

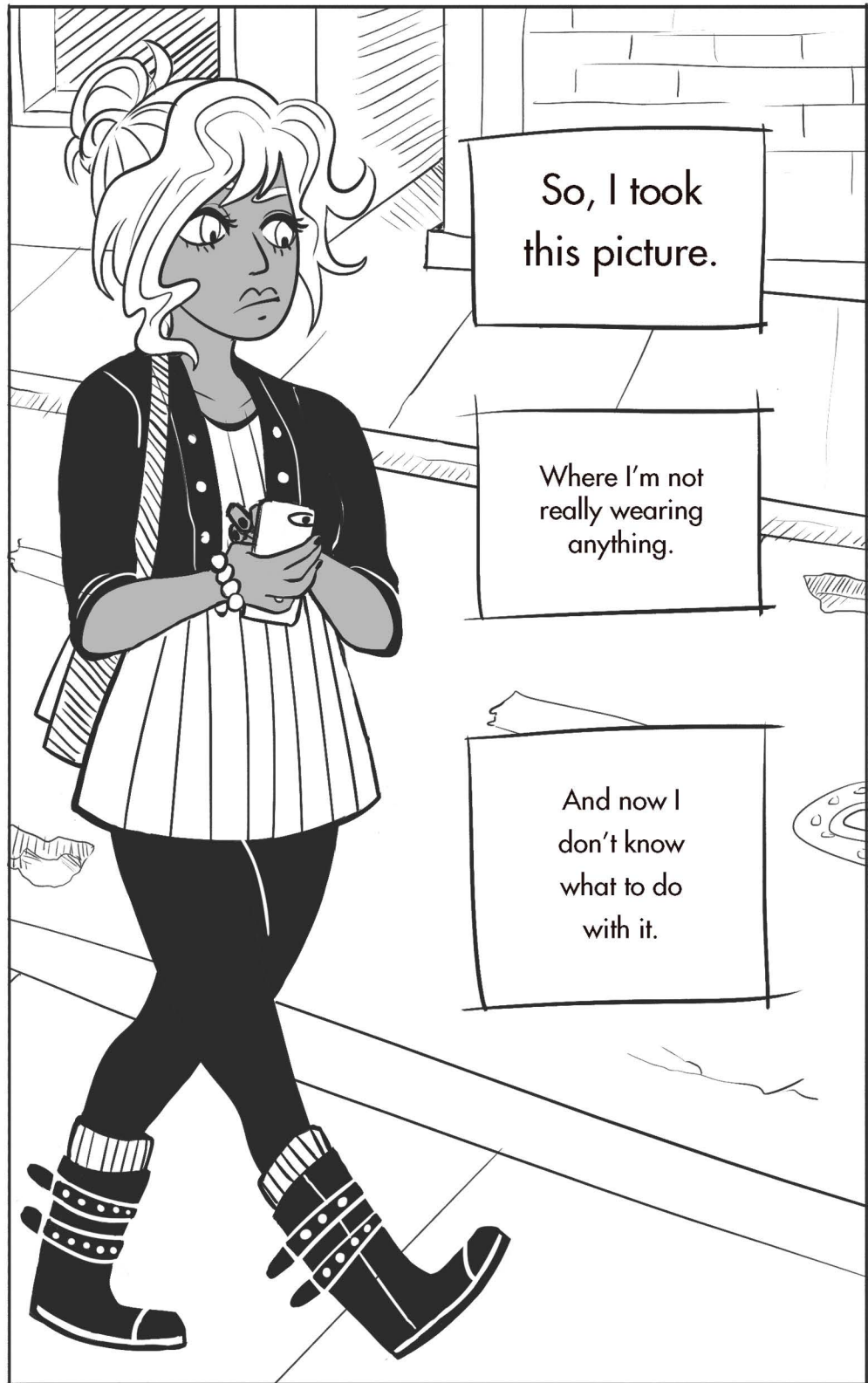




16. Loves dresses and awful B-horror movies. Works at Kim's Comics and designs gig posters for local bands.

16. Likes reading books in trees and B-horror movies. Works in the Waffle Wagon, a most coveted food truck.

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So, I took
this picture.

Where I'm not
really wearing
anything.

And now I
don't know
what to do
with it.

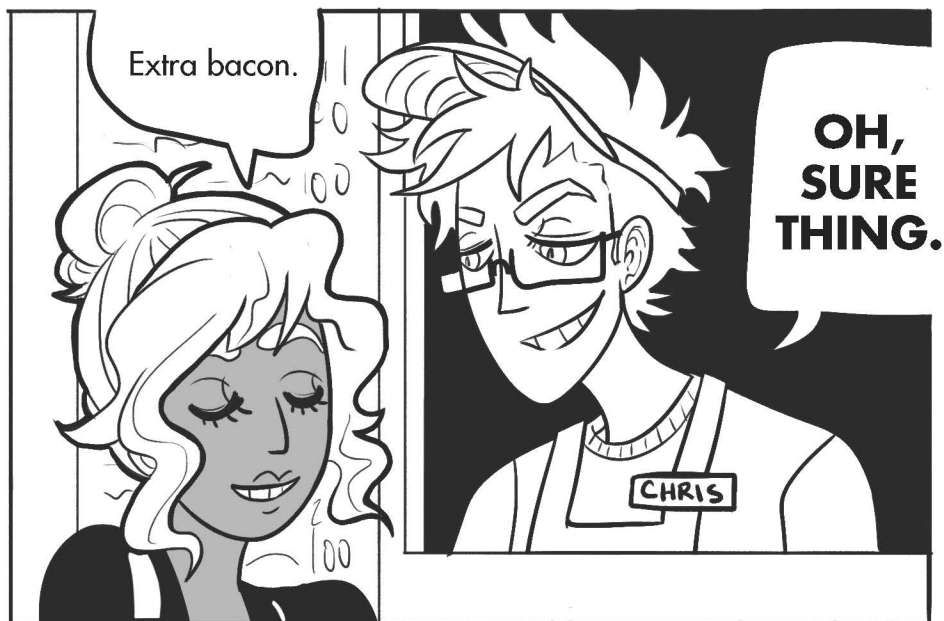


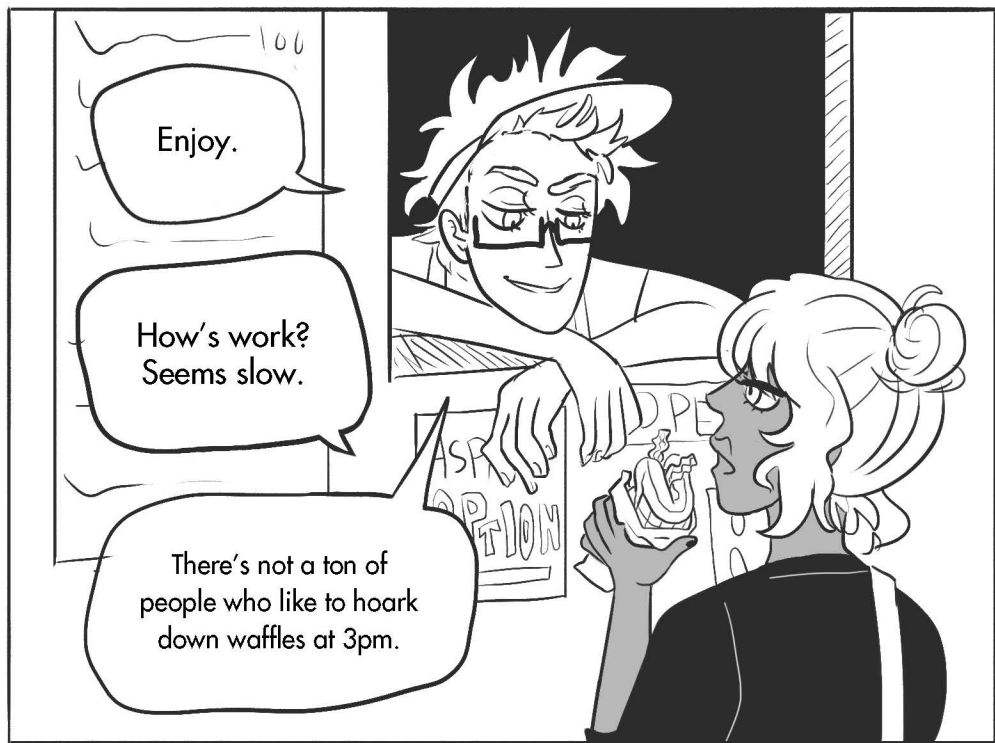
Corner of
5th and
pine...?

You would
normally
send it to
whoever you're
dating, right?

I mean, I look
GREAT in it. I
know that Chris
would like it.









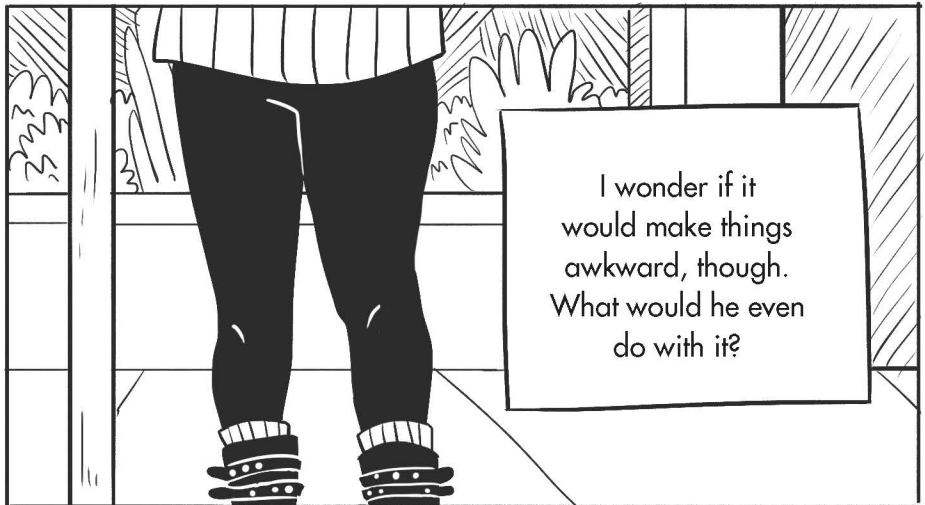
You are
NOT
smooth.

Pick me up
after work!

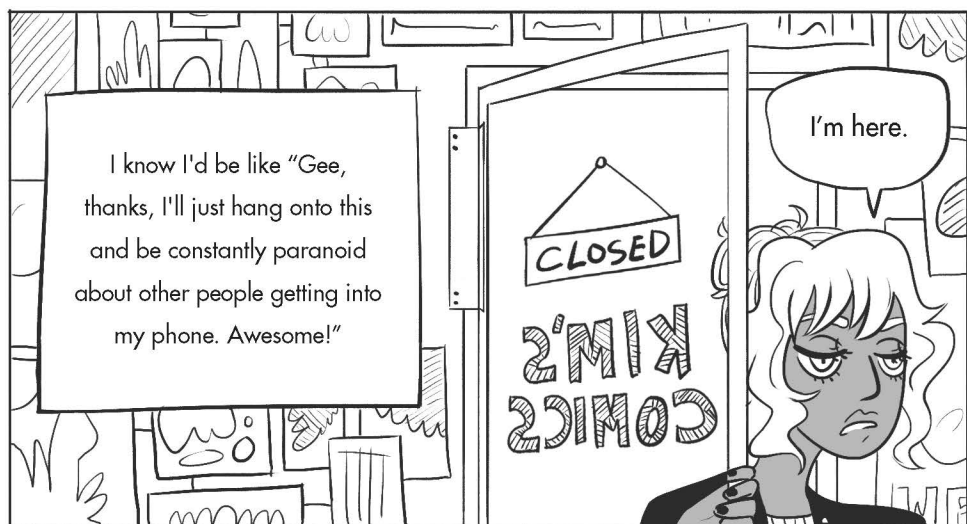
No.



I really,
REALLY
like him.

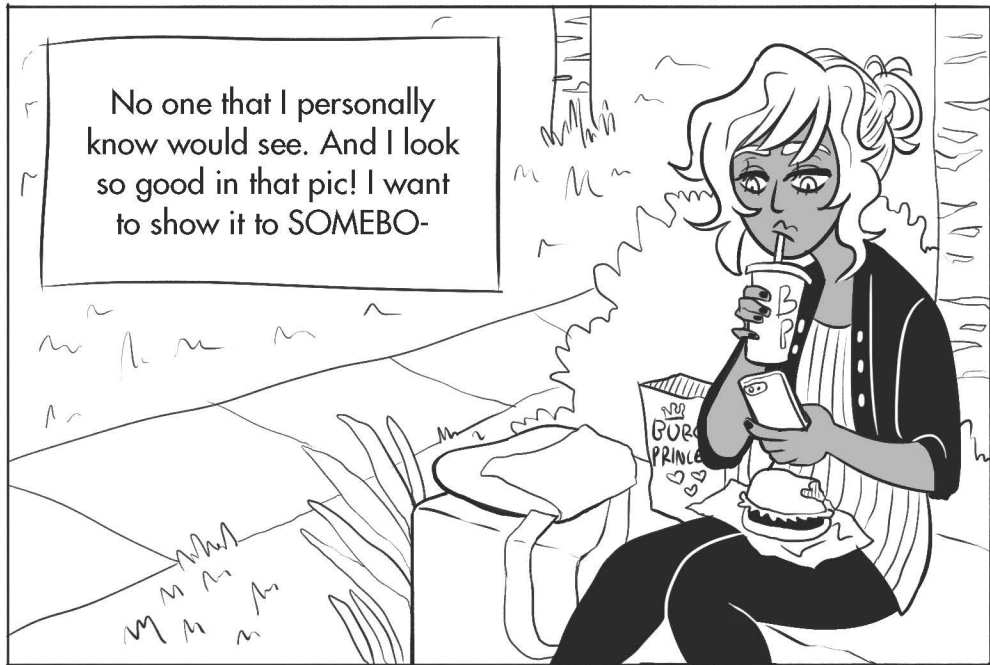


I wonder if it
would make things
awkward, though.
What would he even
do with it?





No one that I personally
know would see. And I look
so good in that pic! I want
to show it to SOMEBO-



**YOU
LOOKIN
GOOD**

OH
WOW.



UGH

KAAAA

I'M TAKING A
PICTURE OF
YOUR LICENSE
PLATE AND
SHOWING IT
TO THE POLICE,
YOU WASTES
OF OXYGEN.





Ugh, I feel
so GROSS.



They'll
forget
about
it by
tonight,



And now I'm
gonna be stuck
thinking about it
foreveaaaa
ARRRGGGG
GHHHHH



OOF.

Woah, babe.
You okay?

Oh hey.

Some jerks
catcalled at
me earlier.

Wow, gross.
Did you mess
them up?

Kinda. I told the
police their license
plate number.

NICE.

I still feel kinda sick,
though. Garbage like
that ruins my day.







People are cruel and post that crap online if they get mad. Plus it's totally illegal if you're under 18, you can get in serious trouble. Dude or lady, doesn't matter. Look it up.



Don't tell me what to do.
... WHAT.

See? Even having it on your own phone is illegal, let alone sending it to anybody else.



We're talking blackmail, felony, AND huge drama all in one shot.

....I **would** hate being a blackmailable dramatic felon.



Yeah, definitely not worth it. Want something to drink?

Surprise me. Specifically, with a grape soda.





Dear Reader:

Possessing, creating, forwarding and receiving a sexual image of anyone under the age of 18 is an illegal act. In fact, it's a felony. This includes images you take of yourself if you are under the age of 18. It is a felony and is considered "child sexually abusive material". If you are age 17 and get caught you will be dealt with in the adult rather than juvenile system. A conviction as an adult could trigger placement on the public sex offender registry. Too often these images are used by people who want to exploit or cause harm to the person in the image. Sharing these images for any reason is always a criminal act. Should you receive one of these images do not save or forward. Delete it. Deleted images can be recovered for crime investigations.

Sincerely, Kent County Sexual Assault Prevention Action Team

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That's Not Cool thatsnotcool.com Visit website
for creative ways to shut down people that
pressure you to sext or harass you online.

Love is Respect loveisrespect.org Visit website
for healthy relationship information.

Hollaback ihollaback.org Non-profit and
movement to end street harassment.

Crisis hotline and free text chat for teens
dealing with an abusive partner. Calls and
chats are anonymous and confidential.

Free text chat with a trained peer advocate:

Text loveis to 22522

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