The last we saw our hero, he was given some milk regaining his strength, getting him out of his ascetic lifestyle.

Living by the Middle Way, Buddha went on alone and came across a Bodhi Tree.

Mara the Demon of desire tries to stop Buddha at all costs.

I will not leave this place until I obtain full enlightenment!!
Mara makes it storm

Mara's army fires arrows

...but the Buddha stays dry

Which the Buddha turns into flowers

They hurled boulders

Maras army fled

Which changed direction, and fell as flowers.

Mara sent his three daughters to tempt our hero.

But not even craving, boredom, or passion could bring Buddha out of his deep meditation.
And he, what proof has he given of his generosity? What sacrifices has he made? Who will bear witness to his kindness?

I WILL!

Yes, I, the Earth. I, the mother of all beings, will bear witness to his generosity. A hundred times, a thousand times. As he excels you in strength, Mara, even so does he surpass you in generosity.
The defeated Mara fled, & our undisturbed hero woke up full of all the knowledge from his past lives, enlightened.

The Earth shook 12 times and the Gods sang. "He has come! He has seen the light! You hold the lamp, now go shine it & dispel the darkness!"
The Enlightened One did just that.

Where will our hero go off to now?
To be continued.........
Works Consulted


A good photo of Buddha to use in my comic when he's obtaining enlightenment.


Web. 19 Apr. 2015.

[http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/7/75/Battle_with_Mara.jpg/800px-Battle_with_Mara.jpg](http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/7/75/Battle_with_Mara.jpg/800px-Battle_with_Mara.jpg)

Photo to use of Mara on elephant coming after Buddha.


Good photo showing Buddha being enlightened.


Another photo to use of Mara in battle.


Photo after Buddha obtained enlightenment, from where I got the basis of my comic.

I wanted to use a photo of Mother Earth as a person, this one did the job.


Nice simple image of Bodhi tree to use in this comic.


Just needed a photo of falling boulders, this was as close as I could get.


One of my few Buddha photos for this comic.


Source of where I mainly based my comic on.


Photo to use of Mara in comic.

http://farm5.static.flickr.com/4002/4172258947_ef8d478150.jpg

Perfect photo to show Mara's daughters trying to stop Buddha.


http://www.thaiwebsites.com/images/MuralPaintings/mara-demons.jpg

Photo to show Mara's army fighting Buddha.


Good photo of Mara to use in comic, hard to find actual source.


http://hindoe.eu/uploads/Image/p61%20nirvana/g3.jpg

Needed some different photos of Buddha, liked this one.


Needed a photo showing rain.


http://brendanwenzel.info/188/maras-army

Wanted more than one photo of Mara's army, good one to use of them fleeing.