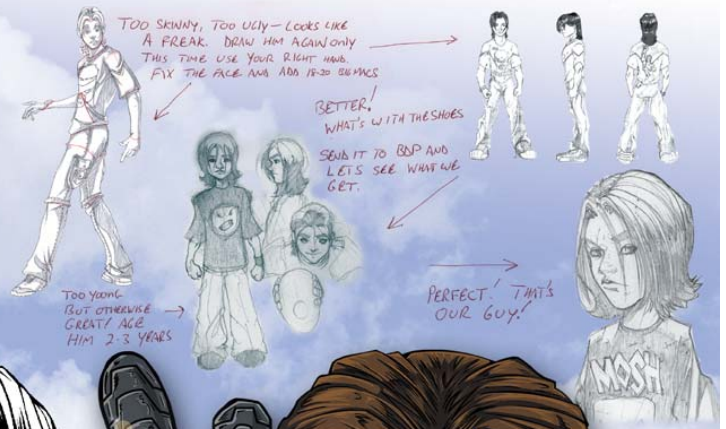


MYLES MASON



A SHEEPISH BOY THAT LIVES ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF A NORMAL 12 YEAR OLD LIFESTYLE. HE'S THE SHY, QUIET TYPE WHICH OFTEN GETS HIM MADE FUN OF BY THE LOUDER, MORE OBNOXIOUS SET. HIS DAD LEFT HOME FOR REASONS AND LANDS UNKNOWN AND HIS MOM STRUGGLES WITH TWO JOBS TO KEEP THE HOUSE. HE'S ALONE IN THE CROWD AT SCHOOL AND ALONE AFTER THREE AT HOME. ON HALLOWEEN HE'S THE ONLY KID AT SCHOOL WITHOUT A COSTUME. MYLES IS THE CATERPILLAR, SOON TO BECOME A BUTTERFLY. A VERY POWERFUL, SUPERSONIC, INDESTRUCTIBLE, LASER BEAM TOUTING BUTTERFLY. HE HAS AN OBVIOUS CRUSH ON HIS NEXT DOOR NEIGHBOR BRITTANY.



Myles/Zoom and Brittany 2

Brittany and Myles arrive on the scene to see this last exchange.

BRITTANY

You gotta go in there!

MYLES

Into the fire? Are you nuts?

BRITTANY

(checks the kids in the
window)

You gotta save them. They need
you right now!

MYLES

I'm scared.

BRITTANY

Me too, but you're their only
hope.

Myles dips his head in fear. Looks up to the window and sees the kids holding each other and crying. He touches Brittany's face. She closes her eyes and when she opens them he is gone.

News vans are pulling up and reporters are trying to interview the grieving mother. Camera men are everywhere! The firefighters are preparing a jump net.

BRITTANY

Be careful.