Hi, I’m Gotouge! It makes me sad to say it, but this is the final volume of Demon Slayer: Kimetsu no Yaiba. Thank you to everyone who has cheered me on and was involved with the series. All the encouragement and support I received from the people who read my work meant so much to me, so no amount of thanks I can offer would ever be enough. Your kindness cheered me on the whole time and from all sides. Thank you so much for reading this manga. I worked hard on it, so I’m really happy. Truly, I’m blessed to have been able to present Demon Slayer to the world. I look forward to the day when we can all meet again!

Tales from hundreds of years ago exist in the present, and after the passage of decades and centuries the events of today will become stories of the past. Grandfathers and grandmothers, fathers and mothers—everyone experiences a time of childhood, a time that leads to the present. You yourself are part of that great flow, and as you overcome times of hardship, the years pass by. The very moment that you think all is lost is the moment when you must stand firm and not stray from the path. I hope you will be strong in difficult situations and harsh circumstances. But it’s also not good to push yourself too hard, so take things at a reasonable pace. Keep your eyes fixed forward and find your own bliss.
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 be turned back into a human. Nezuko manifests the ability to withstand sunlight, so Kibutsuji attacks Ubuyashiki Mansion. The Demon Slayers suffer many losses, but they kill all the Upper Rank demons and eventually find Kibutsuji! As Tamayo’s poison makes him grow weaker, will they be able to deliver the final blow? It all comes down to this desperate clash, but how will it end?!
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There is no need to be stronger than you to kill you. Weakening you is good enough.

Chapter 197: Tenacity

...We will do anything to kill you.

Just as you will do anything to live, I—no...
...THIS WORLD MEANS NOTHING TO ME.

AND REGENERATING SHOULDN'T EXHAUST ME.

THE BRIGHT-RED BLADES OF THESE DEMON SLAYERS PALE IN COMPARISON TO HIS.

ATTACKS AND DAMAGE FROM BRIGHT-RED BLADES SHOULDN'T WORK ON ME.

...INTO EXTREMELY EFFECTIVE ONES THAT ARE TAKING A PHYSICAL TOLL ON ME.

HOWEVER, THE FOUR DRUGS IN MY SYSTEM HAVE TURNED ORDINARILY INEFFECTIVE ATTACKS...
I've never encountered it before.

It's different from the poison used against Doma.

I had no idea she could make a concoction this powerful in such a short time.

It will take time to analyze and counteract it.

We can do this!!

Tamayo's drug must be working!

We can win!! It's almost dawn!

He stopped!
GAGH!

WHAT...

MIZAN...

I CAN'T...

THAT ATTACK...

...WAS THAT P?

MIZAN...

I CAN'T...

THAT ATTACK?

MIZAN...

I CAN'T...

THAT ATTACK?

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AWAY!
ARE OBANAI AND TANJIRO ALL RIGHT?

I'M FINE.

NEVER MIND ME.

I...

SURELY HE HASN'T SENSED OUR LOCATION!

EYES GOT DISPLACED, SO I CAN'T SEE.

THE EYES...

DID MUZAN'S ATTACK REACH HERE?

IMPOSSIBLE...

DO NOT LET MUZAN ESCAPE.

IT...

25 MINUTES!

THE SUN WILL RISE...

...IN...

...WON'T BE LONG NOW.

PLEASE... SOMEONE STOP HIM...
AAAGH! I CAN'T BREATHE!

WHERE IS IGURO?!

CRUSH MY LUNGS?!

DID THAT ATTACK...

GET UP...

YOU MUST STAND UP!

MUZAN'S GOING TO GET AWAY!!

SLICE 'N' DICE!!

BEAST BREATHING FOURTH FANG:
...DONE IT NOW!

AND I WON'T STAND FOR IT!

YOU'VE REALLY...

WOOF!

MUZAN...

SHAKE SHAKE...

INOSUKE!
BODIES LYING AROUND HERE BELONGED TO COMRADES I SHARED MEALS WITH!

THE OLD GUY WITH THE ROSARY LOST HIS LEG!

AND THE GUY WITH THE HALF-AND-HALF HAORI LOST HIS ARM!

IF YOU CAN'T DO THAT...

GIVE THEM BACK!

THEIR LIVES! EVERYTHING!

THEIR LEGS AND ARMS!
...then you'll pay for it with a million deaths!
I'm going to die first!!

But it's no use!

I have to help him!

Oh no!!

Inosuke!!
THERE, INOSUKE TANUIRO IS STILL ALIVE! I CAN HEAR HIS HEARTBEAT!
YOU CAN'T DIE!

TANJIRO! FOCUS ON STAYING ALIVE!

CAN YOU HEAR ME? DON'T DIE!

WHERE YOU GREW UP!

YOUR FAMILY IS WAITING...

AND YOU'RE GONNA GET HER OUT OF HERE!

NEZUKO'S GONNA BE HUMAN AGAIN!

AND GO BACK TO THE HOUSE WHERE YOU GREW UP!

FOR YOU TWO TO RETURN!
WHY

WA!

KOFF
BE EFFECTIVE!

JUST MIGHT...

THEN...

IS ATTACKING MY NERVOUS SYSTEM...

GOTTA STAB MYSELF!

FASTER!

HURRY...

COME ON...

SHAKE SHAKE

LIFT IT UP!

OR A VITAL ORGAN!
STOP THIS...

SHAKING!

...TO WORK?

IS THIS GOING...

...STOP THIS ATTACK!

PLEASE

MY BODY IS AS HEAVY AS LEAD...

I CAN'T RAISE MY ARMS.

THAT ONE IS GETTING UP AGAIN...

HFF

HFF

HFF

THOSE PESTS!

HFF

HFF
I CRUSH THEM, BUT THEY WON'T DIE!

THEY COME BACK AGAIN...

...AND AGAIN.

UNTIL THE MOMENT THEY CAN TAKE MY LIFE!

THEY GET UP OVER AND OVER...

...TO BUY TIME UNTIL DAWN...
Muzan is so invincible that only the sun can kill him. Here’s the Demon Slayers’ strategy for surviving until dawn:

Kagaya Ubuyashi agitates Muzan, then launches a preemptive strike to create an opportunity for Tamayo to administer the poison.

Tamayo's poison weakens Muzan.

Muzan expends strength analyzing and counteracting the four active agents in the drug. The drug slows his movement, and the effectiveness of the attacks against him increases.

The corps members hold Muzan somewhere where sunlight will strike, and they continue to attack with ferocity so he can’t concentrate on counteracting the drug.

Regarding Nakime and her abilities, Kagaya Ubuyashiki analyzed the information obtained so far (the unnatural way demons appear) and determined that Yushiro was the most suited to combating her.
CHAPTER 198: THE NEXT THING WE KNEW...
ATTACK WILL BE MY LAST AND ONE AT FULL STRENGTH! NO FAILINGs!
HONO
IKAZUCHI-
NO KAMI!

SEVENTH
FORM:

THE CUT
WAS TOO
SHALLOW!
ONLY A
BRIGHT-RED
BLADE CAN
DO ENOUGH
DAMAGE!!

ARGH!
BURNING BONES, SUMMER SUN!

SUN BREATHING

RAGING SUN!

FIRE WHEEL!
AND HIS ARM AND TENTACLE ATTACKS ARE SLOWING!

HE NEEDS TIME TO GENERATE THEM!

MUZAN CAN'T RELEASE...

CONSECUTIVE SHOCK WAVE ATTACKS ANYMORE!

...HEAD DANCE!

DRAGON SUN HALO...
SPLURT

SOLAR...

UH... OH...

SIXTH FANG!

PALISADE BITE!
ANY ATTACK IS ENOUGH! JUST DO IT AND WEAR HIM DOWN!

FAKE RAINBOW!

ANY ATTACK IS ENOUGH! JUST DO IT AND WEAR HIM DOWN!

SUN BREATHING

DANCE!

CLEAR BLUE SKY!

GOTTA KEEP ATTACKING OR HE’LL GET AWAY!

COME ON... MOVE!

GOTTA STAND UP—NOW!!
GIVE ME THE KICK I NEED!!!

I'M BEGGING YOU!!!

I'M...

THUNDERCLAP...

...AND FLASH!!

SUN BREATHING

BEAST BREATHING

I'M TOO SLOW!!!
DANCE!

CRAZY CUTTING!

INOSuke!!

STAY ON THE ATTACK!

DON'T STOP

W A K
SETTING SUN
TRANSFORMATION!

DRAGON SUN...

UNGH!!

SHUNK

THUNDER-CLAP AND FLASH!

GOD-SPEED!
WHAM!

DRAGON SUN HALO HEAD DANCE!

SUN BREATHING

RAGING SUN!!!
BUT WE NEED TO PIN HIM HERE! AND EVERY SECOND COUNTS!!

I CAN'T USE ANY MORE TECHNIQUES!
KANCH!

THAT'S ENOUGH!
PRIP
SNAP
WOOSH

YOU IDIOT!!

KANROJI!!
PRIMARY GALE SLASH!!

WIND BREATHING EIGHTH FORM:

SHINA-ZUGAWA... WUH UNX
CAN'T LET HIM GET AWAY!

CAN'T FALL BACK! STAND FIRM!!
IGURO...

SO HANG IN THERE!!

DAWN IS BREAKING!!
HE GOT BIGGER!
TANJIRO!

GWAATORI!
DROP IT NOW!!

DON'T LET HIM GET INTO THE SHADE!!

HRNNNGH!!

GWAHH!

WE GOT HIM!
NEXT!!

WH UMP

GO!!

BW

AM

WATCH OUT!! FALL BACK!!

DIEEEE!!
GAAAH!

NOW! PUSH!! BLOCK HIS WAY!!

GRAAAAH!!
PUSH, PUSH, PUSH, PUUUUUSH!!

THE HASHIRA CAN'T FIGHT ANYMORE!!

NO! FALL BACK TO STAY ALIVE!!

I'LL THINK OF ANOTHER PLAN!!

WE'RE ALL IN THIS TOGETHER! SO DON'T BE AFRAID!!

STAND FIRM, NO MATTER WHAT!!

HOLD FAST! KEEP PUSHING!!

5, NO! FALL BACK TO STAY ALIVE!!
IDATEN TYphoon!

WIND BREATHING NINTH FORM:

HURRY UP AND DIE, YOU FILTH! YOU FILTH!
YOU FILTH!

WHAT A TOUGH BASTARD!

OH N-NO!! WHAT SHOULD WE DO?!

UH-OH! HE'S CLIMBING OVER!!
BURN, DAMN YOU!

COME ON! DISINTEGRATE!

SISTER...

GOD...

PLEASE, FATHER...

MOTHER...
HE'S TRYING TO DIG UNDERGROUND!

MUZAN'S STRENGTH!!

THE GROUND!!

CRACK!

HRNGH...

ATTACK AND WHITTLE AWAY MUZAN'S STRENGTH!!

HE'S TRYING TO DIG UNDERGROUND!
WATER BREATHING

TENTH FORM:

CONSTANT FLUX!

WIND BREATHING

FIFTH FORM:

COLD MOUNTAIN WIND!
CHAPTER 200: THE PRICE OF VICTORY
WE WON!! WE DEFEATED MUZAN!!

AAAHHH!

MUZAN IS DEAD!!

TEND TO THE INJURED...

MASTER!

SHIFT TO EMERGENCY AID!

WE Aren't DONE YET!!

GO TREAT THE WOUNDED!

STOP BLUBBERING AND PULL YOURSELVES TOGETHER!
IT'S TOO LATE FOR ME. YOU WOULD ONLY BE THROWING AWAY PRECIOUS SUPPLIES.

BUT HIMEJIMA!

NO...

DON'T WASTE MEDICATION ON ME.

B...

GO SEE TO THE YOUNGER FIGHTERS.

BUT... BUT...!

PLEASE...

IT'S YOU, HUH?

OH...

THIS IS MY LAST REQUEST.
SENSEI...

BUT WE WEREN'T TRYING TO RUN AWAY.

WE'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO APOLOGIZE FOR THAT DAY.

WE KNOW WE HURT YOU.

AND I WANTED TO GO CALL FOR HELP.

WE WANTED TO PROTECT YOU BECAUSE YOU'RE BLIND.

I WANTED TO GO OUTSIDE TO FIND A FARMING TOOL TO USE AS A WEAPON.
BUT THERE WAS A REASON FOR THAT.

WE'RE SORRY FOR DRIVING KAIGAKU OUTSIDE.

...IS THAT...

OH...

WHAT YOU WERE DOING?

WE'RE TRULY SORRY.

IF WE HAD LIVED TO SEE THE MORNING...

...WE WOULD HAVE TOLD YOU.

...THAT I COULDN'T PROTECT YOU.

I AM SORRY TOO...

YES. IF ONLY...

...TOMORROW HAD COME.
Oh... thank you...

We all love you!

No, don't apologize.

Then let us all... go together...

We've been waiting for you this whole time!

Let's go...

Himejima...

Agh...

Gah...
KABURAMARU...

OH. GOOD...

YES, WE WON. MUZAN IS DEAD.

IGURO...

...DID WE WIN?

NO, DON'T DIE YET...

I'LL PROBABLY DIE SOON TOO. YOU AREN'T ALONE.

I'M SORRY. I WASN'T MUCH USE IN THE FIGHT.

I DON'T FEEL ANY PAIN, SO... I GUESS I'M DYING.
I was lost at the mansion and you helped me.

Do you remember the first day we met?

Please, don't say that.

You were such a normal girl when we met...

...that you saved me.

You must have struggled on your way to becoming a Hashira...

...but you never gave any indication of it.

You got excited over the smallest things, and your laughter was like bells ringing.
I'M SURE THE OTHERS FELT THE SAME WAY.

I ENJOYED TALKING TO YOU...

AND WAS HAPPY TO FEEL LIKE A NORMAL BOY.

I WOULD NEVER...

...LET ANYONE SAY OTHERWISE.

HIC!

...HAVE SAVED MANY PEOPLE, SO YOU SHOULD BE PROUD.

I...CARE ABOUT YOU SO MUCH, IGURO!

WAAAH! I'M SO HAPPY...
...BECAUSE YOU LOOKED AT ME WITH SO MUCH AFFECTION!

MEALS ALWAYS TASTED BEST WHEN I WAS WITH YOU, IGURO...

...CAN I BE YOUR BRIDE?

IGURO... PLEASE...

...AND WE COME BACK AS HUMANS...

IF WE'RE REBORN...

AND THIS TIME I WILL MAKE YOU HAPPY...

YES, OF COURSE...

...AND PROTECT YOU SO YOU DON'T DIE.

...IF YOU WILL AGREE TO HAVE ME.
HERE, 
AREN'T 
YOUP 
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w & 
EQ 
22 =

GENYA...

WHY 
DON'T 
YOU 
GO 
THERE 
TOO?

MOTHER 

...EVERYONE 
IS OVER 
THERE.

I 
CANNOT 
GO 
THERE.

NO...

MOTHER! 
YOU'RE 
HERE, 
AREN'T 
YOU?
NO... I CANNOT GO WITH EVERYONE ELSE.

WHY NOT?! COME WITH ME!

COME ON!

BESIDES, IF I WENT THERE TOO SOON, GENYA WOULD BE SAD.

VERY WELL. THEN I WILL GO WITH YOU.

I HARMED MY OWN CHILDREN, SO I CANNOT GO TO HEAVEN.

I WILL CARRY YOU TO HELL ON MY BACK.
LET GO OF HER!

SHIZU IS COMIN' WITH ME!

YOU CAN'T BE THANKFUL | GO TO
YOU'RE MY SON. YOU'RE EXTRA TOUGH.

NO, FATHER!!

LET GO OF MY MOTHER, YOU JERK!!

YOU CAN'T GO TO EITHER PLACE YET.
HE'S REGAINED CONSCIOUSNESS!
SHINAZUGAWA IS AWAKE!!

LOOK!

HE'S TOTALLY ALIVE AND KICKING!

URGH...

UH-OH!
BUT HE'S COUGHING BLOOD! HE MIGHT DIE!!

KOFF!

THE BOAR BIT ME!!

OUUUUCH!!

HE'S TOTALLY ALIVE AND KICKING!
...AND THAT I THOUGHT OF HER UNTIL THE VERY END...

THIS GUY NEVER SHUTS UP!

AND THAT I WAS BRAVE...

SHE'S NOT YOUR WIFE!

IF I DIE, TELL MY WIFE, NEZUKO, THAT I LOVE HER...

GASP

FIRST, LET US TREAT YOU AND-

IS HE ALL RIGHT?!

WHERE IS TANJIRO?

YOU MUSTN'T MOVE!

NO, TOMIOKA!
AAH...  
AH...  

WAH...  

TANJIRO...  

HE ISN'T BREATHING, AND THERE'S NO PULSE.
I'VE FAILED TO PROTECT YOU AGAIN.
I ALWAYS RECEIVE PROTECTION FROM OTHERS.

FORGIVE ME.

...NEZUKO.

I'M SORRY...

I'M SO SORRY.
THE SHADOW OF DEATH HAS ALWAYS...

MY HEART STOPPED NUMEROUS TIMES WHILE I WAS STILL IN MY MOTHER'S WOMB.

...BEEN CLOSE BY ME.

CHAPTER 201: THE KING OF DEMONS

BUT WHEN THEY WENT TO CREMATE ME...

THEY SAID I WAS STILLBORN.

...AND RELEASED MY FIRST CRIES.

...AND STRUGGLED...

I WAS BORN WITH NO PULSE, NOT BREATHING.
That which I have desired has always come to pass.

However, what I could do alone was limited.

I have made it happen.

Only do not feel.

All that lives must die.

I must admit that what you said is true.

Ubuya-shiki...

Flesh dies and that is the end.

I do not remember a single human being I have killed.

That is true.

Only feelings are eternal and undying.
...AND HAVE EVEN DEFEATED ME.

THEIR FEELINGS PASSED ON AND NEVER FELL TO RUIN...

I HAVE WITNESSED THAT FACT WITH MY OWN EYES...

...AND I WAS SO MOVED THAT I TREMBLED.

MY FLESH WILL SOON CRUMBLE IN THE SUNLIGHT...
I will entrust all of my feelings to this child.

His breath and heart have stopped, but not all his cells have died, so he is still alive.

And if you avoid immediate death and survive...

I will pour into you all my blood and power...

My own feelings are undying and eternal as well.
...AND BECOME THE STRONGEST DEMON--THE KING OF DEMONS!

...YOU WILL CONQUER THE SUNLIGHT...

AND YOU ARE THE ONLY ONE ABLE TO USE THE SAME BREATHING TECHNIQUES...

...AS THAT MONSTER.

THAT IS BECAUSE YOU ARE THE ELDER BROTHER OF NEZUKO KAMADO AND THUS SHARE HER BLOOD.

...TANJIRO.

MAKE MY DREAM COME TRUE...

YOU WILL NOT DIE.

I BELIEVE THAT.
AHHH...

WAAAH...

WAH...

AHHH...

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THE DEMON SLAYERS...

YOU MUST DESTROY...

---

...IN MY PLACE!
WHY?

GET BACK!!
GYAH!

AAAGH!

AAAAH !

GYAAA...

FWOMP FWOMP
ANYONE WHO CAN STILL "WEAPON AND FORM"

DON'T JUST STAND THERE!! GET BACK!!

...GRAB A WEAPON AND FORM UP!!

ANYONE WHO CAN STILL FIGHT...

WHAT HAPPENED?

FORM UP!

??

?!

THERE'S SOME SORT OF COMMOTION...
WE HAVE TO KEEP HIM UNDER THE SUN AND BURN HIM TO DEATH!

TANJIRO HAS BECOME A DEMON!

KILL TANJIRO BEFORE HE KILLS ANYONE!!
A MOMENT LATER AND TANJIRO WOULD CERTAINLY HAVE KILLED A KAKUSHI.
NO WAY...

THE BURNING STOPPED!!

AM
WHAT'RE YOU DOING?!

THIS IS THE GUY WITH THE HALF-AND-HALF HAORI!

BLOOD LOSS IS MAKING ME DIZZY.
TANUIRO?

NO WAY...
WHAT ABOUT NEZUKO...

... TANJIRO?

THIS IS AWFUL.

NO ONE CAN FIGHT ANYMORE.

WE'RE ALL BEAT UP!
SO IF SOMEONE STARTS TO STRAY FROM THE PATH, WE ALL STOP HIM.

AND LIKE BROTHERS...

STOP, TANJIRO!

I'LL STRIKE HIM DOWN AND STOP HIM.

...WE WALK THE RIGHT PATH.

NO MATTER HOW HARD OR PAINFUL IT IS...

"YOU CAN EAT THIS TOO."

"INOSUKE..."
I can't follow through.

It's no use, Tanjiro.

I can't do it.
CHAPTER 202: LET'S GO HOME
MY DEAR BROTHER!

I'M SO SORRY.

HUG

GRIP
I'M SORRY I PUT EVERYTHING ON YOUR SHOULDERS.

I'M SORRY I DIDN'T UNDERSTAND FOR SO LONG.

...GET TRAMPLED OVER AND OVER?

WHY IS IT YOU WHO ALWAYS HAS TO SUFFER?

WHY DO KIND PEOPLE WHO STRUGGLE EVERY DAY...

LET'S GO BACK HOME.

LET'S GO...

IT'S ALMOST OVER...

...DON'T TURN INTO A DEMON.

IT'S FRUSTRATING, BUT DON'T GIVE IN!
SHE'S BACK TO NORMAL! SHE'S HUMAN AGAIN!

IT'S NEZUKO!

NO, TANJIRO!!

SHE CALLED YOU "BROTHER," RIGHT?!

DON'T DO THIS! SHE'LL DIE!!

KNOCK IT OFF!!
THIS... THIS ISN'T YOU!

QUIT YOUR SCREAMING!

DON'T HURT NEZUKO!

SO GO BACK TO BEING THE USUAL TANUIRO!!

WAAAAH BIF BOF

YOU WERE SO NICE!!

CRAY
Don't give in, Tanjiro!
No!!

Striking Tide!!

Water breathing

Fourth form:

He bit Nezuko and learned the taste of blood!

I must kill Tanjiro before he kills anyone!

But...

There's no going back!!
SUNLIGHT AND BRIGHT-RED BLADES WON'T WORK AGAINST HIM!

THERE'S NO WAY TO KILL HIM!!

PLEASE, BROTHER!!

PLEASE DON'T KILL ANYONE!
YOU HAVE TO STOP!!

OH NO! NEZUKO!!!
DON'T DO THAT AGAIN!!
WHY D'INT H'M ATTACK STRIKE HER?

BUT CAN I EVEN ACHIEVE SUCH A MIRACLE?!

HOW COULD THIS HAPPEN?!

THIS IS BAD...

I MUST GET HIM TO RETURN TO HIMSELF!!

ARE YOU FIGHTING IT, TANJIRO?

TANJIRO! PLEASE, STOP!!

GET AWAY, NEZUKO!!

WHY ISN'T HE KILLING NEZUKO?

BLEEDING PREY IS RIGHT IN FRONT OF HIM.
ARGH!!! I CAN'T GO OUT THERE BECAUSE OF THE SUNLIGHT!!

MIZAN!

EVEN DEAD, HE PLAGUES THE LIVING!

IN THE SUNLIGHT, MY BLOOD DEMON ART TURNS TO DUST!

THERE'S NOTHING MORE I CAN DO!

NEZUKO...

HFF!

HFF!
IT ISN'T BROKEN. I CAN USE IT.

I FEEL SO SORRY FOR THE BOTH OF YOU...

HFF!

I'M GIVING THIS TO YOU, KANAO.

SO I MADE MORE FROM THE WISTERIA FLOWER.

I THOUGHT THERE MIGHT NOT BE ENOUGH MEDICINE FOR NEZUKO...

SHE IS A GREAT PERSON...

SO THIS WASN'T NECESSARY.

...SO I RESPECT HER.

TAMAYO MADE THREE DRUGS FOR CHANGING DEMONS BACK INTO HUMANS...
KANAE, SO THIS IS WHY...

ONE EYE.

I STILL HAVE...

I SHOULD BE ABLE TO EVADE HIS ATTACKS.

SO EVEN WITH ONLY ONE EYE...

THERE'S STILL TIME.

HE JUST NOW TURNED INTO A DEMON...

FLOWER BREATHING

EQUINOCTIAL VERMILION EYE!

FINAL FORM:
THAT'S KOCHO'S...
WHAM

THAT'S ENOUGH, TANUIRO.

COME BACK TO US.
YOU MUSTN'T MAKE NEZUKO CRY.
Let's go home.

TANUIRO, LET'S GO BACK.

CHAPTER 203: VOICES OF ENCOURAGEMENT

I WANT TO GO BACK.

I WANT TO GO HOME TOO, NEZUKO.

I'M SO TIRED.
BUT WHAT HAPPENS THEN?

YOUR WHOLE FAMILY IS DEAD.

ALL THAT'S THERE ARE BURIED CORPSES...

SO WHY GO HOME?
As long as Nezuko and I are alive, they will never disappear.

I still have memories...

...of happy days there.

So I must go back.

Nezuko is dead. You killed her.

But why do something so pointless?
YOU'RE LYING.

NEZUKO IS ALIVE.

DO NOT CAUSE TROUBLE, DEAD HUMANS.

YOU ARE A LIAR.

YOU DID THAT.

DO YOU NOT SMELL THE BLOOD OF YOUR COMRADES?
HURTING EVERYONE.

I CAN SMELL THAT THEY'RE WORRIED ABOUT ME.

THAT ISN'T FOR YOU TO DECIDE.

NO ONE WANTS YOU TO COME BACK.

THEY HATE YOU.

THEY WILL NEVER FORGIVE YOU.

YOU ARE THE INHERITOR OF MY WILL.

SILENCE.
IF YOU AREN'T A DEMON, YOU WILL DIE IN A FEW YEARS.

DO NOT LOOK FORWARD. DO NOT BELIEVE IN OTHERS. DO NOT FIND HOPE.

YOU WILL PAY FOR MANIFESTING THE MARK.

I'M GOING TO DIE AS A HUMAN.

TAKE HOLD OF THIS OPPORTUNITY FOR EVERLASTING LIFE.

THINK ONLY ABOUT YOURSELF.
I don't have the slightest desire to live forever. I don't need that.

You are scum. I want to go back to everyone.

Do you want to survive and go back...

...after so many others have died?

Do you want to blithely live on without losing anything?
THE AROMA OF WISTERIA.

I SMELL SHINOBU...

YOU'RE JUST IMAGINING THIS!

NO, THAT'S...

HAVE SOME SHAME AND STOP!!

...
NEZUKO...

LET'S GO BACK.

GO THAT WAY, TANJIRO!

LET GO OF HER HAND!

YOU'RE COMING WITH ME!!

WE'VE CONQUERED THE SUN!

TANJIRO, LET'S GO BACK.

YOU ARE A RARE BEING!

DON'T GO THAT WAY, TANJIRO!
THEY WANT TO KNOW WHY ONLY YOU SHOULD LIVE ON.

THEY LOST SO MUCH, BUT NOT YOU!

CAN'T YOU HEAR THE HATEFUL CRIES OF THE DEAD?!

THEY WERE WILLING TO RISK THEIR LIVES FOR OTHERS.

NO, THEY'RE NOT LIKE THAT.

THEY WERE SAD AND THEY SUFFERED...

...BUT THEY DID NOT WANT THAT FOR ANYONE ELSE.
YOU MUST CARRY ON MY WILL AND MY DESIRES!!

DON'T YOU KNOW YOU ARE THE CHOSEN ONE?!

THE ULTIMATE LIVING CREATURE!!

YOU CAN BE PERFECT!

WAIT, TANJIRO!!

PLEASE! WAIT!!

ONLY YOU CAN DO THIS!
DON’T GIVE IN!

TANJIRO, COME BACK!

I CAN HEAR EVERYONE...

THIS WAY, TANJIRO!
LET'S GO HOME!

DON'T LEAVE ME HERE!!

DON'T GO, TANJIRO!!

TANJIRO!
TANJIRO!!
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?

I'M SORRY...

YOU'RE INJURED...

TANAIROOO!

HE'S BAAAACK!

SISSH...

...AND TO YOU TOO, MY WIFE.

I WILL MAKE HIM PAY HIS WHOLE LIFE FOR WHAT HE DID TO ME...

YOU COULDN'T DO ANYTHING...

HFF... HFF... HFF...

...THAT HURT ME...

HFF... HFF... HFF...
I'M GLAD SHE'S ALIVE. KANAO...

WAAAH!

TANJIRO WOKE UP!

KANAO!

WAAAAAH
HEH...

I KNEW YOU WOULDN'T DIE.

YAAY YAAY

SNIFF

MEOW!

WHHEW...

LADY TAMAYO...

SHF

...IT'S OVER.
BUTTERFLY MANSION
THREE MONTHS LATER

THE SAKURA TREES ARE IN FULL BLOOM.

YES...

THEY'RE SO PRETTY.
...of many sacrifices.

Nevertheless, we must continue living...

...as long as there's a tomorrow.

...but that came at the cost...

There are no longer evil demons in the world...
Wisteria Houses received word of the final battle, so many people spent the night praying for the corps members’ safety and success. Exhausted crows went to inform them of victory.
...is wrinkled like an old man’s.

This hand...

You can’t grip anything with it?

Well, my arm did get completely destroyed. It’s just like with this eye. It seems fine, but...

...I can’t feel anything below the elbow.

I can’t see anything out of it.

Oh...

That’s right. I can raise and lower my arm, but...

I suppose you’ll have scars...

I feel totally fine!

How are you doing, Nezuko?

And I’m sorry for what I did.
SO DON'T APOLOGIZE.

THE NEXT TIME YOU DO, I'LL FLICK YOUR FOREHEAD.

I'M GLAD YOU'RE HUMAN AGAIN.

NO ONE CARES ABOUT THAT.

AH HA HA! I CAN UNDERSTAND THAT!

GIYU SAID HE THOUGHT ALL WAS LOST...

I THOUGHT THE SAME THING!

...WHEN I BIT YOU.

AND THAT YOU WERE THE FIRST PERSON I BIT.

YUSHIRO SAID IT WAS LUCKY...

...THAT WE HAD SHINOBU'S MEDICINE...
IMMUNITY AGAINST MIZAN'S CELLS.

YOU HAD BEEN A DEMON, BUT YOU BECAME HUMAN AGAIN, SO YOU HAVE ANTIBODIES.

Huh? Immunity... what?

Really?

YES.

YOU'RE VERY LUCKY.

...YOU WOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN HUMAN AGAIN.

WITHOUT SHINOBU'S DRUG OR NEZUKO...

IT'S AMAZING YOU DIDN'T LOSE YOURSELF COMPLETELY.

YOU CONQUERED THE SUN IN AN INSTANT...

AND YOU HAD TREMENDOUS POTENTIAL AS A DEMON.

...AND WERE STRONGER THAN EVEN MIZAN AND NEZUKO.
YOU FOUGHT VALIANTLY.

AND I ADMIRE THAT.

YOU'RE THE WORST! JUST SEEING YOUR FACE IRRITATES ME, SO I'M LEAVING!

I WAS JOKING. DON'T TAKE IT SERIOUSLY, DUMMY.

I HAD HELP FROM LOTS OF PEOPLE.

YOU'RE THE WORST! JUST SEEING YOUR FACE IRRITATES ME, SO I'M LEAVING!

I WAS JOKING. DON'T TAKE IT SERIOUSLY, DUMMY.

I DIDN'T DO MUCH.

I WAS JOKING. DON'T TAKE IT SERIOUSLY, DUMMY.

YOU'RE THE WORST! JUST SEEING YOUR FACE IRRITATES ME, SO I'M LEAVING!
YUSHIRO... DON'T DIE, OKAY?

YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN KEEP TAMAYO'S MEMORY ALIVE.

I HAVEN'T HEARD FROM HIM SINCE. I'M WORRIED.

I HOPE HE'S ALL RIGHT.
THEY'RE VISITING MASTER UBUYASHIKI.

YES, THEY'RE FINE.

I HAVEN'T SEEN GIYU AND THE OTHERS. ARE THEY ALL RIGHT?

OH RIGHT!

UM...

THANK YOU FOR COMING.

SANEMI...

THIS IS THE FINAL HASHIRA MEETING.

GIYU.
However, we successfully eradicated the demons.

...and many rank-and-file corps members died.

You are the only surviving Hashira...

...and fought bravely to save the people of the world...

For many years, fighters such as yourselves risked their lives...

Thus, the Demon Slayer Corps disbands today.

Understood.
ALL OF US IN THE UBUYASHIKI FAMILY...

...EXTEND OUR HEARTFELT GRATITUDE.

WE DON'T NEED ANY THANKS!

PLEASE, DON'T BOW!!

...IS WHAT HELD THE DEMON SLAYER CORPS TOGETHER!

THE UBUYASHIKI FAMILY...
KIRIYA,
YOU WERE
AWESOME AT
YOUR JOB.

YOUR FATHER
AND ALL YOUR
ANCESTORS...

...MUST
BE VERY
PROUD.

THANK
YOU VERY
MUCH!
BUT FIRST, YOU GOTTA COME HANG OUT WITH US!!
I HEARD YOU'VE RECOVERED AND YOU'RE GOING HOME TOMORROW.

NO, I MISSED THAT.
TENGEN! DID YOU SEE HER HIT ME?!
GYAH!! MAKIO HIT ME!!

DON'T BE SO LOUD!!
YOU IDIOT!!
HELLO! HURRY UP, DAD!

OH, THANK YOU!

COME VISIT WHEN THINGS CALM DOWN. HERE'S OUR ADDRESS AND A SNACK.

COME ON!

I'M COMING...

IT'S BEEN A WHILE!

WHY SO STIFF? COME ON!

OH!

SENJURO AND SHINJURO!

I'M SURE HE WOULD BE PLEASED.

I HEARD YOU USED THE HAND GUARD FROM MY SON KYOJURO'S SWORD IN BATTLE.

THANK YOU.
UGH... IT'S TOO NOISY IN HERE...

I'M THANKFUL FOR THAT.

DON'T MENTION IT!

THEY COME EVERY DAY AND CREEP ME OUT!

GAH!! THE HYOTTOKO GANG IS HERE AGAIN!

THEY'RE FILLING UP THE WHOLE ROOM!!

WHY DO THEY ALL SHOW UP AT THE SAME TIME?!!

AND THERE'S MORE OF THEM?!
MAYBE HOW DOES SHE'S STRONG... SO FAST?'

I'M HUNGRY.

CRAWL
crawl

NOM NOM

CHOK

CHOK

SHE

BUT YOUR MOUTH IS FULL!

N...

NO I'M NOT!!

HEY!

YOU'RE STEALING FOOD AGAIN!!

MAYBE SHE'S STRONG...

HOW DOES SHE NOTICE SO FAST?!!
THIS PLATE IS JUST FOR YOU...

SO EAT FROM IT WHENEVER YOU WANT.

IF YOU'RE HUNGRY, EAT THIS.

BUT STOP STEALING FOOD!

KANAO...
This sakura tree is impressive up close!

uh-huh.

Its name is Victory.

Oh, that's cool!!

The first user of Flower Breathing planted it.

Yeah.

...That we succeeded.

I wanted to tell it...

How kind of her.
I still have some vision.

I'm fine.

How's the wound? Is...

...your eye all right?

Still have some vision.

Really? I should say hello!

Yeah.

The wind.

The wind Hashira came earlier too.

AND THE WOUND DOESN'T HURT ANYMORE.

Really?

Yes.

He gave me the serpent Hashira's sidekick, Kaburamaru.

I think he's still here.

It's very intelligent.
WHOA!!
KABURAMARU!!
I SEE... WELL, THAT'S GOOD!

It's chilly today.

ARE YOUR INJURIES?

OH, HI!

FINE.

UM...

HOW ARE YOUR INJURIES?

THAT'S GOOD!
I'm sorry.

I heard there was trouble after the defeat of Muzan...

...but I was unconscious.

And my brother has been in a coma for about a month!

Compared to that, it's nothing!

Well, I was basically asleep for two years!

Ah ha ha!

Hee hee

I love to sleep!

...because then I don't get hungry!

I love to sleep...
PAT

HUUUUUHHH!
HUUUUUHHH!
HUUUHH!
HUH? WHAT WAS HE DOING?

BAAAA!

WELL, TAKE CARE.
Okay, okay...

You cut your hair!

IF WE HAVE TO PUT FLOWERS ON ALL OF THEM, WE WON'T BE ABLE TO GO TO TANJIRO'S HOUSE!

THERE ARE TOO MANY GRAVES!

THERE'S NO WAY WE WILL FINISH THIS TODAY.
WOULDN'T SHOW ENOUGH RESPECT!!

THE SUN IS GOING DOWN! AND I'M HUNGRY!

NO! ARE YOU STUPID?!

NO! REMAINS? IS THAT A SNACK?!

GRANDFATHER'S REMAINS.

HEY, WHAT'RE YOU CARRYING?
FATHER.  
MOTHER.  
PEOPLE HELPED ME.  
NEZUKO AND I WERE ABLE TO RETURN.  
FROM NOW ON, NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS...  
...WE'LL FACE IT TOGETHER.  
BUT THEY ALL DID THEIR BEST TOGETHER TO MAKE THEIR PRAYERS COME TRUE.  
SO MANY PEOPLE LOST THEIR LIVES.
AFTER THE SACRIFICES EVERYONE MADE FOR US.

WE'RE DOING OUR BEST TO LIVE ON...
WELCOME HOME.
WE'RE BACK HOME.

WE'RE HOME.

DON'T CRYY!!

WE'RE BACK...
Uncle Saburo and the other neighbors in the village apparently cleaned it up for us. Here's a letter.

The inside of your house is pristine!

Those aren't cheap. We have to go thank them again.

They even changed the tatami mats and drawers.

It's so nice and warm.

So this is where you two grew up, huh?

Heh heh heh.
WHAT BEAST COULD'VE LEFT THESE? GUYS, BE CAREFUL!

WHAT IS THIS?!

THERE ARE CLAW MARKS ON THE WALL!!

I'LL SURPASS THEM ALL!!

I WANNA DO IT TOO!

OUR FAMILY RECORDED OUR HEIGHTS AS WE GREW UP BY SCRATCHING THEM ON THE WALL AND PUTTING OUR NAMES BY THEM.

NO, NO, INOSUKE.

WE MADE THOSE MARKS.

WHAT?!

STRETCHING

FINE.

I WANNA DO IT NOW!

NO! NOW!

WE HAVE TO CLEAN UP BEFORE SUNSET.

DO THAT LATER, GUYS.

YAY!

SHH

THEY'RE TOO SOFT ON INOSUKE.
I dream of a bright future...

I hope that they will live happily...

...and I pray that...

...until the day they depart for heaven.

...where the people I love are smiling.

*will

...without fear.

...they will live safely...
...I WANT THEM TO LIVE.

EVEN IF I'M...

...NO LONGER THERE...

I'M SURE IF YOU WERE ME...

...YOU'D SAY THE SAME THING.

TO LIVE THEIR LIVES TO THEIR FULLEST.
...PEACEFUL DAYS NEVER CHANGE...

I HOPE THESE ORDINARY...

...AND LAST FOREVER.
Tanjiro spent three days visiting all the graves. He’s a pleasant but strong-willed boy.

Inosuke’s idea of a grave marker was... rocks around a pile of dirt.

Inosuke’s first time seeing a polished rectangular stone. Adorned with writing. Lots of them. Pretty.

Some grave markers are rectangular. Let’s put flowers on them.

Zenitsu wouldn’t stop crying because his leg still hurt. Inosuke said he would carry him, but Zenitsu ignored him and leaned on Nezuko’s shoulder instead.

I do what I decide to do!
YOU'RE GONNA BE LATE FOR SCHOOL.

COME ON, WAKE UP.

I'VE SAID THE SAME THING 28 TIMES NOW.

GET UP, SUMIHIKO.

NO, YOU'RE NOT. AND YOU'RE AN UGLY SLEEPER!

I AM UP...

CHAPTER 205: LIFE SHINING ACROSS THE YEARS
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Many of the last wills and testaments left by members of the Demon Slayer Corps contained wishes for Tanjiro and Nezuko's happiness. Kiriya let them read those.
RECENTLY, I'VE BEEN DREAMING ABOUT MY GRANDMOTHER...

I LIKE TO SLEEP.

...SO I DON'T WANT TO WAKE UP.

I REMEMBER HOW I WOULD HOLD MY BREATH AND MY HEART WOULD POUND AS I LISTENED.

...SHE WOULD TELL US ABOUT THE DEMONS THAT EXISTED LONG AGO.

WHEN I USED TO VISIT HER WHEN I WAS IN KINDERGARTEN...

I GOT SO SCARED...

...THAT MY OLDER BROTHER GOT ANNOYED AND SAID, "DEMONS DON'T EXIST!"
...AND PAT MY HEAD.

AND THEN MY GRANDMOTHER WOULD NOD...

"...TO DEFEAT THE MAN-EATING DEMONS, SO DON'T WORRY!"

"THAT'S RIGHT."

"YOUR GREAT-GREAT-GRANDFATHER AND GREAT-GREAT-GRANDMOTHER FOUGHT HARD..."

...LOVED MY GRANDMOTHER'S GENTLE TOUCH.

/...
But my brother...

She said they're probably reborn...

Got angry and said that was a lie.

...and then live happily together with their loved ones.

When I asked what happens to people when they die...

That they may have been reborn and are now living happily...

You're lying, grandma!

I don't remember any previous life!

But when I think...
...I FEEL LESS SAD AND LONELY...

...AND MY MIND IS AT EASE.

...MY BROTHER, WHO WAS LOOKING THE OTHER WAY, SNIFTED HIS RUNNY NOSE...

SMIFF

...AND SAID, "YEAH."

MY BROTHER, WHO WAS LOOKING THE OTHER WAY, SNIFTED HIS RUNNY NOSE...

IT MAY TAKE SOME TIME...

WHEN DEMONS ARE REBORN...

...BUT GOD IS SURE TO FORGIVE THEM.

...I HOPE THEY AREN'T REBORN AS DEMONS.
I envy anyone who knew them.

I wonder what my great-great-grandfather and great-great-grandmother were like.

What foods did they like?

What colors?

I like to hear those things about people.

And my life is my own story with me as the main character.

A human life is like a story.
There were as many stories as there were people.

A hundred years ago and two hundred years ago...

And only they knew them.

And for my family...

And for strangers as well...

There were many stories...
THEY DID — IT!!

YAY!!

MODERN-DAY TOKYO

Yoshiteru Agatsuma (17)

*Book: The Legend of Zenitsu

YES! THEY DID IT!!

THEY WON!!

INCREDIBLE!! THEY BEAT THE DEMON BOSS!!

DID YOU JUST KICK MY BACK?!

ARE YOU READING GREAT-GRANDDAD'S NOVEL OF LIES AGAIN?!

THWAACK

OW!
EXAMS ARE COMING UP! I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU!

BUT THEY WERE SO COOL!!

THEY RISKED THEIR LIVES IN BATTLE!

GYAH! MY EAR!

GO BE COOL LIKE THEM AND STUDY!!

AND YOUR GRADES HAVE BEEN ABYSMAL!!

TOKO AGATSUMA (18)

...BUT MY BIG SISTER IS SOMETHING ELSE ENTIRELY!

THE OTHER WOMEN IN OUR FAMILY ARE SO QUIET AND POLITE...

HUHP? WHAT'S WITH THAT LOOK ON YOUR FACE? YOU MAD?

DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION?
BELIEVE THAT EVERYONE WHO FOUGHT DEMONS AND DIED FOR A PEACEFUL WORLD...

I BELIEVE THAT EVERYONE WHO FOUGHT DEMONS AND DIED FOR A PEACEFUL WORLD...

BUT HE FLASHES HIS MIDDLE FINGER AND CHOKE REPORTERS!

HE'S A TOTAL PUNK!

JAPAN GOT THE GOLD IN GYMNASTICS!

*DON'T WALK AND USE YOUR PHONE AT THE SAME TIME.*

USE YOUR OWN PHONE!

HMP? WHAT'S THIS NEWS STORY?

I GUESS GOOD-LOOKING PEOPLE CAN GET AWAY WITH ANYTHING.

WELL, THEY HAD IT COMING!
TUNE IN FOR A RESEARCH UPDATE IN JULY!

IT ONLY BLOOMS TWO OR THREE DAYS A YEAR, AND ONLY DURING THE DAY.

YOU'RE ALWAYS SO CREEPY...

Yeah, that's about the newly discovered Blue Spider Lily.

Hashibira's a botanist?!

Hashibira was researching it.

Hashibira's a man.

They shouldn't be so mean to such a delicate and pretty girl!

But then a mistake caused them all to wither...

The program is under intense criticism.

What a cruel world!

Gimme a break!

You're just like our father.

Then I demand he commit seppuku!

Huh? Hashibira is a man.

...my deepest apologies!

Offer...

They're so cute!

Look! Twins!

Heh heh... are they girls?
I’VE BEEN STUDYING HOW TO CAST CURSES, SO WATCH OUT!

WHAT?

SORRY...

GOOD MORNING, TOKO.

OH!

HI, KANATA!!

YOU'RE THE CUTEST GIRL IN THE WORLD!

Yeah!

AND YOU'RE SO COOL, KANATA!

YOU CURLED YOUR HAIR TODAY. IT'S CUTE!

I'VE BEEN STUDYING HOW TO CAST CURSES, SO WATCH OUT!

WHAT?

SORRY...

YOU'RE THE CUTEST GIRL IN THE WORLD!

YOU THINK SO?

YOU CURLED YOUR HAIR TODAY. IT'S CUTE!
WHERE'S HE'S SUMIHIKO?

AND GIANT SERVINGS?

HUSBAND BACK IN THE KITCHEN THREW A KNIFE AT US, BECAUSE...

STILL ASLEEP.

I BET HE'LL FINALLY BE LATE!

THE ONE WITH THE SNAKE DECOR AND GIANT SERVINGS?

SCHOOL IS OFF THIS AFTERNOON.

WANNA STOP BY THAT DINER ON THE WAY HOME?

YOU KNOW HOW THE WOMAN WHO WORKS THERE HAS A BIG CHEST...?

HUH? WHY IS THAT?

I DON'T KNOW IF I CAN SHOW MY FACE THERE AGAIN.

He looks funny in that pink apron!!

THAT KINDERGARTEN TEACHER IS HUGE!

HER HUSBAND BACK IN THE KITCHEN THREW A KNIFE AT US, BECAUSE...

WELCOME!

Gyaaah! No hitting!

Yeah!

WANNA STOP BY THAT DINER ON THE WAY HOME?
D-DAT INN'T TWOO! IT'S A FALSE ACCUSATION!! YOU...

...YOSHITERU WOULDN'T STOP STARING AT IT.

*STUMBLING OVER HIS WORDS.*

OH NO! I'M WHY DIDN'T RUNNING ANYONE WAKE ME UP?!

WHY DIDN'T ANYONE WAKE ME UP?!

OH NO! I'M RUNNING LATE!
I'M LEAVING, MOM!

I WANT TO GET THE PERFECT-ATTENDANCE AWARD!
SORRY!
COMIN' THROUGH!

TAK
CHECK.

THIS IS UBUYASHIKI, WHO HAS SET A RECORD AS THE LONGEST-LIVING JAPANESE PERSON EVER!

THAT HOOLIGAN ...

WHAT'S WITH YOU EVERY MORNING?!

GOOD MORNING!
OOPS... SORRY!

UGH! WHAT A WEIRD NICKNAME.

IT'S THE RUNNING MAN!

I DON'T SEE ANYBODY.

WELL, KEEP WATCHING...

UH-OH!

A PATROL CAR! I SHOULD STOP, BUT...
FOR A MOMENT, I THOUGHT WE RAN HIM OVER! THAT PUNK!

UH, SORRY!

TMP

THAT MUST BE THE ONE WE GOT SEVEN REPORTS ABOUT.
SHOW ME SHOW ME!
WHAT'D YOU GET?
WILL I MAKE IT IN TIME?
OH MAN!

HFF
HFF
HFF
HFF
HFF
HFF
OH, COOL!

THIS IS WHAT I GOT!

WOW! I GOT THE SAME THING AGAIN...

THAT'S A RARE CHARACTER, GIICHI!

YOU CAN HAVE OURS.
MY ALLOWANCE ALREADY RAN OUT!

HUH? REALLY?! YAAAAY!
Good morning, Kazumi!

I forgot my homework.

*DON'T WALK AND USE YOUR PHONE AT THE SAME TIME.*

GOTÓ... IS THAT YOUR GIRLFRIEND?!

THOSE ARE PAINTINGS, RIGHT? I KNOW ABOUT THEM.

NO, SHE'S... UH...
His work is beginning to receive critical acclaim around the world.

...paints these of a beautiful woman named Tamayo.

What a violent painter!

But he tries to shoot reporters who come for interviews.

Impressive!

Those are paintings? They look like photos!

My first love was No. 812, Tamayo with dark blue flowers.
MORNING, ISN'T IT?!

IT'S STARTED UNUSUAL TRAINING FOR YOU TO AT 4 A.M. BE LATE!

AND GOT ABSORBED IN IT!

FINE MORNING, TOJURO!

SUMIHKO!!

GOOD MORNING, TOJURO!

YEAH! DUN DUN DUN

I STARTED TRAINING AT 4 A.M. AND GOT ABSORBED IN IT!

IT'S UNUSUAL FOR YOU TO BE LATE!

DUN
I couldn't hear anything until my dad whacked me!

You kids! Halt!

That's messed up, dude!!

You with the short hair! Stop!

Or whatever! But you should do a sport!

You should join the Kendo club, Sumihiko!

No way! I'm certain you'd be awesome!

Aw, come on! At least try something!

You rock!

Please, stop! You're too fast!

No way! I'd cut into my sleep!
Ah ha ha! I barely compare to you though!

Grah! Stop, you dumb kids!

I like how once you start something, you can't hear anything else!!

Hey, calm down...

Ah ha ha ha! Hurry! Hurry! Close it! Close it! Ga ha ha ha!

But there's still three minutes...

Close the gate!! Close it!!

He's a repeat offender!

Yeah!!

I think we'll make it!
Awesome!

YEP!

WE BARELY MADE IT!

ACK!

GWOOO

WE NEED TO TALK...

WEEOO WEEOO

TUNK

...BUT THE LAB MIGHT FIRE ME.

ANOTHER PEACEFUL DAY...
I wish I could live alone deep in the mountains.

Yes, this is the Kamado residence.

I'm so sorry for the trouble!!
KANATA DESCENDANTS OF TANTIRIO AND KANAO

Well, of course you did!

SUMIHIKO

I got in trouble and cried.

His nickname is "The First Love Thief." He regrets being sullen toward his grandmother, so now he tries to be open about what's on his mind. He doesn't have a girlfriend.

The police and his parents lectured him for four hours over his dangerous antics on the way to school. On the way home, he went to the park and cried. His dream for the future is to work at a zoo. His favorite animal is the slow loris.

Tokyo DESCENDANTS OF NEZUKO AND ZENITSU

Two Younger Sisters

She thinks Yoshiteru can accomplish anything he wants, so she just wishes he would apply himself. Her dream for the future is to be a prosecutor. Yoshiteru was only able to get into high school because she kept an eye on his studies.

He got hit by a truck once protecting his little sisters. Thanks to first aid from Toko, he recovered without any lasting effects. He's good at heart but he often cheats at things. At the moment, he has marshmallows in his mouth.

Swimming School CLASSMATES

Inosuke and Aoi's GREAT-GRANDCHILD

When he found himself out of work and was crying in the park, he became friends with Sumihiko, who was also there weeping, and they had a good time playing badminton together. He has one younger brother.

Giyu's DESCENDANT GIICHI TOMIOKA

GOOD FRIEND

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He's extremely optimistic and has a strong heart, so he even responds to insults with "Thank you!"

They've been as tight as brothers ever since they got badly cut while arresting some men wielding knives.

They have five children.

Only three strands of hair

Can't let anyone notice he doesn't age.
TO BE BORN IS A BLESSING.
DO NOT LOOK BACK IN REMORSE.

PLEASE, DO NOT FORGET TO SMILE.

JUST REMEMBER THAT WE WERE HERE...

FIGHTING TOGETHER AND LAUGHING TOGETHER...

LIKE BROTHERS AND SISTERS, OR LIKE PARENTS AND CHILDREN.

WHEN YOU CRY, IT'S UNBEARABLY SAD.
YOUR EXISTENCE SAVED ME...

CAUSE STRENGTH TO RISE FROM DEEP INSIDE, LIKE A FIRE.

THOUGHTS OF YOU...

BE PROUD.

MEETING YOU WAS MOST FORTUNATE...

...AND IT BROUGHT HAPPINESS.

...AND DROVE AWAY LONELINESS.
True suffering is like an avalanche. It swallows a person in an instant and offers no choice.

But to have any choice at all is fortunate.

But they had to make a choice.

If possible, everyone would desire...

Live or die. Win or lose.

...to live and stay by each other's side.
HAPPINESS ISN'T ABOUT THE LENGTH OF YOUR LIFE. THEY JUST WANTED TO PROTECT OTHERS.

I WANT YOU TO SEE THE DEPTH OF THIS HAPPINESS I HAVE.

I HAVE NEVER THOUGHT FOR A MOMENT...

...THAT I WAS UNHAPPY.

OTHER LIVES WERE MORE IMPORTANT THAN THEIR OWN.
MANY STRONG FEELINGS BECAME AN IMMENSE BLADE...

AND WE ALWAYS...

WE NEVER GAVE UP OR RAN AWAY...

...AND WE KEPT THE FAITH.

...AND DEFEATED THE ENEMY.

...GAVE IT EVERYTHING WE HAD.
Victory would have been impossible without even one of us.

That was due to everyone's strengths.

You are precious.

Life itself is a miracle.

You are important.

Please, live the best you can...
MY MOST BELOVED FRIENDS.
Hi, I’m Gotouge! And here’s the final volume! This completes *Demon Slayer: Kimetsu no Yaiba*. Parts of it weren’t perfect, but I’m thankful from the bottom of my heart to everyone who stuck with me to the end and to everyone who sent letters. Some people sent warm and encouraging words even when they were having a hard time themselves. That was deeply moving. It made me think that I’d like to become the kind of person who can spread kindness even when I’m having a difficult time.

I’m sorry if there was anyone who always looked forward to this series but was unable to see its completion. My dream is that we will meet again sometime and be friends.
This series is a story I made with all of you. It’s a story that wouldn’t exist if you hadn’t read it. Thank you for fighting alongside Tanjiro and the other characters, and thank you for your tears and laughter. A lot of people helped me, and I was able to learn and grow a lot. It was a greater honor than I deserve. Thank you so very much. From the bottom of my heart, I wish for the happiness of everyone who provided encouragement, helped out or was involved with the series in some way.