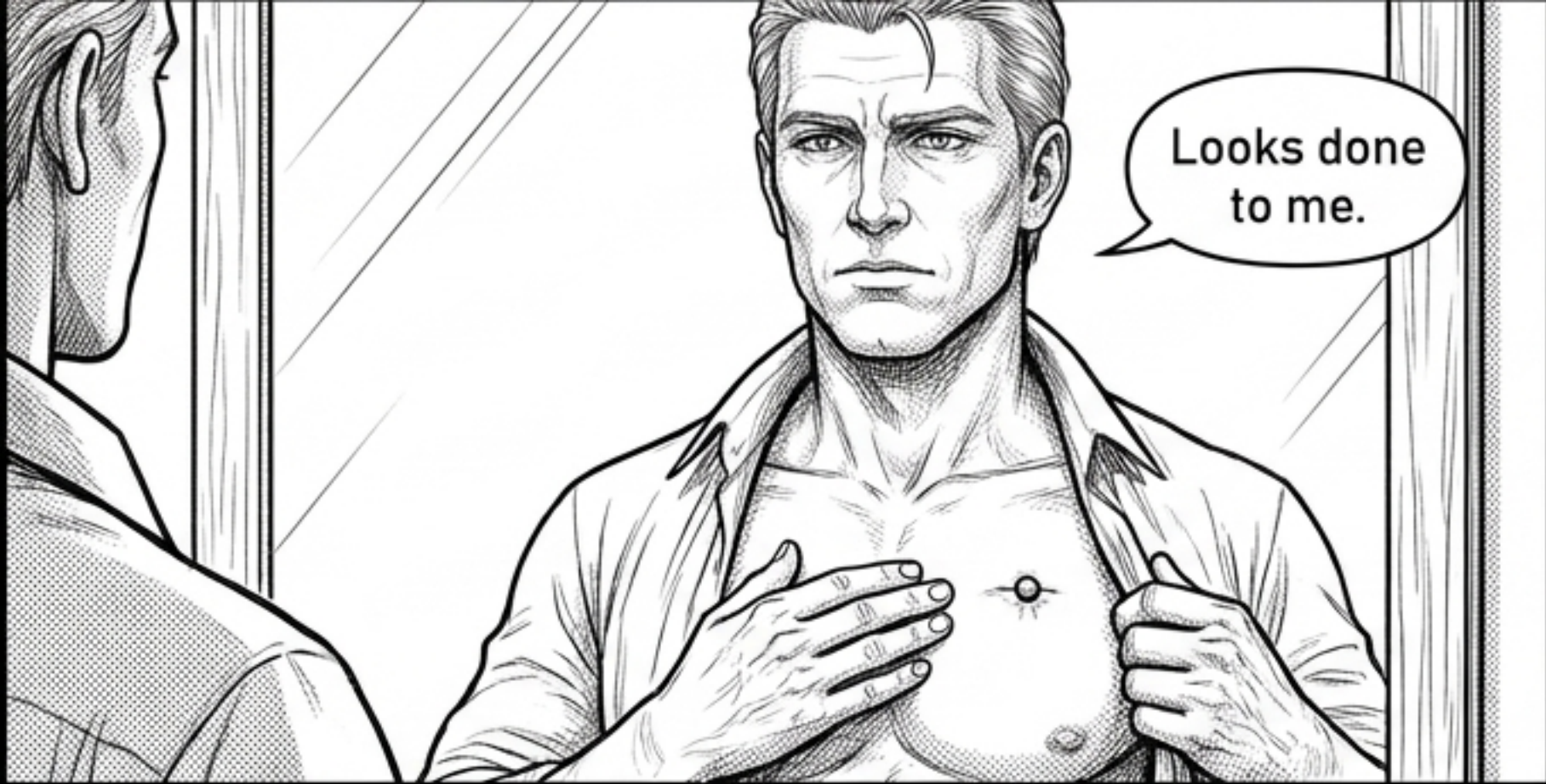
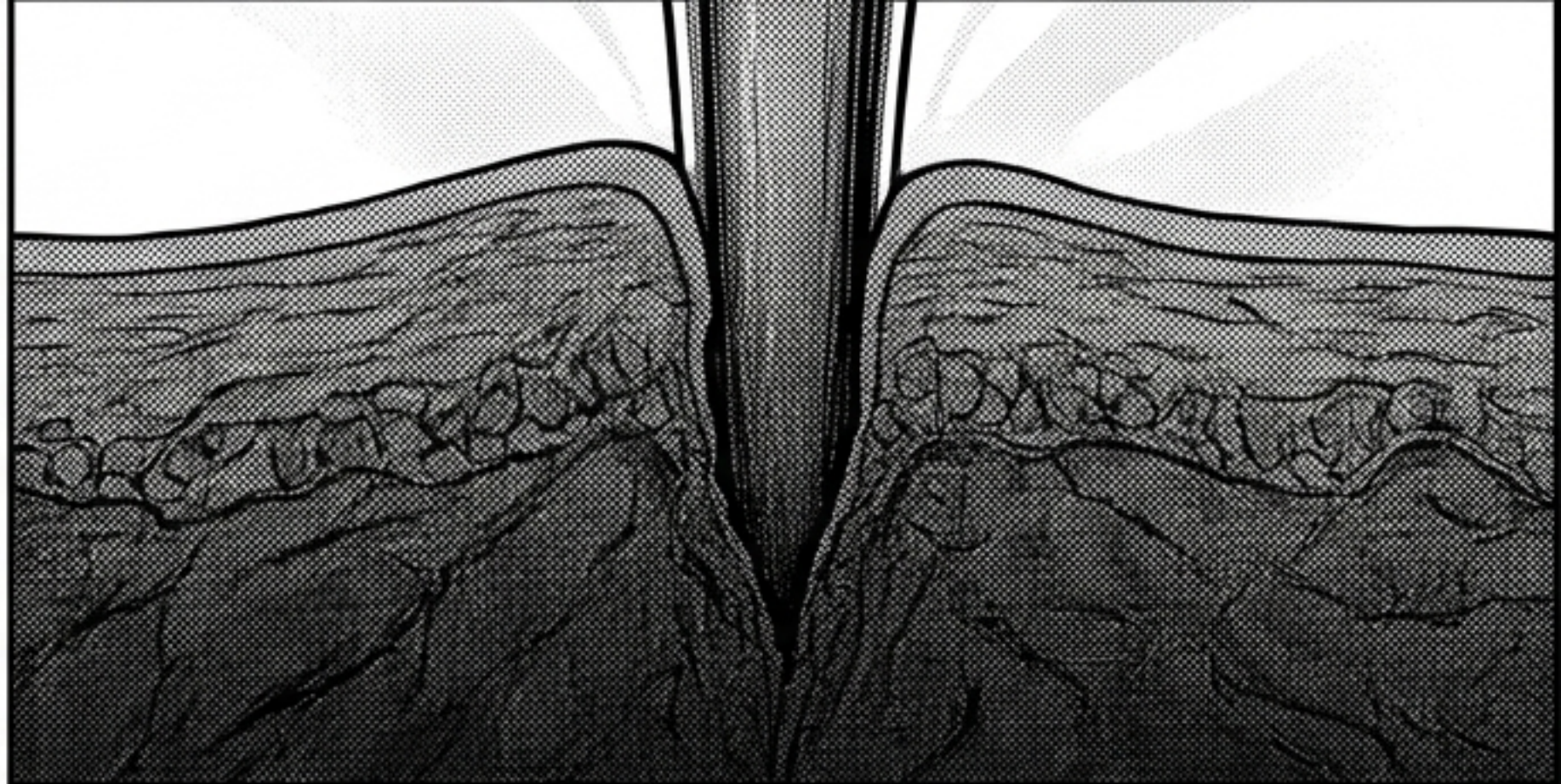
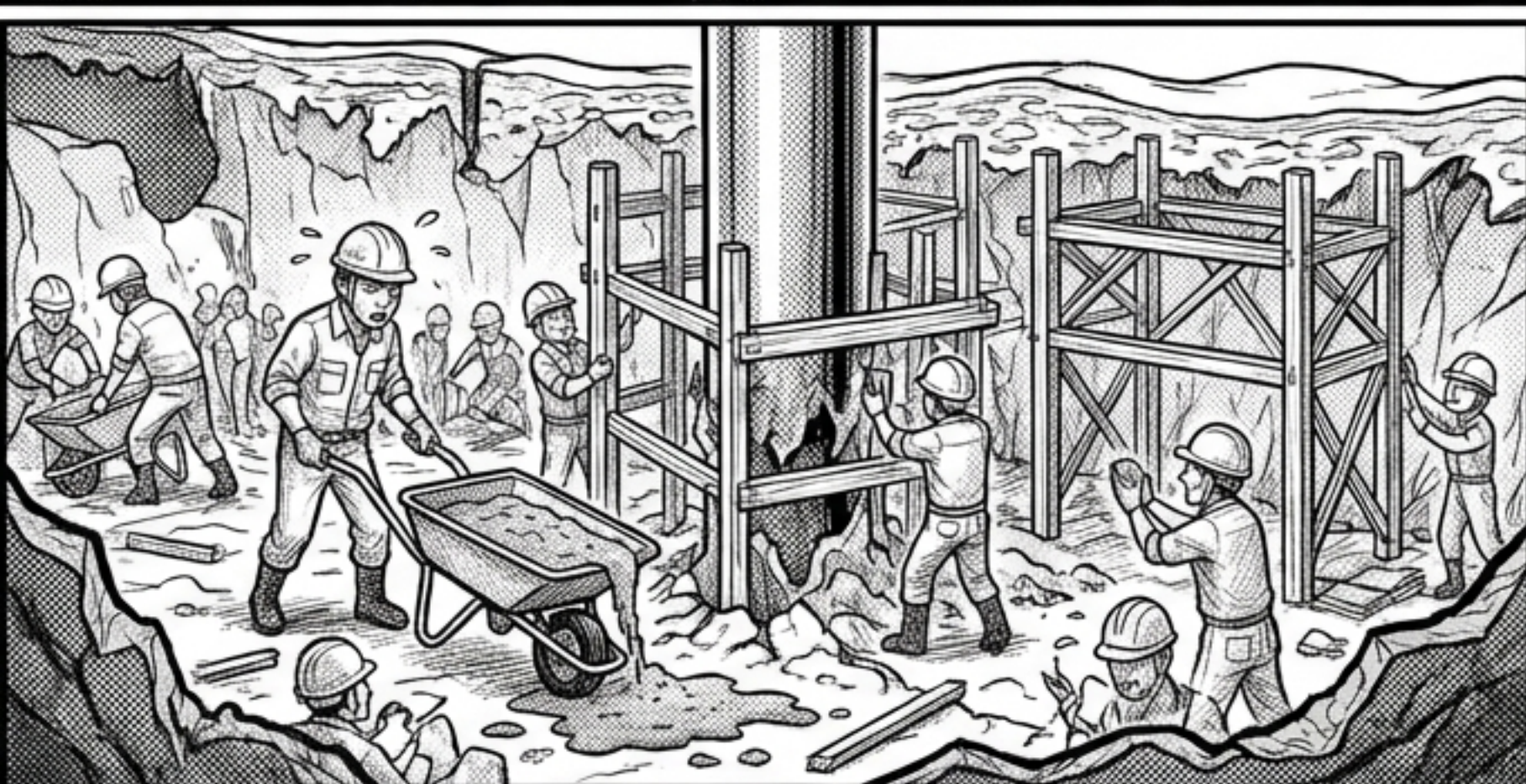




Piercing wounds heal from the outside in, meaning the interior tissue often remains fragile long after the surface appears fully healed. Microscopic construction crews despise premature celebrations.