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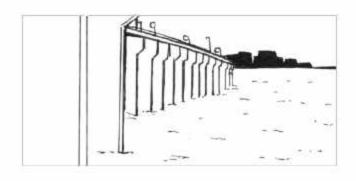
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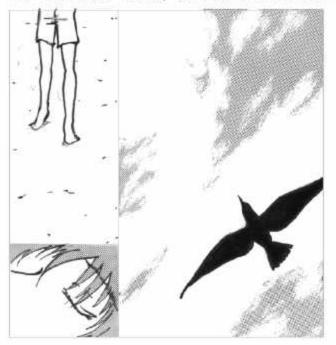




EVERY SUMMER WAS LIKE THIS. I WOULD GO AND LAY ON THE BEACH, BEING BLED BY THE HEAT.



NO ONE EVER CAME TO THIS BEACH. IT WAS TOO LOUD, OR TOO POLUTED...







THEN, ONE DAY HE CAME.

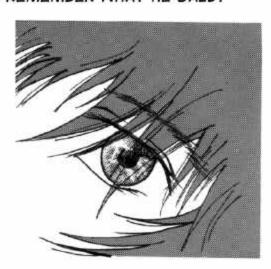








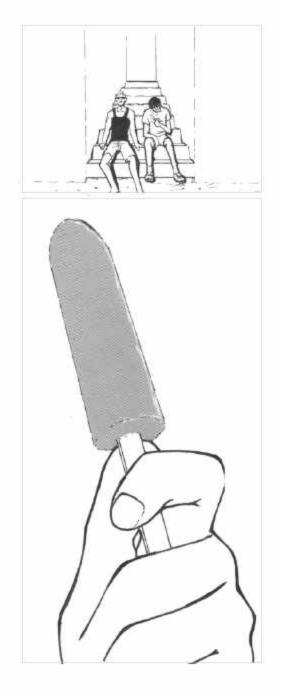
I CAN'T REMEMBER WHAT HE SAID.





WE SPENT THE REST OF THE DAY TALKING, AND THE NEXT. WE NEVER AGREED TO MEET THERE, BUT I KNEW THAT WE'D BOTH BE THERE ON THE BEACH EVERY DAY.





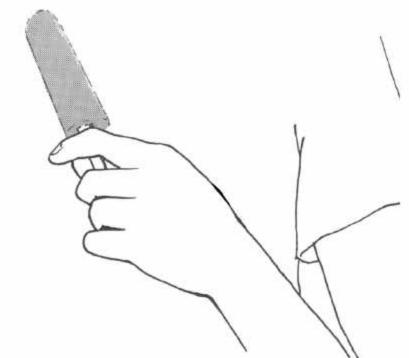


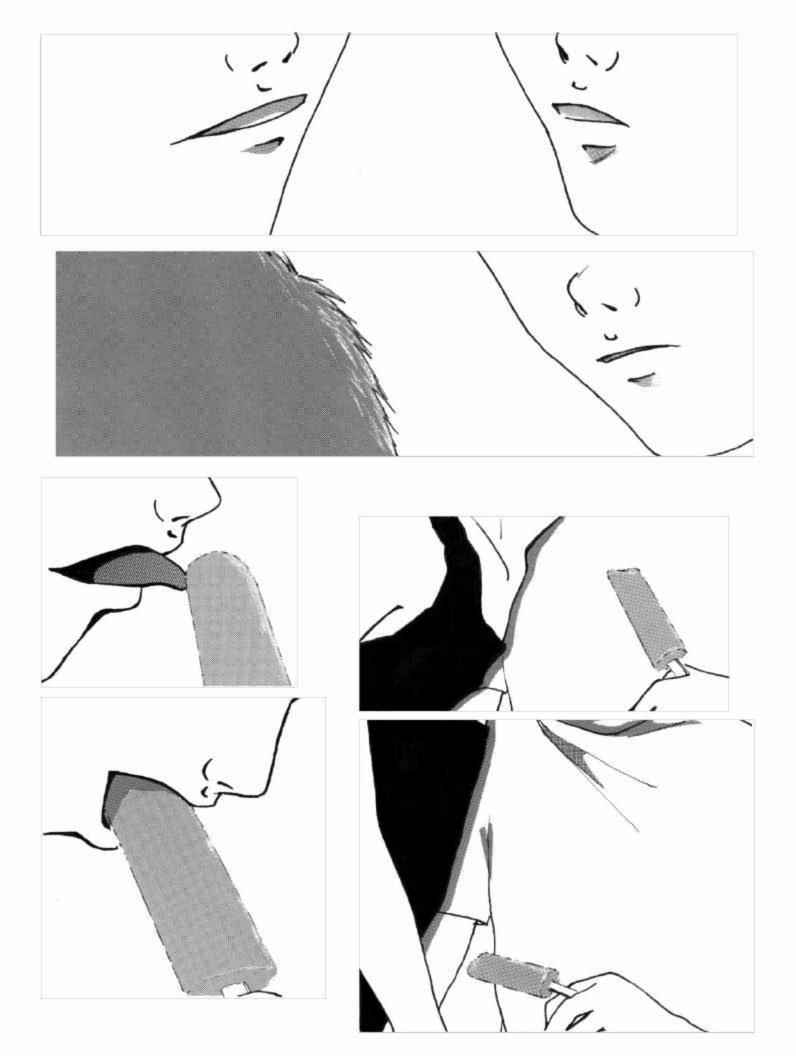
EVERYTHING WE DID JUST SEEMED NATURAL.









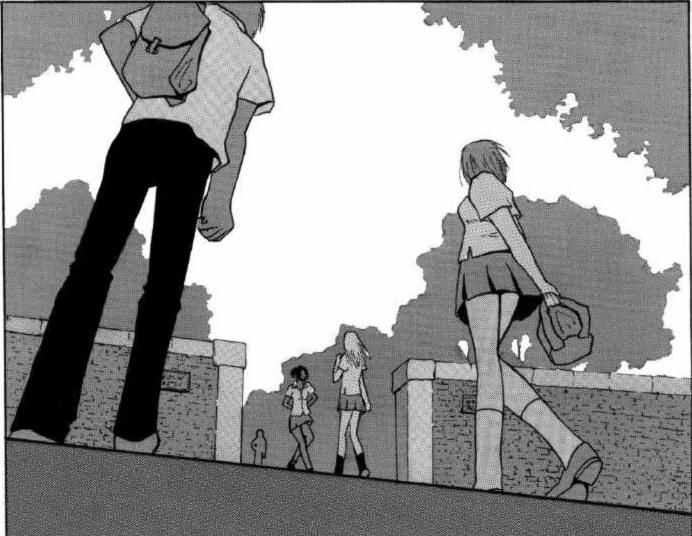






EVEN THOUGH TIME STANDS STILL, SUMMER ALWAYS ENDS, AND IT WAS THE SAME WITH THIS ONE.





TIME STARTS AGAIN AND LIFE GOES BACK TO NORMAL.



