

REBIRTH *Of The* GANGSTER



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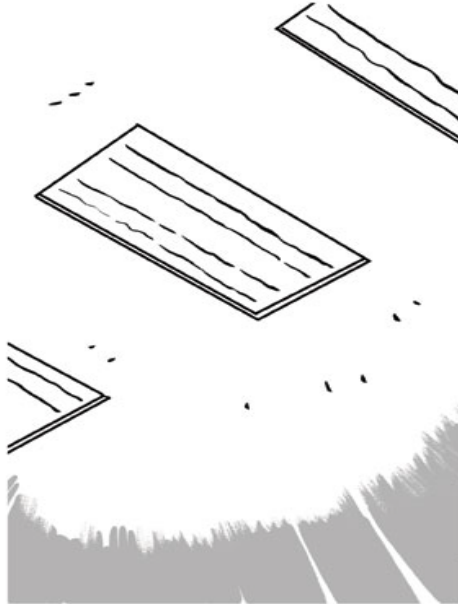
Book 1: Meet the Family

Chapter 1: Marcus

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I WAS BORN
OUT OF DARKNESS
INTO LIGHT.



BUT I BET
I DIDN'T VIEW IT
LIKE THAT.



UNFORTUNATELY,
AS I ENTERED THIS
WORLD OF LIGHT...



MY GRANDPA'S
FLAME FLICKERED
AND FELL.

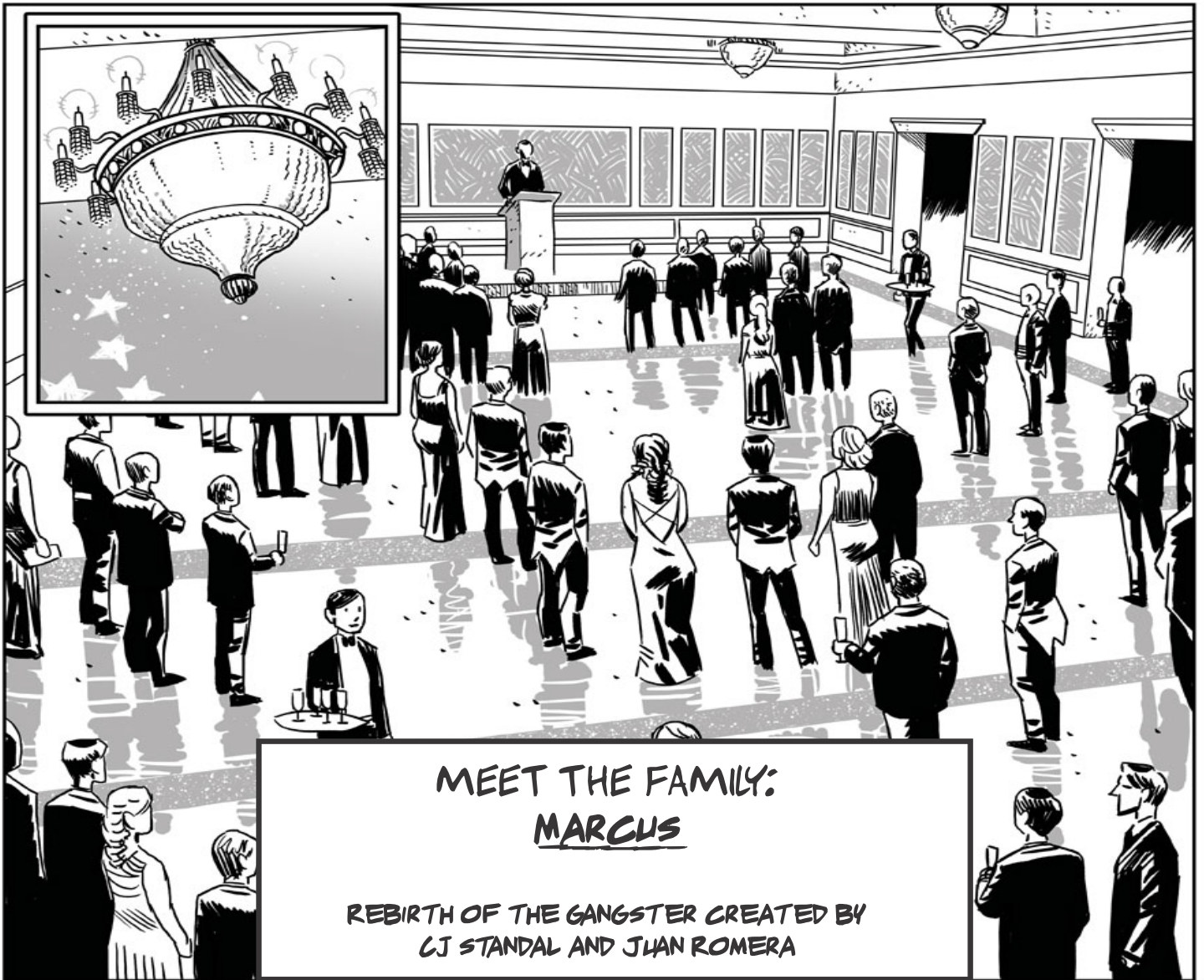


BUT MY
DAD HELPED
ME WITH THAT.



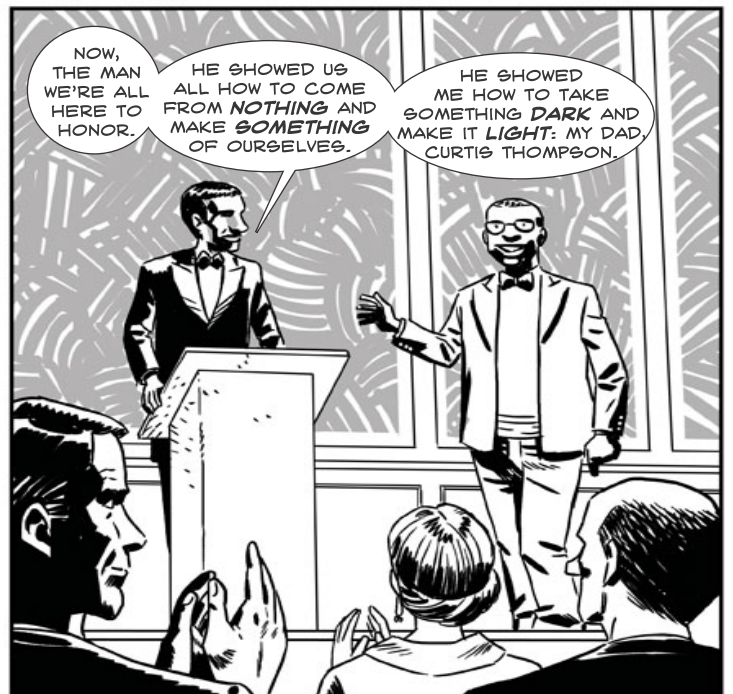
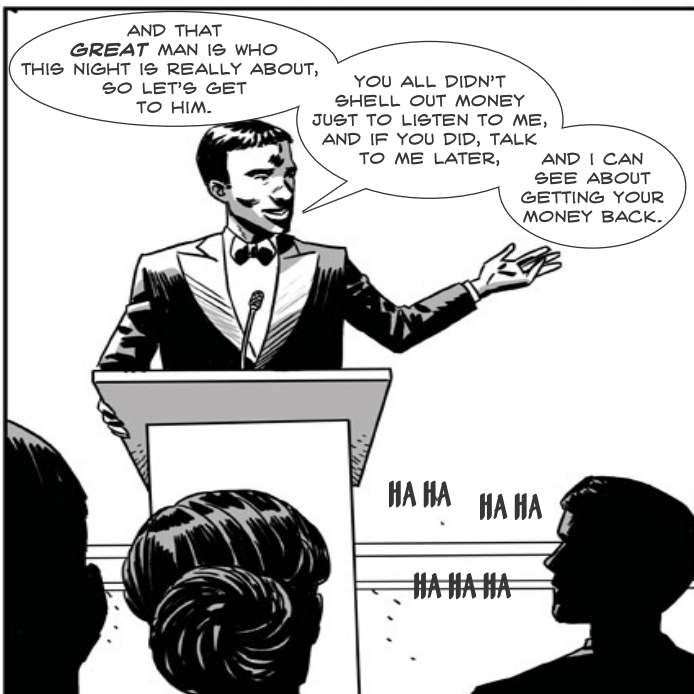
HE
TAUGHT
ME...

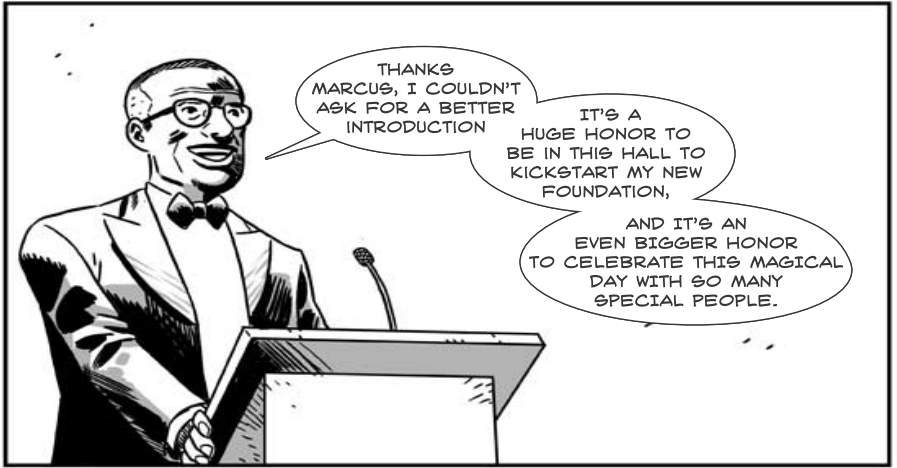
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MEET THE FAMILY:
MARCUS

REBIRTH OF THE GANGSTER CREATED BY
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THANKS MARCUS, I COULDN'T ASK FOR A BETTER INTRODUCTION

IT'S A HUGE HONOR TO BE IN THIS HALL TO KICKSTART MY NEW FOUNDATION,

AND IT'S AN EVEN BIGGER HONOR TO CELEBRATE THIS MAGICAL DAY WITH SO MANY SPECIAL PEOPLE.



EVEN MORE, THANKS FOR LISTENING TO MARCUS GET ALL PHILOSOPHICAL...

AS IF HE DOESN'T GET ENOUGH PRACTICE IN THE COURTROOM.

BUT I GUESS THE BLAME FOR THAT FALLS AT MY FEET--

HE INHERITED MY GIFT OF GAB, TO MY DELIGHT AND OTHER'S DISMAY.

HA

HA

HA HA

HA HA

HA



IF YOU'LL HUMOR ME THOUGH, I'D LIKE TO TALK ABOUT THAT PATH FROM DARKNESS TO LIGHT.

YOU ALL KNOW I HAVEN'T HAD THE EASIEST PATH TO MY SUCCESS.

AND UNFORTUNATELY, THAT STORY IS STILL ALL TOO COMMON.



OF COURSE NOT FOR US, THOUGH. WE ARE THE LUCKY ONES. WE WANT FOR NOTHING.



BUT WE STILL WANT MORE AND MORE.