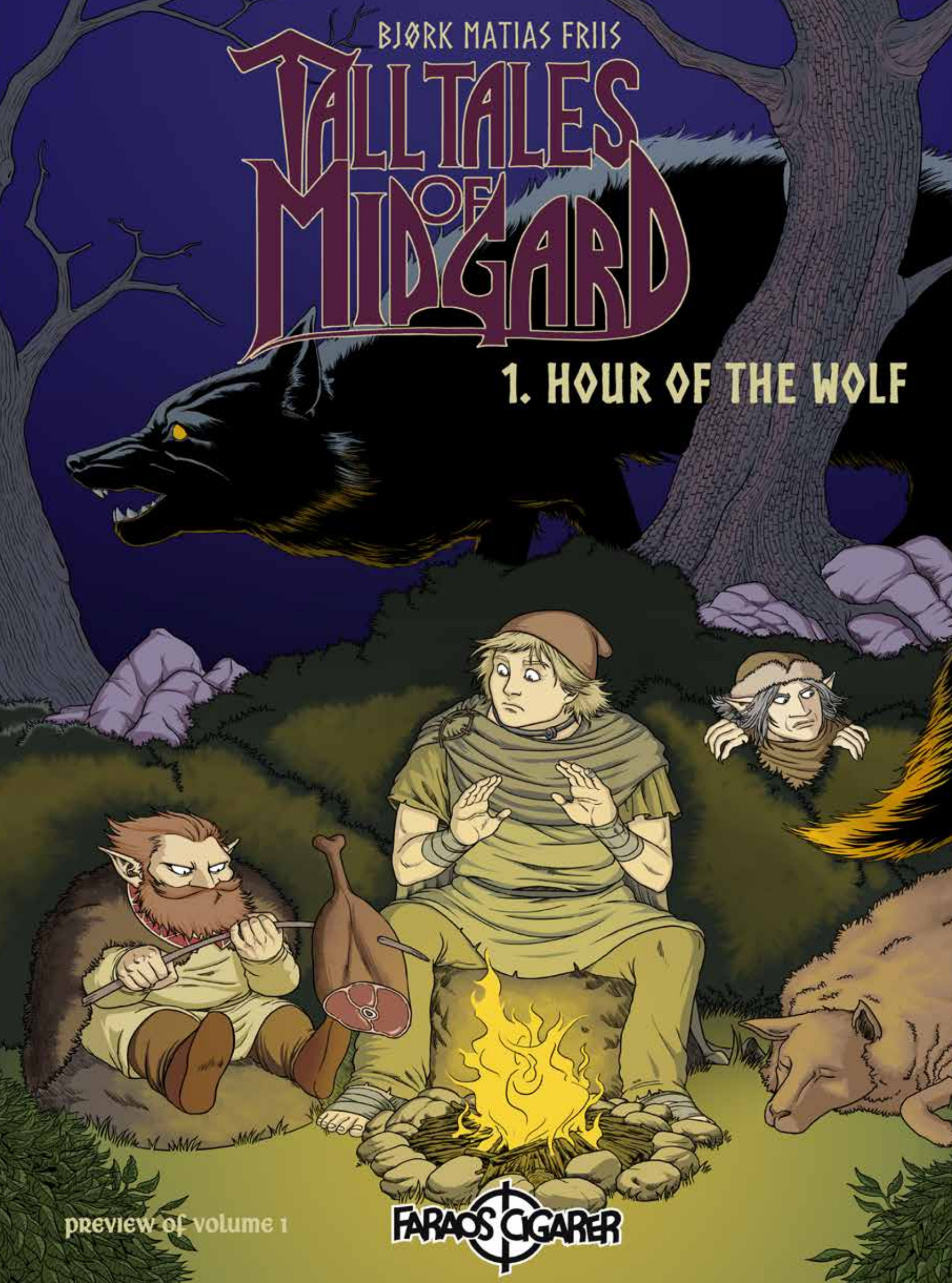


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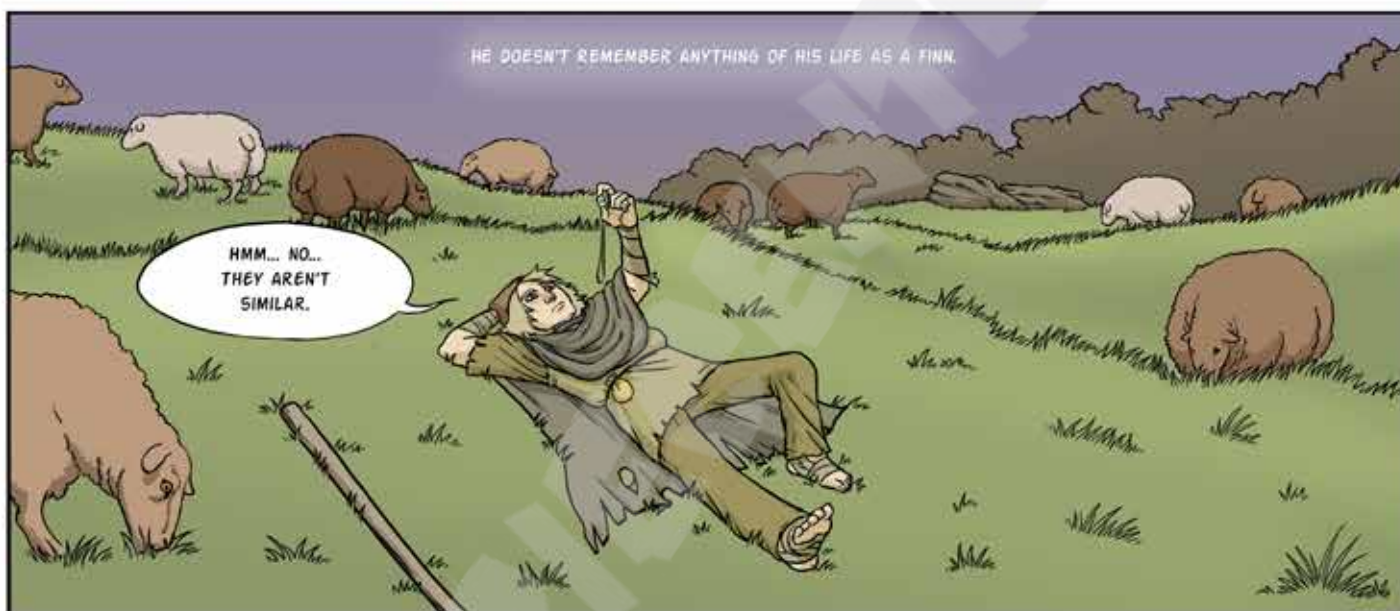
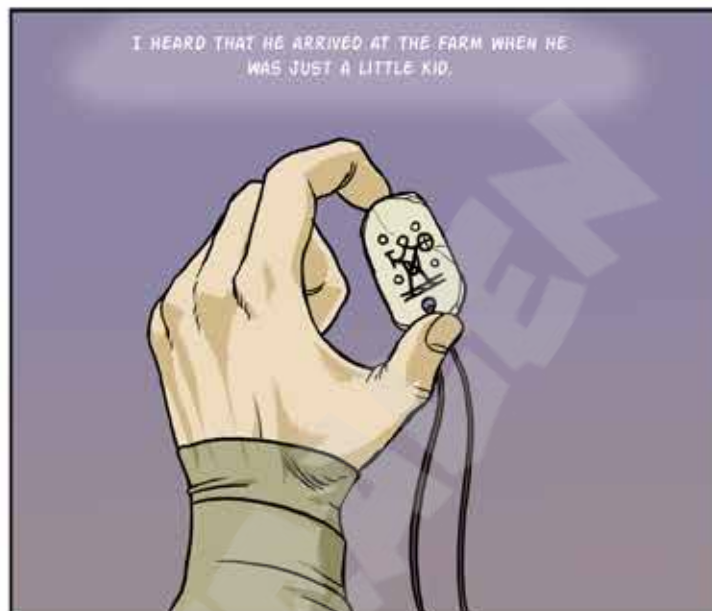


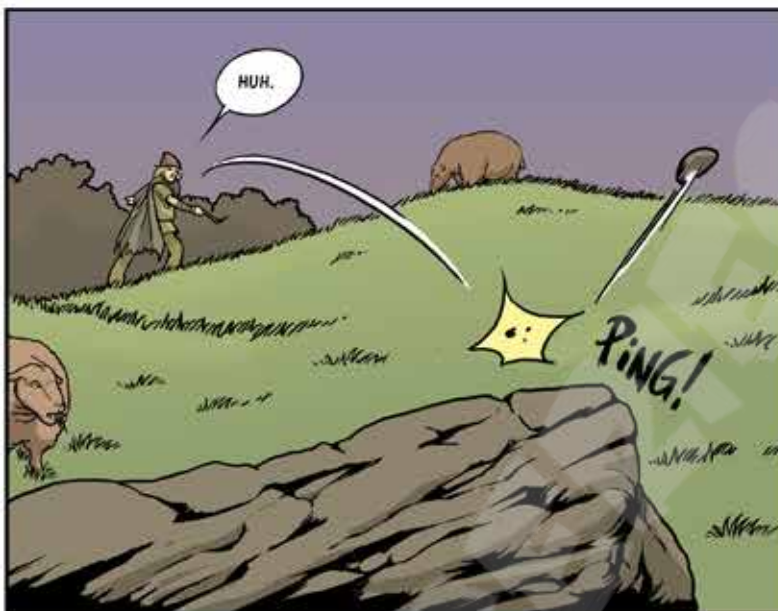
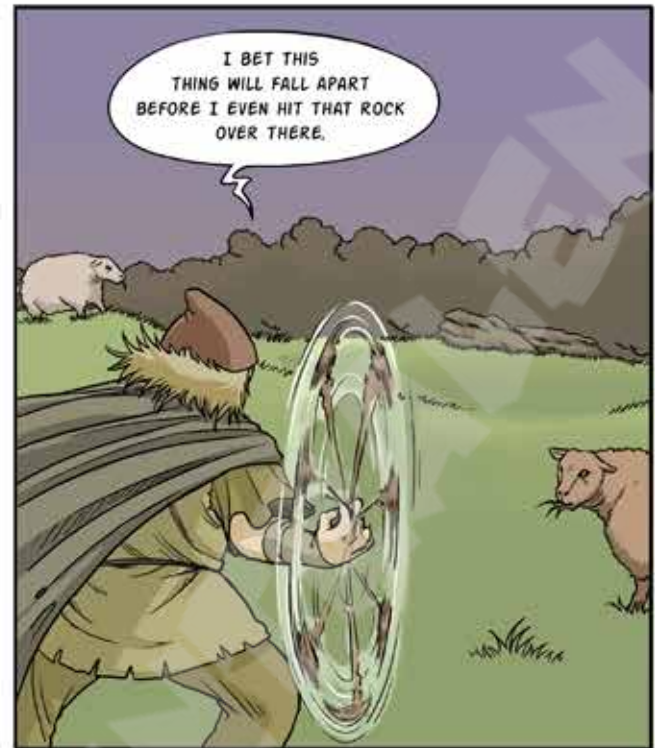


















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In a bygone era, the gods of the Aesir fought the trickster-god Loki.
With sorcery they turned Lokis son Vali into a wolf
and this wolf killed Lokis second son, Narfi.
With the entrails of Narfi, the gods bound Loki to the underworld,
not to be released till the coming of Ragnarok.
Down below Loki lies bound,
waiting to be released and the world to end.

All of this has seemingly nothing to do with the boy known as Root.
Root is a thrall. Enslaved as a child, he lives on the island of Bornholm
in the middle of the Baltic Sea. Enduring many hardships as a thrall,
he longs for the day that he will be able to make his escape.
Then two small troll-like creatures cross his path.

Soon he finds himself amongst vikings, shieldmaidens and giants,
in a hunt throughout Northern Europe. A hunt that will determine
the fate of not only himself, but all above and all below -
and the outcome of the very End of the World.



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