

THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN

Volume One: The Pig

STORYBOARD

23 Pages

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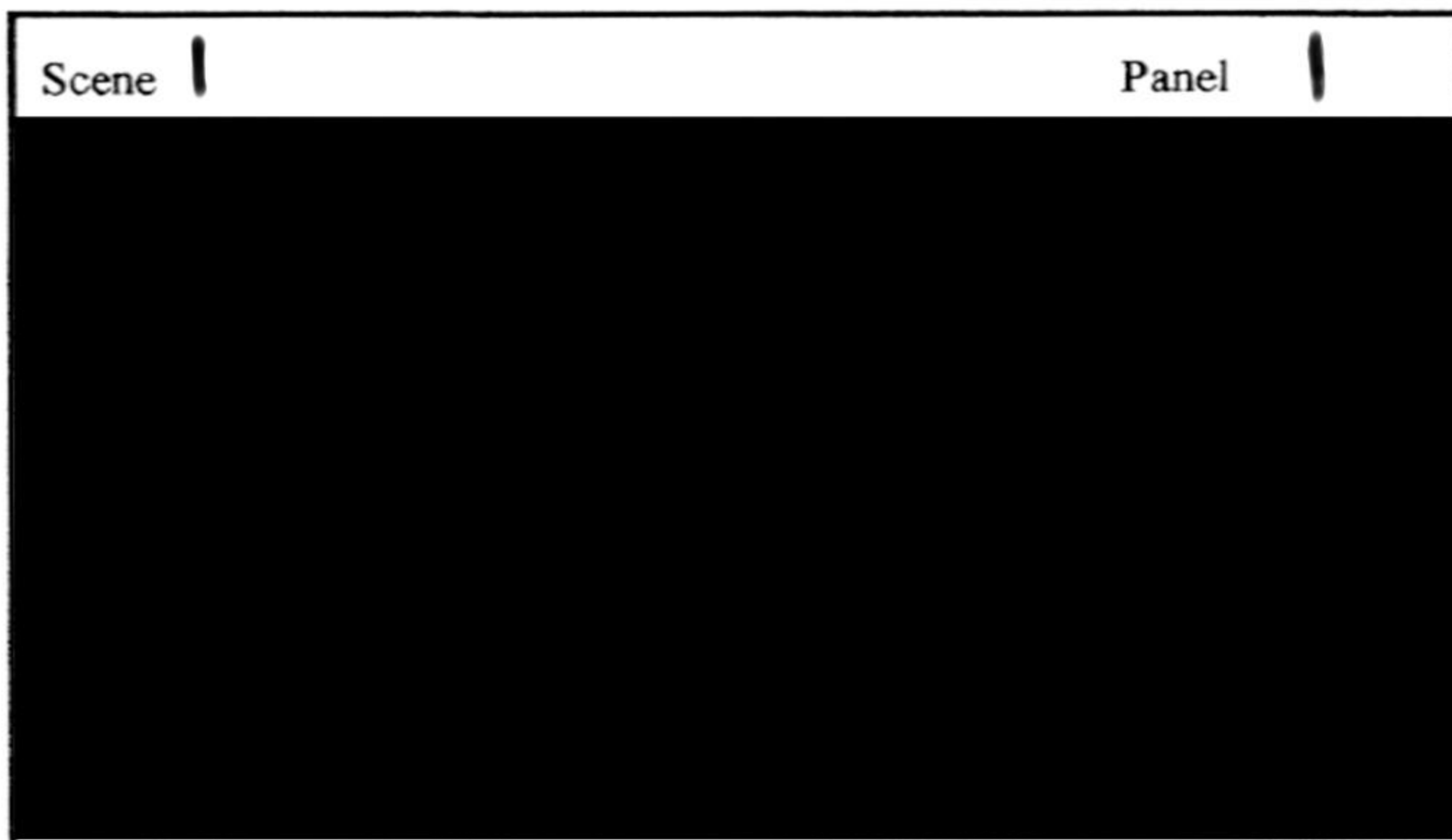
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Dialogue: NARRATOR: In a time long past, when the world itself could be won with fist and iron, supremely feared were the Barbarians. That is, except for one...

Action:
(NONE)



Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
"The Littlest Barbarian" burns onto screen.



Dialogue:
(NONE)

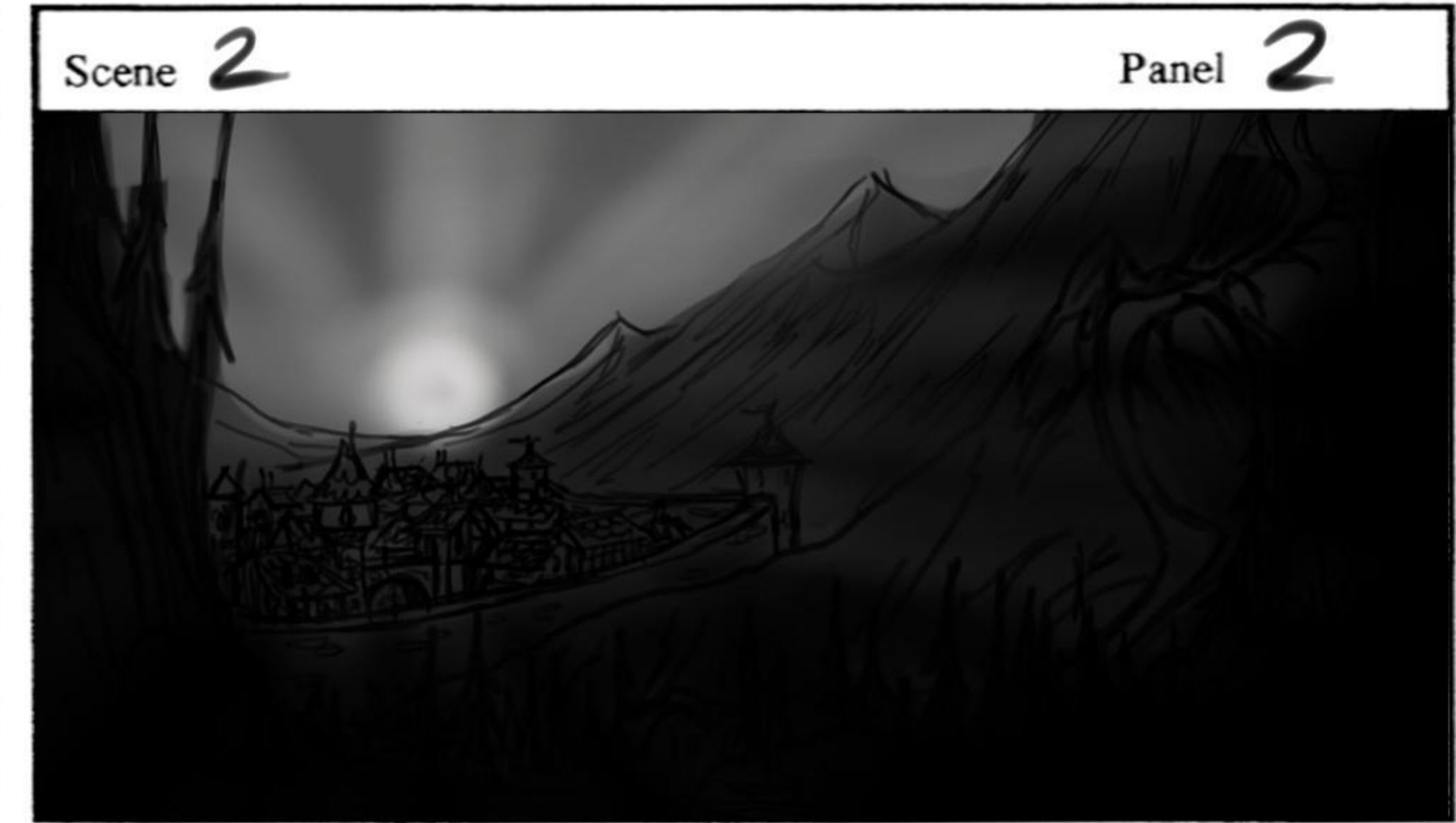
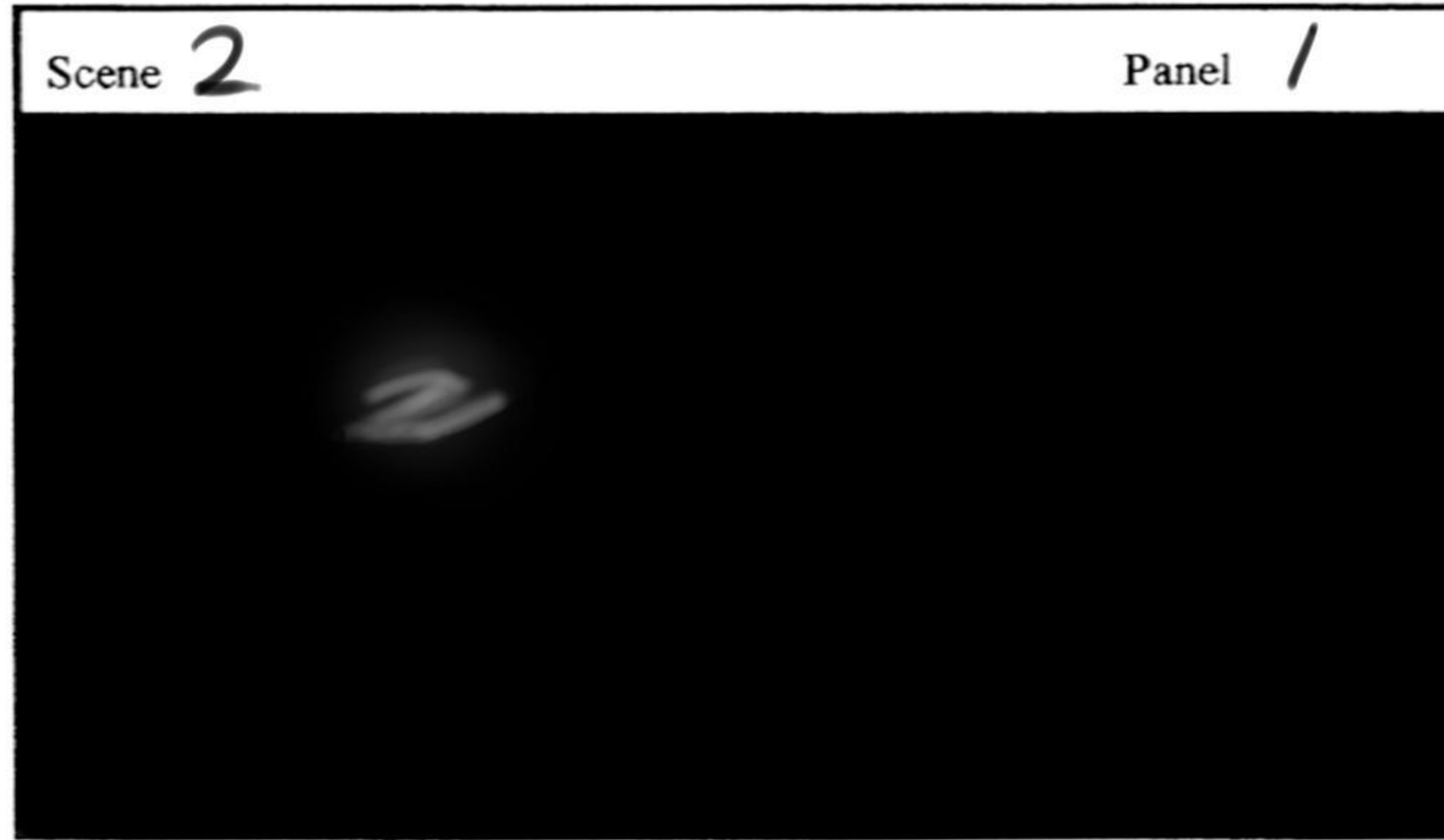
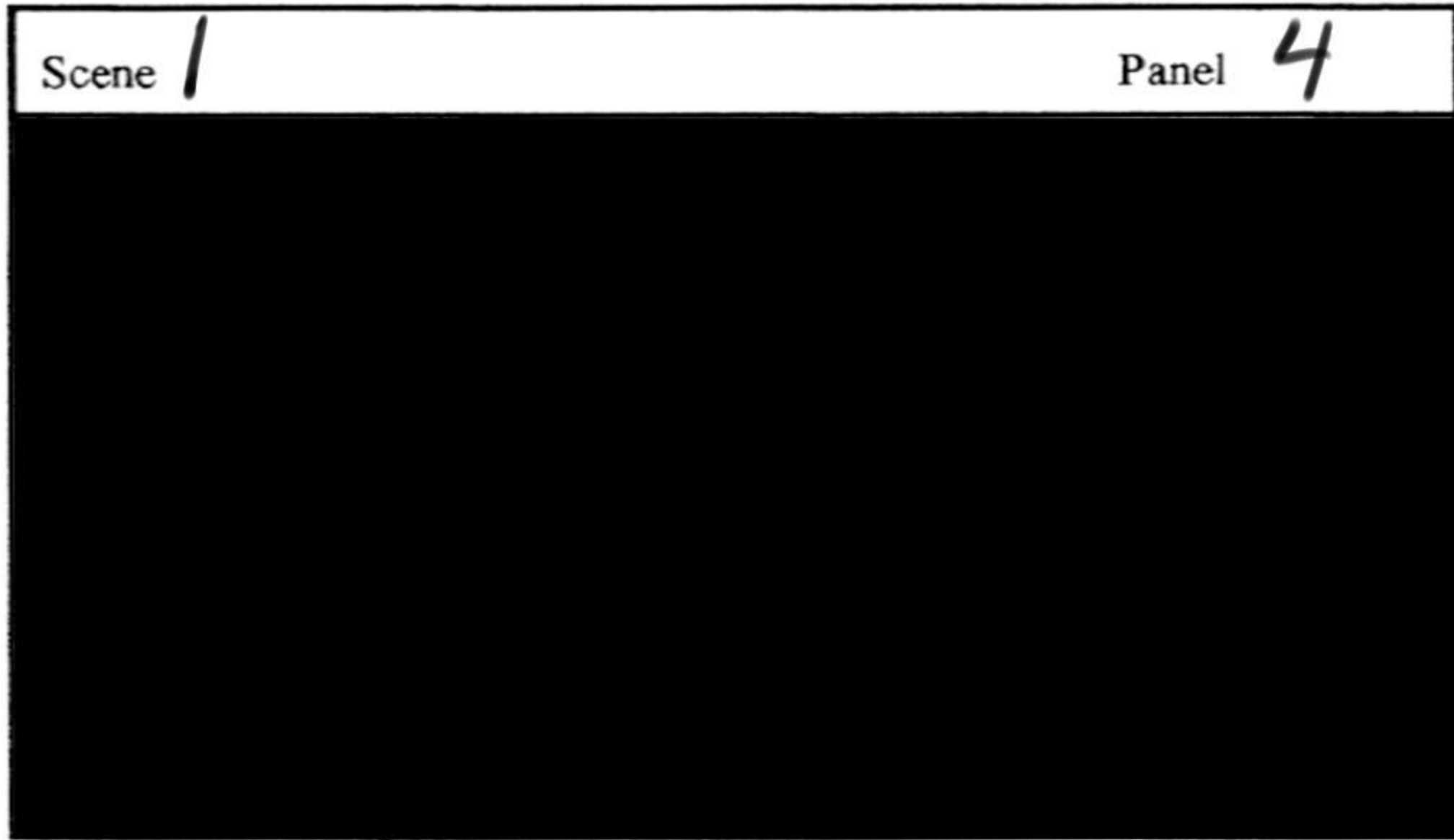
Action:
Hold Title on screen.

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DISSOLVE
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Dialogue:
(NONE)

Dialogue: NARRATOR: Every year, on the last day of spring...

Dialogue: NARRATOR: ... the ways of the barbarian were passed from father to son...

Action:
Title fades away...

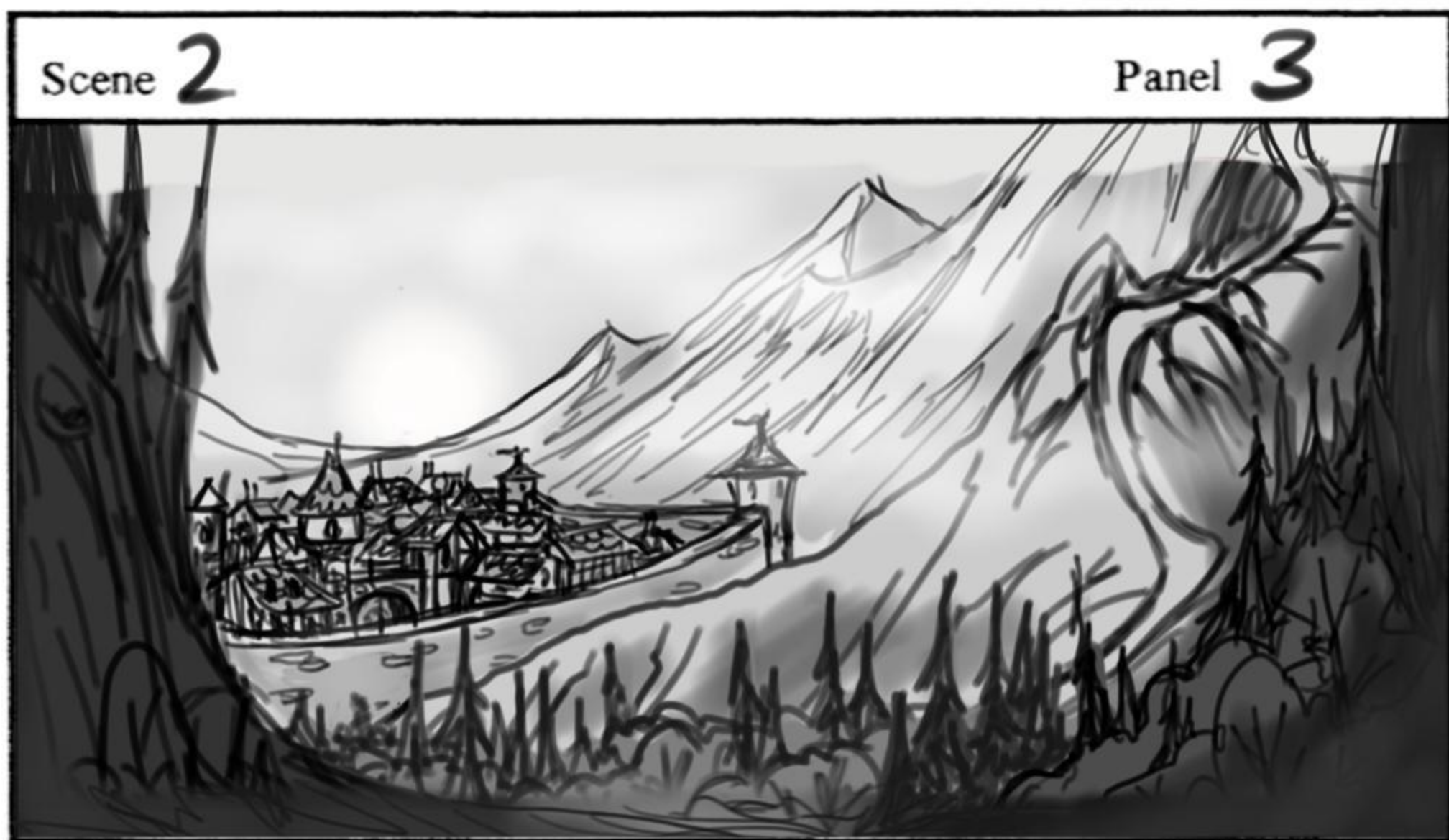
Action:
...and the sun begins to rise on the black screen.

Action:
The sun's light reveals a village nestled in a mountain valley.

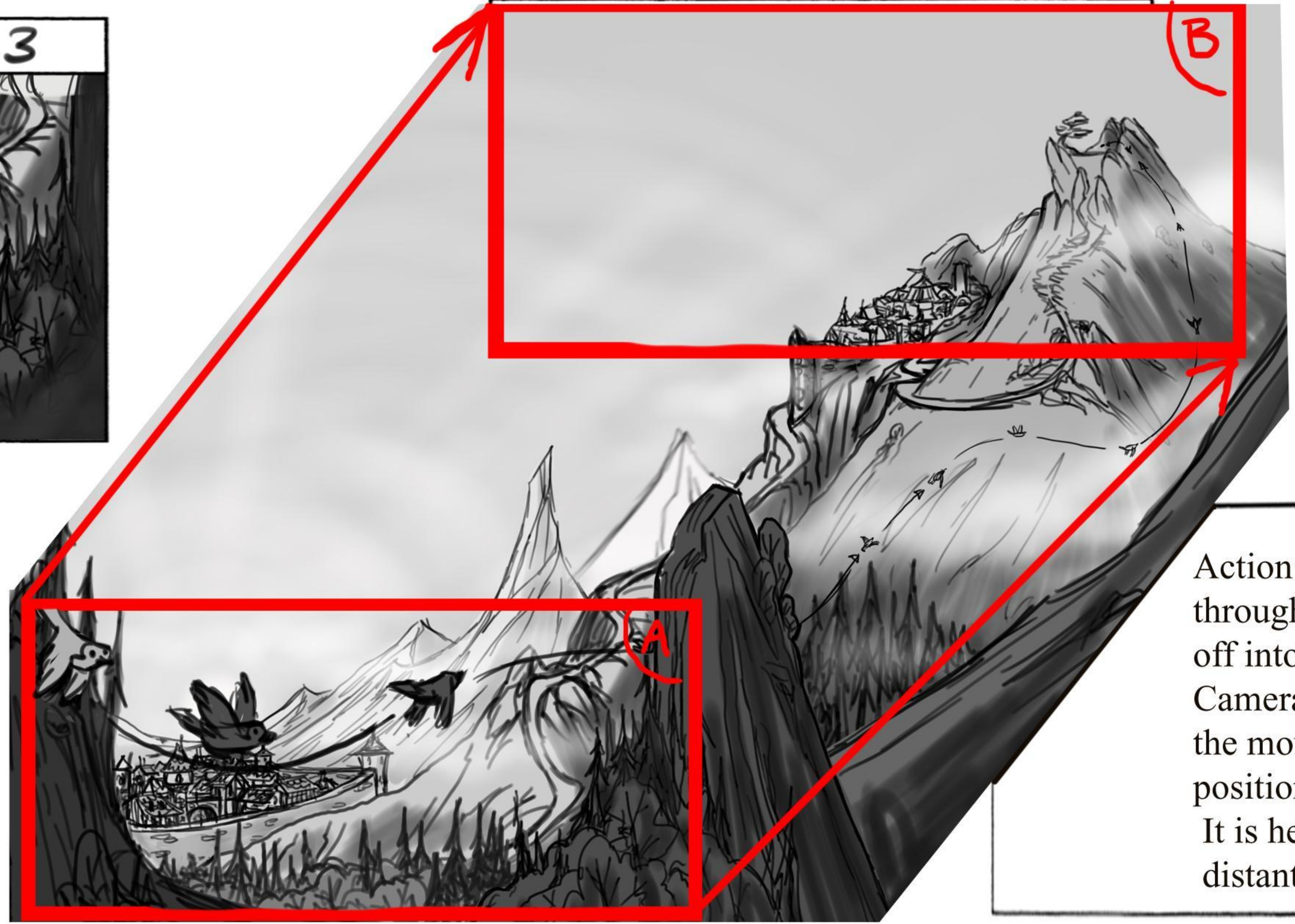
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Scene 2 Panel 4



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Dialogue (for Scene 2, Panels 3-4):

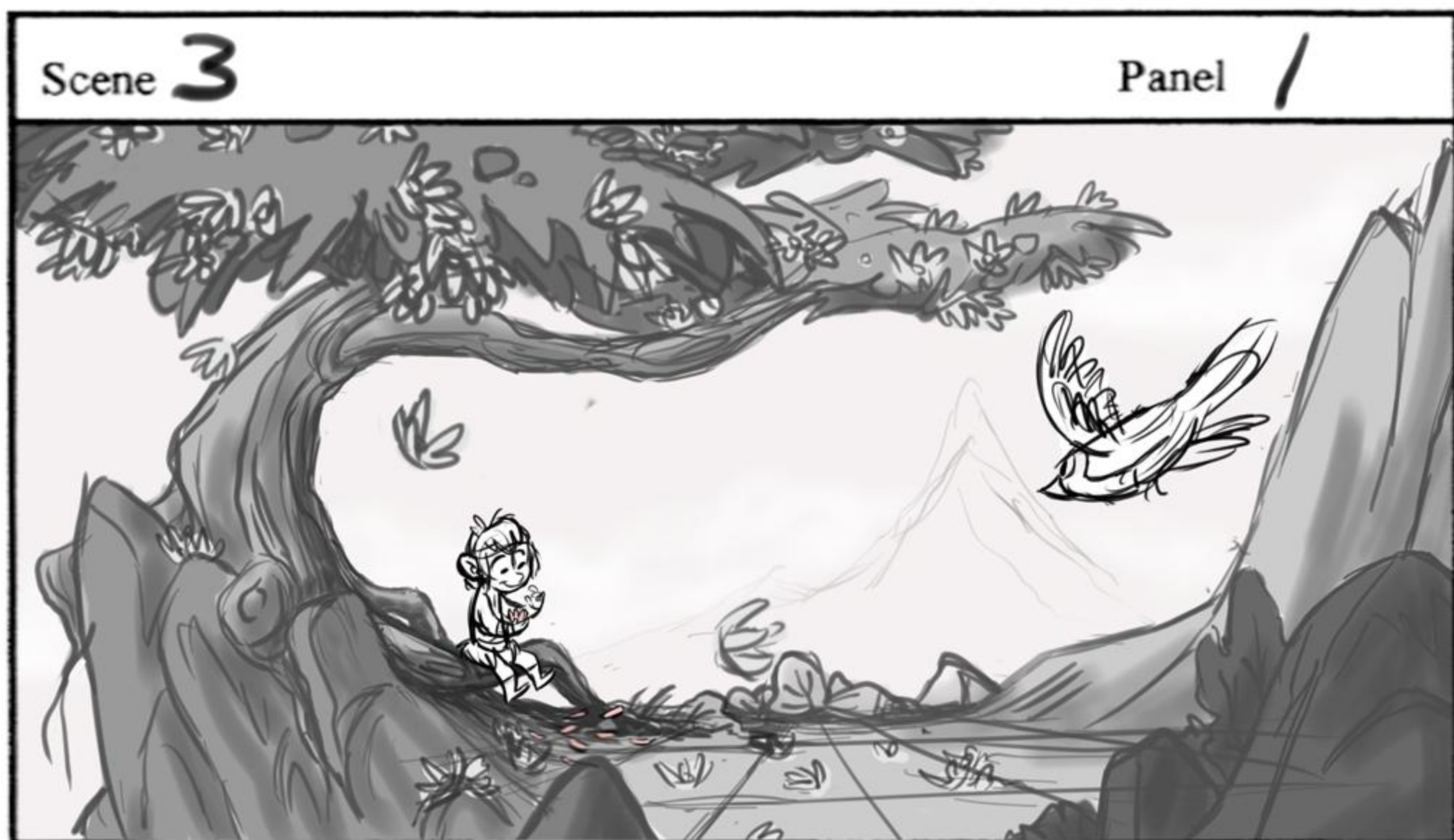
NARRATOR: ... in a day of training. Each boy able to prove himself a warrior before the setting of the sun that day, could then join his father in the ceremonial sacking of a peaceful village. It was to be a proud day for young barbarians...

Action: THE BIRD flies through the foreground and off into the distance. Camera follows it up into the mountains. (PAN from position A to position B). It is heading towards a distant cliff side.

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Dialogue:

NARRATOR: ...but our hero was different...

Action:

THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN is sitting under a blossoming tree, picking a blossom.
THE BIRD flies over to him.
Camera trucks in slowly with THE BIRD..

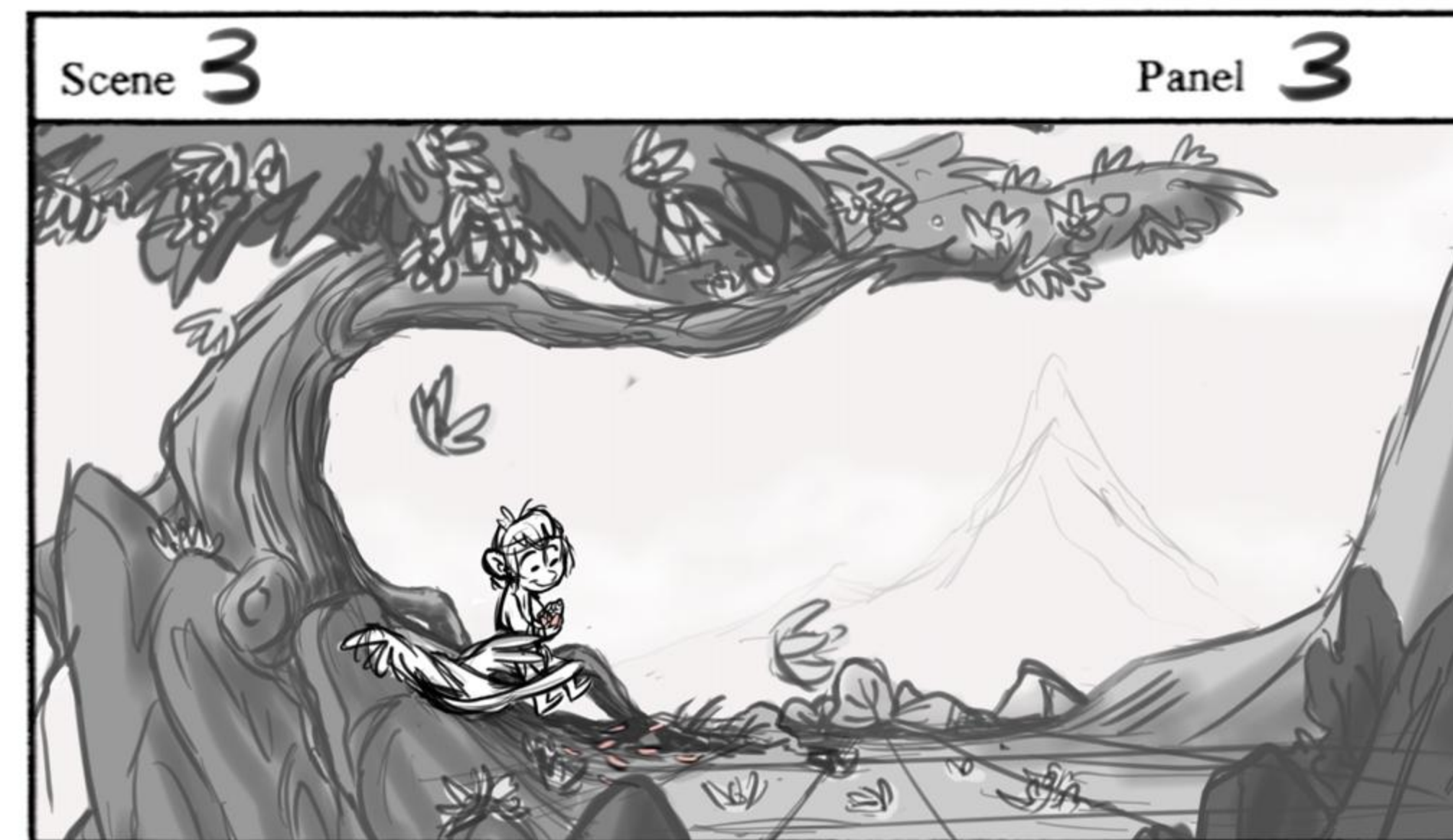


Dialogue:

(NONE)

Action:

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Dialogue:

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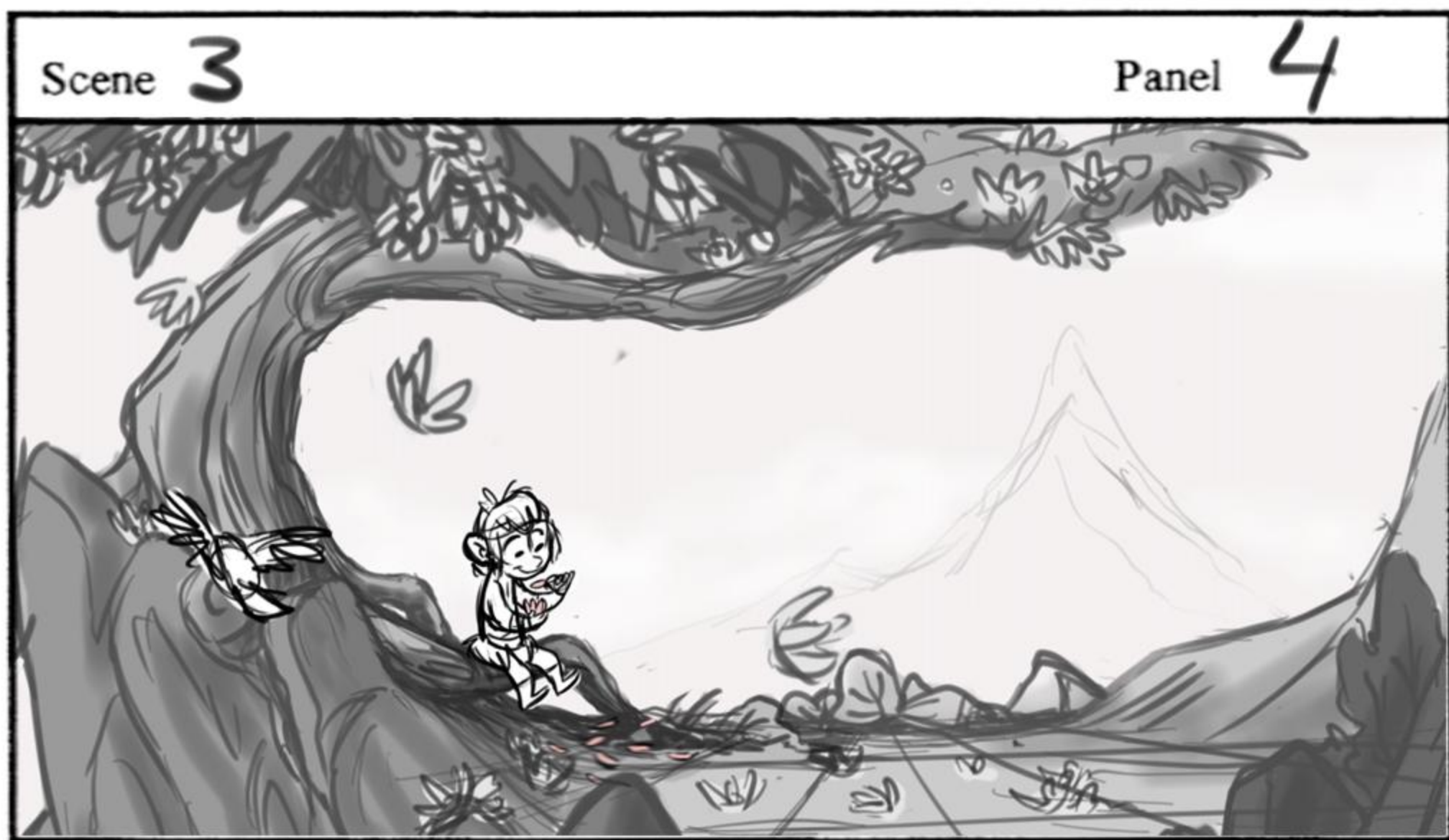
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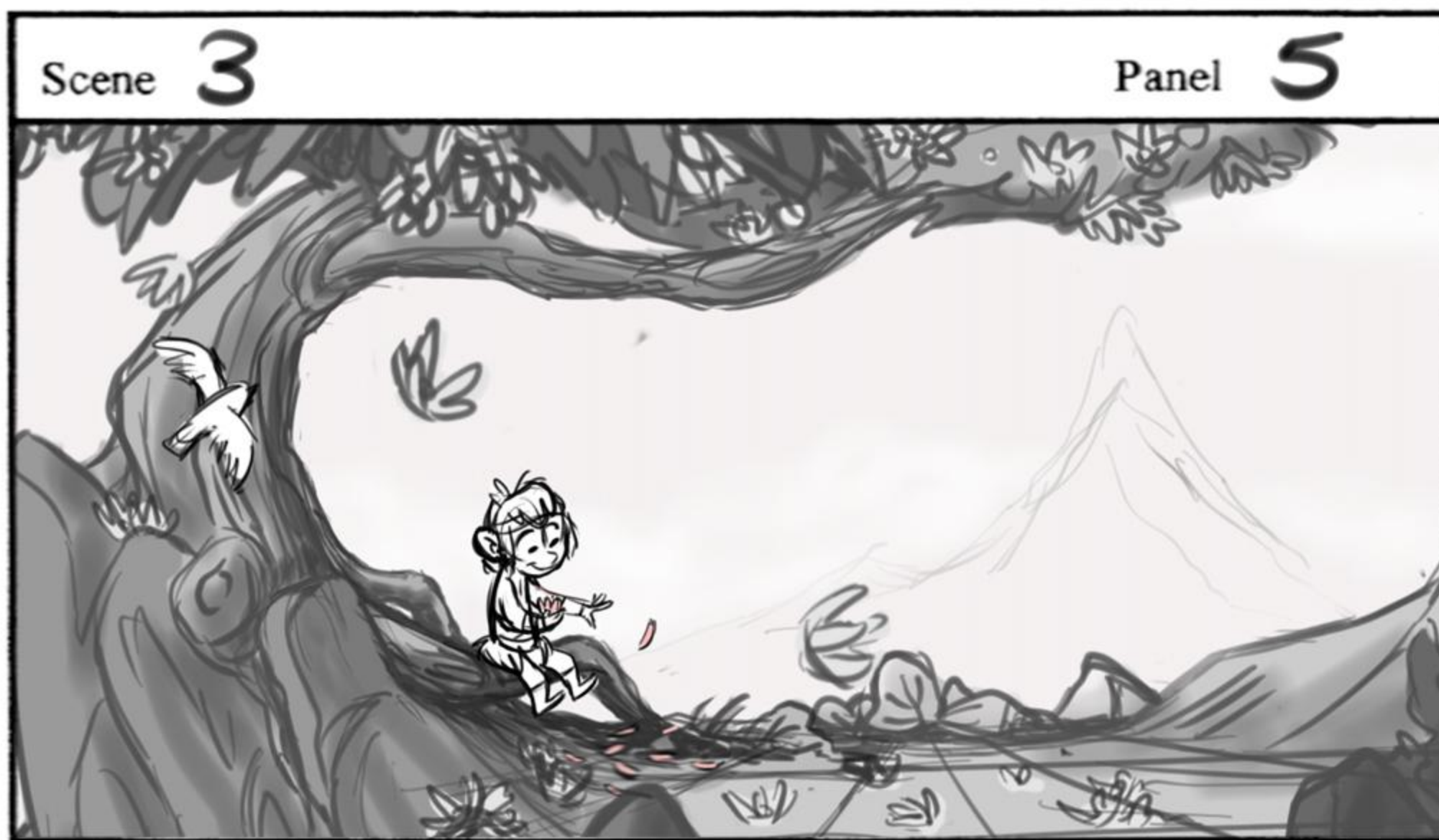
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Dialogue:
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Action:
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Dialogue:
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Action:
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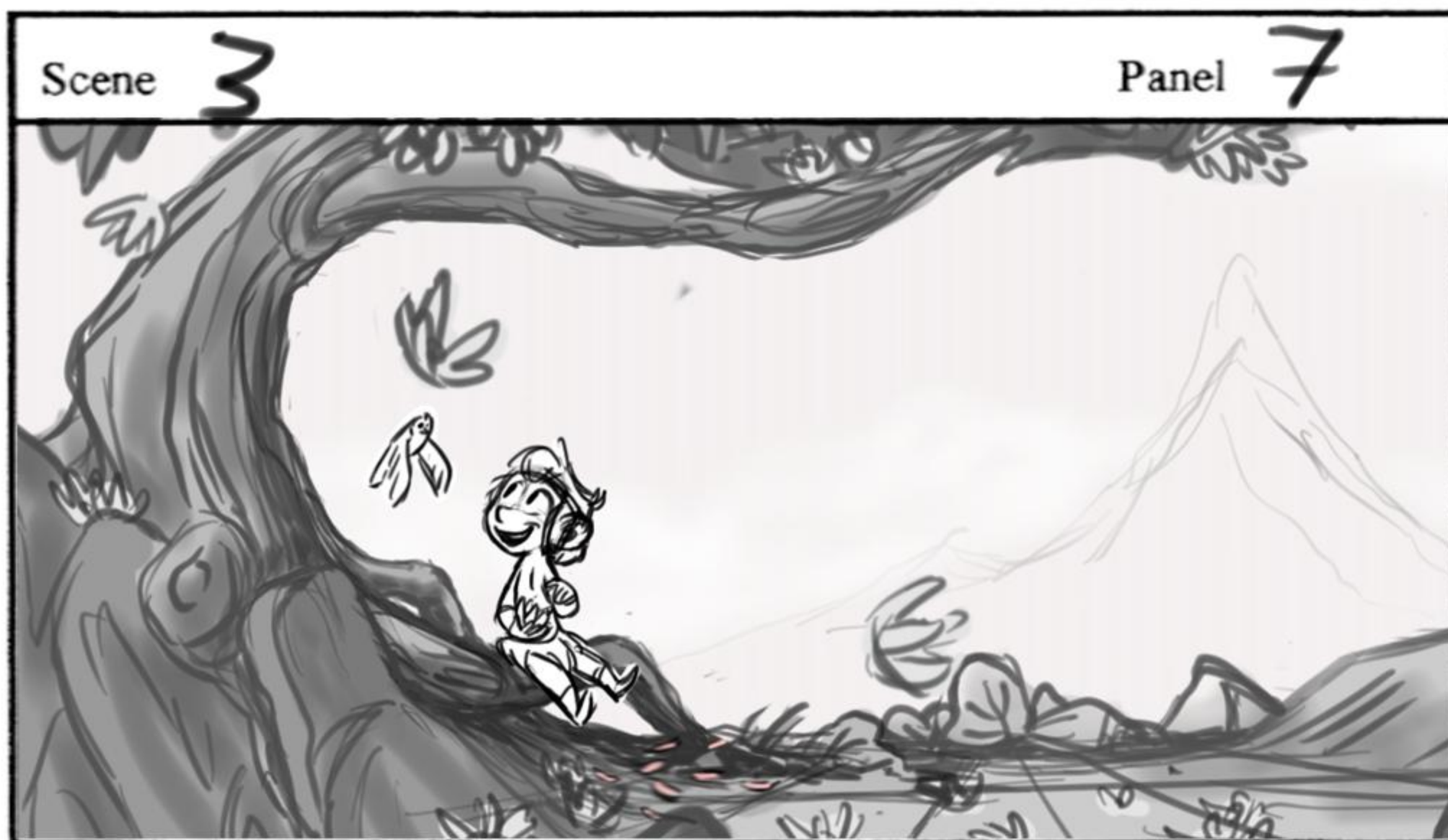
Dialogue:
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Action:
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Dialogue:

THE BIRD: <CHIRPS>

Action:

THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN notices THE BIRD.

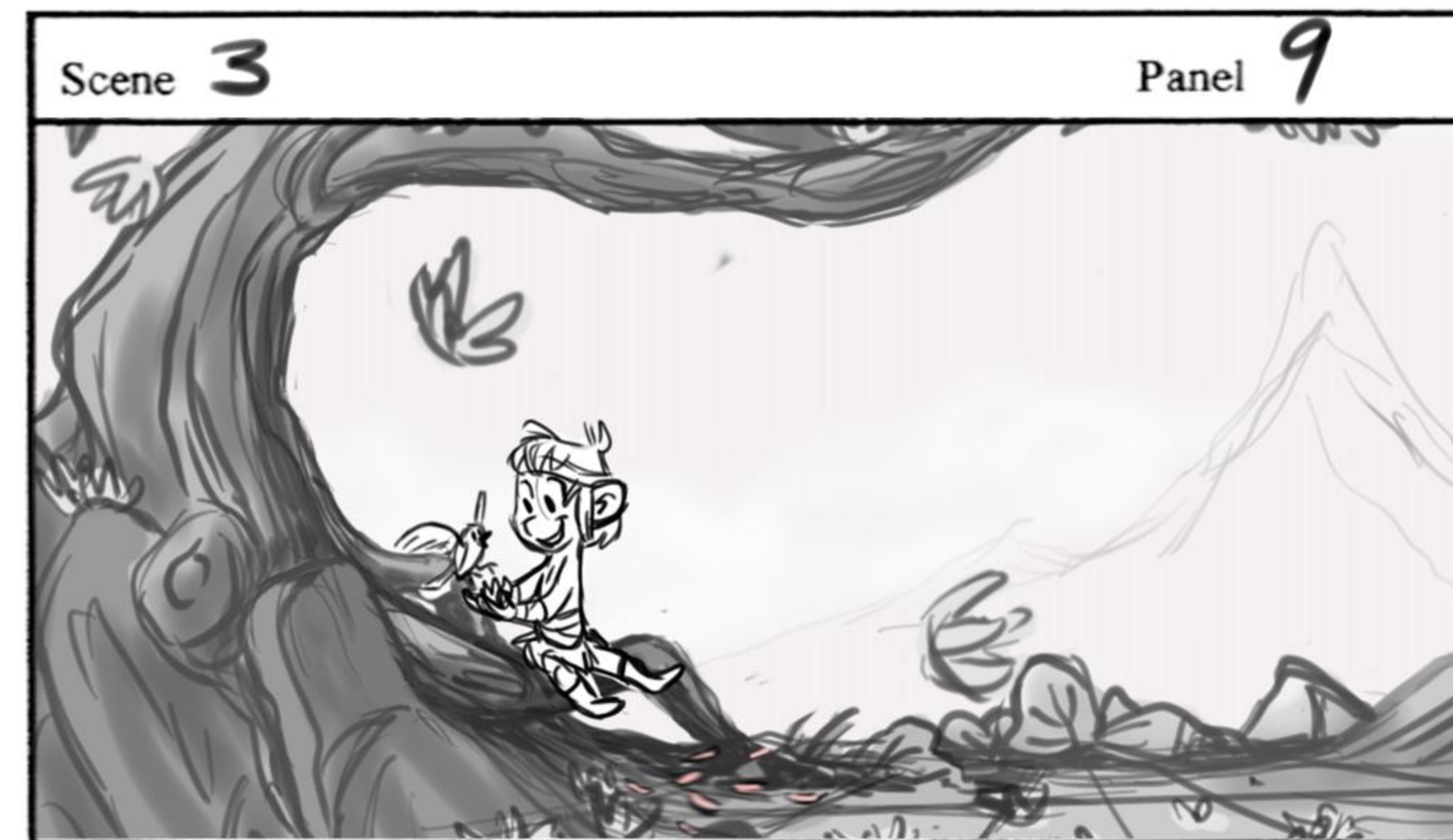


Dialogue:

THE BIRD: <CHIRPS>

Action:

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Dialogue:

(NONE)

Action:

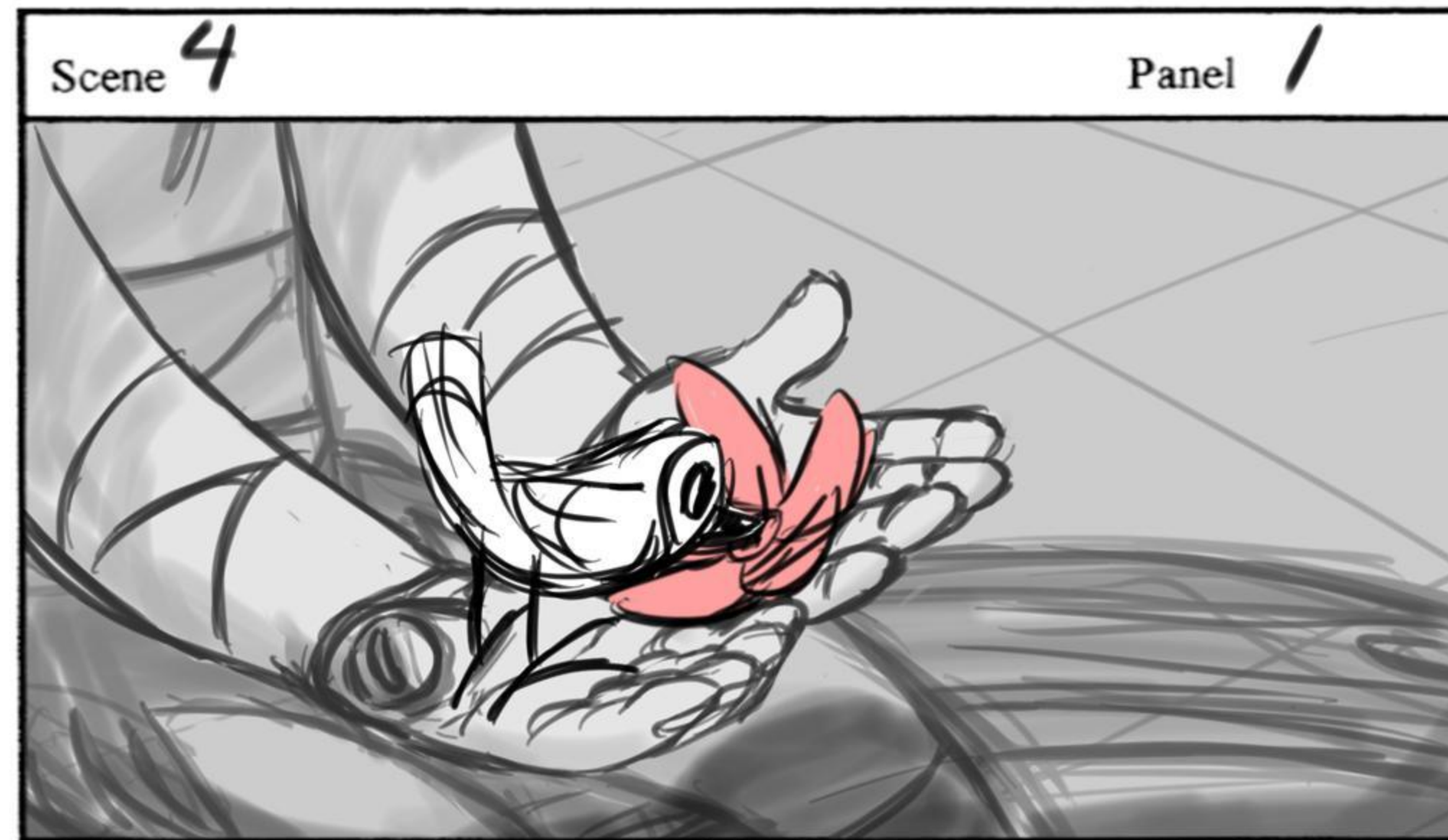
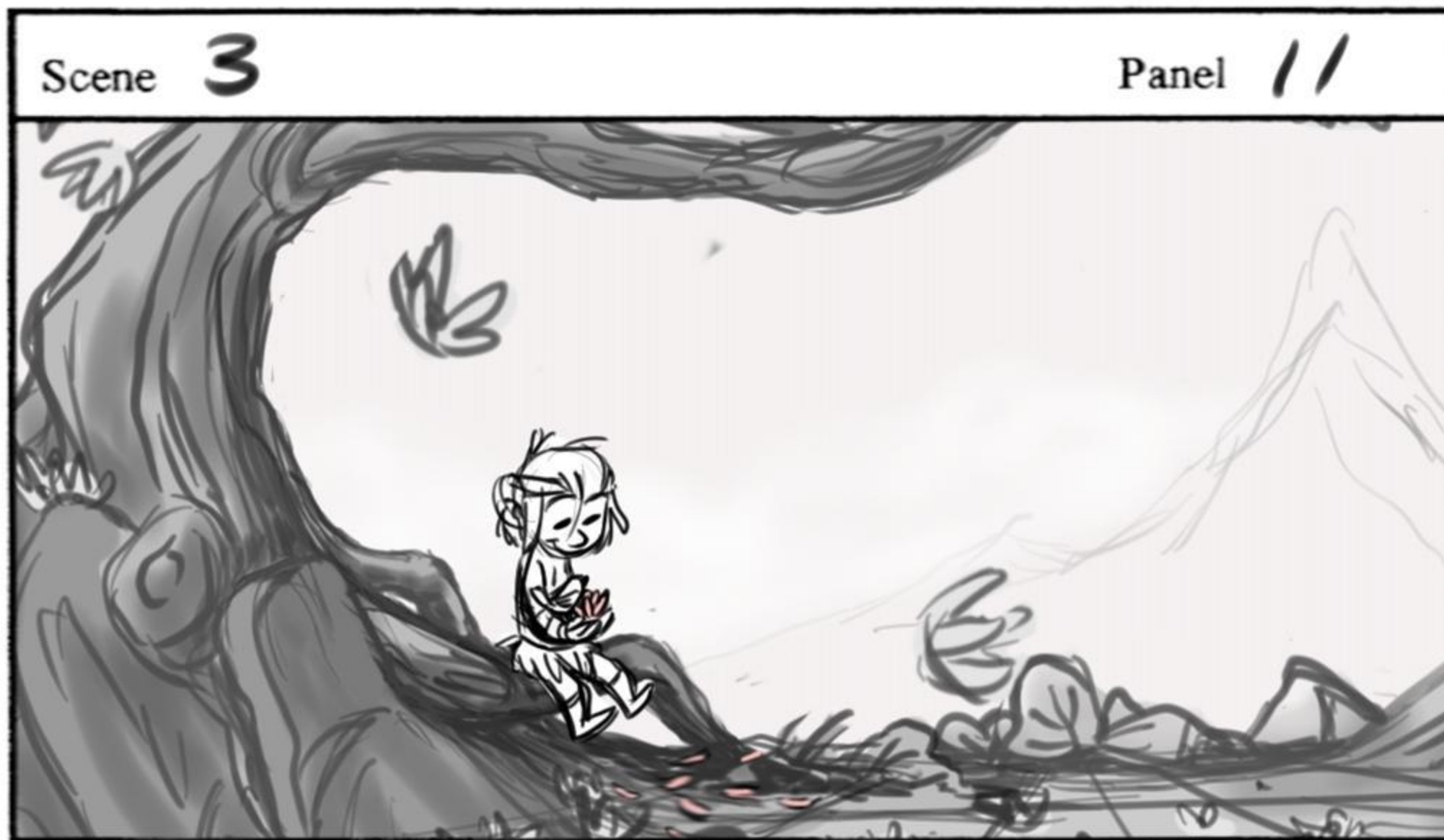
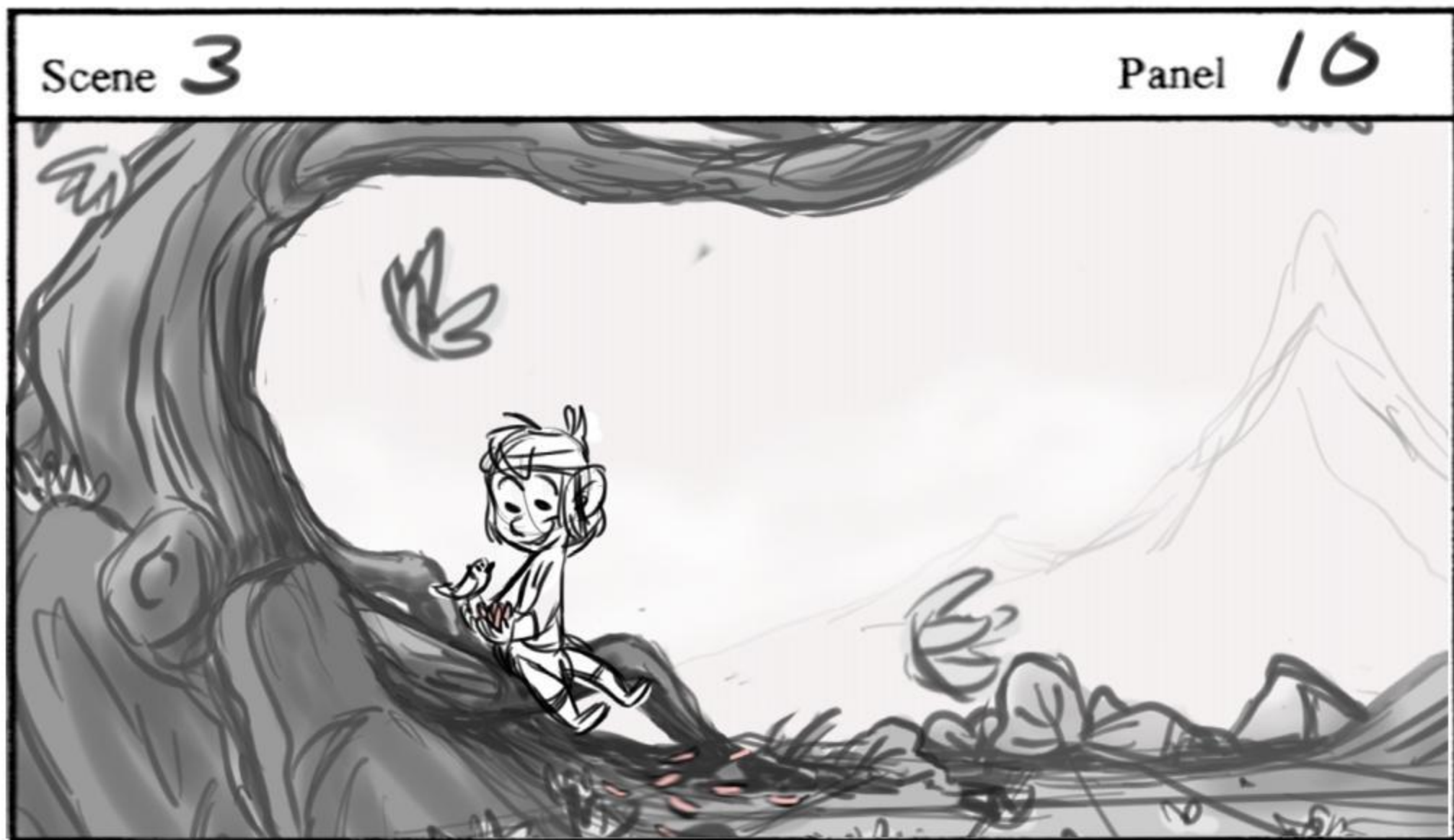
THE BIRD lands in THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN's hands.

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Dialogue:
(NONE)

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(NONE)

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(NONE)

Action:
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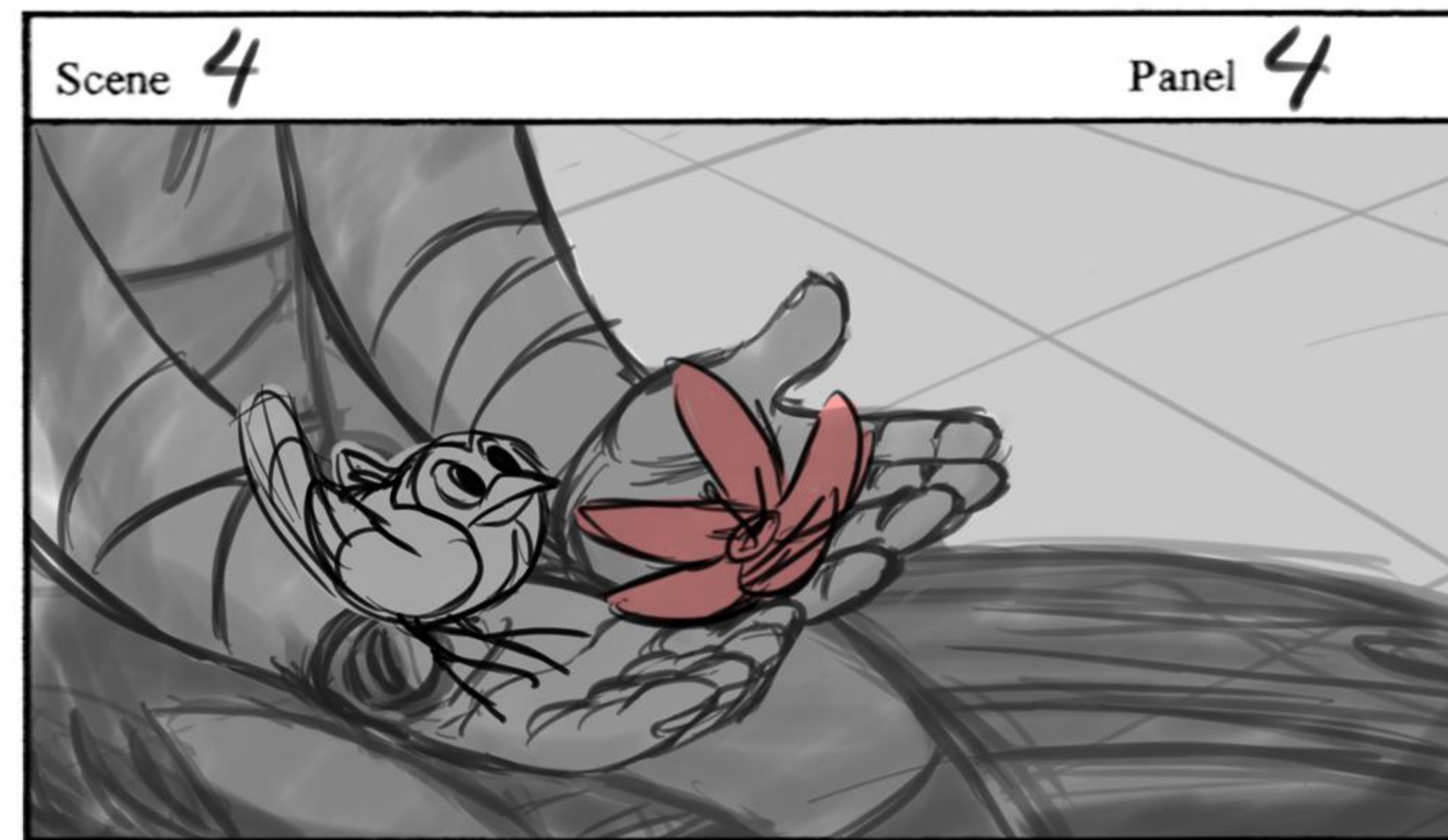
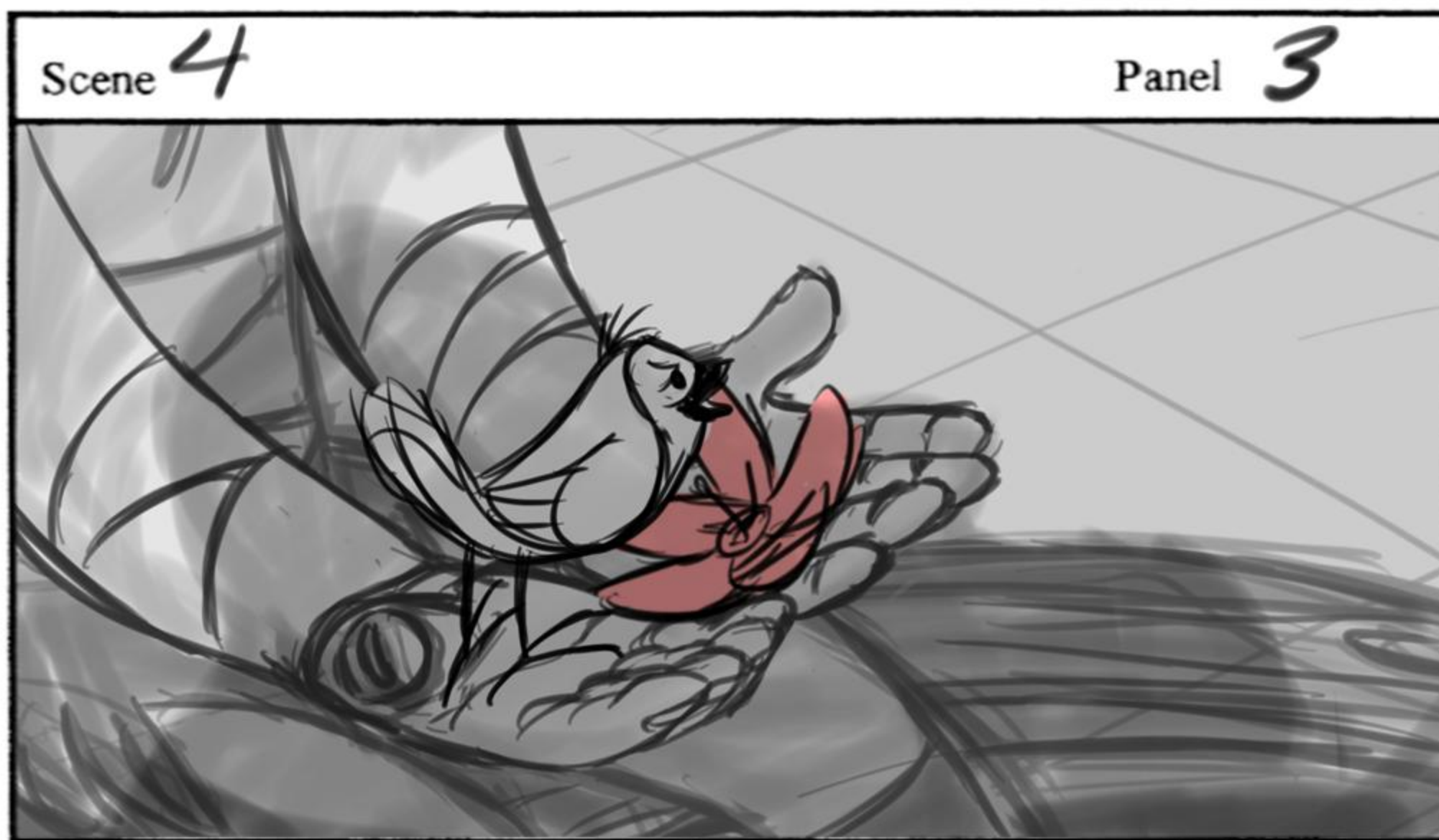
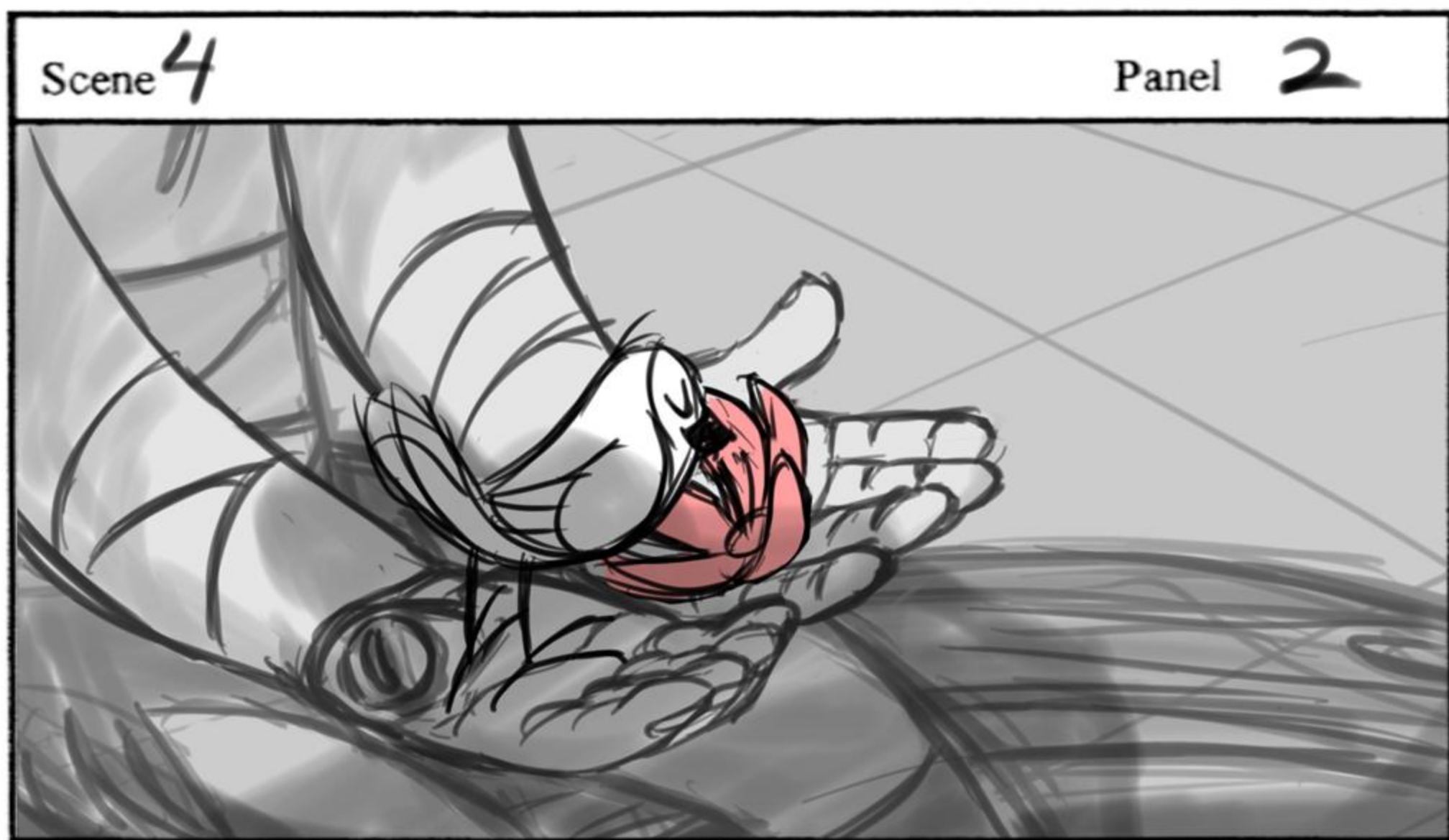
Action:
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Action:
THE BIRD sniffs the blossom with pleasure,
but then a shadow falls over it.

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Dialogue:

(NONE)

Dialogue:

(NONE)

Dialogue:

(NONE)

Action:

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Action:

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Action:

It looks upward and then cowers in fear...

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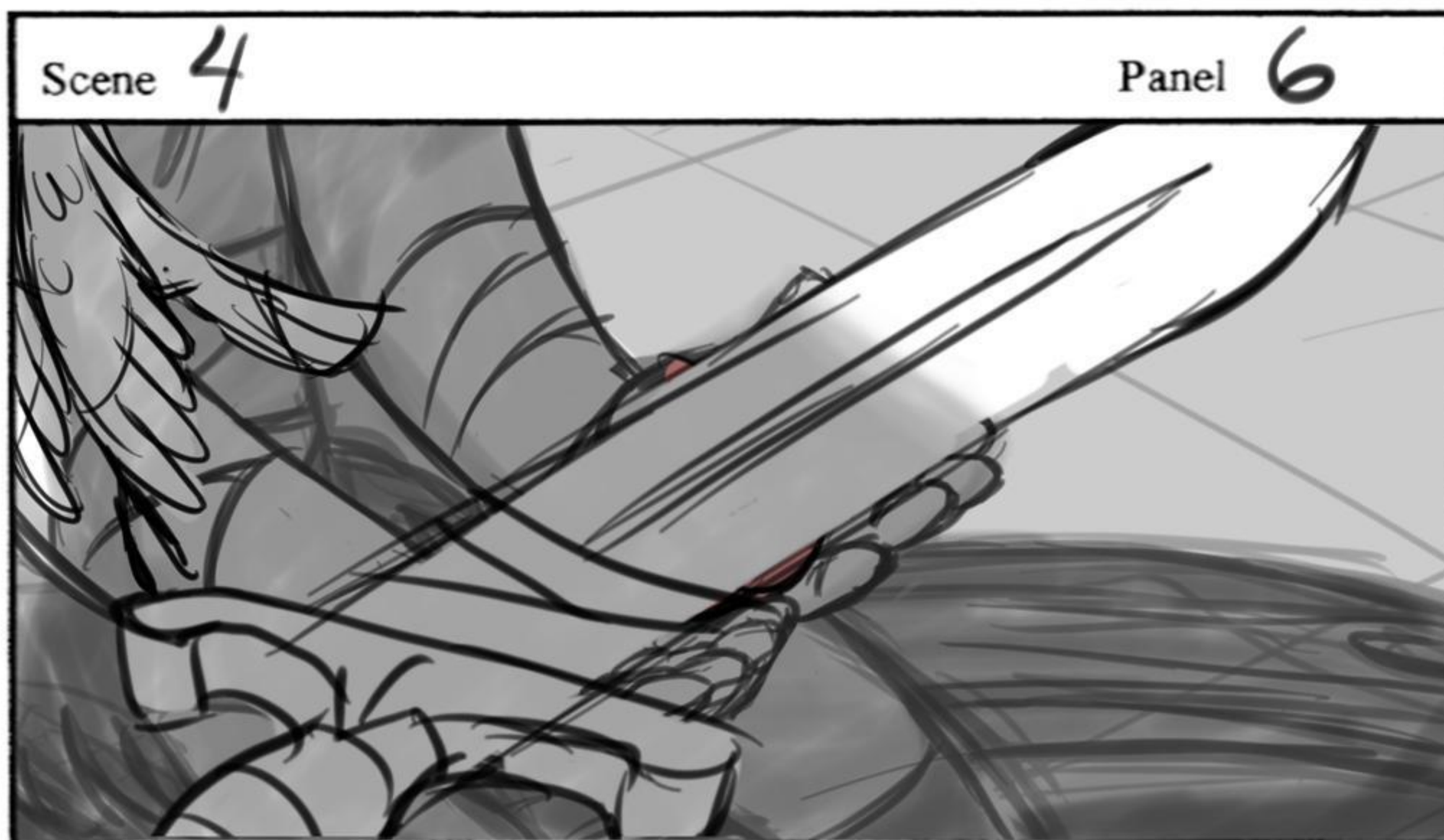
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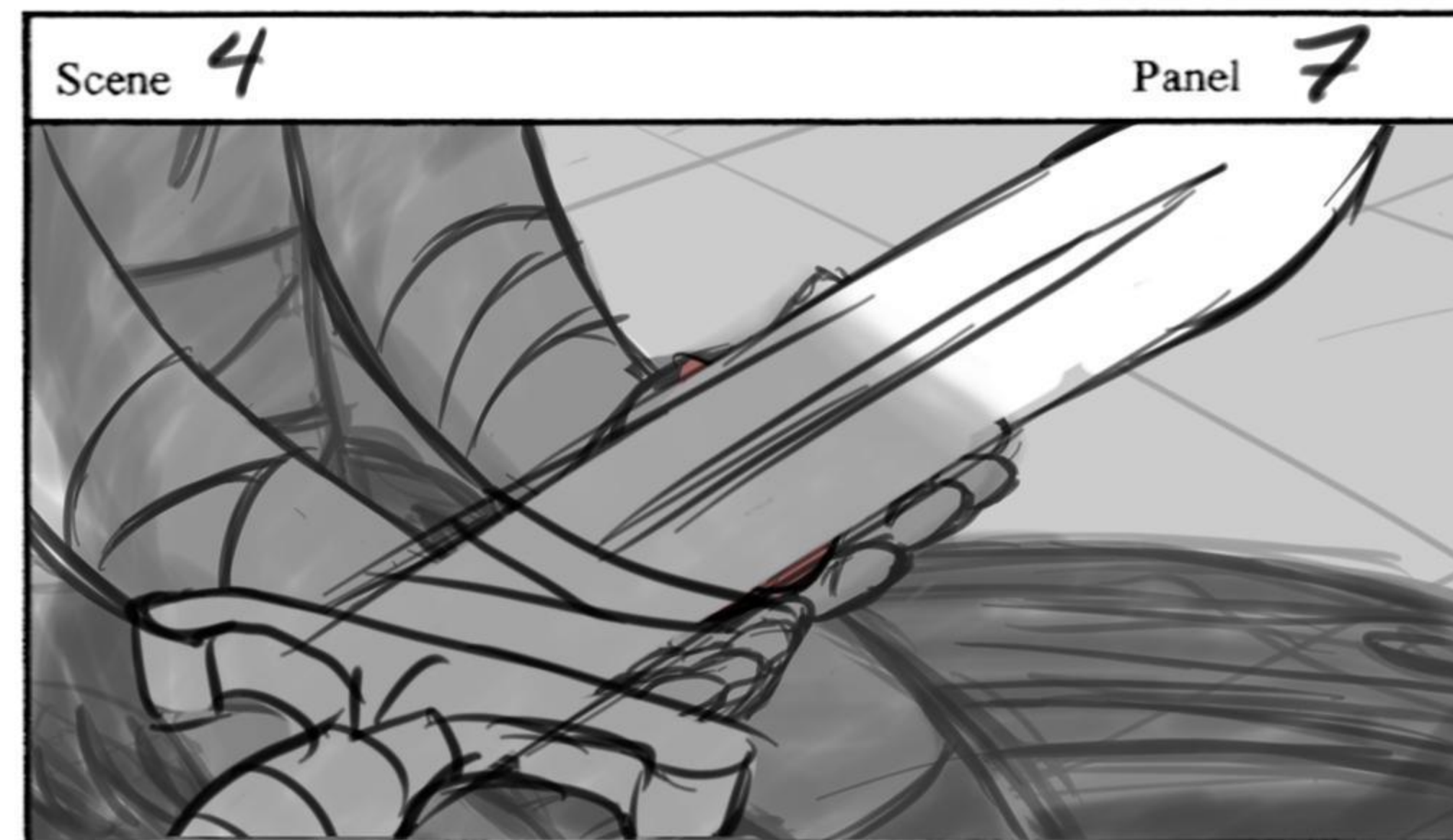
Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
...before flying off as a sword lands in THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN'S outstretched hands.



Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
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Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
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Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN looks up,
unhappy.



Dialogue:
THE BARBARIAN CHIEF (O.S.): Ha!

Action:
(CONTINUED FROM LAST PANEL)



Dialogue:
THE BARBARIAN CHIEF: Ya almost...

Action:
THE BARBARIAN CHIEF looks down at
his son with excitement.

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Dialogue:

THE BARBARIAN CHIEF: ... HAD the little sucker!

Action:

THE BARBARIAN CHIEF gestures intensely.



Dialogue:

THE BARBARIAN CHIEF: Didn't ya boy?

Action:

THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN looks around worried and confused.
THE BARBARIAN CHIEF is oblivious to this.



Dialogue:

(NONE)

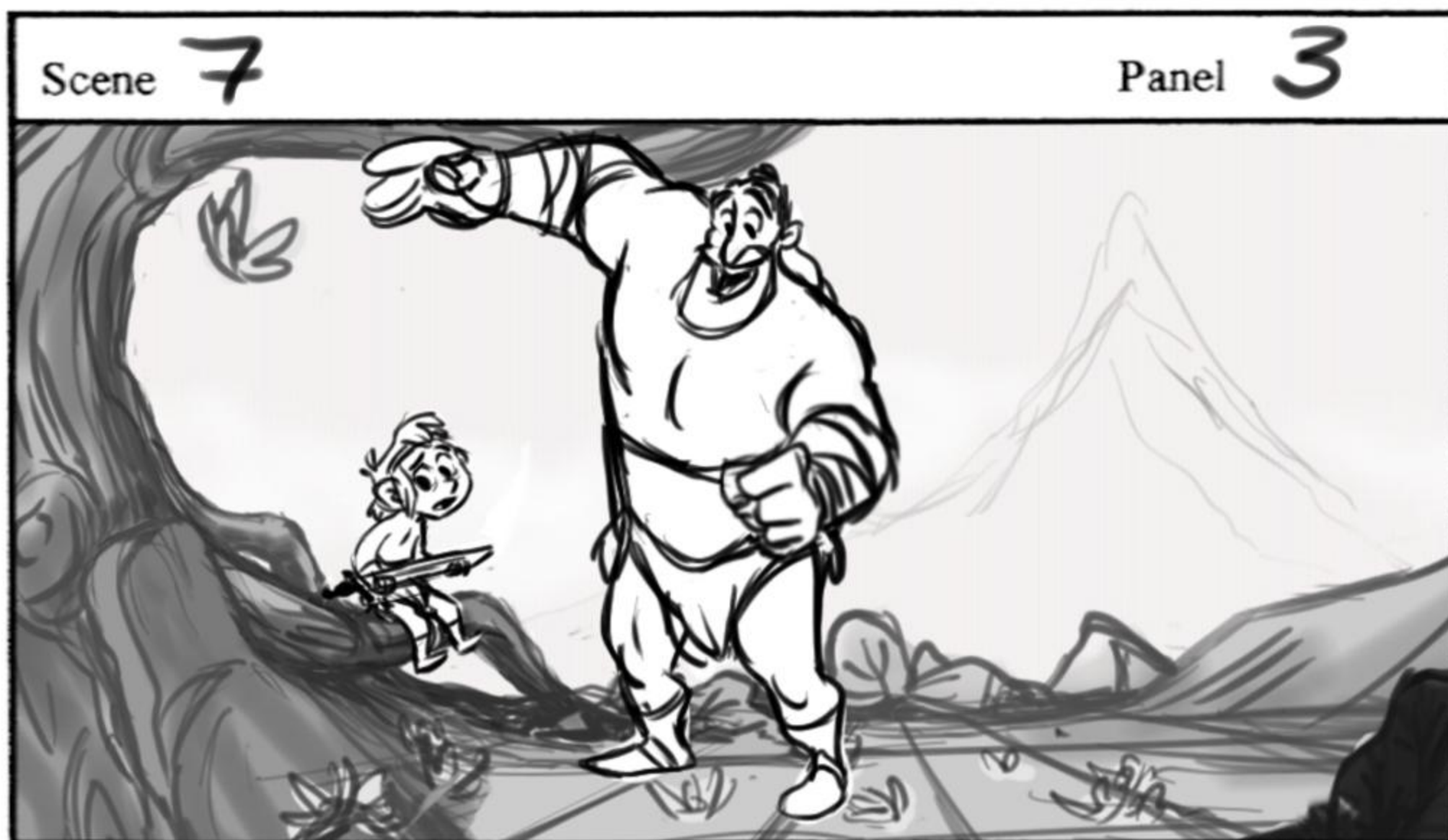
Action:

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Dialogue:

THE BARBARIAN CHIEF: Well...

Action:

THE BARBARIAN CHIEF leads his son over to THE PIG, who is tied to a steak.

Camera pans with them as they walk.



Dialogue:

THE BARBARIAN CHIEF: I've got something even better for ya!

Action:

(CONTINUED FROM LAST PANEL)



Dialogue:

(CONTINUED FROM LAST PANEL)

Action:

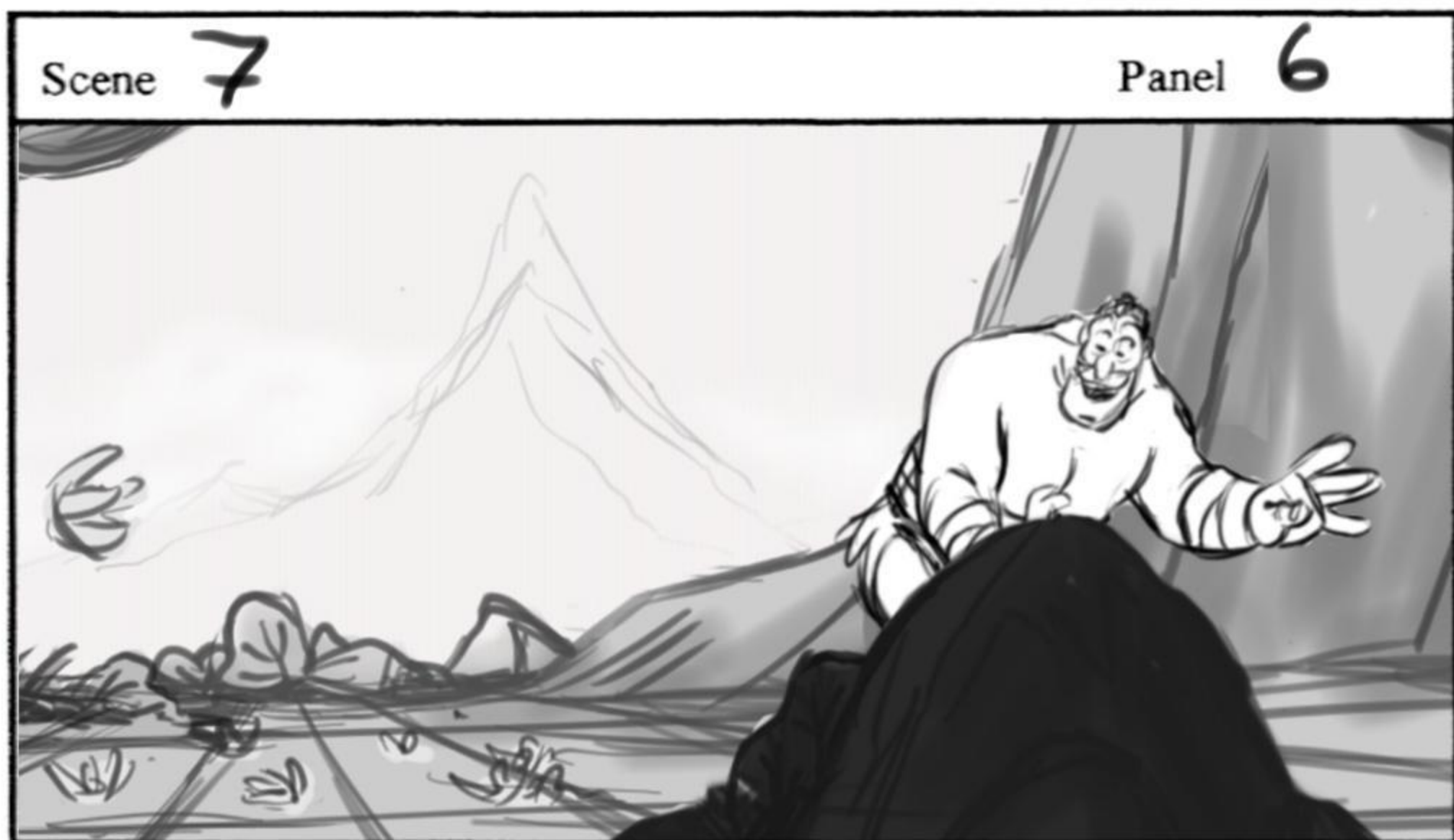
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Dialogue:

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Action:

(CONTINUED FROM LAST PANEL)



Dialogue:

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Action:

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Dialogue:

THE BARBARIAN CHIEF: Say hello...

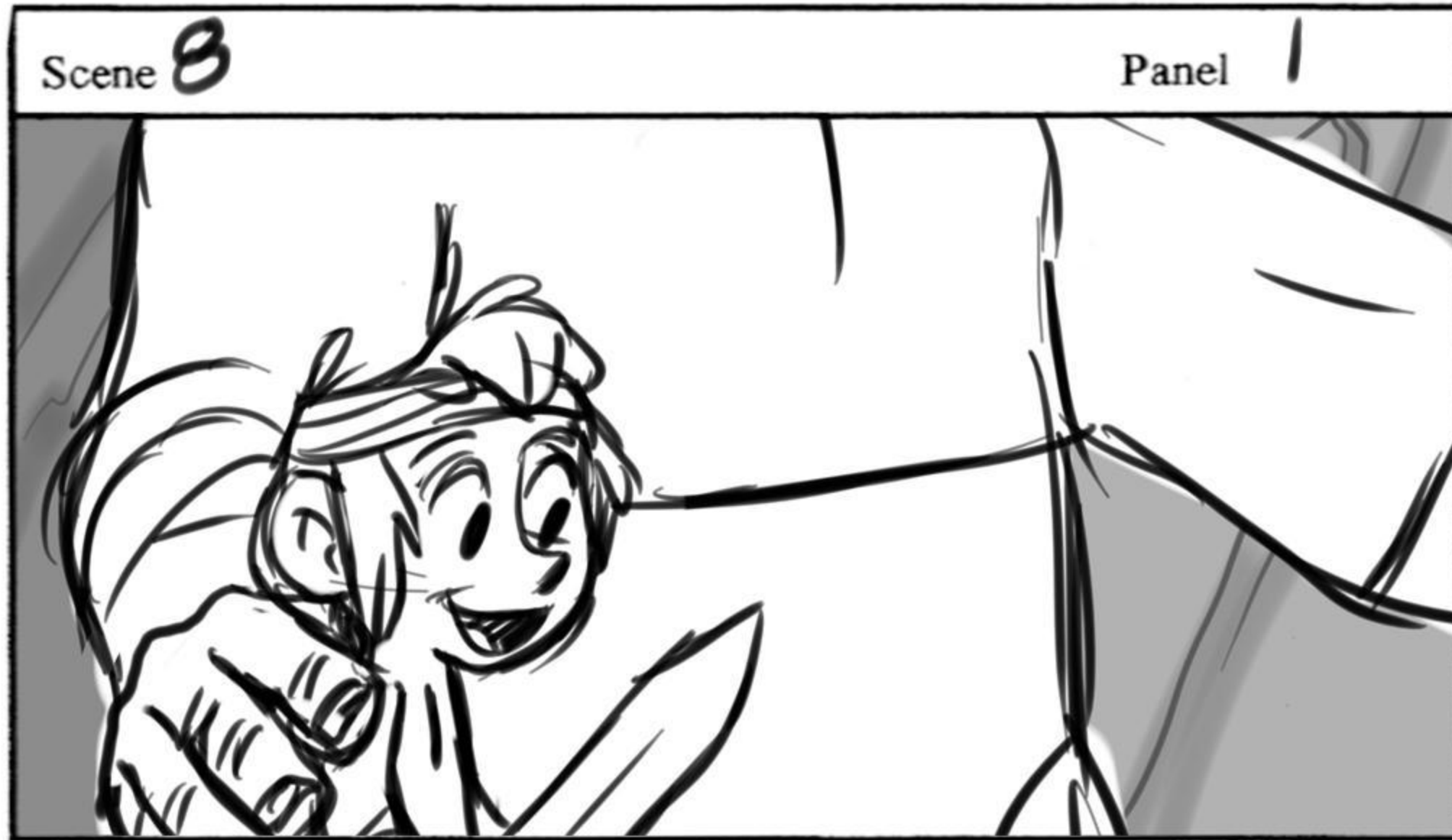
Action:

THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN is excited upon first seeing the cute pig.

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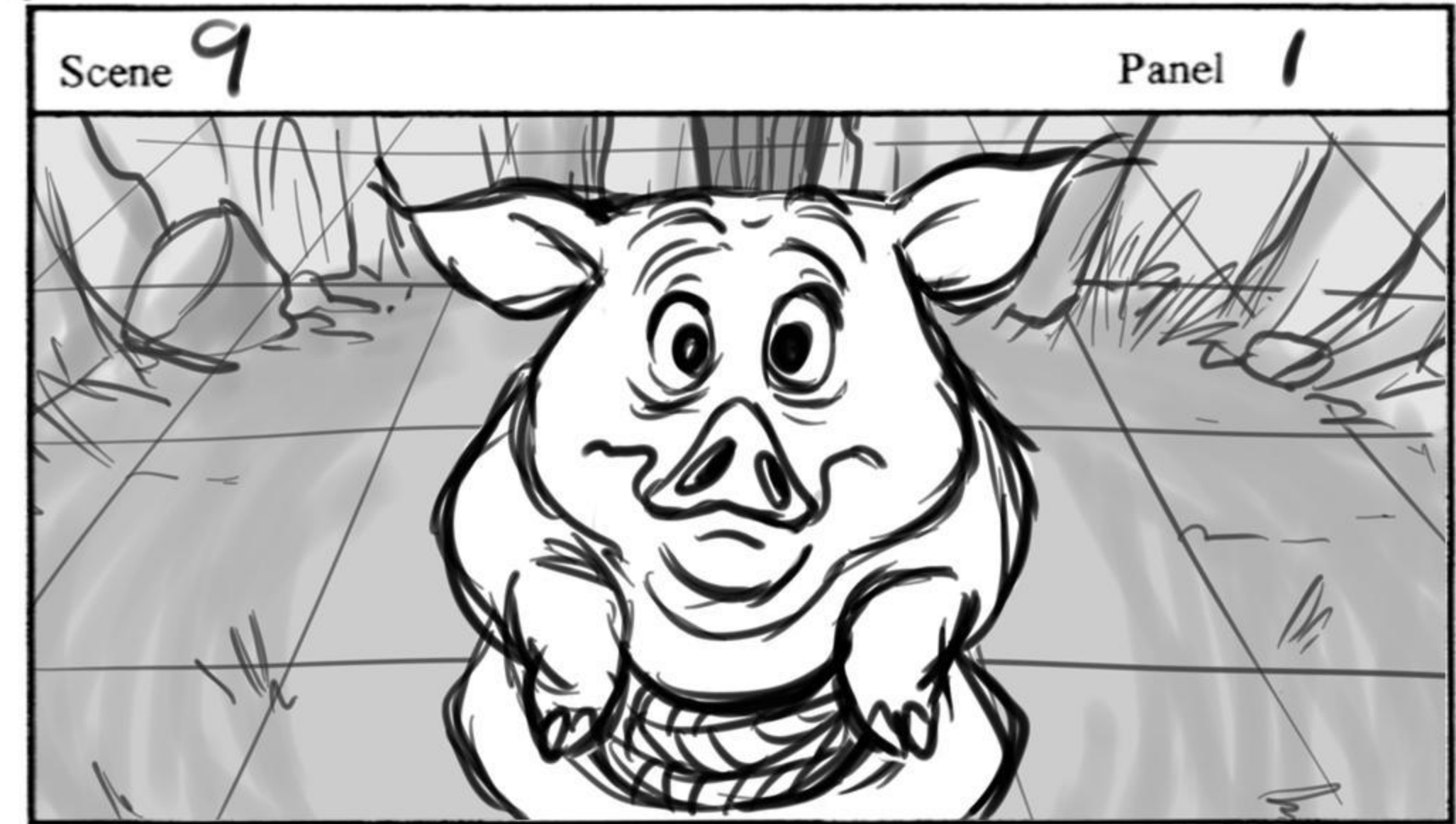
Dialogue:
THE BARBARIAN CHIEF: ...to your first kill!

Action:
(CONTINUED FROM LAST PANEL)



Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
... but when he hears "...your first kill!" he looks up at his father in horror.



Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
THE PIG also looks up in horror.

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Dialogue:

(NONE)

Action:

(NONE)



Dialogue:

THE BARBARIAN CHIEF: If you want to be a warrior...

Action:

THE BARBARIAN CHIEF crouches down to speak to his son.



Dialogue:

THE BARBARIAN CHIEF: ...KILLING IS THE KEY!

Action:

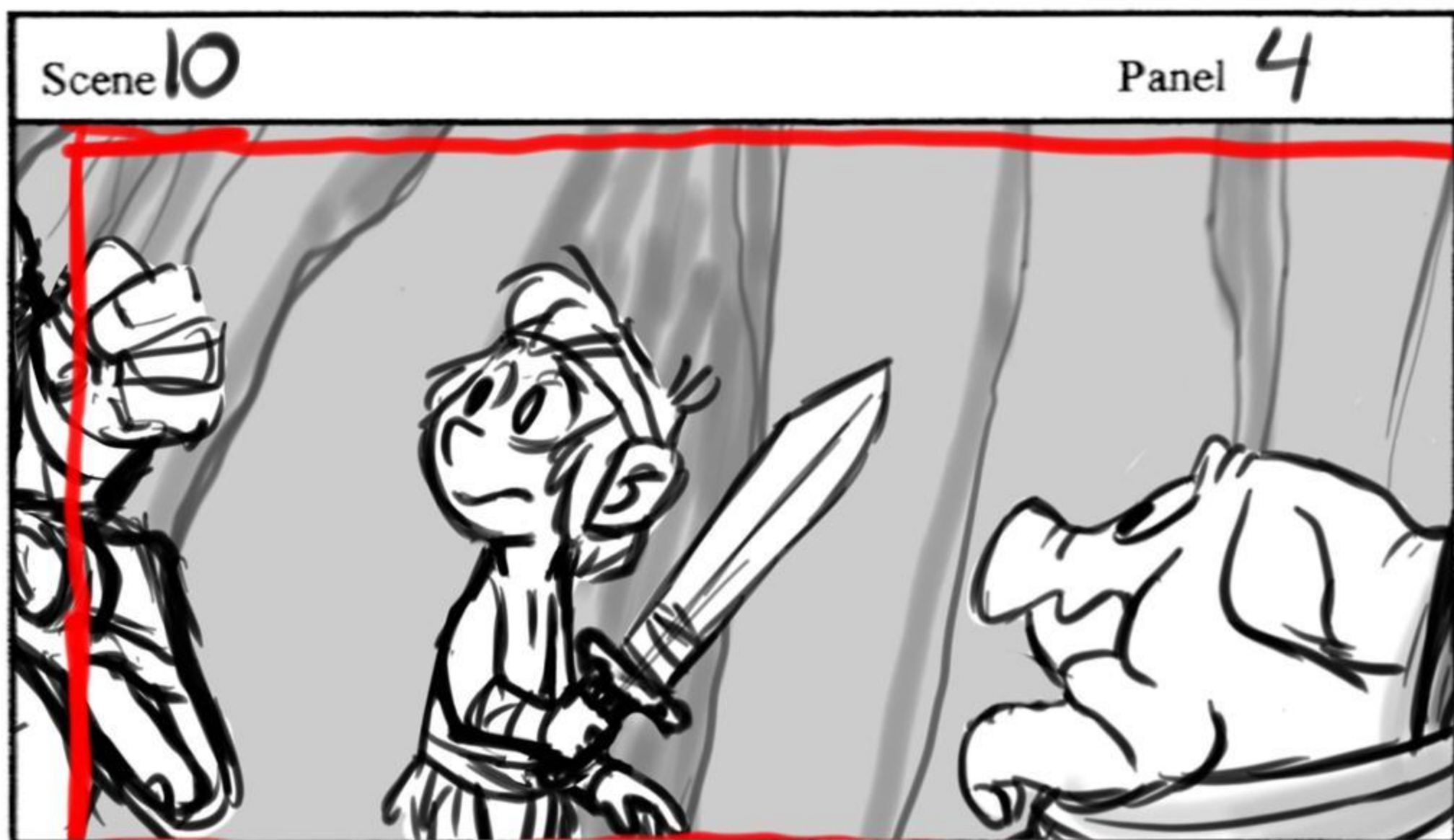
THE BARBARIAN CHIEF shoves his son towards THE PIG.
Camera pans with him.

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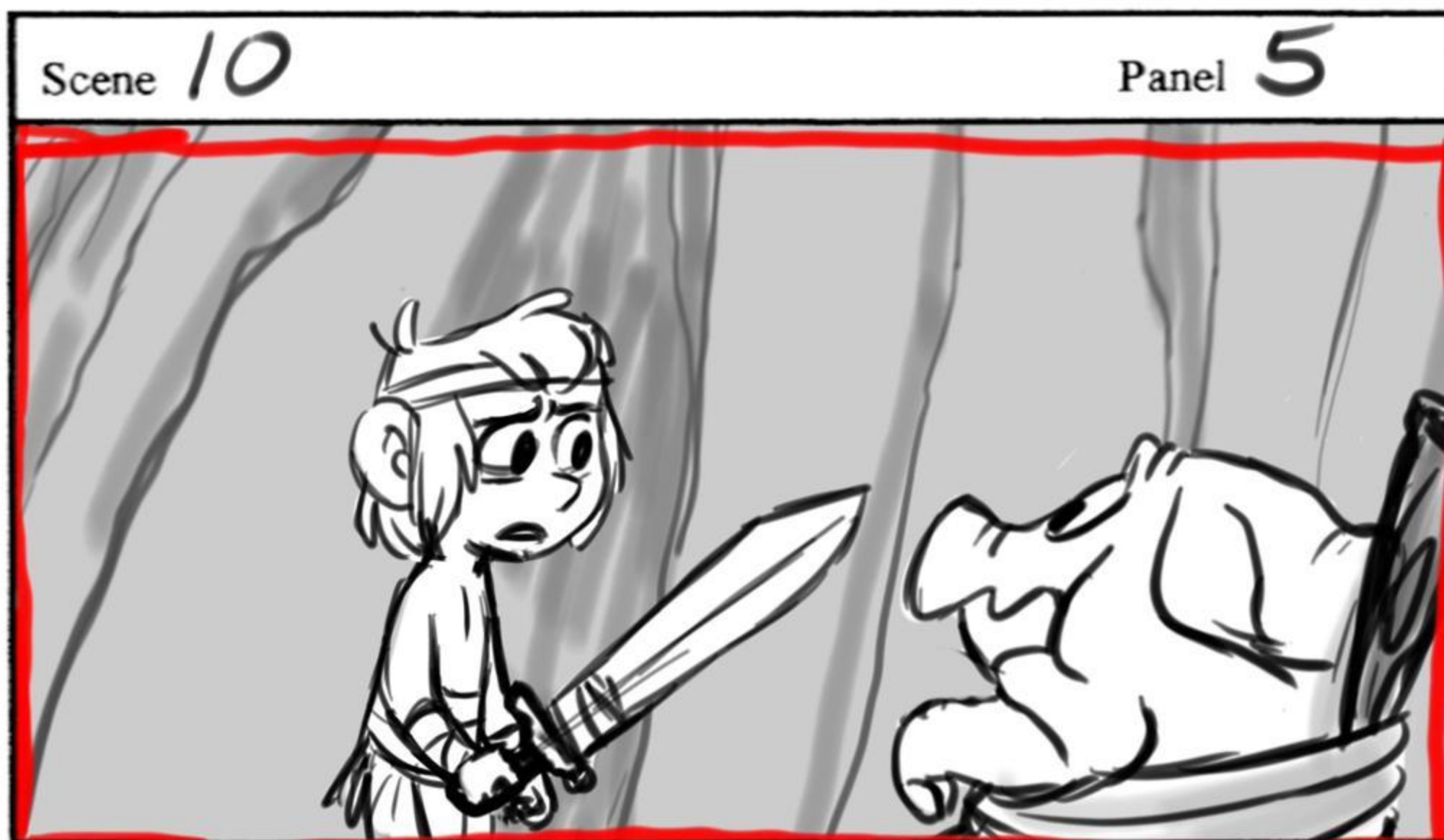
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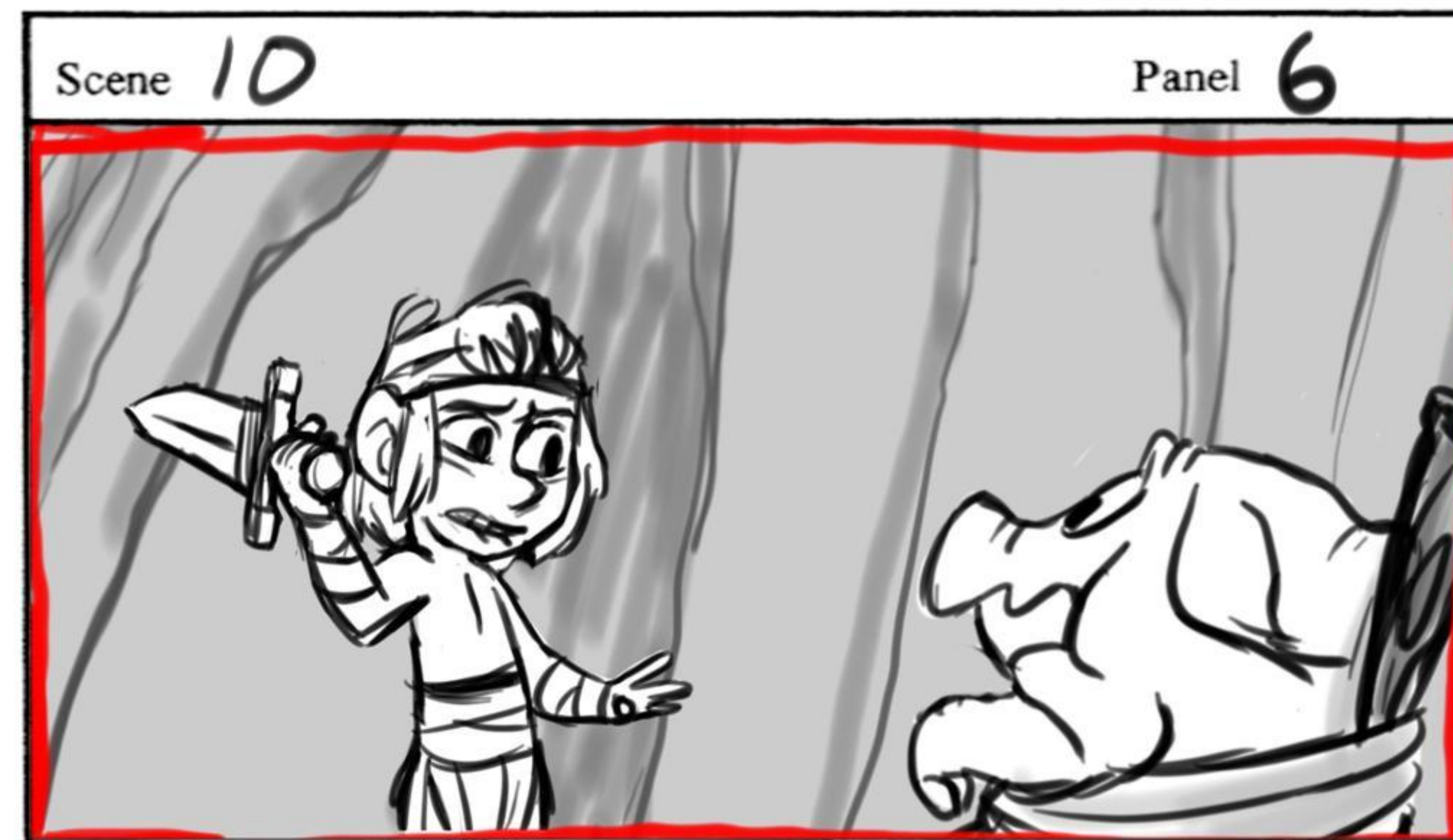
Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
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Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN faces
THE PIG.



Dialogue:
(NONE)

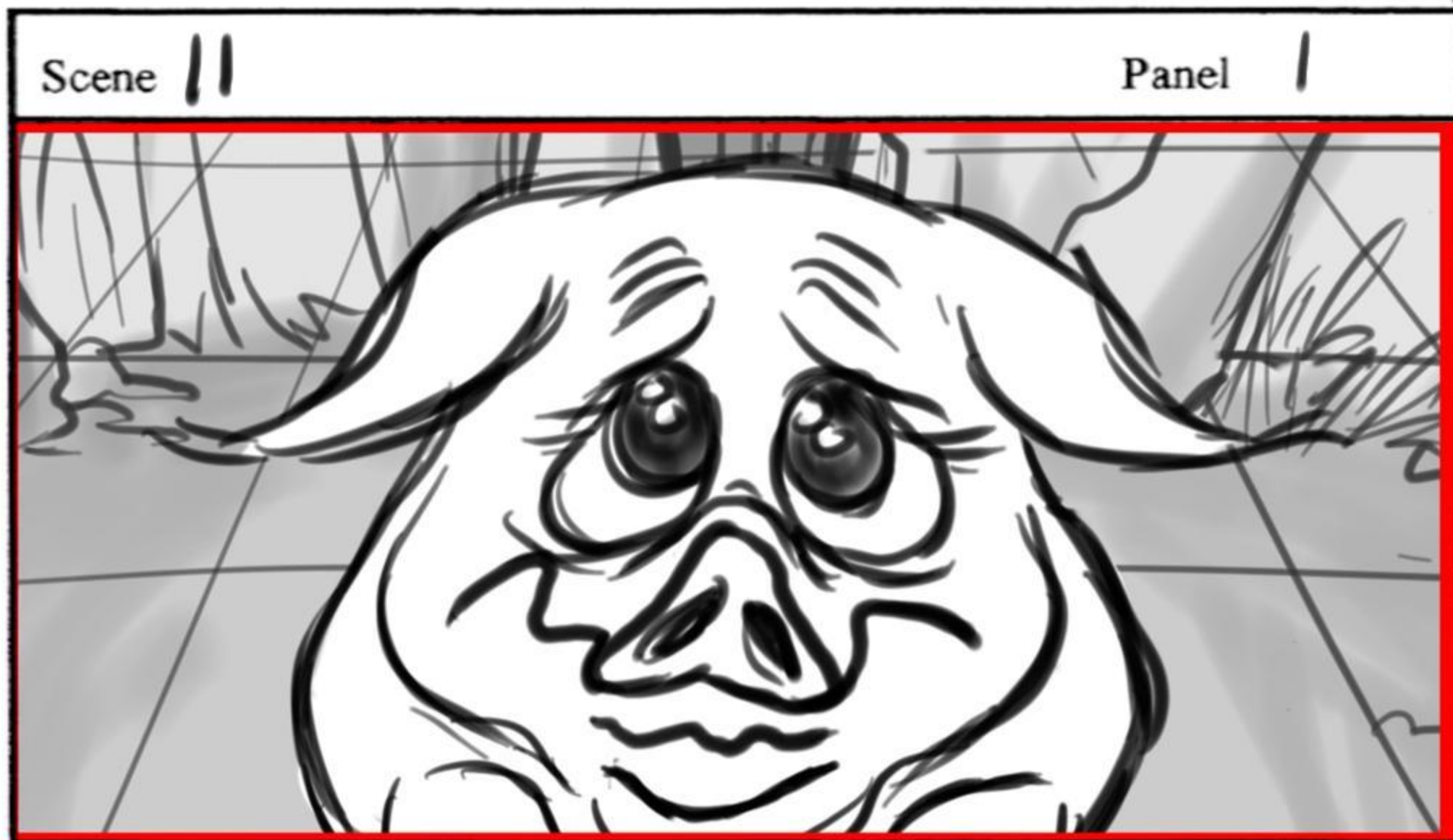
Action:
THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN raises his
sword reluctantly, still looking at THE PIG.

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Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
THE PIG looks up at him.



Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN cringes.



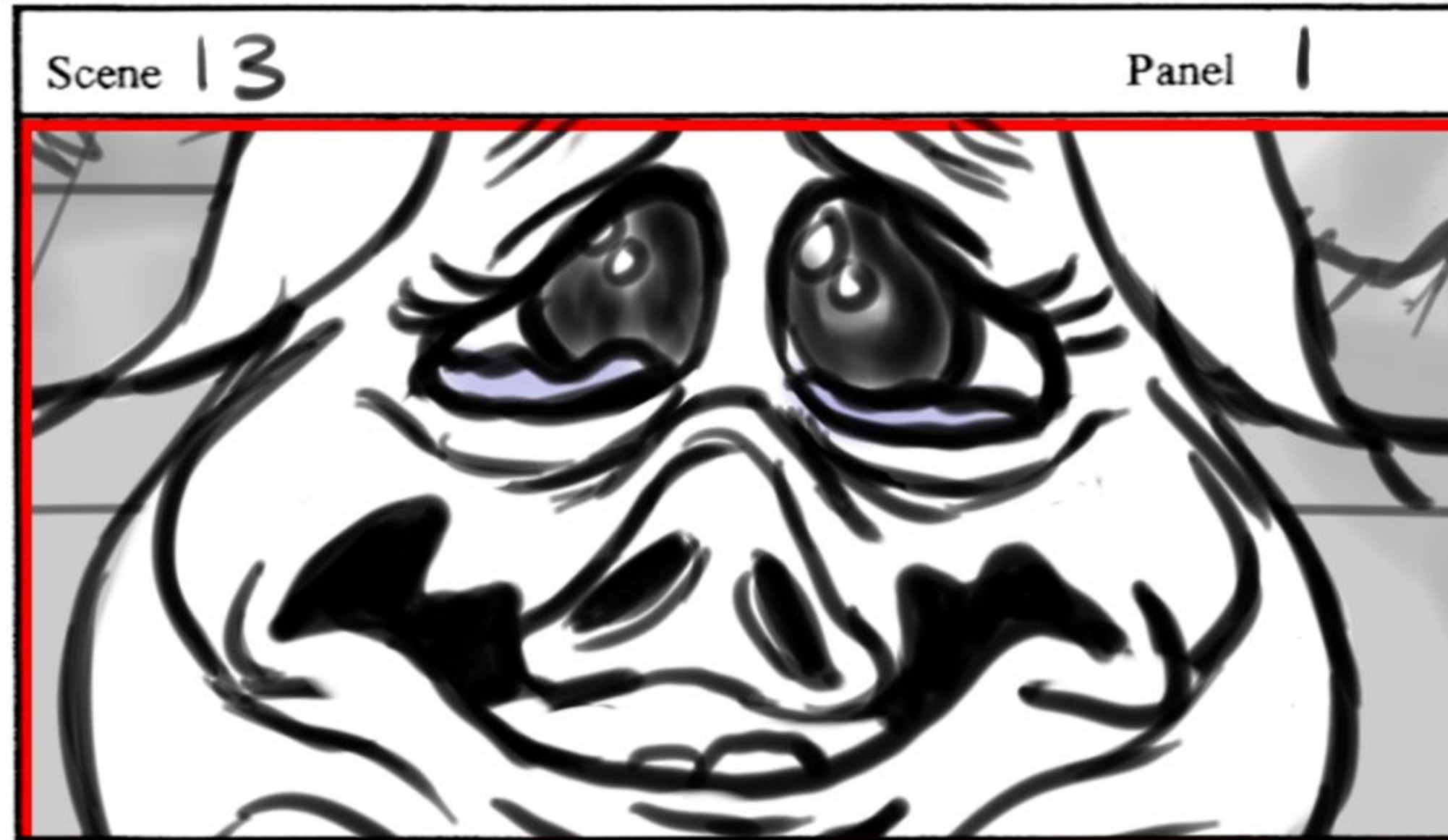
Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN tries to look away...

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Dialogue:
(NONE)

Dialogue:
(NONE)

SFX: (O.S.) THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN'S
<SWORD SWISHES AND CHOPS>.
Dialogue: THE PIG (O.S.): <SQUEALS>

Action:
... but can't.

Action:
THE PIG is still looking at him, this time
with tears welling up in its eyes.

Action:
THE BARBARIAN CHIEF looks on in
anticipation.

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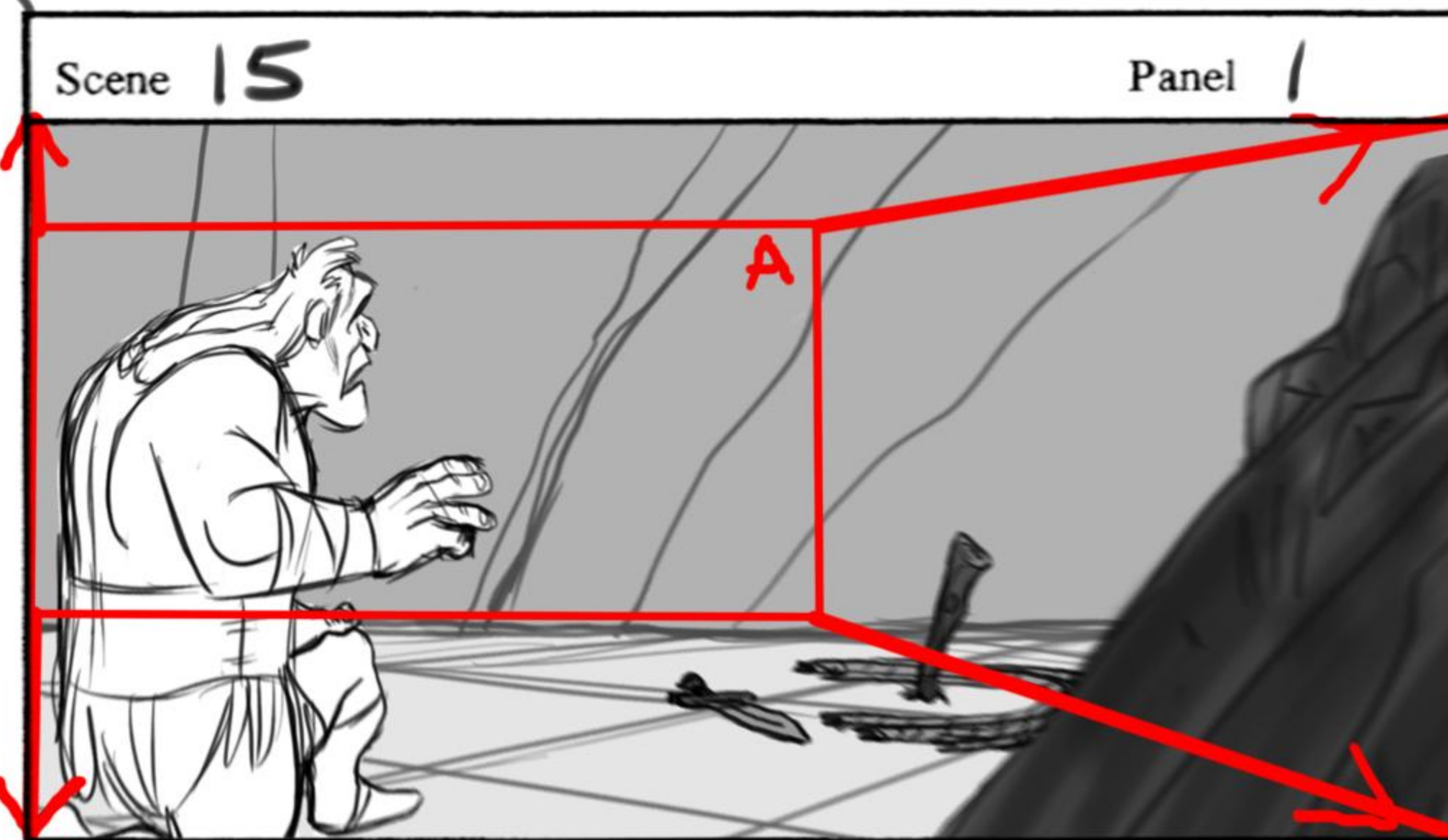
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Dialogue:
(NONE)

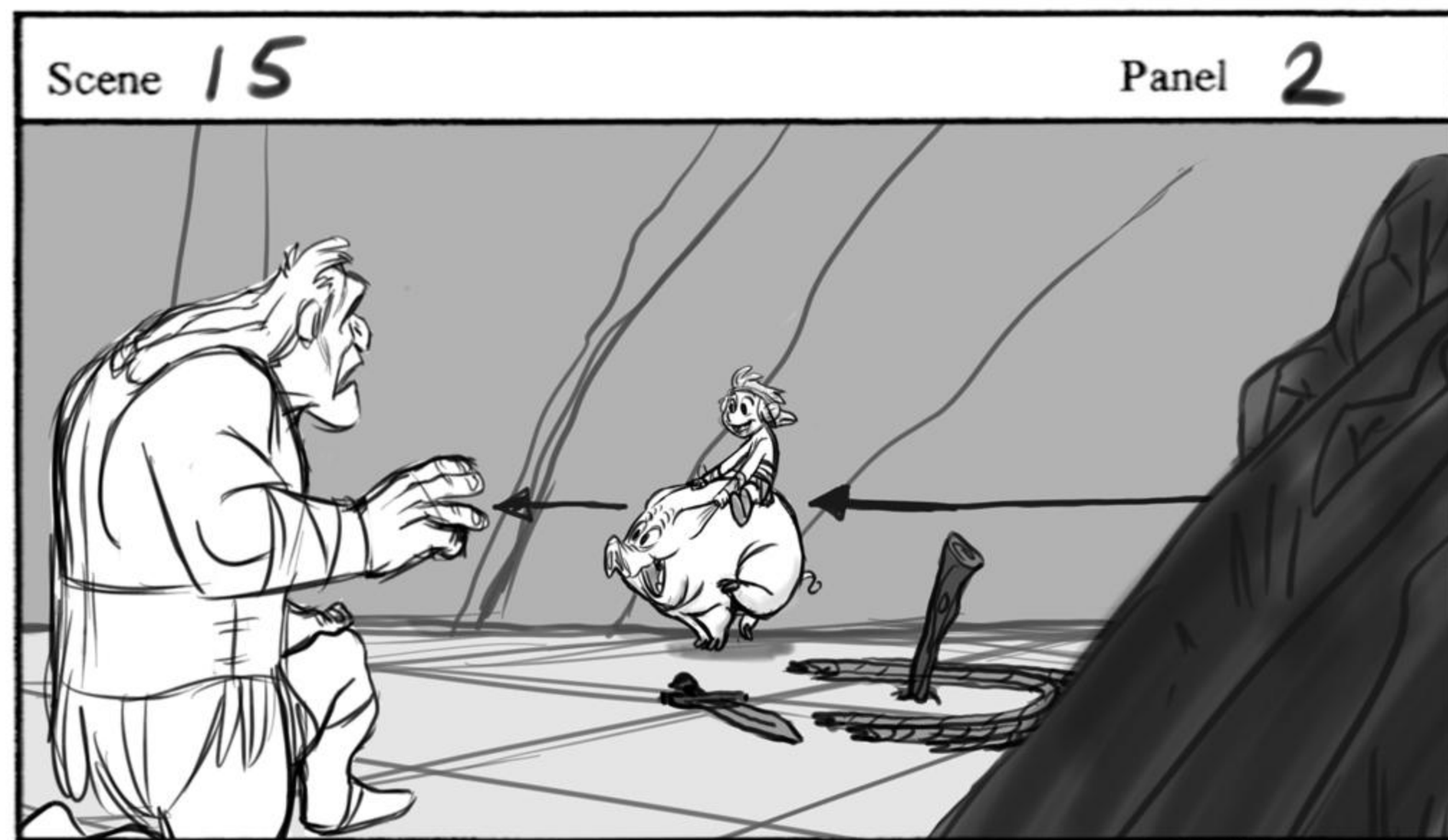
Action:
THE BARBARIAN CHIEF'S look of anticipation becomes one of frustration and disbelief.

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Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
(Quick zoom out from position A)
OTS shot of the steak, with the rope cut and the sword lying beside it.



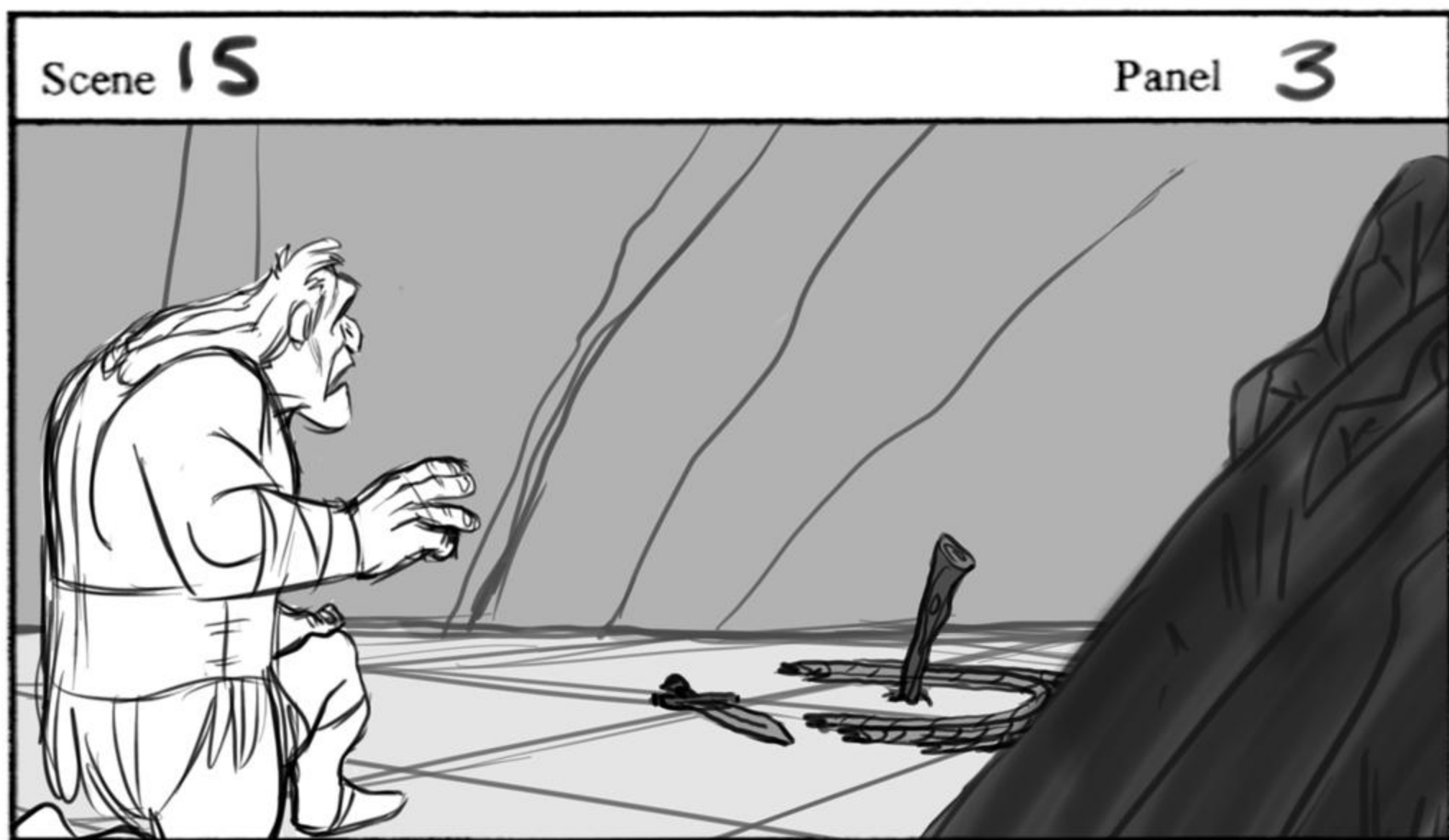
Dialogue:
(NONE)

Action:
THE BARBARIAN CHIEF watches as THE PIG runs through the shot with THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN on his back.

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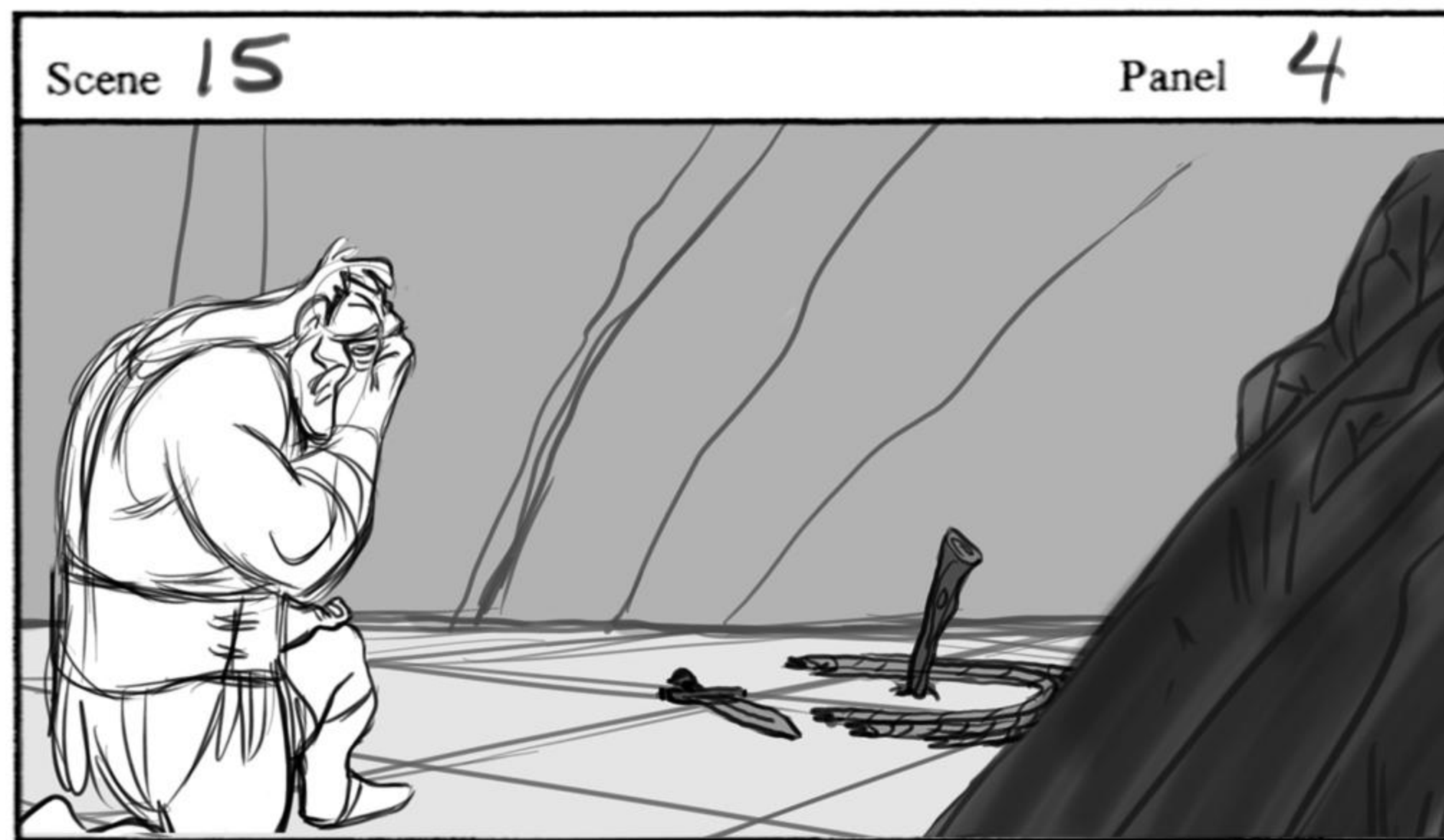


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Action:

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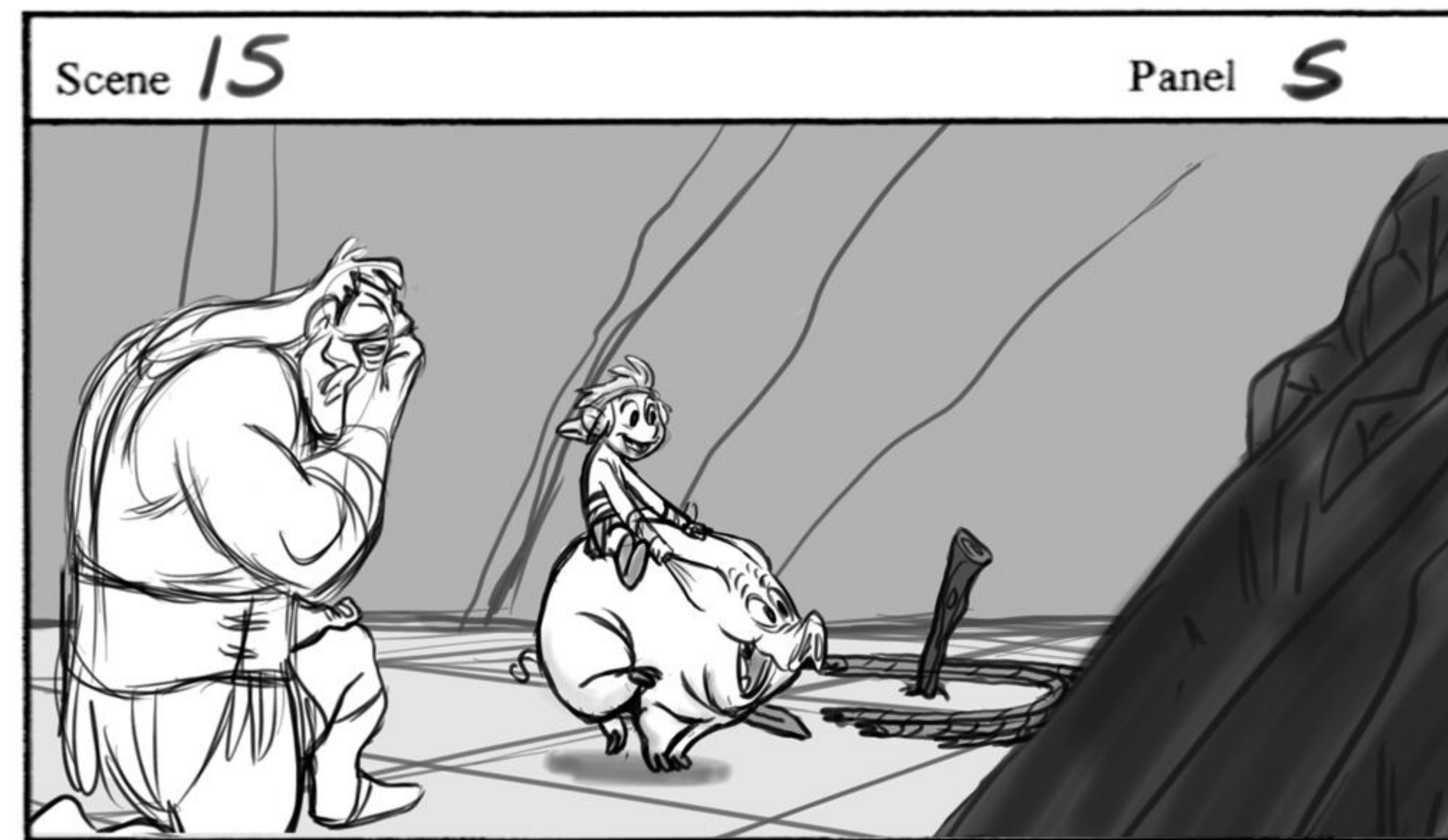


Dialogue:

(NONE)

Action:

THE BARBARIAN CHIEF places his hand over his face.



Dialogue:

(NONE)

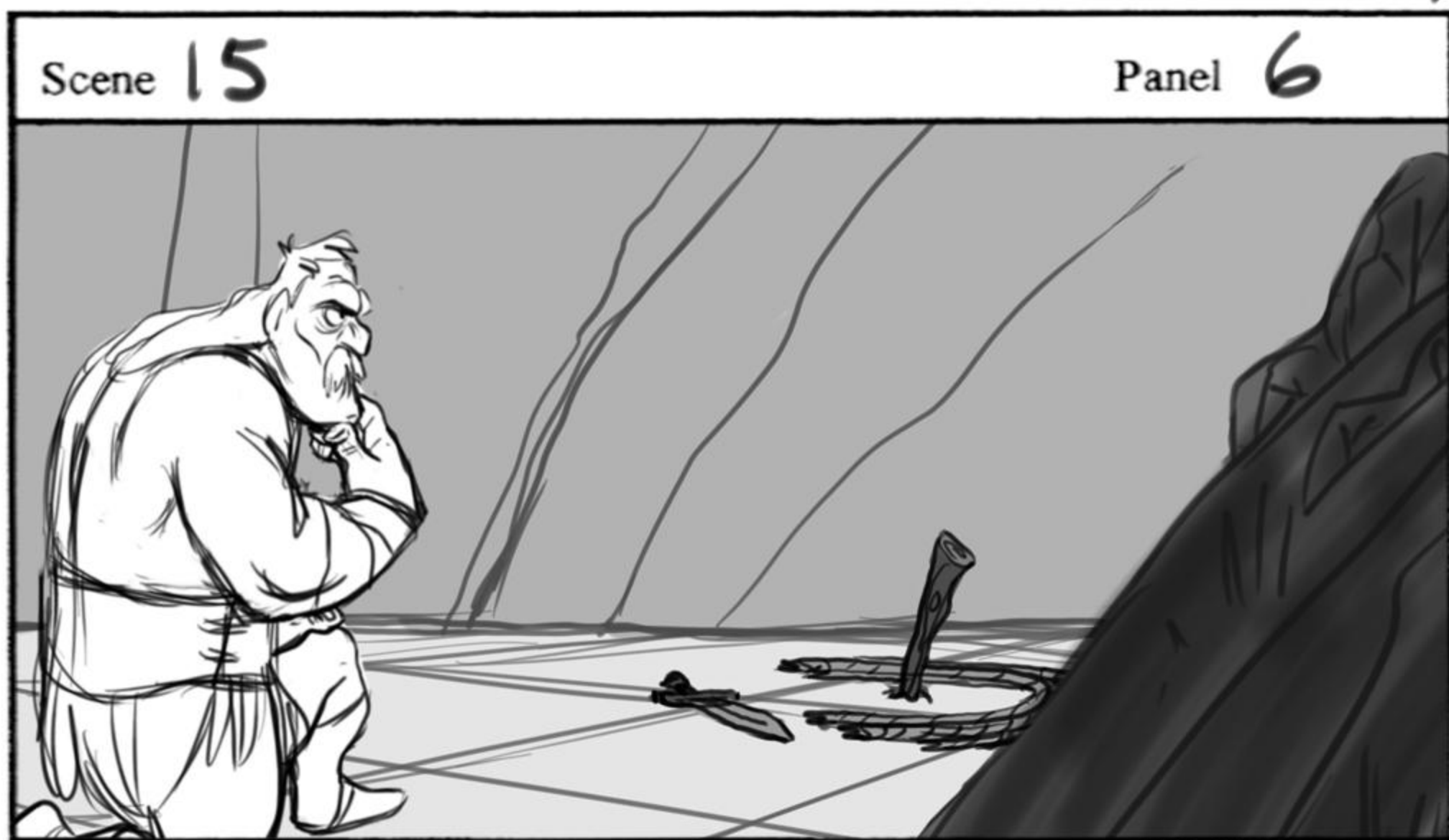
Action:

THE PIG and THE LITTLEST BARBARIAN run by again.

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Dialogue:

(NONE)

Action:

THE BARBARIAN CHIEF
furrows his brows in annoyance.

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Dialogue:

(NONE)

Action:

Shot is peaceful, nothing is happening.



Dialogue:

THE BARBARIAN CHIEF (O.S.):
<EXCLAIMING WITH PHYSICAL EFFORT>
THE PIG: <SQUEALING>

Action:

THE PIG comes flying off the cliff,
upwards at first...

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Dialogue:

THE PIG: <SQUEALING>

Action:

THE PIG flies off screen (at the top) for a moment.



Dialogue:

THE PIG: <SQUEALING>

Action:

And then down past the camera and off screen (at the bottom).



Dialogue:

THE PIG: <SQUEALING STOPS>

SFX: (O.S.) <LEAVES RUSTLE> and <BRANCHES SNAP>

Action:

(O.S.) THE PIG lands in the forest below.

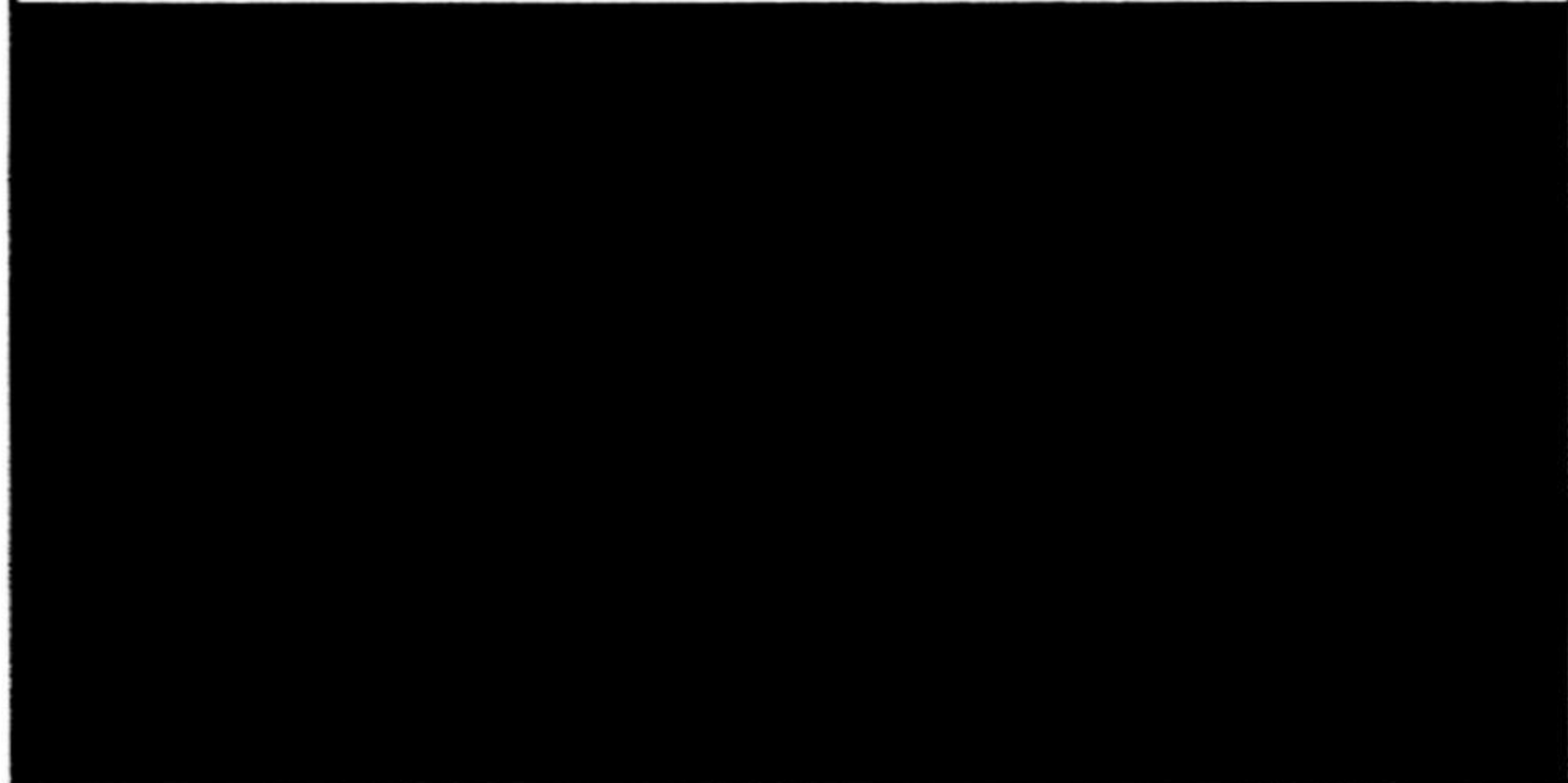
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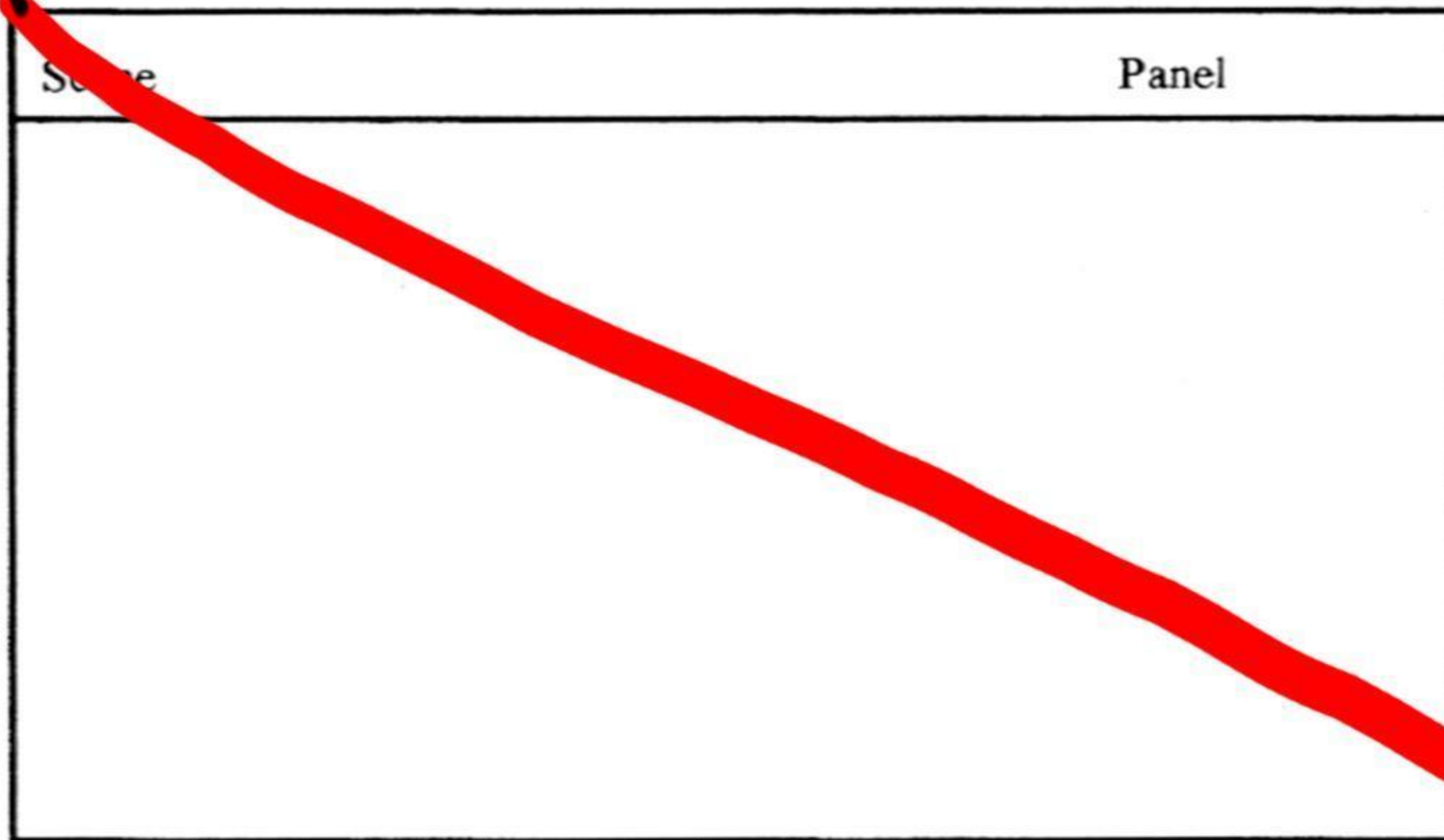
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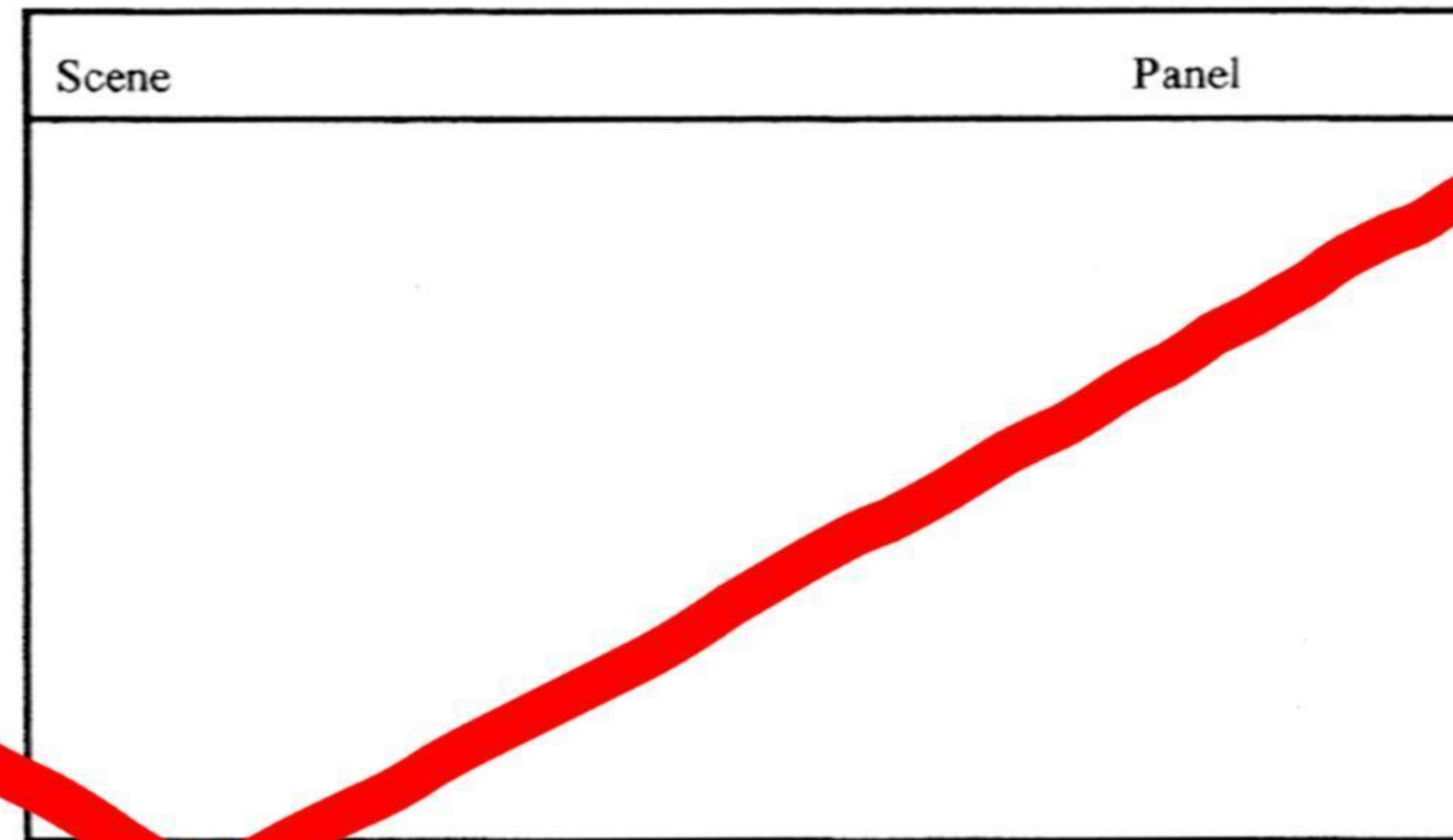
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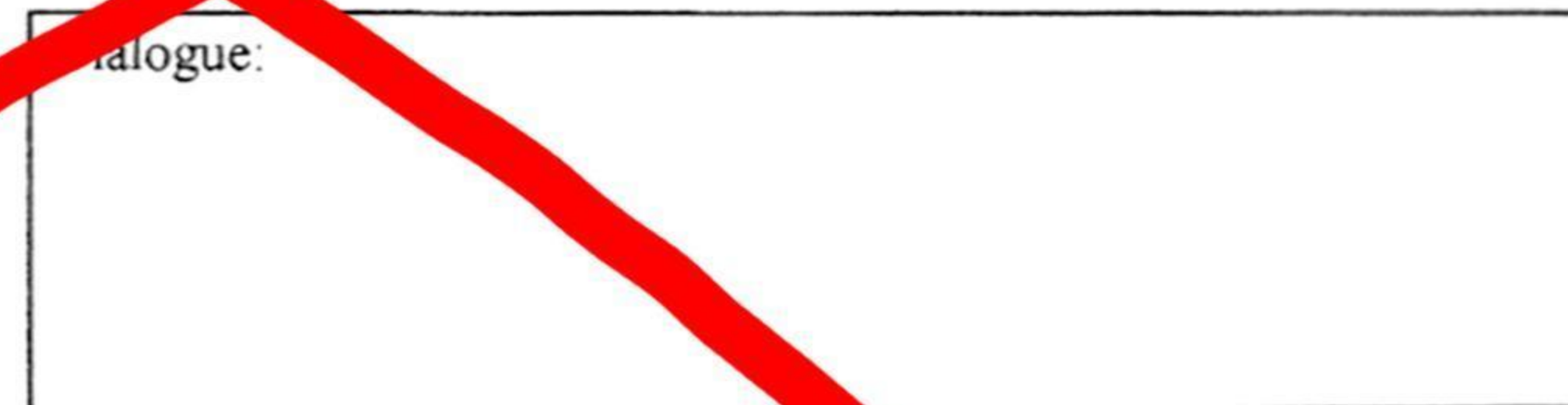


Dialogue:
(NONE)

Dialogue:



Dialogue:



Action:
FADE TO BLACK.

Action:



Action:

