

Kuro T. Gang- an inspirational story

Kuro T. Gang was born in a small Shandian city in close proximity to a large skypiea town. Although they were not in active fighting a cold war was brewing between them. The shandians in this village were violent and practiced odd traditions involving sacrifices and intercourse, Kuro was born from one of these rituals. When Kuro's father was a child he ran away from home looking for adventure, he found it as he was launched into the air by a huge column of water landing in a sea of clouds where he was quickly found by Shandian warriors. Kuro's father was a bat mink but to the shandians he was a monster, capturing him for one of their odd rituals. The ritual involved the Daughter of the chief mating with the young bat mink to produce an offspring with animal like ferocity for the upcoming battles ahead. Kuro's father quickly escaped but not before he had been forced to impregnate the chief's daughter, and nine months later Kuro was born. He came out with tufts of hair already coming out of his jawline and ears, and small claws were growing from his small fingers, instead of the normal skypiean wings he had small bat like wings. At first the villagers regarded Kuro as the next great warrior of the Shandian village, but as he grew they quickly realized the monster he was, his personality was rude, violent, drunk, and he constantly stole from others. He became an outcast by the very same people that forced him into the world and with only a few close friends left he knew something needed to change, and change it did when he challenged the village chief.

Part 1- Storm God

(12 year old Kuro)

In a small poorly built shack on the outskirts of the Shandian village two boys and one girl get homemade tattoos and talk about their plans

Kuro: AHHH, geez that hurts. could you be any easier?

Remmy: Heh you're gonna feel more pain than that when we challenge the chief and get out of this shithole, besides im already done

Kuro: I still don't know how were going to beat him, i mean i know i have this Gas dial but i dont think it'll help that much in beating that beast

Jen: Ohhhh Kuro always the downer, don't worry we're gonna finish the plan as soon as Drake gets back, by the way those tats came out realll nice, good job remmy

suddenly the door to the shack slams open letting light pour inside, in the door way stood Liz, another member of their gang

Liz: THIS IS BAD GUYS COME QUICK

Kuro:Wha? whats wrong

Liz already left with the three other members quickly following behind, Kuros body hurt as his fresh tattoos felt the cool air, the friends all put on makeshift masks to hide their appearances incase something went down.

Kuro:So where are we going?

Liz:The village center, Drake was arrested

Kuros jaw dropped as he knew what he was about to see, The gang quickly made it to the village center to see Drake tied up to an ornate jeweled totem pole with his face inwards and his back out, behind him was two large soldiers with whips and the village chief. Kuro attempted to run forward but stopped in his track as he saw the blood run down Drakes back

Chief Wano: AND LET THAT BE A LESSON TO ANYONE CAUGHT STEALING FROM THE ARMORY

The chief walked forward kicking Drake in his open wounds but Drake did not respond

Chief Wano:Ehhh? is this kid already unconscious. BAH waste of life.

Chief Wano spits on drake's unconscious body and walks away with the two guards following him, the crowd of people that has gathered to watch the whippings slowly clears and all thats left is Kuro and his friends there. Kuro runs up to Drake untying him, Drakes body slumps to the ground but his eyes slightly open.

Drake: Gu..Guys, is that you? “Cough” im sorry you have to see me like this.

Remmy: Shut Up man dont talk, fuck they really did a number on you this time, lets get you back to the hideout.

Drake: Ya,, that sounds good, but first Kuro, while i was getting chased i dropped off what i stole in those abandoned houses by the river, were gonna need those when we challenge the chief, can you go get them?

Kuro: ughhhh ya i guess, but you owe me.

Kuro slaps Drake hard on the back causing him to gasp in pain before laughing and walking away in the direction of the abandoned houses while his friends went back to their base. On his way to the hidden loot Kuro was stopped by a beautiful women.

Princess Ezra: KURO WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN, ive been looking for you everywhere and whats that on your face?

Kuro realized he was still wearing the makeshift mask and quickly took it off smiling at the woman in front of him.

Kuro: Pshhh i dont know what you're talking about, what do you want anyways? I thought you weren't talking to me anymore.

Kuro put his nose up to the women in front of him and felt a burning across his face as he was slapped.

Ezra:DONT talk to your mother like that, now lets go were already late.

Ezra started speed walking away from Kuro with Kuro calling out to her.

Kuro:Late to what exactly?

Ezra stopped in her tracks and looked back to Kuro

Ezra: To the war council, some ruffian stole military grade weaponry from the armory and we followed them back to their base, they for some reason want your help, but i honestly dont know why anyone would want trash like you

Kuro glared at his "mother" in disgust

Kuro: says the women who fucked a bat

Ezra: Whatever, it was for the glory of our great chief

With almost stars in her eyes at the thought of her father the chief, Ezra continued walking towards the chiefs hut where the war council was being held with Kuro reluctantly following behind

A few minutes later they arrived at a large building “one of the only ones in the village” and went inside to see soldiers on stand-by wearing dark leather armor and carrying axe dial infused weapons, Kuro and Ezra walked past them in silence though Kuro noticed the soldiers glares and snarls projected in his direction. In the next room were multiple old men arguing, but one was different from the rest. He was large with a snake skin hood covering his head and a large dark brown beard.

Elder Maxi: Those “thieves” as you call them Wano, are just kids. You cant do this!

Chief Wano:Its CHIEF Wano to you Maxi, and i’ll do whatever i see necessary to stop out any fires of rebellion

Chief Wano looks over at Ezra, and Kuro after he finished his confident statement

Chief Wano:Ahhh Kuro my dear Grandson, Have you been a good little spy and found their homebase?

Elder Regi: Wha..What!? You used your own grandson as a spy, your despicable Wano

Chief Wano: BAHAHAAHA, like it even matters what you think, the citizens think im a great hero protecting them from the “deplorable” skypieans, Anyone where are they Kuro?

Kuro gulped at the request,fidgeting in his spot

Kuro: I..Its in an abandoned building on the outskirts of the village, The only one with a red door..

Chief Wano: Ahahahaha good joh boy, maybe your not so much of a waste after all, in fact, maybe i should have you join the assault force

Ezra:Wha.. WHAT, you are not going to really let this.. this monster fight are you?

Chief Wano: I mean, hes your monster my lovely daughter and itll be easier if he just shows us exactly where it is

Kuro:N..no i.. i really dont want to Grand..

The Chief jumps across the room grabbing Kuro by the scruff of his collar

Chief Wano:YOU ARE GOING TO DO WHAT I SAY WHEN I SAY IT, im the chief here.
you're the weapon

The Chief drops Kuro to the floor of the room quietly sobbing to himself as the Chief announces his plan to the elders and soldiers

Chief Wano: ALLLLRIGHT MEN, Kuro here will lead us to the hideout where we will capture these "rebels" and give them a public trial and execution. After that im sure the flames of revolution will be thoroughly snuffed, soldiers prepare to move

The soldiers exited the room as the Chief walked over to Kuro and picked him up off the floor

Chief Wano: If you get any funny ideas ill end you where you stand, dont forget i control these clouds. And after this we'll use you to destroy the sky pirates

The Chief put Kuro back down and walked off to go prepare himself for the "battle" ahead, one of the elders that spoke up against the chief came to Kuro and whispered to him

Elder Regi: Dont worry Kuro, we elders might not have much power anymore but we wont let him harm you

After saying this he walked off leaving Kuro alone in the room, a few moments later Kuro got up and went to his rarely used room in the building, a small backroom that locked from the outside and was hard to find where Kuro had a simple lamp, mirror, toilet, stove, and chest. In the chest was a breath dial filled with a flammable knockout gas, metals arm and legs guards, a small blade, a cloak, a tunic, and a lighter. Kuro put on the guards and placed the dial and sword in his hands then turned to look at himself in the mirror, he noticed he was thinner than usual and his hair was messier, all in all he just felt he looked less..human. With tufts of fur now starting to grow from his face after hitting puberty he was becoming more and more of a monster every time he saw himself. Kuro clenched his fist and turned away from the mirror before exiting the room and meeting up with the soldiers outside. Chief Wano saw Kuro come out.

Chief Wano:Heh so you're finally ready, ALRIGHT MEN MOVE OUT.

All the soldiers started walking at once with Chief Wano and Kuro in front of the crowd, The soldiers walked through town to the awe and terror of the townspeople and delight of the Chief. After a few miles of walking the men arrived at the abandoned shack.

Chief Wano: MEN CHARGE

Without any hesitation the soldiers charged straight into the shack, as soon as they entered the shack exploded in a fiery bomb sending debris and limbs flying

Kuro: Wh..What, what's happening?

From behind a voice spoke loud

Drake: Heh we knew all along that you were with the Chief Kuro, we used you just like he does and now we're gonna kill you both.

Suddenly a strong gas filled the area and the remaining soldiers, the chief, and Kuro were engulfed. The gas was a purple color and in it they could be heard screams of pain and choking. Kuro, The Chief, and three soldiers burst from the gas gagging and struggling for air. As soon as they emerged Liz, Jen, and Remmy appeared each carrying an axe and another unknown one. The trio jumped onto the injured soldiers decapitating them with one blow then turned their attentions towards the chief and Kuro but stopped as Drake stuck his hand out ordering them.

Drake: You act so smart and powerful chief, but mere kids tricked you and defeated you.

The chief stood up with a smile on his face

Chief Wano: Tricked? Defeated? HA, you haven't even seen my power yet

Kuro: NO

Suddenly a flurry of strings grew from The chief's back whipping out and grabbing onto Drake's body

Drake: wha..WHAT'S THIS

With zero hesitation the chief flexed and his string ripped Drake's body apart killing him instantly. Kuro could only sit and watch frozen in place as carnage unfolded before him.

The trio: NOOOO

Remmy used his chain dial launching a chain that wrapped around the chiefs legs while Jen and Liz jumped on either side of him with impact dials about to press them, but in one swift motion the chief launched himself into the air pulling the chain connected to him with him, Remmy was pulled straight into the blast of the impact dials and was smashed under the impact. In Mid-Air the chief shot out two strings that wrapped themselves around Liz's and Jen's necks.

Chief Wano: NOW YOU DIE

Kuro:NOOOO

Kuro jumped into the air lunging at the chief as anger flowed through him, they may have been using him too but he still felt friendship towards them. Kuro shouted at the Chief before blasting him with his breath dial and at the same time blasting him with a punch full of electricity, the electricity sparked the gas in the dial causing a massive explosion and sending Kuro and the chief flying and the string around Liz and Jens neck come off.

Chief Wano:WHAT WAS THAT

Kuro:Ive been hiding it from you for awhile, but ive developed and interesting ability, i call it storms judgement (really just mink electro)

The Chief landed on the ground with Kuro on one side of him and The girls on the other side forming a triangle.The Chief shot two twirls of burning string at both sides, Kuro dodge out of the way but Liz was not so lucky, She was already terrified from not being used to fighting, but seeing just how strong their opponent as caused her knees to buckle and she was hit full force with the attack, using her death as a distraction Jen launched at Chief hitting him square in the chest with the impact dial sending her launching back and sending the chief straight into Kuros blade. Kuro slashed once before jumping away scarring the chiefs back. Jens arm was now broke and Kuro didnt think he a=had much left in him either.

Kuro:LETS RETREAT.

Jen:retreat?, what do you think this is, this is a battle to the death and your one of the enemies.

Kuros mouth dropped open and he fell to his knees in anguish, he truly had no friends anymore. Kuro used his blade to pull himself up and darted over to Jen forcefully picking her up.

Kuro:I DONT CARE IF YOU HATE ME, WERE NOT DYING HERE.

Chief Wano: LIKE YOU HAVE A CHOICE

Kuro runs into a nearby alleyway carrying Jen

Jen: GET OFF OF ME

Jen rips herself away from Kuros grip and goes to run away

Kuro:STOP, do you even have a plan?, cause i sure as hell dont

Jen: of course i do, im going to run away to the skypiean city, i mean where do you think we got all those weapons from in the first place? But first i have to get away from him!

Chief Wano could be heard screaming as he ran around the abandoned alleys looking for his lost prey, the three fighters were now in a maze of buildings and alleyways playing cat and mouse until they made it to the skypiean city. The way to the skypiean city at first glance did not seem dangerous, but was filled with warriors from both sides ready to ambush the other.

Kuro followed Jen as she ran down different alleyways seemingly knowing where she was going as they were avoiding the Chief. Jen suddenly stopped, Kuro looked down at a sewer grate and then looked back up at Jen

Kuro:OHHH NO NO NO NO NO, im not goin in a sewer, no thats not happening

Jen:i never asked you to follow me in the first place Bat Bitch.

Kuro:WHY DOES EVERYONE GOTA ROAST THE BA...

Kuro was cut off as Jen climbed into the sewer, Kuro weighed his options but heard a terrifying noise behind him, a scythe made of string sliced around him destroying the buildings around him.

Chief Wano:IVE GOT YOU NOW

Kuro reacted quickly taking out his breath dial and spraying it into the air around him before jumping into the sewer. The Chief stood above the sewer ready to jump in and follow his foe but

felt lightheaded as the gas caused him to fall unconscious right above the sewer hole. Down below Kuro was also passed out in a pool of putrid water.

3 hours later

Kuro awoke with the sewers walls still around him, but instead of a hole of light above him there was now a large hole of light to his side.

Kuro: What th..

Jen: SHHHquiet

From behind appeared Jen shushing Kuro

Jen: Dont make me regret dragging your furry ass for miles, now get up we have to move.

Kuro: Wh what? Where are we going, in fact where even are we

Jen: the sewer exit, the sewers runoff is located almost at the Skypiean Shandian border, were gonna blitz running straight through the shandian ambushers and hopefully not be killed by the Skypiean ambushers.

Kuro: Thats a terrible plan, lets do it.

A freshly awakened Kuro and Jen charge out of the sewer into the wilderness between the two "great" societies. But its oddly quiet, no noises could be heard except for the occasional chirping of a bird. Jen stopped

Jen: This is weird.. There's no fighting, no skirmishes, no.. nothing. Lets keep moving i guess but be careful.

Kuro and Jen walked in uneasy silence for hours until the ground turned from soil to clouds and they spied upon a large city with massive walls surrounding it

Meanwhile back at the Shandian village the chief had called back every single soldier on the front lines to prepare for one final assault, chief wano stood in front of the villages civilians and all his soldiers and began his speech

Chief Wano: PROUD PEOPLE OF SHANDIA, it is our time to strike, for years the skypieans have been trying to force us off our own land but NO MORE

The crowd erupted into a cheer loud enough to cause birds to fly away in the distance.

Chief Wano: The monster of this village and a rebel have ran away in hopes of shelter in skypiea, BUT WE WILL NOT GIVE IT TO THEM, WE WILL SHOW NO REMORSE, NO MERCY, NO EMOTION. We will crush our centuries long enemy in the name of SHANDIAAAA

The crowd erupted into cheers for their proud leader not knowing who he was under the surface, later as the sun began to set the chief began leading his army in the direction of the skypiean border

Part 2- The Great War Ends

Back at the Skypiean city Jen and Kuro stand outside the front gates

Jen: CALLSIGN ECHO ECHO KRINKLE

Kuro: EEK? Why is your callsign eek what the fuck

Jen: Can you shut the hell up, like seriously. I don't even want you here. In fact why are you even still following me?

Kuro: Well I've never really had any fri...

Kuro was interrupted as the walls gates began to loudly creak open, in the entrance stood a squad of guards led by their commanding officer

Officer Lucifer: Welcome back my sweet, and who's this with you?, he's not a part of your usual team.

Jen: They're dead, don't ever call me your sweet again, and your zippers down

Jen shoves her way past Lucifer as he awkwardly zips up his pants

Lucifer:Uhhh well ignoring that its nice to meet you young man my names Lucifer, im one of the leaders of the sky army

Lucifer extends his hand to shake Kuros and Kuro does the same, but as they are about to touch jen yells

Jen:Wouldnt do that, hes the bastard grandson of the “great” chief Wano

Suddenly every single guard surrounds Kuro throwing him into the ground and knocking him unconscious, an unknown amount of time later Kuro awakens in a dark and damp cell vin what appears to be a dungeon

Kuro:Gah what the fuck where am i

Kuro goes to get up but realized his legs are firmly tied to a wooden post embedded into the ground

Kuro:What? Why only my legs what the fuck.

Suddenly the man he met before Lucifer came to greet him

Lucifer: Hello young man, sorry we had to do this to you but uh you see, we beleive you may have some information we need

Lucifer accompanied by two guards open the jail cell door untying Kuor and forcinly dragging him out, Kuro struggled but could not pull away and was tiedto a nearby totrute table

Kuro: whatever you want to know i can just tell you, im with you guys

Lucifer: but what would be the fun in that?

Kuro spent the next day in agony, every waking moment was skin being torn off him, nails being plucked off, and healing salve being rubbed into his skin. Kuro shouted every piece of information he had but nothing stopped the torturer falling in and out of consciousness Kuro could not tell how long hed been in the room but noticed that for the first time in awhile Lucifer hadnt come “see” him. Kuro laid alone for hours as he wounds slowly scabbed over. Suddenly he heard what sounded like an alarm come from whatever building was above him. A door way swung open revealing Jen, she walked pver to Kuro and untied him from the table and gave him back his gear

Kuro:WHERE THE FUCK WERE YOU, WHAT WAS THAT, WHY DOES EVERYTHING SUCK

Jen:WELL IM OVER HERE SAVING YOUR ASS AFTER I “BY MY FUCKING SELF” ESCAPED FROM A JAIL CELL

Kuro: (trying to hide his pain) oh they captured you to? That sucks, so what exactly is going on up their?

Jen:Your grandfather has arrived with a massive army apparently, kits going to be an all out battle soon. So we need to GET THE FUCK OUT

As Jen screamed at Kuro a massive explosion shook the building and a nearby wall crumbled revealing the outside world

Jen:shit its already started we have to go.

Kuro and Jen ran outside to see the two opposing armies staring each other down

God Loave: Leave NOW Wano, before i destroy you with the awesome might of my Rokushiki

Chief Wano: YOU'VE OPPRESSED THE PEOPLE LONG ENOUGH LOAVE, ill end your rain of tyranny right now

Kuro:Rain of terror wha,,

Kuro looked around realizing the state of poverty this city was in, from the outside it looked amazing but on the inside it was horrible, much worse than his home village

Kuro:So whos the good guy..

Jen:neither, they boh fuckin suck

Kuro:but dont stories have a good guy and a bad guy usually?

Jen: i mean if you wanna go with the mainstream stuff ya, i mean you could evensay your the good guy in this story

Kuro: me? Nooooo way ill murder someone i dont care

Jen:yaaa but the audience hasn't seen you murder anyone so right now your technically the hero

Kuro:ughh that sucks, yknow what, im gonna hide and see how this battle plays out

The two armies clashes, blood,fire,and dial powers lying everywhere. The chief was expertly cutting peoples limbs off with string as Loave was stabbing people in the heart with his finger

Kuro:God this is so cool i gotta learn that, yknow disconnecting yourself and not really caring about the chaos is nice, but im honestly surprised no ones noticed us yet

Jen:thats because none of this is real

Kuro:WHA..

Suddenly Kuro is jolted awake still tied to the torturers table but with no wounds on his body

Lucifer:yep we got all the info we needed from your sleep talking, now back to your cell

Kuro was thrown back into his cell where he spent days, outside he could hear ever closer explosions and fighting, after a week the fighting was nearly outside his cell and he hadnt been given food or water in awhile. Suddenly an explosion knocked down the wall to his cell revealing the outside, Kuro feeling a sense of Deja vu walked outside to see the two armies facing off just like in his dream, but this time they noticed him immediately

Chief Wano:AHAAHAH my boy, looks like they were treating you nicely, you change your mind about abandoning us yet?

God (not Loave) Yaku: Wano i will not let you take over this city, you cannot control the clouds and the soil

CHief Wano: shutt upppp, we both know your people started all this by trying to take the soil

Yaku: That was ages ago Wano, let it go

Chief Wano:NO

Wano charged at Yaku and in response both armies begane charging as well

Kuro:WHOS SIDE AM I ON FUCK

Kuro ran inside the building his cell was in looking for his belongings, he eventually found them but noticed it was growing quiet extremely quickly outside. Stepping outside Kuro saw that every single soldier was dead or injured except for Yaku and The Chief. The chief was grievously injured but the god isn't faring well either.

Kuro:this is my chance to prove im not the fucking hero

Yaku charged at Wano slashing at him with two axe dials,the chief in his weakened state barely dodged and shot out a barrage of string shots, The God expertly dodged using jet dials embedded in his armor, Yaku grabbed one of the strings shot at him and by using his jet dial and pulling on the string he launched himself at incredible speed straight at Wano, Wano couldn't react fast enough and was hit square in the chest with a dial. Yaku yelled "REJECT" and both him and Wano were shot back with Wano landing into a nearby fruit stall and Yaku slamming into a nearby building

Kuro:nows my chance

Kuro ran as fast as he could to Yakus body

Yaku:boy.. If you are truly against him finish him off while you have the chance im afraid i cant move anymore

Kuro:ok

Kuro pulls out his blade and stabs Yaku in the chest, Kuro begins walking towards Wano leaving his blade in the dying Yaku. Kuro crouched over Wanos body which had a massive hole in it. Koru leaned into Wanos ear and whispered

Kuro:Ypur daughters a whoreeee

Kuro began pounding Wano with his fists until he was almost unrecognizable, as he pounded his grandpa one of the fruits from the stall changed forms, Kuro picked it up taking out a huge bite, suddenly strings began growing from his body just like his grandfather

Kuro:well.. Everyone's dead, i dont know where anyone is, and i now have a power thats killed everyone i cared about and tormented me my entire life, i guess ill.. Leave?

Part 3 Kuros New Master

Kuro began walking through the battlefield but didn't notice a large hole in the clouds created from the battle and fell through, the hole went straight through the white white and the white sea and sent Kuro plunging to the earth below. Kuro flew through the air like a rocket shooting straight down

Kuro:well.. I guess im gonna die now, i wonder what happened to Jen

Back on the clouds Jens body was mangled and torn,she had apparently tried to desert from the battlefield before the main battle started and was captured by the shandianarmy and brutally murdered for her treason

Kuro:man i kinda hope she died, she was a bitch.

The water approached Kuros eyesight, hed never seen so much deep blue before, but as he felt his imminent death approaching his survival instincts kicked in and he wrapped his body in a cocoon of string that was pointed on the end like a rocket, Kuro shot into the ocean like a torpedo straight down into the deep ocean below. Kuro fell unconscious but woke up hours later on dry land. He tried to move but couldn't, his body was in horrible shape with his bones mostly broken

Master Farow:Tch quit moving your gravely injured.

Kuro:Wha,, AGH . where am i?

Farrow:Fishman island, you shot in here like a rocket, even left a huge crater in the road. Honestly it was amazing. So we set you up in this hospital room and ive taken it upon myself to take care of you, most of the other inhabitants are fearful of you, but come onn what can you do in this state?

Kuro:Thanks.. I guess

Over the next few years Kuros body repaired and Farrow helped him regain his strength, the populace grew to accept him and he even began to learn a variation of fishman karate using other liquids, Kuro felt hed stay here for awhile since he didnt have anywhere else to go, but one day he overheard a group of fishmen talking about a new pirate group taking th seas by storm, its

captain Necoc and his Subordinate Gang stuck out most to him, a bat mink in a pirate crew, could it be his father? He had to know. Kuro asked his master to give allow him to borrow a small ship and some bubbles and ascended to the surface ready to start his adventure

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