

GUNDAM GIRLS



THERE ARE LOTS OF GIRLS IN GUNDAM

Like, a lot of girls. Pilot girls, mechanic girls, smart girls, stupid girls, well written girls, poorly written girls. It would be wrong to suggest that Gundam is wholly sexist - although a lot of it certainly is. And there's a tendency for the women within it to be misrepresented, unappreciated, or sexualised. So this zine will be a celebration of them! No criticism of their writing, no complaints of how they were fridged. Just love. Platonic, sapphic, poetic. Love for the characters themselves and what they represent, not the people who made them. Sympathy and recognition of their flaws and strengths. Girls are cool!

All the images in this zine are from official sources such as screenshots, magazines or merchandise. It would be impossible to provide a source for every image since a lot of this stuff is from the 80s, which is why I'm only using images I can say with some certainty are official. All the text is by me (Rain) unless otherwise stated. A million thanks to 80animes on tumblr for their dedication to scanning old Gundam media and making it public.

Oh, yeah! And a little about me! I'm Rain, a nonbinary lesbian who loves Gundam way too much. I build gunpla, I love girls and I have a passion for making shitty online stuff like zines. I hope you enjoy!

FA YUIRY

Fa Yuiry is a pilot fighting with the AEUG against the Titans and Neo Zeon. Unlike Kamille, who has the most powerful mobile suit of the time, Fa pilots the Methuss - a badly outdated and subpar suit. Despite this she successfully protects the Argama and survives both Zeta and ZZ Gundam unscathed, and goes on to become a nurse. She's a skilled pilot, a knowledgeable medic, super super cute and isn't afraid to give you a piece of her mind.



FUN GIRL FACTS! Fa makes a cameo in Akira as a background character alongside Kamille. She's also super cute and cool and I love her!



FELDT GRACE

Feldt is a tactical operator and part of Celestial Being, an organisation dedicated to ending war. Her strengths are her technical prowess, her kind nature, and her quiet bravery. Throughout Gundam 00 Feldt goes from being quiet and stoic to growing and learning how to be brave. Her hair isn't naturally pink which is somehow even cuter, and one of her closest friends is a Haro.

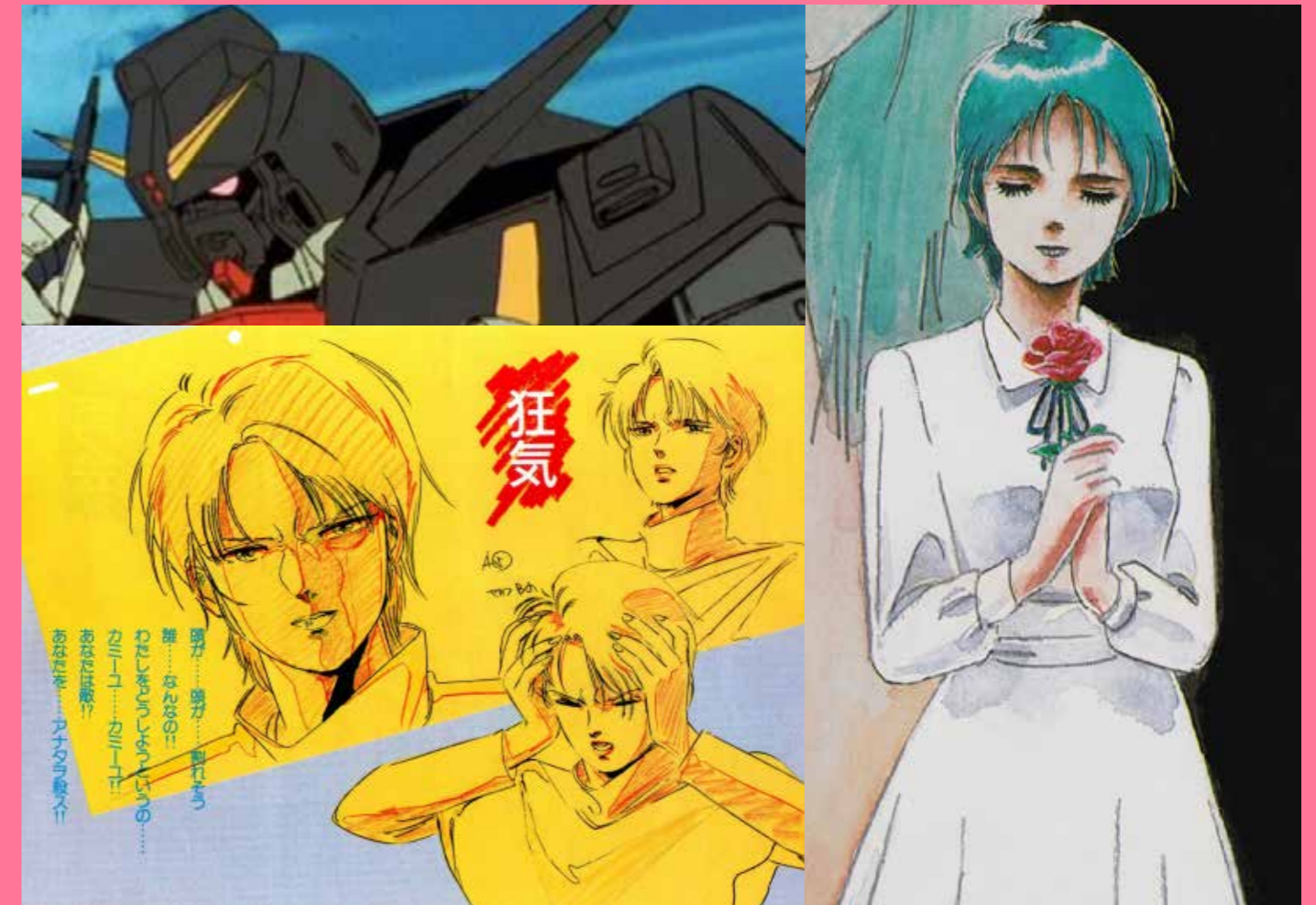
As a character, I was honestly expecting Feldt to die during the show. Gundam doesn't have a good track record with fridging women, so I was very pleasantly surprised to see what an incredible character Feldt became. She's also a babe!!!! A cute babe and I love her

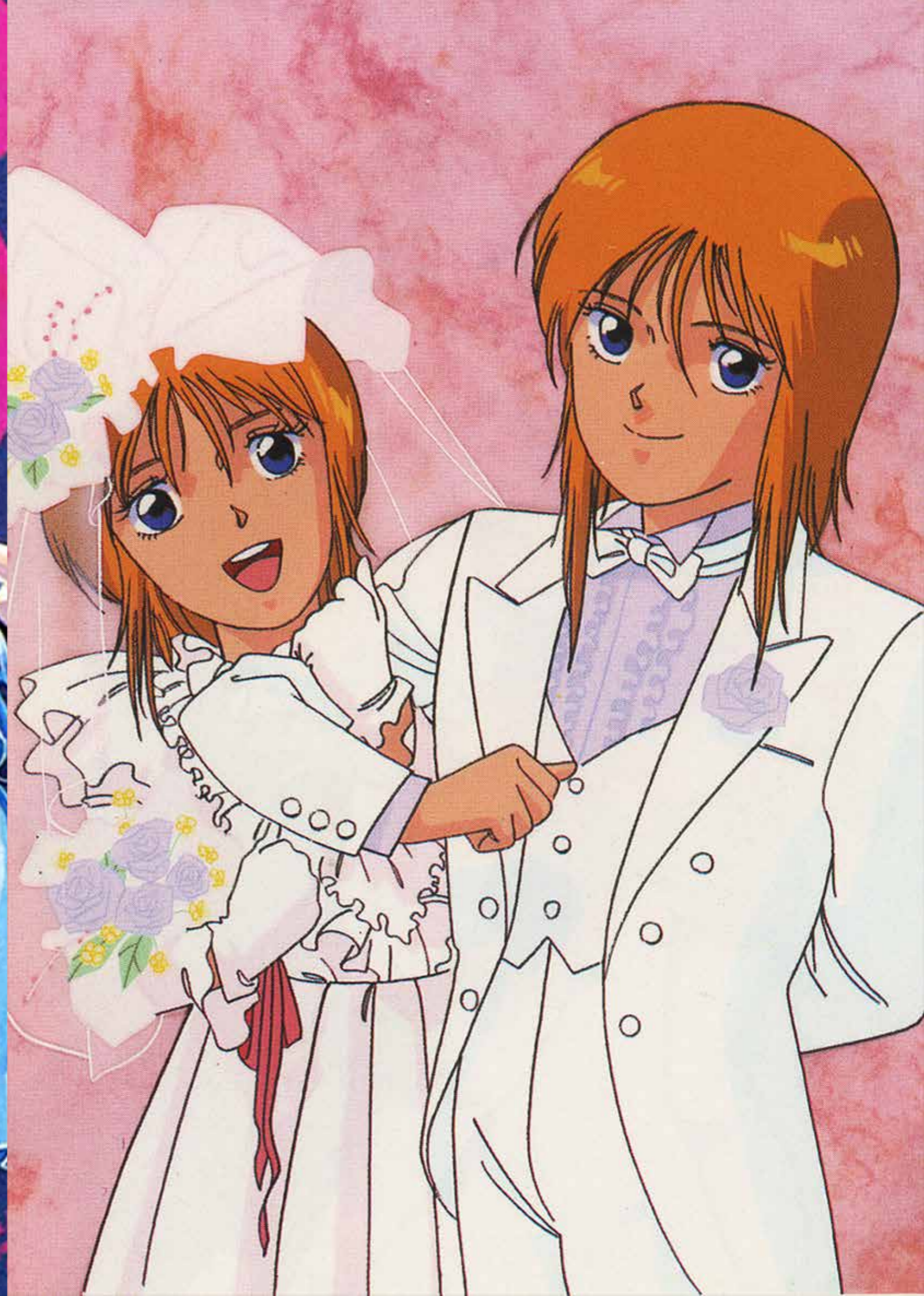


FOUR MURASUME

Four is a deeply tragic character. She was among the first people to be forcibly turned in Cyber Newtypes - a procedure that rendered her emotionally unstable, easily manipulated and vulnerable. Four was hurt and used by the Titans, made into a war machine and used to pilot the Psycho Gundam. She tried her hardest to fight against her brainwashing, and in the end sacrificed herself to save Kamille.

I think Four's Psycho Gundam is very cool and definitely a butch lesbian, but Four herself is so destroyed by being a cyber newtype that it feels irresponsible to apply moral judgement to her. Four was a tragic death, and killed many people. But GODDAMN is that outfit cute.







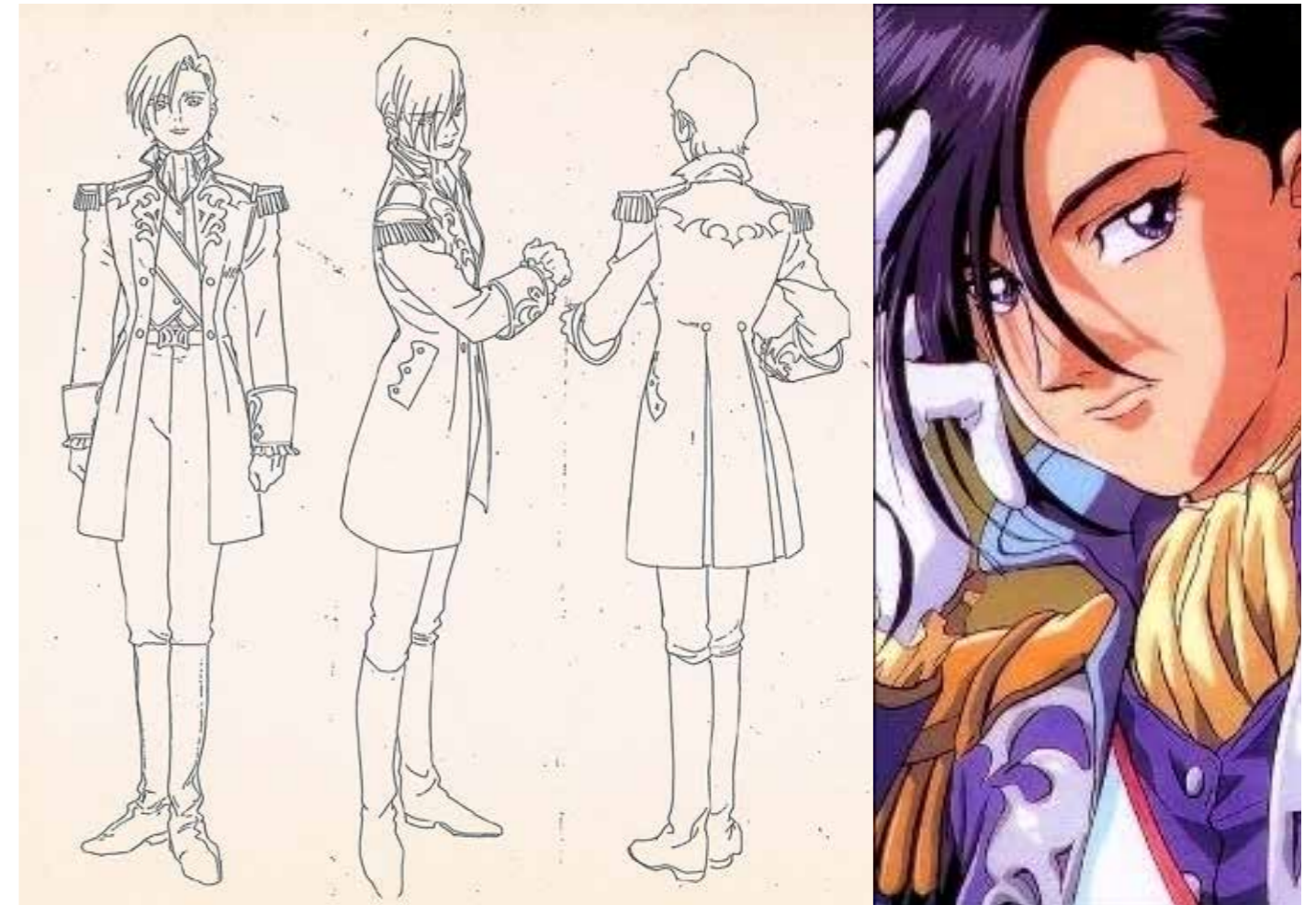
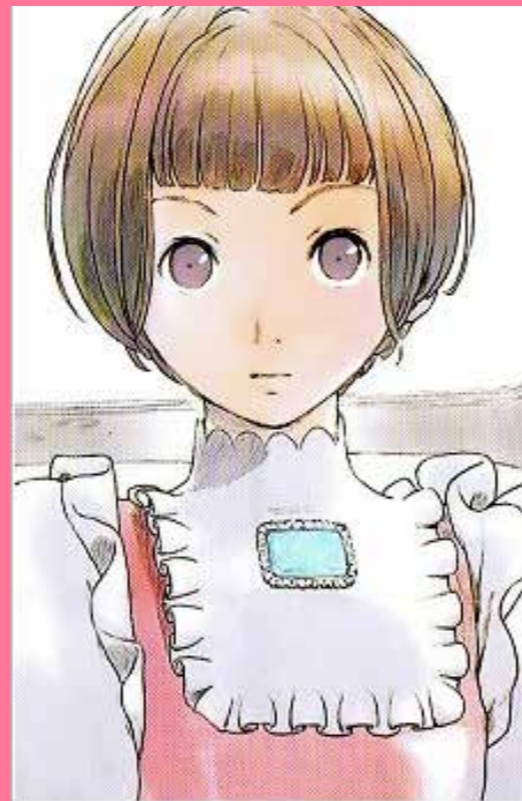
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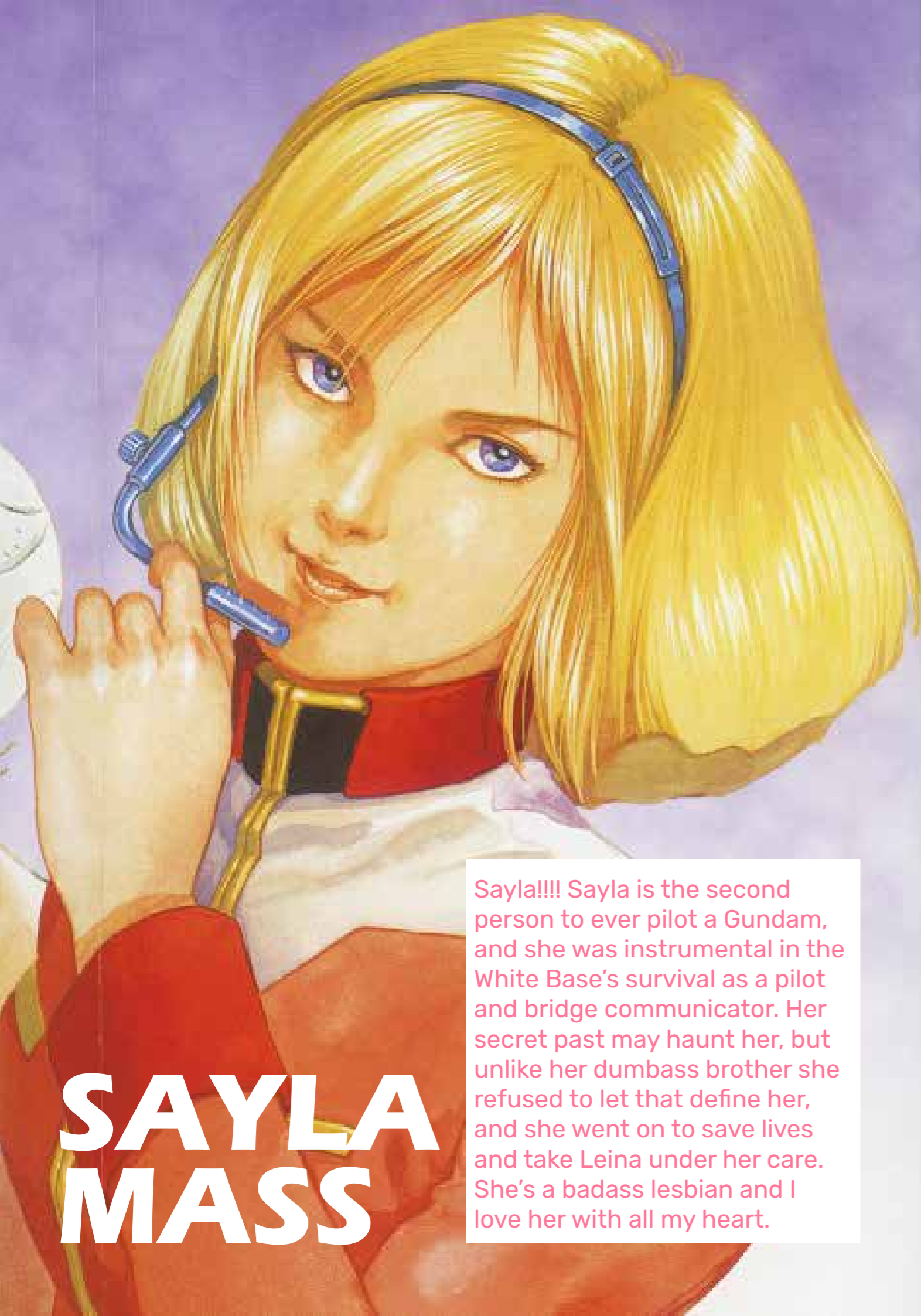
I love Noin!!!! Noin is a sapphic icon, and dresses exactly like she should be my girlfriend. She pilots a Taurus and before the events of Gundam Wing, taught other army pilots. She and Sally Po are dating and also help the main five, although Noin is conflicted because of her loyalty to Zechs. Did I mention how beautiful Noin is? I love her

Noin is very protective of Relena, and it often feels like she is taking the gundam pilots under her wing and trying to stop them from killing themselves. All around a fantastic person, I love her.

SOCHIE HEIM

I love Sochie!!!! Sochie is a fantastic little lesbian and I LOVE her relationship with Miashei - they care for each other so much and I wanna see them kiss and cuddle!! Sochie pilots a Kapool and she can be reckless and stubborn, but her heart is in the right place even when she's being a big ol bastard. She deserved a happier ending and I am convinced that after Turn A ends, she realises her feelings for Miashei and they end up married.

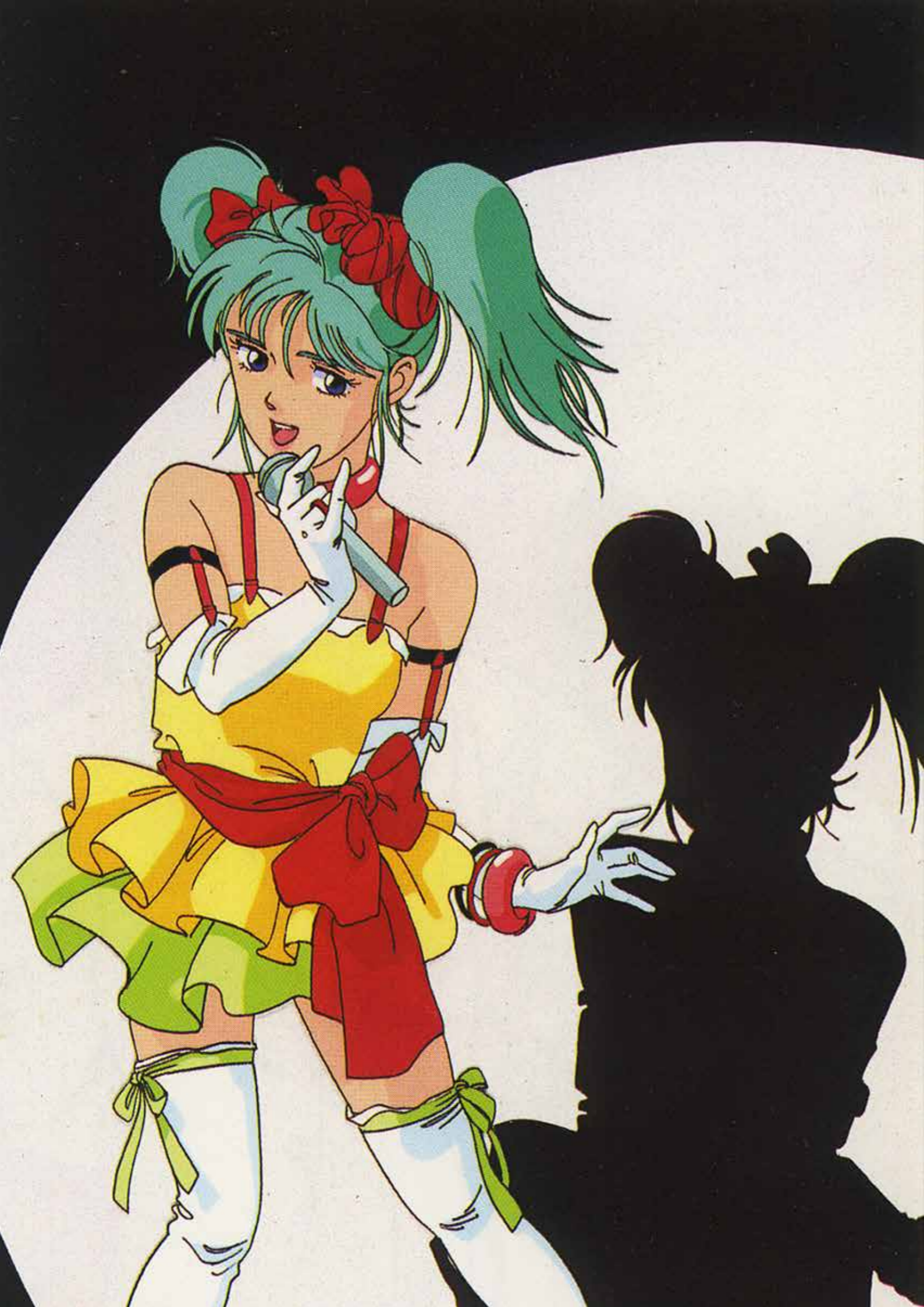




SAYLA MASS

Sayla!!!! Sayla is the second person to ever pilot a Gundam, and she was instrumental in the White Base's survival as a pilot and bridge communicator. Her secret past may haunt her, but unlike her dumbass brother she refused to let that define her, and she went on to save lives and take Leina under her care. She's a badass lesbian and I love her with all my heart.





THANK YOU!

Whoah!!! We made it to the end of the zine! Thank you so much for reading. I realise this zine isn't terribly long, and that there are lots of girls that weren't mentioned - perhaps that calls for a second edition? :3c

If you liked reading this zine, I'd love to hear from you! You can contact me at rainmirageart@gmail.com, or message me on twitter at [@RainMirage_Art](https://twitter.com/RainMirage_Art).

See ya!

