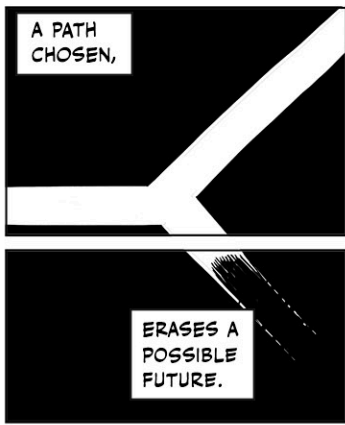


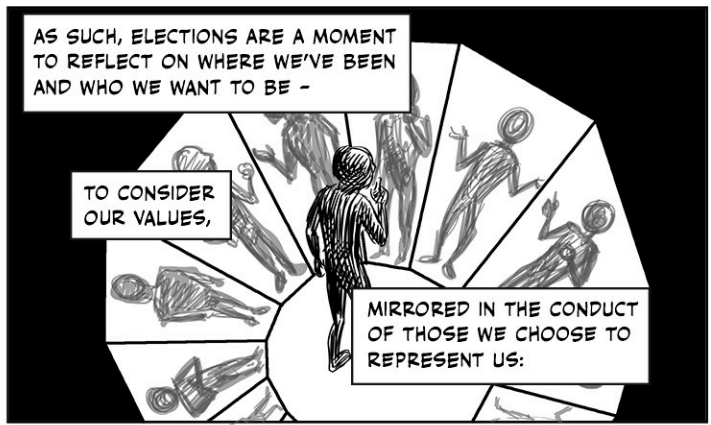


ELECTIONS, OF COURSE, HAVE CONSEQUENCES.



A PATH CHOSEN,

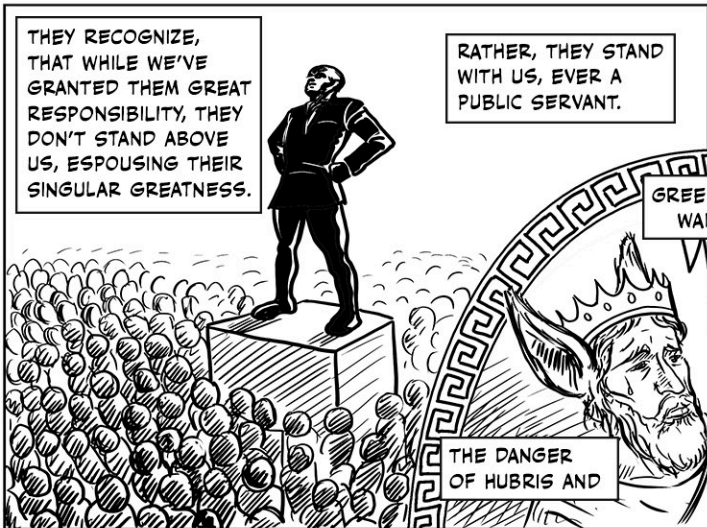
ERASES A POSSIBLE FUTURE.



AS SUCH, ELECTIONS ARE A MOMENT TO REFLECT ON WHERE WE'VE BEEN AND WHO WE WANT TO BE -

TO CONSIDER OUR VALUES,

MIRRORED IN THE CONDUCT OF THOSE WE CHOOSE TO REPRESENT US:

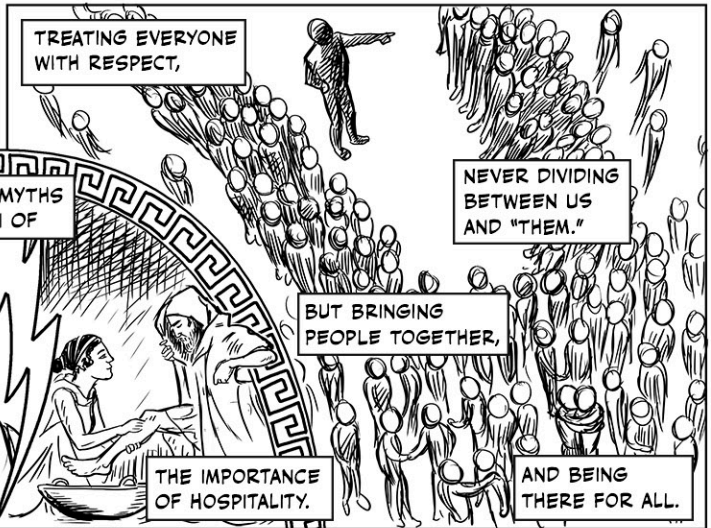


THEY RECOGNIZE, THAT WHILE WE'VE GRANTED THEM GREAT RESPONSIBILITY, THEY DON'T STAND ABOVE US, ESPOUSING THEIR SINGULAR GREATNESS.

RATHER, THEY STAND WITH US, EVER A PUBLIC SERVANT.

GREEK MYTHS WARN OF

THE DANGER OF HUBRIS AND



TREATING EVERYONE WITH RESPECT,

NEVER DIVIDING BETWEEN US AND "THEM."

BUT BRINGING PEOPLE TOGETHER,

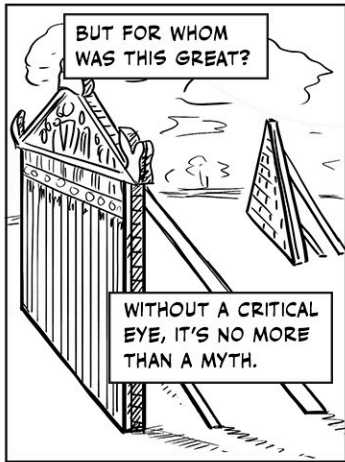
THE IMPORTANCE OF HOSPITALITY.

AND BEING THERE FOR ALL.



ON ITS SURFACE,

TALK OF RESTORING THE GREATNESS OF BYGONE ERAS HAS OBVIOUS APPEAL.



BUT FOR WHOM WAS THIS GREAT?

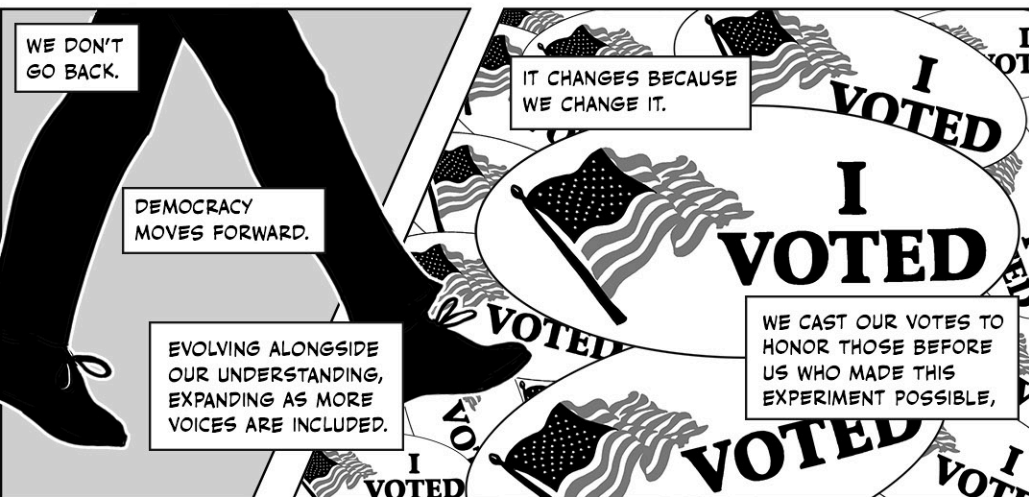
WITHOUT A CRITICAL EYE, IT'S NO MORE THAN A MYTH.



FOR HISTORY IS STILL WITH US -

OBJECTS IN MIRROR ARE CLOSER THAN THEY APPEAR

NOT SO DISTANT.



WE DON'T GO BACK.

DEMOCRACY MOVES FORWARD.

EVOLVING ALONGSIDE OUR UNDERSTANDING, EXPANDING AS MORE VOICES ARE INCLUDED.

IT CHANGES BECAUSE WE CHANGE IT.

WE CAST OUR VOTES TO HONOR THOSE BEFORE US WHO MADE THIS EXPERIMENT POSSIBLE,



AND TO ENSURE IT CONTINUES FOR ALL WHO COME AFTER.

FOR ELECTIONS AREN'T ENDPOINTS,

BUT REMINDERS THAT THE WORK OF RENEWING DEMOCRACY IS ONGOING.