



PTOLEMEY I

and the diadochi

sara
khalil-
bayley

The year is now 323 BC.



Renowned Alexander the Great has died.

He must be replaced by one of the Diadochi -



his "successors".

The best of them is Ptolemy I.



The best.
You'll see.

Sure, he's not much to look at..



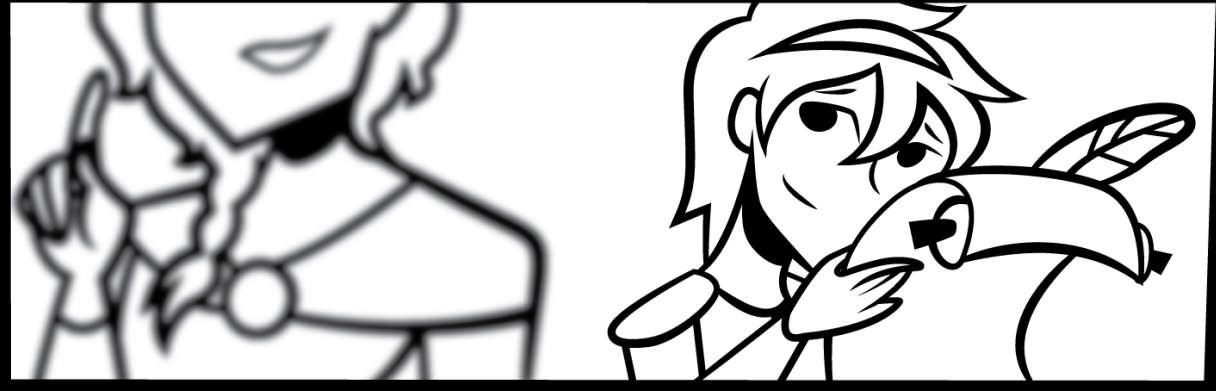
HEY!

I'll have
you know
I have
four wives!

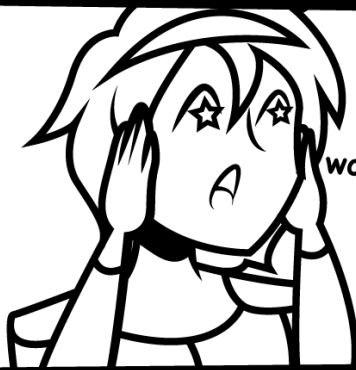


But he will go on to do great things.

He's the one who has written down all of Alexander's campaigns.



And he's a sponsor of Euclid, the father of geometry.



wow!!



Also, he's an excellent role model.

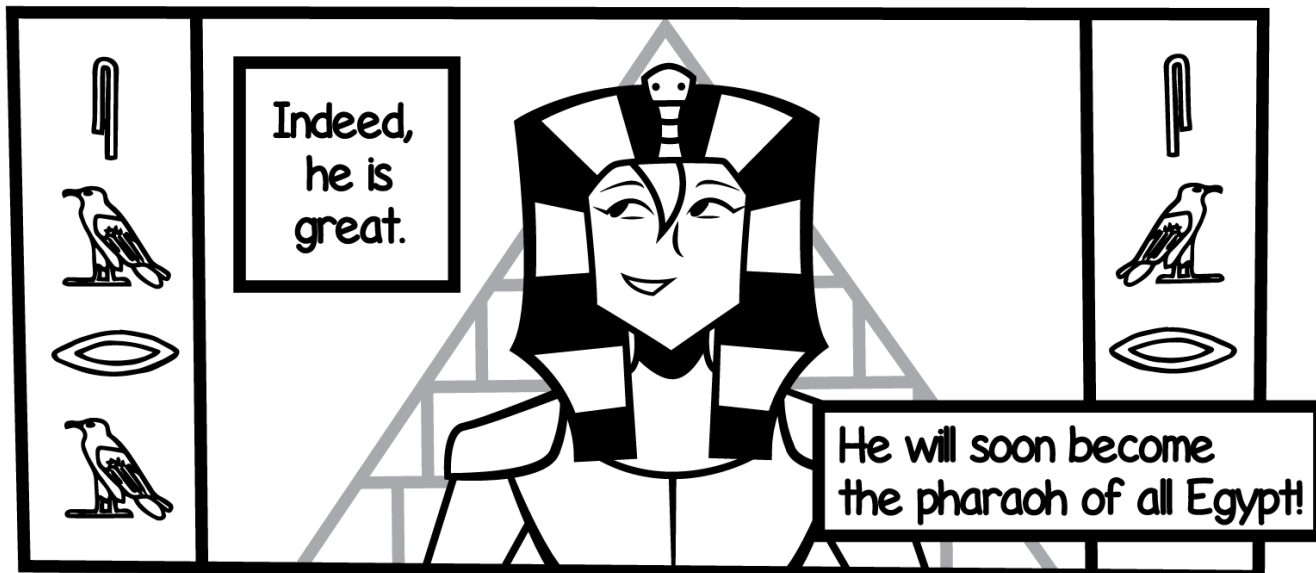
Isn't there an easier way to learn this?



Sire, there is no royal road to geometry.



He proves you can be great without being great at math!

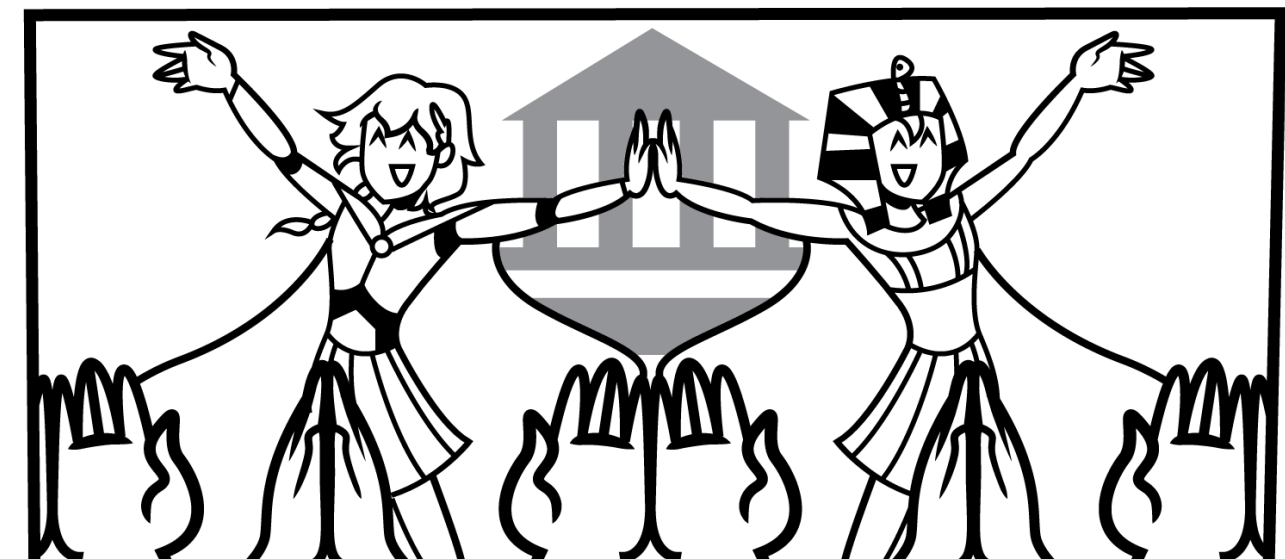


Indeed,
he is
great.

He will soon become
the pharaoh of all Egypt!

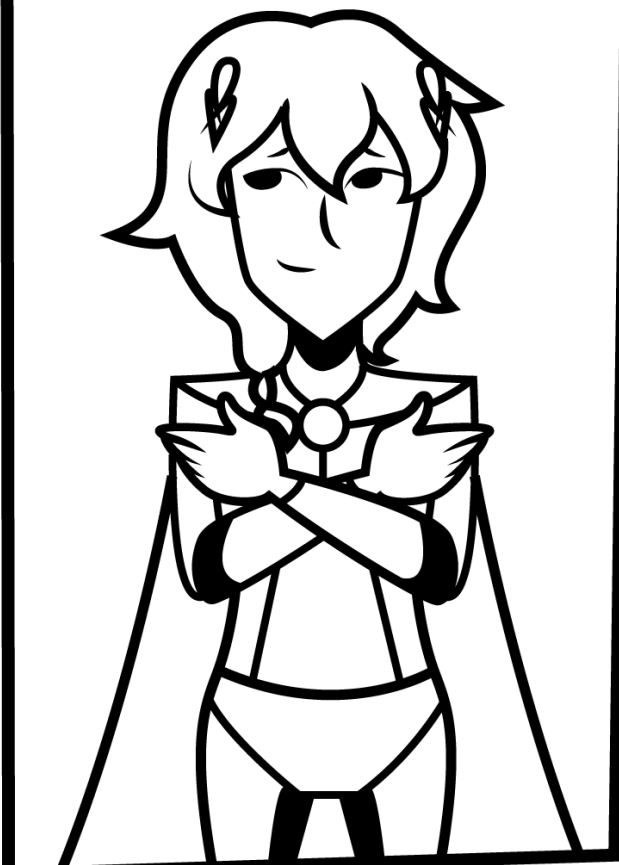


And he's going to bring about a dynasty
that will then rule Egypt for 300 years!



And the Egyptians will worship him as a god, alongside our Alexander.

Speaking of Alexander, there is another reason why Ptolemy's most fit to be his successor.



Ptolemy has Alexander's body, within a golden sarcophagus.



He who controls the body of his predecessor surely has the most right to succeed him, don't you think?

And though the other Diadochi do try to steal it..



Ptolemy defeats them all, one by one.

The other Diadochi are not good people.

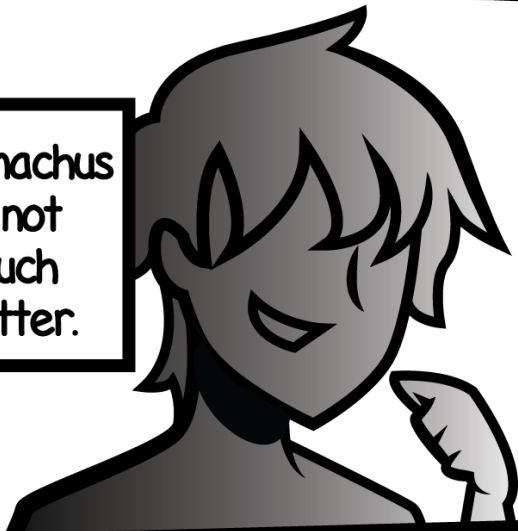
Cassander
hates
Alexander,



And
murdered
Alexander's
offspring so
that he'd
be the one
to claim his
throne.



Lysimachus
is not
much
better.



In a
fit of
anger,



He
murdered
both of
his own
two sons.

And Seleucus
is a coward.



He disobeyed
his superior,
and then he
ran away!

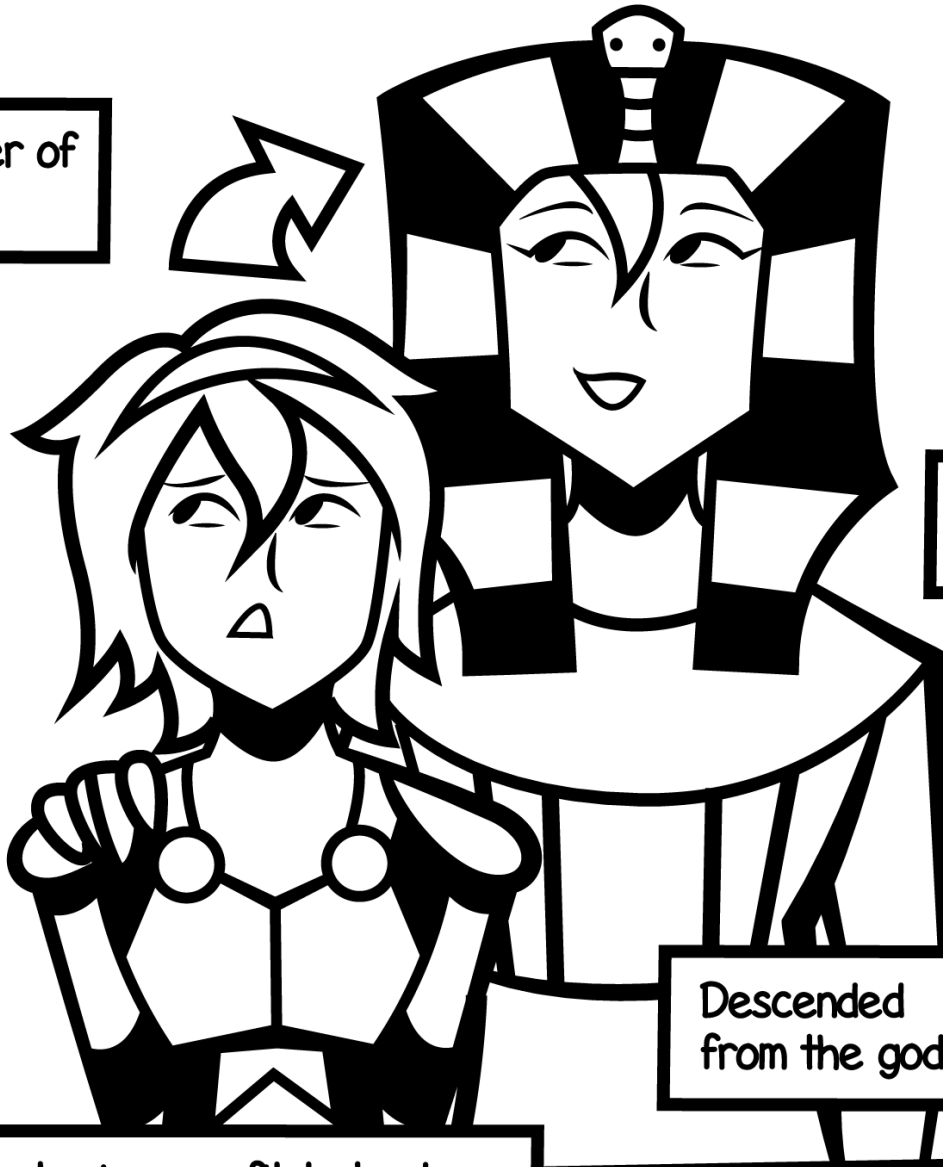


None are truly fit to succeed Alexander..

But Ptolemy is.

Destined for greatness.

Half-brother of
Alexander.



Pharaoh
-to-be.

Descended
from the gods.

No one else is more fit to lead.
Alexander himself would be proud.

Wouldn't you agree?

THE END!