats not how it works. two how do we know he wouldnt be fuckin with us DAVE: cause hes us so wed know DAVE: yeah but he knows more about us than we do so like. maybe he knows how to fuck with us better too DAVE: anime dave please stop looking at me like that DAVE: \*turns away kawaii style\* g-gomen... DAVE: how the hell do you manage to physically say apostrophes. thats really impressive DAVE: hey actually anime dave is there an anime karkat DAVE: and they were all like "cmon man" and "get outta here" and "stop playing shitty dubstep in the library" and i was like "how about you respect my artistic vision" DAVE: dude what the fuck DAVE: not cool man DAVE: respect the sanctity of the library DAVE: asshole DAVE: whats your fucking problem DAVE: we like libraries around here

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# DAVE BY OLLY (COMPANION PIECE TO HOBSYLLWIN)

DAVE: google.com DAVE: bing.com DAVE: askjeeves.com DAVE: search.yahoo.com DAVE: all of these wonderful sites can bring you to locales beyond your wildest dreams with only a click of the mouse DAVE: woke up in the morning feeling hellaciously uncool DAVE: looked in the mirror and found to my horror im a ghoul DAVE: said to myself "this situations getting hairy" DAVE: "what if my roommate sees me and thinks that im scary?" DAVE: so i dash out the door, down through the back streets DAVE: and you will never fucking believe who the hell i did meet DAVE: 'twas a nefarious wizard salesman, and this he did cry: DAVE: "you have drawn my wrath, and now you must die!" DAVE: i sat there for a moment, pondering what i would reply DAVE: in the end i decided to keep it simple, and go "you don't know i can fly!" DAVE: flew the hell outta there before he could hit me with his powers DAVE: and found that, despite all odds, i was flying straight towards the twin towers DAVE: so like. lil cal. right? DAVE: yeah DAVE: yeah

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