The frightened boys look before the terrible spectacle: two giants, one much larger than the other, facing each other and their size cover the sky. They know one of the giants: it's the robot of their king, the famous Grendizer, their idol. At their home, they have dolls and drawings of him: they would never have thought of seeing him in person, so close, so alive and mobile, even more spectacular as they imagined. But the fear they feel blocks the joy of seeing their favorite hero: the giant enemy is enormous, not even the Vega monsters were so big. In addition, its roars are terrifying: they immobilize their entire bodies, making them unable to react with fear. They ventured into the woods two hours before, to explore it - even after many years after the invasion of Vega, the green areas of Fled are still only a few - and, for the sake of adventure, they were hiding when the army had mobilized evacuation. They do not stop to repent and curse themselves for their choice: the monster had made the earth shake and made disappear all the woods along the rivers in front of him. Everything died before the light sent from its eyes. When Grendizer was appeared, they thought were safe, and they had made a run. But Kandura had seen them. Humans. Its food.

The arms of Grendizer tremble under the strain: Duke Fleed cannot imagine how many tons of pressure that abomination is having on him. The foot of Kandura gets down slowly, slowly, more and more on him.

*We must react as soon as possible: Grendizer cannot continue.*

With a quick move, the robot-samurai spins the blades of the Double Harken, which penetrate into the palm of Kandura’s foot. Soon after, Grendizer launches the Space Thunder at full power into the wound of the monster. For the second time, Kandura is in pain: it backs off, putting its feet on the ground for a moment. But it is more than enough to Grendizer.

“Spacer, come quick!"

The UFO of Grendizer comes from the top, stopping near the ground: the robot-samurai picks up the kids with its hand and puts them in the cockpit of the Spacer.

"Spacer, go!"

And the UFO sails, distancing of hundreds of miles in few seconds. The automatic control will land the disc and open the window of the cab, allowing to the kids to get off and run away. Grendizer is preparing for battle, but the effort was terrible, and his movements are more fatigued. Duke Fleed understands that.

*I do not have time: Grendizer was tested to a too high stress. I have to finish this battle soon.*

Kandura stops for a moment: that insect is more resilient than it thought. It raises a hand toward him, and, from underground, sprout roots like snakes that wrap Grendizer between their turns. Duke Fleed did not expect this: the monster has not only destroyed the forest, but made what remains of this desolation as its servant. The dead roots are continuously increasing, showing a tenacity and strength far greater than that of common wood. It is no longer wood: it is something not dead, but still living.

*From what kind of hell has come that demoniac being?* – thinks Duke Fleed – *not even in the army of Vega I saw such a concentration of pure evil.*

Moving as quickly as possible, Grendizer cuts the tentacles that surround him, using the blades of the Double Harken, but every cut will cause the release of new turns. The chest of Grendizer heats: the Antigravity Ray causes the removal of the monstrous roots, at least in front of him. Duke Fleed moves the lever to the maximum and the beam loses its anti-gravity range of rainbow colors, becoming all red: a pectoral ray of destructive power instantly pulverizes all the roots that come under its action.

But Duke Fleed cannot enjoy the success: while Grendizer was undertaken to unravel the roots sprawling, Kandura approached him and gets up from the top a terrible blow that strikes like a hammer on Grendizer. There is no choice: Grendizer raises his right hand to stop that wave, and the impact has the same sound of thunder.

Kandura has its eyes wide with surprise: Grendizer is still standing and has stopped his hand. By what material was made that insect, not to shatter a similar impact?

It stops hesitant: for the first time in its life, Kandura is perplexed and does not know how to react. Meanwhile, the Spacer returns to Grendizer, in the order of mind command of its master. The boys were saved and are running to home. At a command of Duke Fleed, Grendizer jumps on the disc space, standing. Grendizer and the Spacer rise from the ground, while the feet of Grendizer are magnetized on the surface of the UFO: from now, it is virtually impossible to separate them. Duke Fleed has made a decision.

*I have to hit very, very hard. Grendizer is at the end of his reserves of energy. Now that monster must be killed at all costs, and I think I found a way.*

Grendizer and the Spacer turn away from Kandura with great speed: reach quickly the clouds and overcome them. Already reach the stratosphere, and it too is exceeded. After a while, at great speed, they are all coated with flame from the impact of the air, and they reach the space.

"It 's time, Grendizer. One last effort"

Obeying to the orders of Duke Fleed, the robot-samurai kneels over the Spacer, magnetized on its surface. He puts his arms in front of him, opening up both the Screw Crusher Punch, making them spin at maximum speed.

"Spacer, dive at full speed!" cries Duke Fleed.

The Spacer goes down versus Fleed, increasing its speed until it becomes a comet of fire that coming down to earth. The Screw Crusher Punch of Grendizer increase their power as the speed increases, helped by the gravitational pull. They have never become so sharp and deadly before now: they can hardly be seen with the naked eye.

Kandura observes something that comes close to him with lightning speed: the impact is almost instantaneous and devastating. Even before realizing it, a huge hole has opened in its chest: Grendizer and the Spacer, using the force of the impact with the Screw Crusher Punch pierced the monster from side to side. The giant turns to its enemy and goes to him, not realizing that it is already virtually dead. Duke Fleed does not want to give another chance to that abomination: it must not absolutely regenerate itself.

"Double Harken!"

Grendizer puts the Double Harken upright before him: the Spacer is placed in the great hole in the chest of Kandura and ascends rapidly. The blades of the Double Harken penetrate into the meat of the giant, splitting in two its monstrous face. While the Spacer is raised above the monster, it explodes in a huge roar.

Grendizer won, but it was a painful victory. Duke Fleed orders to the Spacer to come back on the ground and Grendizer goes away from the Spacer, reaching the ground. But, after a few steps, he fell to his knees on the ground. He tries to get up using the Double Harken as support, but he can use only the arm that holds the Double Harken. The other arm remains inert, while smoke comes out from the joints of the robot. The controls do not respond anymore, and Duke Fleed understands: Grendizer has exhausted all the energy. He open the glass of the cockpit and jumps to the ground, managing to touch the surface without suffering too much gravity. Duke Fleed, exhausted, takes off his helmet and looks Grendizer with compassion, while his lips open with a smile.

"You were great, Grendizer. But the enemies are very strong: I must think of something to do in the future ... "

Duke Fleed then turns towards the capital, and her smile becomes a grimace of fear and feel a pain at heart. From there rises a large cloud of black smoke due to a huge fire, visible for miles.

*Hikaru!*