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I'm Gotouge—welcome to volume 15! Thank you to everyone who has supported me. The anime is really coming together. I got to see a sneak peek! The visuals are so stunning, and the music is so beautiful that it made me tremble. Back when I was new to being a manga author, I never even dreamed that Ufotable, creators of the anime I was absorbed in at the time, would end up making my show too. But no matter how great the anime is, if the original manga doesn't stay interesting, a lot of people are going to be upset! So I'll keep on working hard!

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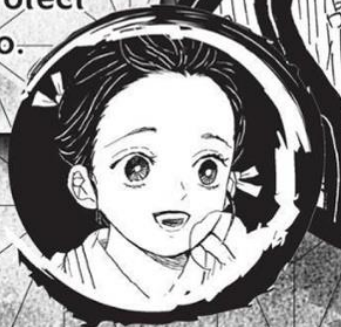
CHARACTERS

TANJIRO
KAMADO



A kind boy who saved his sister when the rest of his family was killed. Now he seeks revenge. He can smell the scent of demons and his opponents' weaknesses.

Tanjiro's younger sister. A demon attacked her and turned her into a demon. But unlike other demons, she fights her urges and tries to protect Tanjiro.

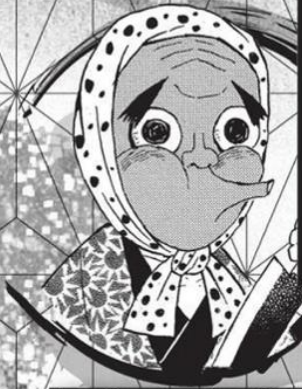


NEZUKO
KAMADO

In Taisho-Era Japan, young Tanjiro makes a living selling charcoal. One day, demons kill his family and turn his younger sister Nezuko into a demon. Tanjiro and Nezuko set out to find a way to return Nezuko to human form and defeat Kibutsuji, the demon who killed their family!

After joining the Demon Slayer Corps, Tanjiro meets Tamayo and Yushiro—demons who oppose Kibutsuji—who provide a clue to how Nezuko may regain her humanity. In search of a new katana, Tanjiro visits a village of swordsmiths, but the upper-rank demons Hantengu and Gyokko attack. The Mist Hashira, Tokito, wins a hard-fought victory against Gyokko and the Love Hashira, Kanroji, takes on Hantengu's spawn. Meanwhile, Tanjiro and Genya pursue Hantengu's actual miniature form!!

STORY



HAGANEZUKA

The swordsmith who makes Tanjiro's katanas. He has the soul of an artist, so he gets angry when a katana is treated poorly.



INOSUKE
HASHIBIRA

He also went through Final Selection at the same time as Tanjiro. He wears the pelt of a wild boar and is very belligerent.



ZENITSU
AGATSUMA

He went through Final Selection at the same time as Tanjiro. He's usually cowardly, but when he falls asleep, his true power comes out.



MUICHIRO
TOKITO

The Mist Hashira in the Demon Slayer Corps. He's the descendant of users of Sun Breathing—the first breathing technique.



MITSURI
KANROJI

Love Hashira in the Demon Slayer Corps. She joined the Demon Slayer Corps to find a man to marry.



GENYA
SHINAZUGAWA

He went through Final Selection at the same time as Tanjiro. His elder brother is Sanemi, the Wind Hashira. He and Tanjiro meet again in the village of swordsmiths.



HATE

Hantengu's Other Self. An alter ego of Hantengu who is a combination of that demon's separate Kidoairaku bodies. He displays the kanji for hate.



UPPER RANK 4:
HANTENGU

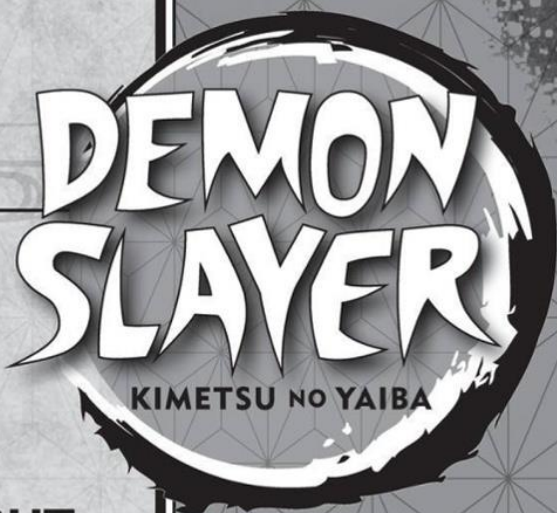
Together with Gyokko, he has infiltrated the village of swordsmiths on orders from Muzan Kibutsuji.



MUZAN
KIBUTSUJI

Kibutsuji turned Nezuko into a demon. He is Tanjiro's enemy and hides his nature in order to live among human beings.

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**DAYBREAK
AND
FIRST LIGHT**

DAWN
APPROACH-
ES.

KANROUJI
HAS BEEN
USING A
LOT OF BIG
MOVES,
SO HER
STRENGTH
WON'T
LAST MUCH
LONGER...

...AND
THE
DEMONS
WILL
FLEE AT
DAWN.

WE
MUST
HURRY!

CHAPTER 125: DAWN APPROACHES



RRRT

JUST DIE
ALREADY!

SNAP

COME
ON!

GRAAH!

ARRRRGH!



GET A
CLUE!



!!

HE
JUST
THREW
THE
TREE!

BW



GYAA!!



ZVVP

YIEEEE!



YIEEEE!

I CAN'T
KEEP
UP!

HE'S SO
FAST!
WHAT'S UP
WITH HIM?!
RRRGH!



...AND BEFORE KANROUJI GETS CRUSHED ...

BUT BEFORE DAWN ARRIVES ...

HE'S SO FAST!

GEEZ! HE'S GONNA KEEP RUNNING FOREVER!



WE WON'T LET YOU WIN!

...WE'RE NOT GONNA LET THAT HAPPEN!



IN THUNDER BREATHING, YOU FOCUS ON YOUR LEGS.

I CAN'T STAY ON MY FEET!

ARGH! IT'S NO USE!

ZNNNG

I WISH MY LEFT LEG WASN'T HURT!

NGH!

"ONLY BY BEING CONSCIOUS OF ALL OF THEM DO YOU TRULY ACHIEVE TOTAL CONCENTRATION."

SURPRISINGLY, WE DON'T HAVE A CLEAR GRASP...

THAT'S WHAT MY OLD TRAINER ALWAYS SAID.

...OF OUR BODY'S DIMENSIONS AND THE SHAPES OF OUR MUSCLES.

...IN YOUR LEGS...

BUILD UP THE STRENGTH ...

...AND TO EVERY BLOOD VESSEL.

CIRCULATE AIR...

...TO EVERY FIBER OF YOUR MUSCLES ...

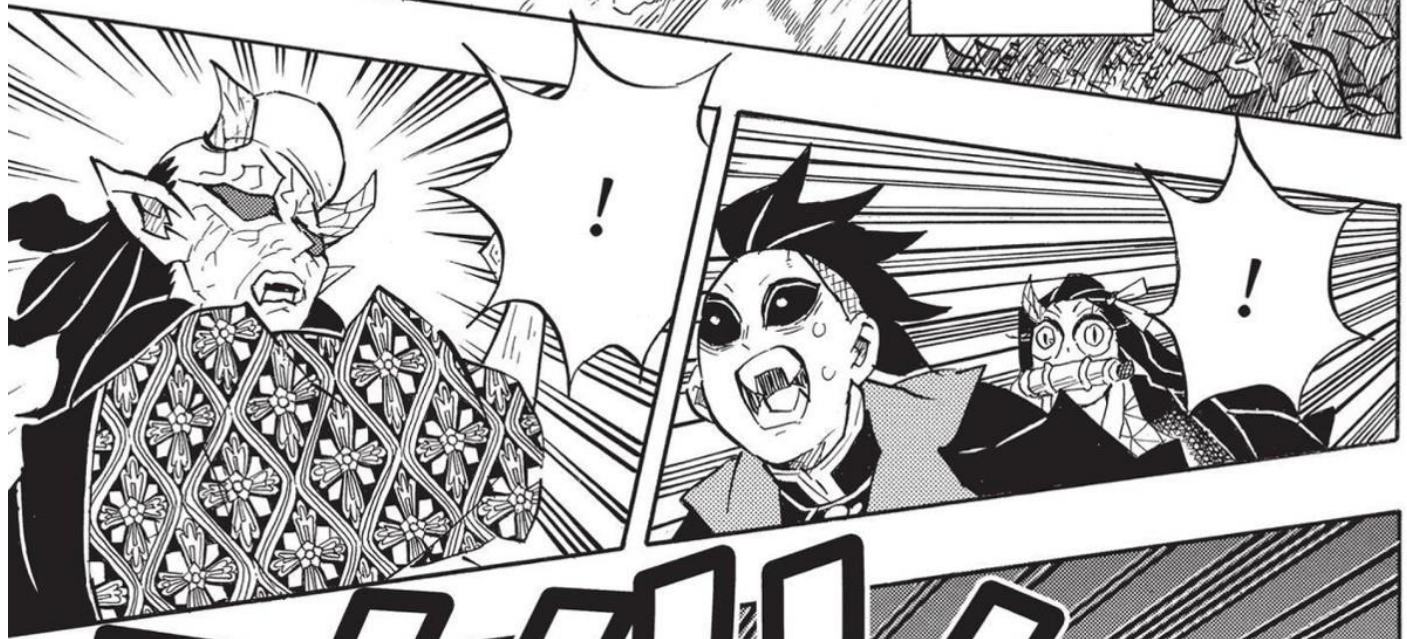
BUILD IT UP...

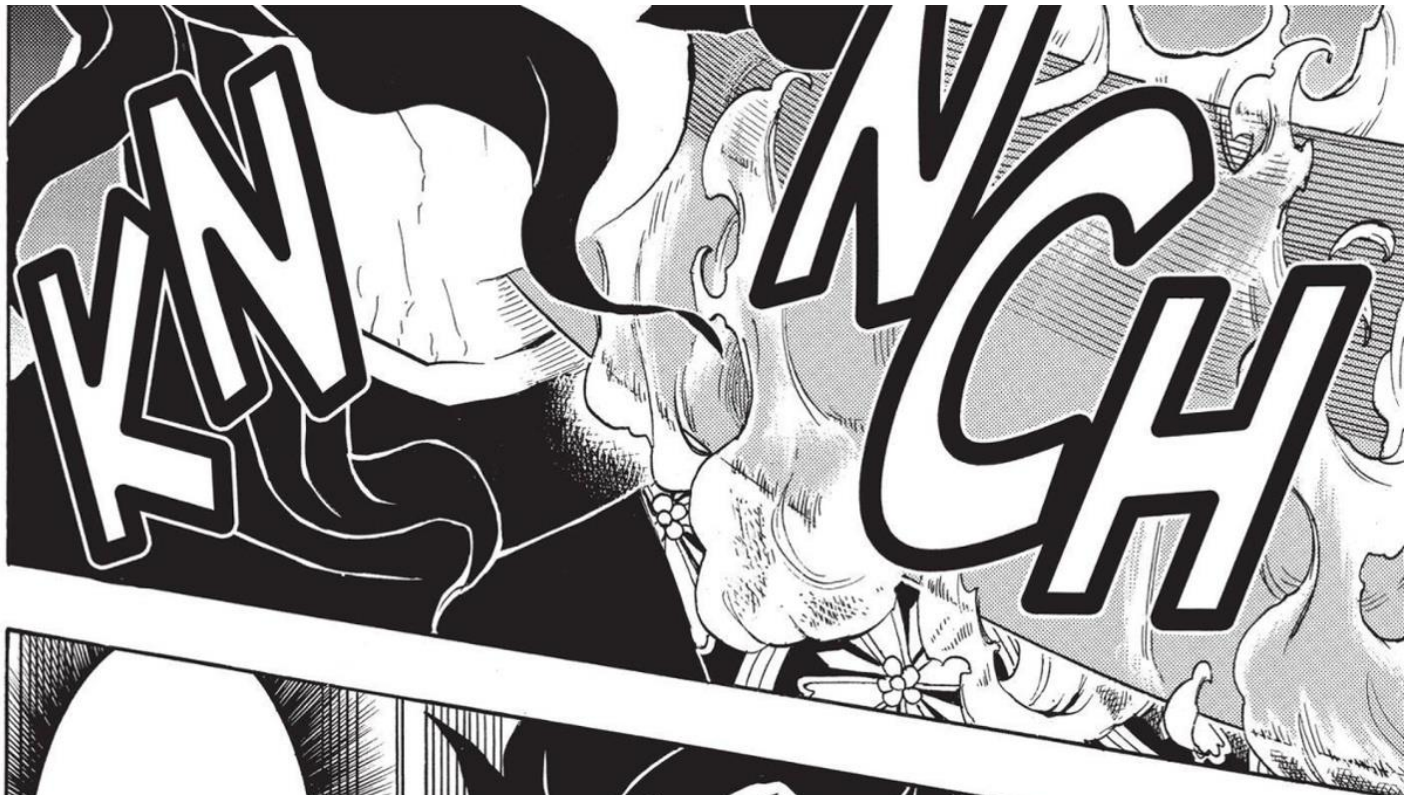


...THAT CUTS THE AIR LIKE A THUNDER-CLAP!

...AND LET IT GO...

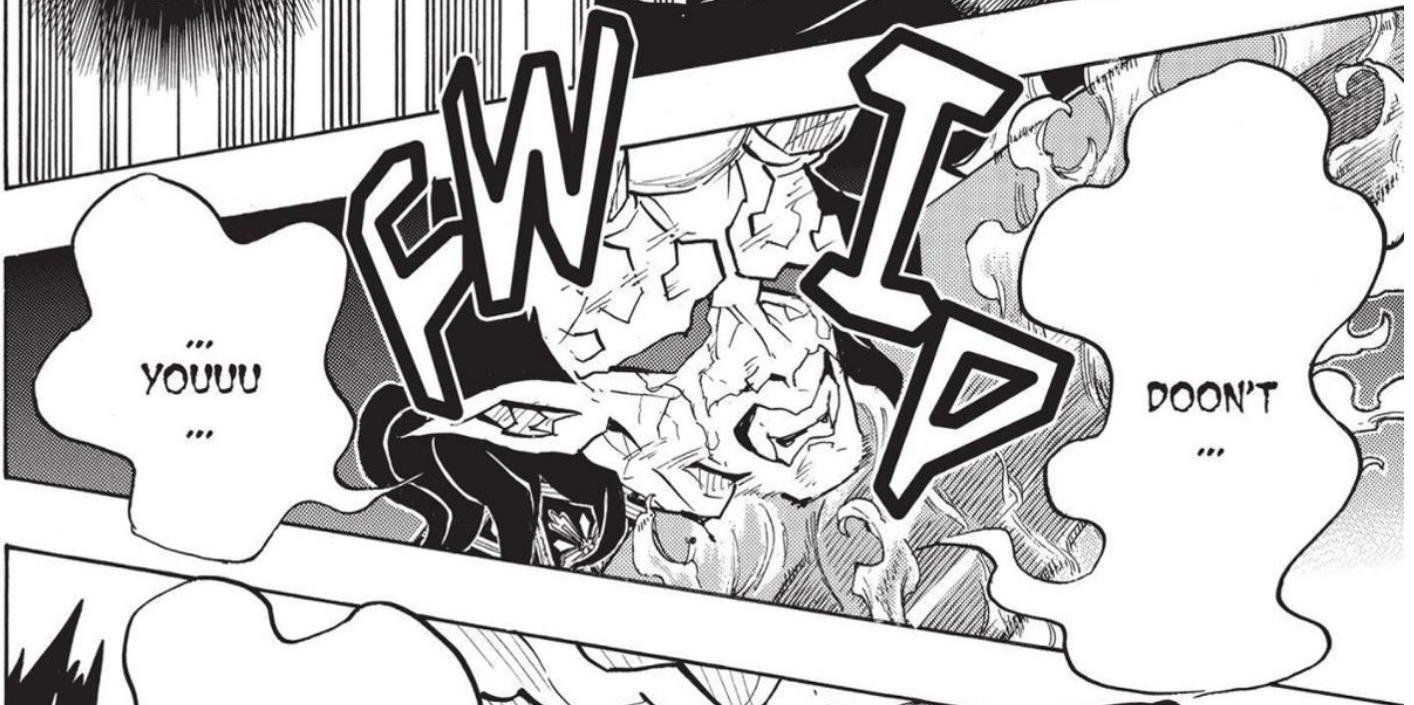
...IN ONE BLAST...





...WITH
ALL MY
STRENGTH
...!

GO! GO!
THIS
TIME...



...
YOUUU
...

DOON'T
...



...FEEL
SORRY...

TEW

