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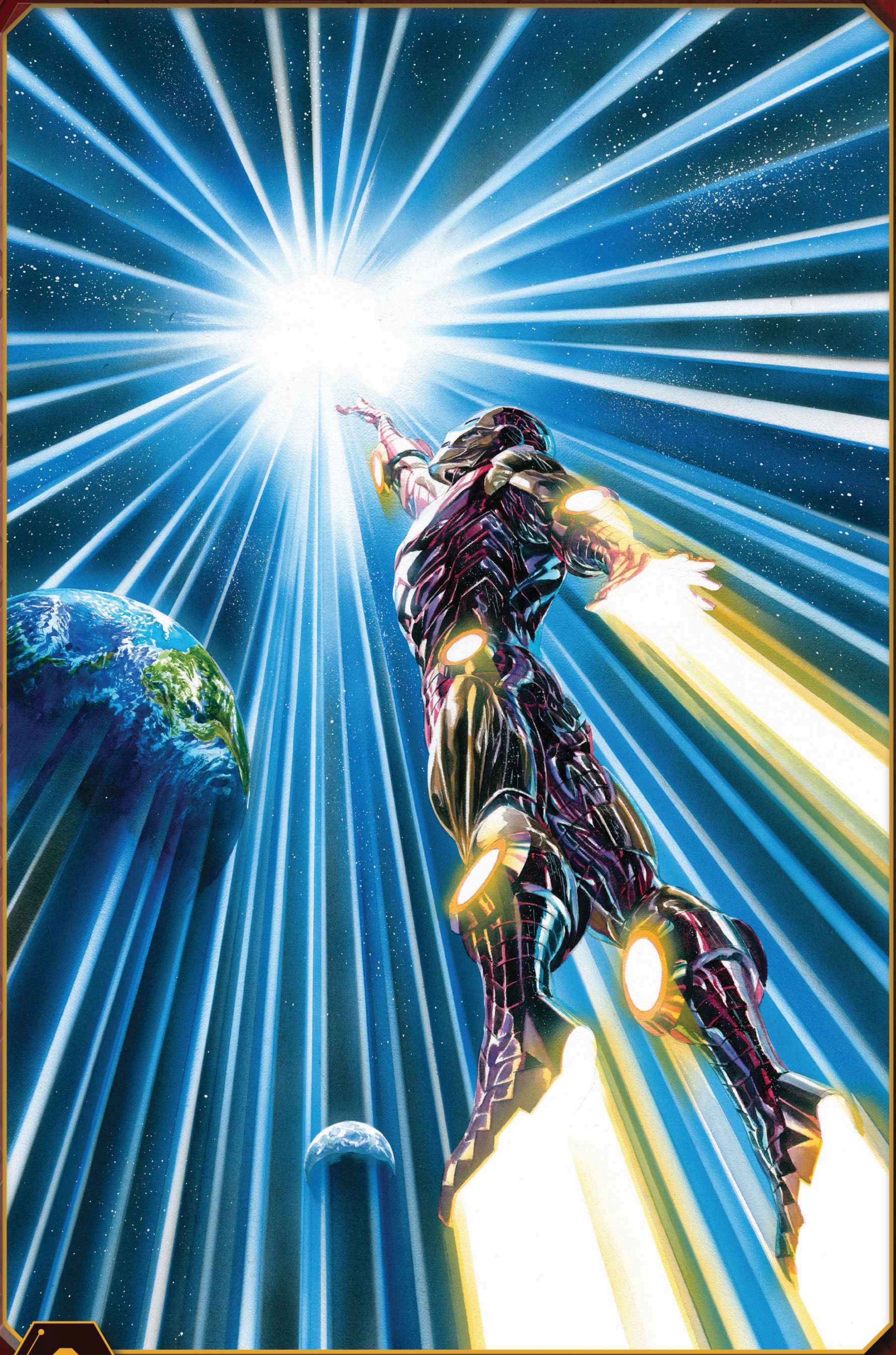
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THIS ISN'T ME.

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THIS HURTS.

THIS HURTS.

SOMETHING'S BROKEN.

SOMETHING'S BROKEN.

I HAVE TO FIX IT. I WILL.

I DON'T KNOW IF I CAN FIX IT. NOT THIS TIME.

I'M *DONE* BEING POLITE.

ALL IT'S GOTTEN ME IS A *BROKEN NECK.*

WAIT...

MY MIND IS *BROKEN* AGAIN.

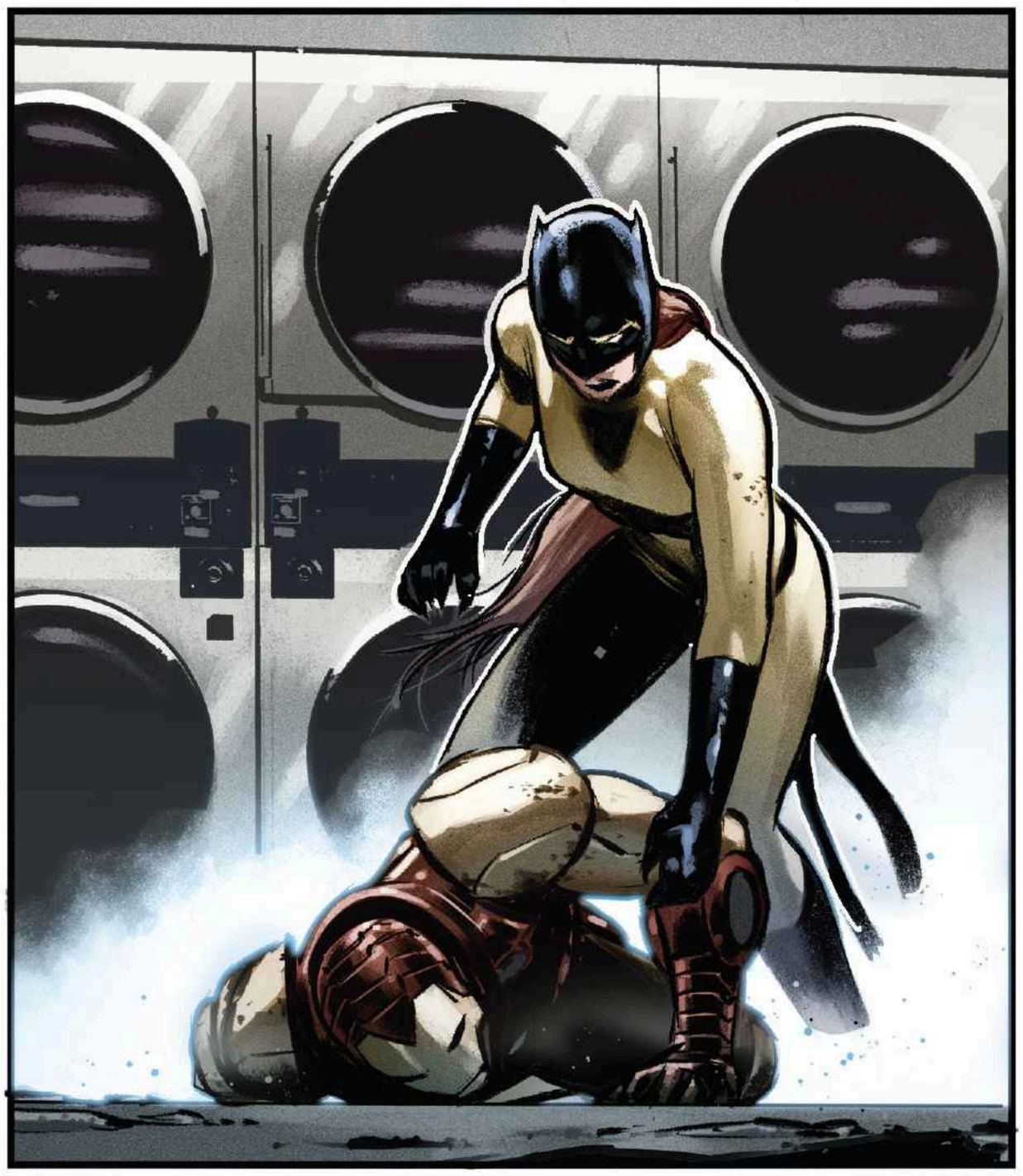
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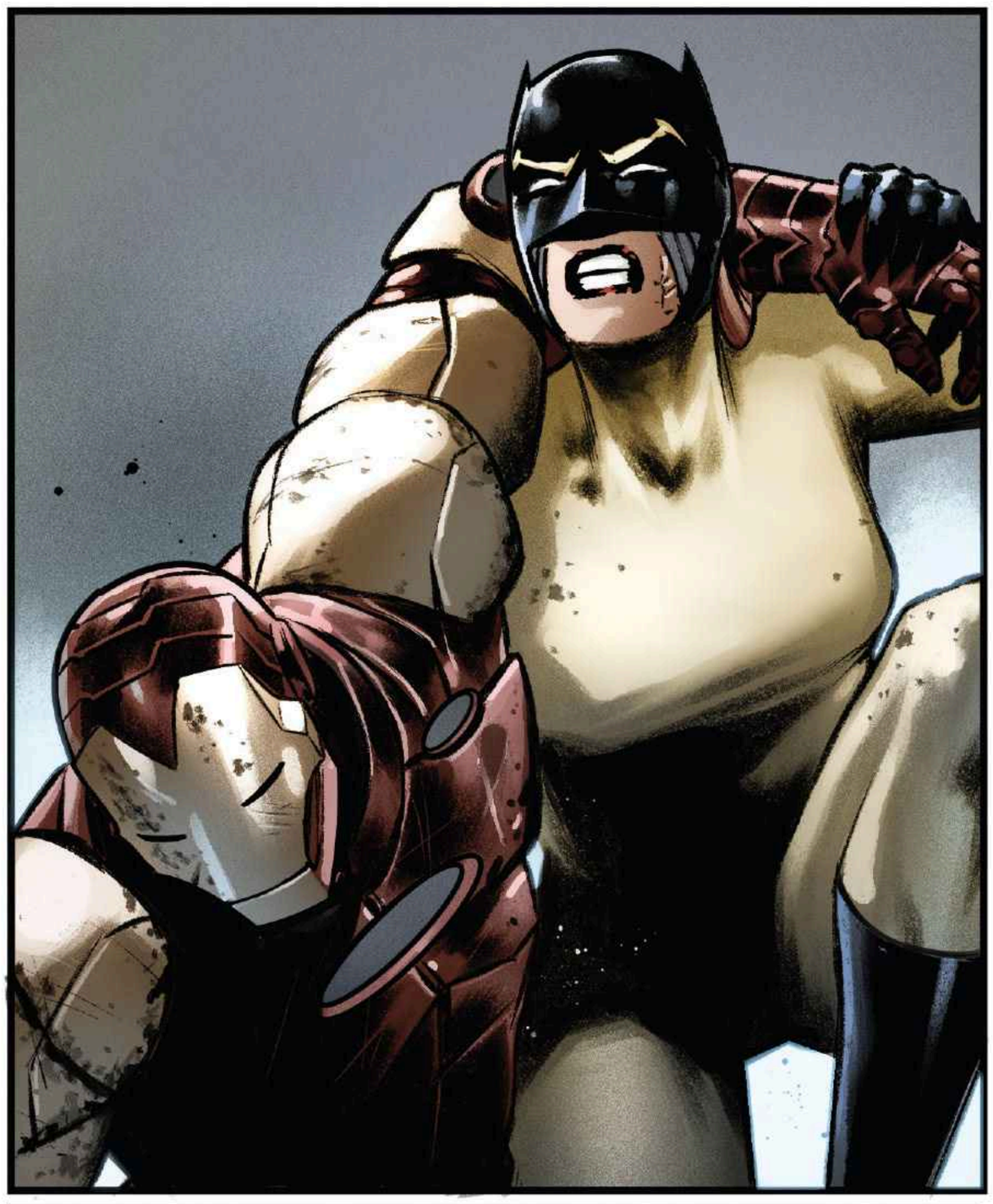
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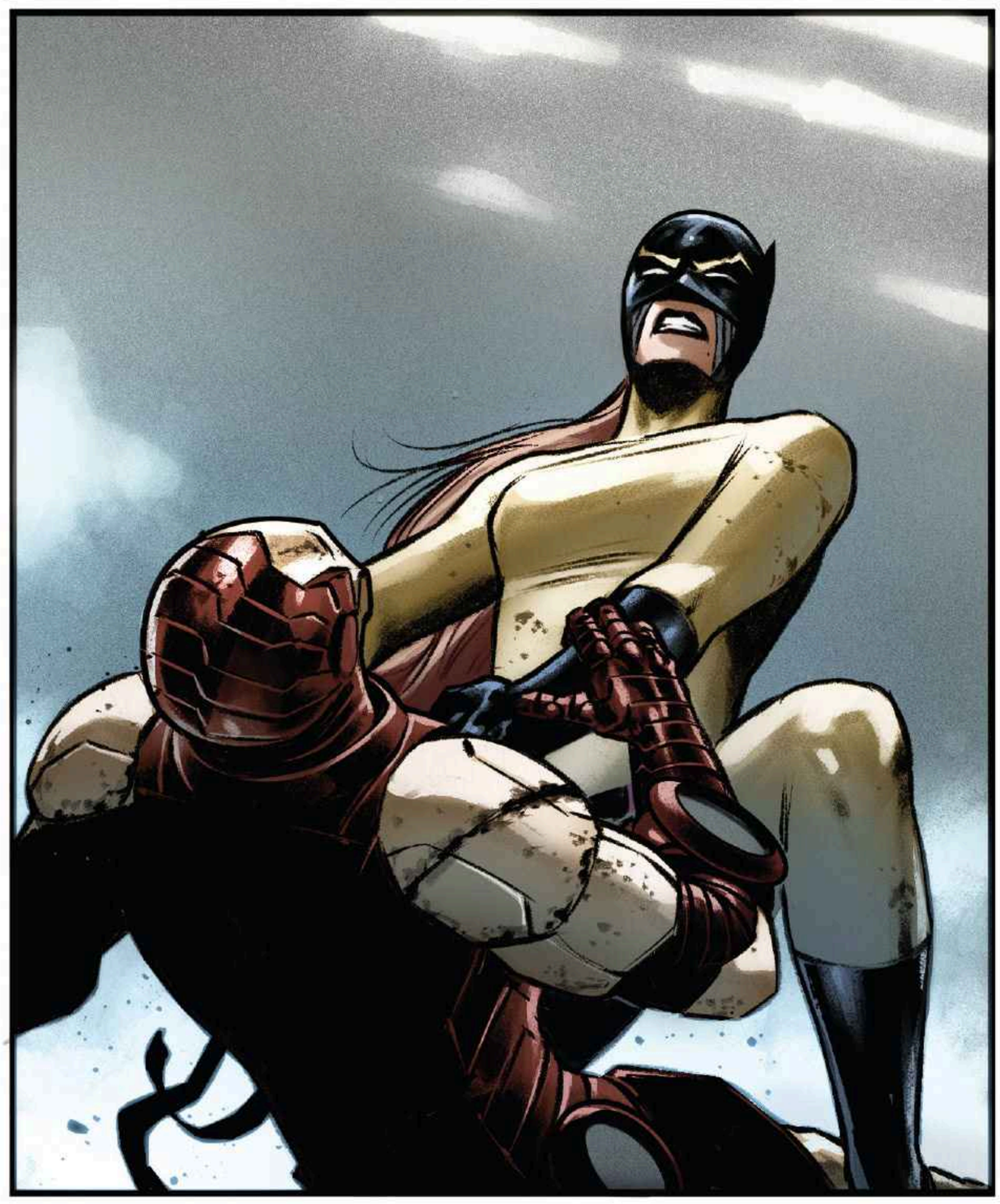
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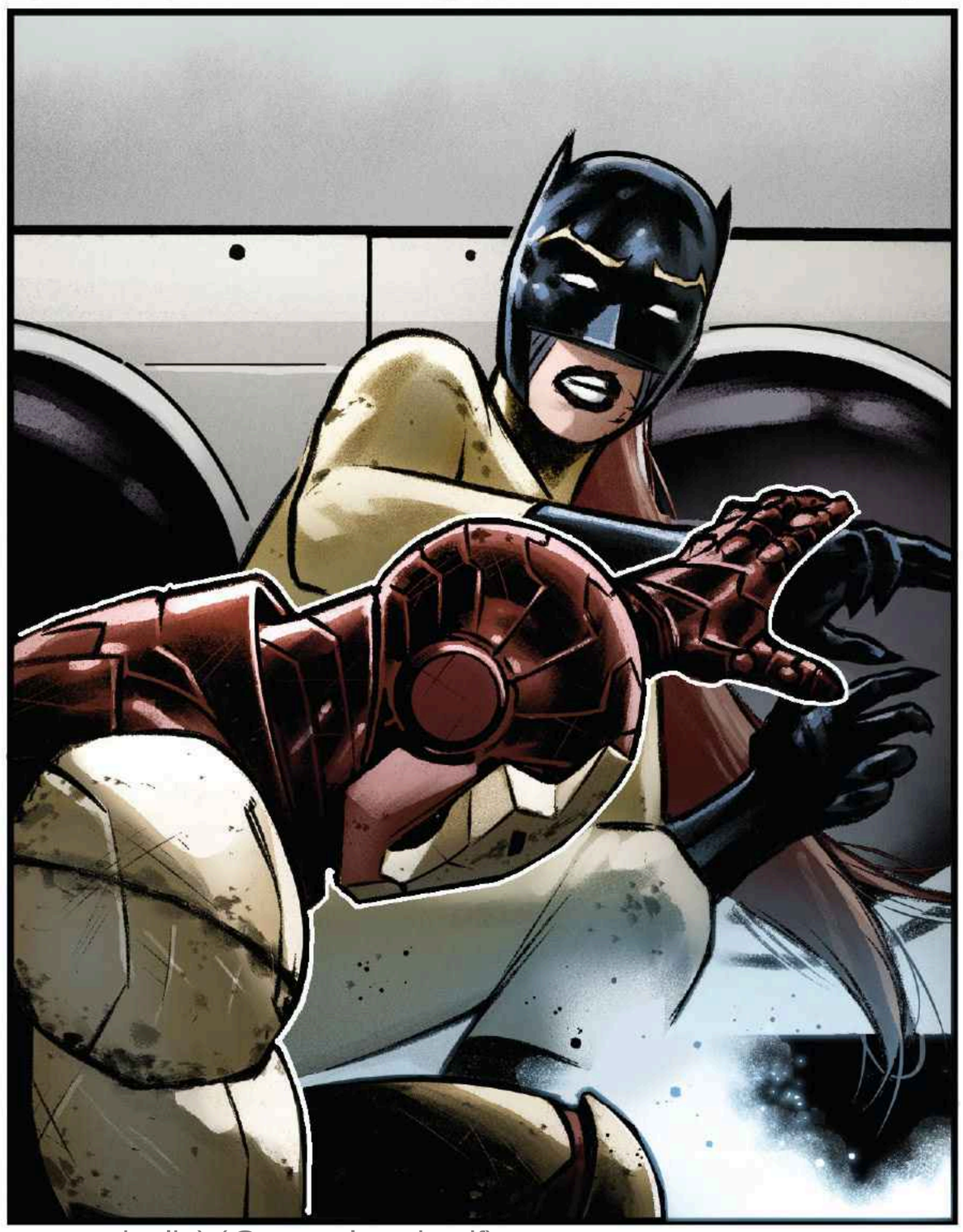
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HRRRRRRRRRRR!

NYC TAXI

GA-DNKK

AAAAAA!

DRIVE! NOW!

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NO HOSPITAL...

YOU HAVE TO--

...NECK'S BROKEN, ARMOR HOLDING IT TOGETHER... NEED--A... A TECHNICIAN... LIKE...

"...HALCYON."

...THE HELL HAPPENED?

SOMETHING WENT BOOM... SOMETHING REALLY BIG.

AREN'T YOU SUPPOSED TO HAVE THAT SPIDER-SENSE JUNK, SCARLET?

WELL, MISTY, FORGIVE ME IF I ASSUMED IT WAS GOING OFF BECAUSE WE WERE ABOUT TO RUN INTO SOME HENCHMEN OR, DARE I SAY, A NASTY OL' KORVAC.

THE FORTUNATE NEWS IS...YOU'RE NOT DEAD.

GARGOYLE, HOLY #$%&.

THE HECK HAPPENED? WHAT DID HE DO?

DAMN, HE'S LOST A WHOLE WING. HE'S HURT BAD.

WHUMP

HE SHIELDED US WITH BIO-MYSTICAL ENERGY. HE DRAWS IT FROM HIS OWN LIFE FORCE.

THEN BY THAT SIMPLE MATH--EXPLOSION PLUS DRAINED LIFE ENERGY--WE'VE GOTTA GET HIM HELP BEFORE HE DIES.

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VROOM

BLIZZARD, T-MINUS WHAT?

4 MINUTES AND 23 SECONDS UNTIL LAUNCH.

WEAPONS INVENTORY CHECK *COMPLETE.*

WE'LL NEED IT ALL ONCE WE REACH *TAA II.*

THE DEFENSES GALACTUS HAS BUILT ON HIS WORLDSHIP ARE NOTHING SHORT OF *DEVASTATING.*

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I'M GOING TO SAY GOODBYE TO *COLONEL RHODES.* THEN WE CLOSE UP SHOP ON *EARTH.*

OUR *FINAL CRUSADE...*

LORD KORVAC.

GUARDSMAN. I'M GLAD YOU'RE *FINALLY* WITH US, BROTHER.

I'M *HONORED* TO BE WITH YOU.

GOOD. STRAP IN. *DESTINY* AWAITS.

C'MON, OL' NEW YORK PLUMBING... C'MON, OL' RHODEY... FIGHT IT... GIMME *SOMETHIN'* HERE...

CRAK!

COLONEL, I WON'T ALLOW THAT!

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ZZZZBBEEOOWWWFFFM

THIS WON'T *DO*. HE'LL ALERT OTHERS. I'LL HAVE MY HANDS FULL ON *TAA II*--I *CAN'T* RISK AN ATTACK BY SOME CONTINGENT OF *EARTHLY IGNORANCE*.

LET *ME* GO. *I'LL* TAKE CARE OF HIM.

GUARDSMAN, I NEED YOU WITH *US*--YOU'VE SERVED ME WELL--

THIS IS HOW I SERVE.

YOUR FAITH IS *UNWAVERING*.

REMEMBER ME AT *ASCENSION*.

MOST ASSUREDLY. YOU'LL FEEL IT IN YOUR *VERY SOUL*.

DO NOT FAIL IN THIS, BROTHER!

THE *DRINK*... OR THE *DREAM?*

IN THIS MOMENT, I *REMEMBER* THAT QUESTION.

SOMETHING I ASKED MYSELF A *LONG TIME AGO.*

SOMETHING I *STILL* HAVE TO ASK MYSELF TIME AND AGAIN.

MISTY KNIGHT IS ABOUT TO HIT ME WITH A *NASTY* COCKTAIL OF STEROIDS AND HYDROMORPHONE.

I AM AN *ADDICT.* I *KNOW* WHAT THESE DRUGS COULD DO TO ME.

BUT I'LL DIE *RIGHT NOW* WITHOUT THEM. MY BLOOD-BRAIN BARRIER HAS BEEN DAMAGED. YEAH. THAT'S AS *BAD* AS IT SOUNDS.

THE *DRINK*... OR THE *DREAM?*

THE *DRINK*... *FOR* THE *DREAM*...?

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NOW HALCYON IS FUSING MY ARMOR'S ***CERVICAL COLUMN RINGS*** TOGETHER. THIS WILL STABILIZE THE SPINAL INJURY AND PREVENT ME FROM ***SUFFOCATING.*** KID'S NOT BAD AT THIS.

NOW HE'S TORQUING THE INTERIOR CHASSIS STRUCTURE OF MY NECK TO ***113 FOOT-POUNDS.***

CRRRRRIICKT

CRRRRICCKT

THIS WILL FURTHER STABILIZE THE FRACTURE. MY HEAD'S RANGE OF MOTION WILL BE LIMITED TO ***50 DEGREES*** OF ROTATION.

WITHOUT THE MEDS, THE PAIN FROM THE CUMULATIVE TRAUMA WOULD ***IMMEDIATELY*** SEND ME INTO SHOCK.

I CAN'T TAKE MY ARMOR OFF UNTIL I'M READY TO BE PREPPED FOR ***EMERGENCY SURGERY.*** THAT'S NOT HAPPENING ANYTIME SOON.

EVEN REMOVING MY HELMET RIGHT NOW WOULD PROVE ***FATAL.***

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I AM *ALIVE.*

I AM *ANGRY.*

I AM NO LONGER *APOLOGIZING* FOR *ANYTHING.*

NOT MY *MACHINES.* NOT MY *DECISIONS.* NOT MY *DEEDS.*

I AM GOING TO *WIN* THIS FIGHT. I AM THE ONE WHO *WINS.*

KORVAC *THINKS* HE IS GOD.

BUT I AM *IRON MAN.*

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FROG-MAN, HOW'S GARGOYLE?

WHAT'S HIS E.T.A.?

HE'S STILL **REGENERATING.** HE LOST A LOT OF...**BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.**

HIS **E.T.A.?**

ON **RECOVERY.** I NEED HIM UP AND AMBULATORY.

WHAT DO YOU WANT ME TO SAY? HE'S A #$%& **GARGOYLE.** YOU WANT ME TO **GOOGLE** IT?

WE'RE LEAVING THE PLANET INSIDE OF **TWO HOURS.** IF HE'S OUT FOR THE COUNT, THEN HE'S A **WASTE** OF MY TIME, AND WE **LEAVE HIM.**

OOOOKAY, MR. SHELL-HEAD...

I CAN ACTUALLY THINK OF A WAY MORE APPROPRIATE MODIFIER FOR "**HEAD**" RIGHT NOW.

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I DON'T WANT TO GO BACK.

PLEASE DON'T MAKE ME GO BACK.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO.

I FORGIVE YOU, PATSY. I ALWAYS WILL. JUST FOLLOW ME.

TO WHERE, KORVAC? YOU SAY YOU'RE A SAVIOR.

WHAT DOES YOUR PARADISE EVEN LOOK LIKE?

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IT LOOKS LIKE THIS.

PEACE. HARMONY. EVERYWHERE.

THE BREEZE IS... SWEET...AND WARM...

WHAT DID YOU THINK MY UNIVERSE WOULD LOOK LIKE?

PATSY. HOW DO YOU FEEL?

I FEEL LIKE I JUST HAD TWO INJECTIONS OF *OLANZAPINE.* HOW ABOUT YOU?

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I'M SWIMMING IN PAIN MEDS. FEELS GREAT, BUT THAT MIGHT BE A PROBLEM LATER.

WELL, RIGHT NOW...I GENERALLY KNOW WHERE I AM. BUT...KORVAC'S STILL IN HERE. AND HE'S REALLY...TOSSING THE PLACE.

TONY... WHAT IF HE'S RIGHT?

HE'S NOT.

IT COULD BE BEAUTIFUL.

IT WOULDN'T BE.

KORVAC CAN'T CREATE A PERFECT UNIVERSE.

HELL, I BET YOU I COULD CREATE A BETTER UNIVERSE THAN KORVAC.

NOW YOU'RE SCARING ME.

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THIS IS LOOKING MORE AND MORE LIKE A ***SUICIDE*** MISSION. IRON MAN COULD GET US ALL ***KILLED.***

BUT IF HE AND HELLCAT GO ALONE, THEY'LL GET ***THEMSELVES*** KILLED, WITH THE SHAPE THEY'RE IN.

AND KORVAC DOES WHAT HE WANTS, THEN SAY ***GOODBYE*** TO LIFE AS YOU KNOW IT. IF WE ALL GO, THERE'S A BETTER CHANCE OF ***STOPPING*** HIM.

WHAT ABOUT CAPTAIN AMERICA OR SOMEBODY? AREN'T THERE LIKE ***467 DIFFERENT AVENGERS*** AND LIKE ***EIGHT*** SEPARATE TEAMS?

BY THE TIME THEY GET THEIR ACT TOGETHER, WE'LL BE ***LIGHT-YEARS*** AWAY.

HALCYON SAYS... "DON'T YOU GUYS SOMETIMES WORK WITH PEOPLE FROM ***OUTER SPACE?"***

THAT'S...A DAMN GOOD POINT. SOMEONE ***OFF-WORLD*** COULD INTERCEPT US.

I CAN TRY TO GET A COVERT SIGNAL OUT ONCE WE LEAVE EARTH.

NOBODY HERE IS LEAVING EARTH.

THERE'S A NEW SENIOR OFFICER ASSIGNED. ME.

I'M GETTING THE WHOLE CAVALRY TO RIDE AGAINST THIS DUDE. YOU ALL NEED TO CALL IT A DAY.

RHODEY. DAMN GLAD TO SEE YOU. BUT THIS IS MY FIGHT. MINE.

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THE *HELL* IT IS. LOOK AT YOU. YOU'RE THE *LAST* PERSON WHO SHOULD BE TAKING ON KORVAC RIGHT NOW.

DID HE TELL YOU HIS *NECK* IS BROKEN? 'CAUSE *THAT'S* COOL.

I ALREADY CALLED IN BACKUP, TONY. YOU NEED TO *TAG OUT--*

ENERGY WEAPONS ARE *USELESS* AGAINST KORVAC, SO I'M GONNA TRY GOOD OLD-FASHIONED *BRUTE FORCE--*

TONY, GO HOME!

DO NOT GET IN MY WAY, JAMES--

KRAAAKKK!!

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THIS IS YOUR LAST NIGHT ON EARTH, RHODES!

HEY, YOU'RE... ALL STILL ALIVE. ALL OF YOU.

HUH. HOW 'BOUT THAT.

TONY...HEY, MAYBE GIVE THE GUY A **BREAK**, MAN...

YOU WANNA TUSSLE, BIG GUY? LET'S TUSSLE--

KAPOW

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KAERSCH KAERSCH KAERSCH KAERSCH

WHAT? I GAVE HIM A BREAK.

RHODEY. YOU'RE GOING TO BE MY PILOT ON THIS.

I TOLD YOU OTHERS ARE GONNA HANDLE IT!

YOU KNOW YOU'RE NOT GONNA STOP ME. SO YOU'RE EITHER WITH ME... OR NOT.

...FINE. MAYBE I CAN AT LEAST KEEP YOU FROM GETTING YOURSELF KILLED.

GOOD. NOW BRING ME THE MOST BLEEDING-EDGE, SOPHISTICATED AND TECHNOLOGICALLY ADVANCED SPACECRAFT I OWN.

WE'RE GOING TO MAKE UP FOR LOST TIME.

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YOU THINK HALCYON CAN HANDLE THE CONTROLS ON HIS OWN FOR A SECOND?

"YOU KIDDING ME? HE'S FLYING HIS FIRST ***FASTER-THAN-LIGHT DRIVE ENGINE.*** KID'S HAVING THE TIME OF HIS ***LIFE.***"

YOU GOT ME JACKING UP THIS **BRAND-NEW ARMOR** TO LEVELS WE HAVEN'T EVEN TESTED.

WE'RE JUST DOUBLING THE FORCE OF THE RAW PUNCH.

FROM 20,000 NEWTONS TO **40,000** NEWTONS. THAT'S... ***INSANE.***

*MY FIST ALREADY STRIKES AT **385 MILES PER HOUR**, SO WE'LL JUST CAP IT AT AN **EVEN 500.***

WITH THESE NUMBERS, IF YOU HIT A SURFACE THAT DOESN'T GIVE, THE PUNCH WILL ***EXPLODE YOUR HEART.***

*KORVAC'LL GIVE. HE'LL **CRACK.***

HE'S MADE OF ***GRAPHENE***, MAN. THAT STUFF STOPS A **.50 CALIBER BULLET.**

*I KNOW WHAT THE ENCLAVE USED. IT'S **BILAYER.** STRONG, BUT **IMPERFECT.***

*HE'S NOT LIKE US. HE'S NOT **STEEL.** IF WE DENT, CRACK? ODDS ARE, WE'RE STILL GOOD TO GO.*

*HE CRACKS, EVEN A **TINY** BIT...AND I CAN **RIP HIM APART** LIKE CHEAP CARDBOARD.*

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YOU'RE GONNA GET YOURSELF ***KILLED.*** KORVAC IS PURE ***ENERGY.***

RIGHT. ENERGY WEAPONS WON'T WORK. BUT I CAN HIT HIM HARD.

*PLUS I HAVE **BACKUP.***

YOU MEAN THE ***HARLEM GLOBETROTTERS*** OUT THERE?

*I MEAN **YOU.** IT'S **YOUR** TURN FOR A TUNE-UP. SIT DOWN.*

TONY, I TRUST YOU LIKE A ***BROTHER.*** BUT THAT'S ABOUT ***ALL*** YOU'RE RIDING ON RIGHT NOW.

I'LL TAKE IT, BUD.

"SENDING OUR S.O.S. SIGNAL OUT FAR AND WIDE. HOPEFULLY SOMEONE OUT THERE HEARS US."

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THANKS, MISTY. CROSSING FINGERS OVER HERE.

WE NEED A TEAM NAME. LIKE...*STAR WARRIORS?*

WAY TOO CLOSE TO *STAR WARS.* BESIDES, WE'RE NOT A TEAM, FROG-MAN. WE'RE MORE LIKE...*EMPLOYEES* OF TONY STARK.

OKAY, FINE, SCARLET. WHAT ABOUT...*GOD FIGHTERS?*

CAN SOMEONE EVEN TELL ME WHAT "*GOD*" MEANS IN THIS UNIVERSE? WE TALKING JEHOVAH, YAHWEH, ALLAH, BUDDHA, THANOS--

BUDDHA WAS A MAN.

THANOS WAS A TITAN.

SERIOUSLY-- IS GOD AN ANDROID? A CELESTIAL? A *GLOVE* WITH *GEMS?*

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ARE YOU TAKING ABOUT A GOD OR *THE* GOD?

IS THERE A *DIFFERENCE* AT THIS POINT?

IT'S ALL CELLS, MOLECULES AND ATOMS. "YOU" ARE THE ***SUM TOTAL*** OF MUSCULAR REFLEXES HOLDING YOUR BODY TOGETHER THAT ENDS UP THINKING IT'S ***SOMETHING***...WHICH IS TO SAY ***SOMEONE.***

SO...THE IDEA OF ***ME***...IT'S LIKE... A ***SIDE EFFECT*** OF BEING ALIVE?

EXACTLY. ***HARD SCIENCE.*** THAT'S IT.

HEAR THAT? THE ***TEST TUBE CLONE*** SAYS IT'S JUST SCIENCE.

...

LOOK, MAN.

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GOD IS ***BALANCE.*** BALANCE... IS SOMETHING SACRED. ***DELICATE.*** BUT ***POWERFUL.*** THE SCALES ARE ALWAYS ***TIPPING,*** AND THEY HAVE TO BE REBALANCED. ***CONSTANTLY.***

THAT IS WHAT WE DO. WE WORK...WE ***FIGHT...*** TO ***REBALANCE.*** IT IS OUR ***VOCATION.***

WE TAKE OUR CELLS, MOLECULES, ATOMS... AND WE ***DEDICATE*** OURSELVES TO BALANCE.

THAT IS HOW WE WORSHIP THIS UNIVERSE AND TREAT IT WITH ***REVERENCE.***

WOW. GARGOYLE WITH THE MIC DROP.

"KORVAC SHOWED ME WHAT HE WANTS TO DO TO ALL OF EXISTENCE."

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HE SHOWED IT TO YOU?

WELL, NOT SO MUCH SHOWED. MORE LIKE... PREVIEWED.

HE'S REALLY IN YOUR HEAD, ISN'T HE?

YES. AND THAT MEANS HE KNOWS WE'RE COMING. HE KNOWS WHERE WE ARE.

I WASN'T PLANNING ON AMBUSHING HIM.

THAT MEANS HE'LL BE READY.

SO WILL I.

IT'D BE NICE TO KISS YOU RIGHT NOW.

IT WOULD BE. BUT I CAN'T TAKE THIS STUPID BUCKET OFF MY HEAD. SMALL MATTER OF A BROKEN NECK...

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THAT WAS KIND OF LIKE...MAKING OUT WITH A *SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX.*

YOU DO THAT OFTEN?

YOU HAVE *NO* IDEA WHAT YOU HAVE TO DO IF YOU LOSE THE KEY.

YOU KNOW...I'M A LIABILITY. JUST ME *BEING* HERE GIVES KORVAC AN ADVANTAGE.

ACTUALLY... WHAT IF IT WAS THE OTHER WAY AROUND? WHAT IF YOU...TRIED TO REACH HIM?

THAT'S... INTERESTING.

I'M NOT EXPECTING TO REASON WITH HIM... BUT YOU USED TO BE A MIND WARRIOR ONCE UPON A TIME...

THAT WAS A *WHILE AGO*...AND I *KINDA* GOT MY DRIVER'S LICENSE REVOKED...

I KNOW YOU. YOU CAN HANDLE IT.

C'MON, IT'S WORTH A SHOT.

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REMOTE QUADRANT ZULU. GOSS SECTOR BORDER.

THEY ARE GAINING, KORVAC.

NOT *ONLY* DOES STARK HAVE AN FTL, BUT IT'S MORE *POWERFUL* THAN *OURS.*

HE HAD *YEARS* TO DEVELOP HIS, BLIZZARD. I BUILT MINE IN *FOUR WEEKS.*

I...DON'T MEAN TO CRITICIZE--

OF COURSE NOT, DONALD. WE JUST CAN'T AFFORD TO *WANE* IN OUR FAITH, ELSE WE LOSE SIGHT OF THE *TRUTH,* YES?

MMMMMPH!

BROTHER MILOS, *DECELERATE* AND DRAW THEM CLOSER INTO THIS SECTOR.

THEN WE'LL *DESTROY* THEM. I NEED *ZERO* THOUGHT OF THEM IN MY MIND AS WE BOARD *TAA II.*

...YOU...?

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LOOKS LIKE THIS ROAD ISN'T JUST **ONE WAY**, HUH?

HOW DID YOU...?

I USED TO HAVE PRETTY KEEN **PSIONIC ABILITIES.** GUESS WITH ALL YOUR FIDDLING YOU STIRRED UP THE OL' **MIND POT.**

EVEN IF I WOULD **DEIGN** TO LET YOU ACCESS MY THOUGHTS, DO YOU THINK YOU COULD EVEN **BEGIN** TO UNDERSTAND THEM?

HEY, PAL, I WAS ALMOST **VALEDICTORIAN** IN HIGH SCHOOL, SO MIND YOUR Ps AND Qs.*

PLUS SHE HAS MY HELP.

*SEE **PATSY AND HEDY #95.** --TOM

TONY...NICE TO SEE YOU. HOW'S THE **NECK?**

FINE, THANKS FOR ASKING. IMPRESSIVE FTL DRIVE BY THE WAY, ALTHOUGH IT SEEMS MINE **IS** A LITTLE FASTER.

OKAY, LET'S NOT START MEASURING EACH OTHER'S **FTL DRIVES...**

NEITHER OF YOU CAN HURT ME LIKE THIS. YOUR MINDS ARE SCATTERED. EXHAUSTED. TOO **ANGRY.**

AND YOUR SHIP IS GOING TO BE BLOWN APART IN MINUTES.

THEN WE STILL HAVE A LITTLE TIME FOR YOU TO SHOW ME THIS **UTOPIA** YOU PLAN TO CREATE.

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PATSY'S ALREADY GOTTEN A GLIMPSE.

RIGHT, BUT I'M SURE IT'S NOT ALL JUST ONE BIG THOMAS KINKADE PAINTING.

I WANT TO KNOW HOW IT ACTUALLY **WORKS.** THE NUTS AND BOLTS OF **UNIVERSAL HARMONY.**

YOU... REALLY WANT TO KNOW?

I ASKED, DIDN'T I?

YOU'RE... **SINCERE.** I NEVER EXPECTED...

WHAT?

I NEVER CONSIDERED THAT YOU'D WANT ME TO...SHARE MY **VISION** WITH YOU...

IT'S QUITE... IT'S QUITE **BEAUTIFUL,** YOU KNOW...

IT'S **PERFECT.**

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IT'S SIMPLE. ALL THINGS WILL BECOME THE **AGGREGATE.** ONE SINGLE ENTITY.

WHAT ENTITY?

YOU?

NO. IN THIS UTOPIA THERE **IS** NO ME.

I DON'T BUY THAT FOR A **SECOND.**

I BECOME A **SEAMLESS PART** OF THE AGGREGATE, AS DOES **EVERYTHING.**

THIS COLLECTIVE AGGREGATE KNOWS ONLY **PEACE** AND **CALM.** ALL ACTS ARE ONES OF **SOFTNESS** AND **GRACE.**

UNIVERSAL GOOD IS OMNIPRESENT AND OWNED BY NO **INDIVIDUAL,** NOT EVEN **MYSELF.**

THE SELF **MELTS AWAY** COMPLETELY. IT SERVES ONLY THE **AGGREGATE.**

MEANING YOU.

NO. SOMETHING **GREATER.** ALL WILL MELD.

SHOW ME THIS AGGREGATE.

ALL ENTROPY WILL BE REVERSED.

SAMENESS. ONENESS. UNITY.

NO HATE. FEAR. WAR.

NONE OF THE ANCIENT EVILS.

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WHAT ARE THOSE THINGS?

LIVING EXTENSIONS OF THE AGGREGATE. FLAWLESS IN EVERY CONCEIT.

IS THIS ONE EXAMPLE OF NEW LIFE-FORMS?

NO, THIS IS ALL LIFE ITSELF IN ITS NEW CONCEPTION. ACROSS THE UNIVERSE.

SO...IT'S ENTIRELY HOMOGENOUS. LIMITED ONLY TO THIS SINGULAR TYPE OF EXISTENCE. NO FREEDOM, NO FLARE, NO DEVIATION...NOT EVEN... COLOR.

JUST... NOTHING THINGS GRAZING ON... NOTHING.

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I'M SORRY, BUT THIS UTOPIA **SUCKS.**

THIS IS IT? **THIS** IS WORTH DEATH AND MURDER? SO WE ALL GET TO BE... **CRYSTALS EATING CRYSTALS?**

HOW DARE YOU CRITIQUE ME? YOURS IS AN OPINION OF A...A...**PROKARYOTE!** A MICROBE! **BACTERIUM!**

YOU **SUFFER** BECAUSE YOU GRASP ONLY FOR **SURVIVAL.** YOU **CAN'T** SEE BEYOND THAT, WHICH IS WHY I HAVE TO DO IT FOR YOU.

YOU'RE **WELCOME.** YOU'RE LUCKY YOU HAVE **ME** TO CARE FOR YOU.

BIG K, I DON'T MEAN TO #$%& IN YOUR WIZARD HAT, BUT THE **AGGREGATE,** THE **GLASS CREATURES?** THIS IS ALL ABOUT **YOU.** IT'S OBVIOUSLY--CRINGINGLY-- ABOUT **YOU.**

IT'S A **VANITY PROJECT,** AND IF YOU **WORKED** FOR ME...I'D **FIRE** YOUR ASS.

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OOM

TONY? TONY?!

OH, I SEE...YOU COWARD...

WHAT DID YOU DO TO HIM?!

ME?! NOTHING. NOTHING AT ALL!

YOU DOUBT ME AS A SAVIOR? YOU THINK ALL THIS IS JUST SOME SILLY WHIM?

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THEN EXPERIENCE IT FOR YOURSELF.

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TONY! WHAT THE HELL JUST--

I CAME IN HERE AND TONY WAS *THERE*, AND THEN HE... *HELLCAT!*

BLIZZARD, GET TO THE AFT CANNONS AND HAVE THE CONTROLLER PREPARE ALL MISSILE CHAMBERS. *NOW.*

UNICORN, COME AROUND *SHARPLY*... I'M GOING TO *STOMP* THESE BUGS OUT OF *EXISTENCE.*

OKAY, WE FINALLY GOT A *VISUAL*...

AND HERE THEY COME...*FAST*... *DAMN*...

RHODEY! TONY'S GONE!

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GONE?!

RIGHT AS I FOUND HIM, HE JUST...*BLINKED OUT OF EXISTENCE.* AND HELLCAT'S ALL *FRIED UP* AGAIN--

HOLD UP. WE'RE ABOUT TO HAVE A DAMN **DOGFIGHT** IN OUTER $#%# SPACE...

"...I NEED GUNNERS IN THE BELLY *AND* TAIL!"

TSWAOZCH

TSWAOZCH

TSWAOZCH

TSWAOZCH

DAMMIT! EVASIVE MANEUVERS, KID! FLOOR IT AND TIE THESE BASTARDS UP IN A KNOT!

DAMMIT! EVASIVE M

FLOOR IT AND TIE TH

UP IN A KNOT!

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SWAP

...WHAT THE HELL...?

<LOCATION. UNMAPPED.> <NO KNOWN REF FILES.> <SEARCHING... NO RESULTS.><FOLLOWING SYSTEMS HINDERED: FLIGHT. WI-FI ACCESS.>

WHERE IS THIS...? MY JET BOOTS DON'T EVEN WORK...

ONE MOMENT I'M IN KORVAC'S MIND...ON MY SHIP...THEN...

DID *HE* DO THIS? DID *HE* SEND ME HERE?

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I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT *SYSTEM* THIS IS, LET ALONE *PLANET.* OR GALAXY. IS THIS...EVEN... *REALITY?*

HEY, MAYBE I'M DEAD. *AGAIN.* GREAT.

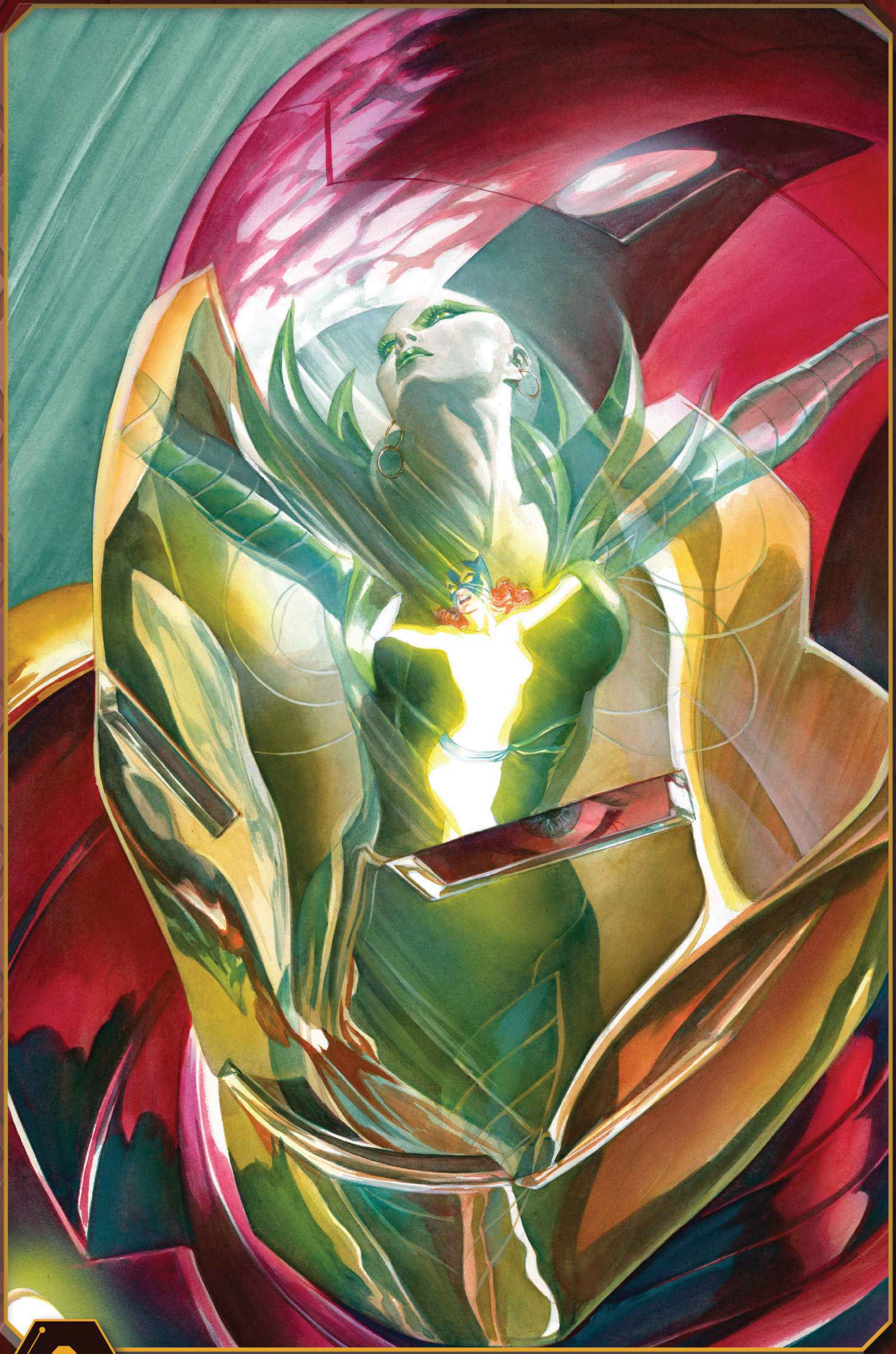
IT SURE WOULD HELP CLEAR THINGS UP IF THERE WERE AT LEAST *ONE* OTHER SINGLE LIVING THING OUT HERE--

DON'T MOVE! COLONY PATROL!

*TRESPASSER. LOCATORS REPORT YOU TRIPPED THE **PERIMETER** A WAYS BACK. YOU'RE A **NON-AUTHORIZED,** WHICH MEANS WE'RE TAKIN' YA IN, LESSIN' YA WANT US TO **NEUTRONIZE** YA RIGHT HERE, EH?*

ARE YOU... CANADIAN...?

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AMERICA'S #1 TEENAGER

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I CAN'T SHAKE THEM OFF, BUT IF I CAN GET US IN MISSILE RANGE, WE MIGHT JUST HAVE A SHOT... LITERALLY!

HALCYON, LOAD UP EVERYTHING WE HAVE... SCARLET SPIDER, MISTY--I REALLY NEED YOU TO LAY DOWN MORE COVER FIRE BACK THERE...

TREOWM TREOWM

WHAT DO YOU THINK I'M DOING, RHODES--BALANCING MY CHECKBOOK?

IF KORVAC'S SHIP DOESN'T BACK OFF, WE'LL HAVE NO ROOM FOR A MISSILE SHOT--

IF KORVAC'S SHIP DOESN'T BACK OFF, ITS TAIL FIN IS GONNA BE FLOSSING MY TEETH...

TREOWM

TREOWM TREOWM

DO THEY HAVE MISSILES?

MOST LIKELY.

WELL, SINCE THEY'RE ON OUR ASS LIKE A TIGHT PAIR OF SLACKS, WHATEVER THEY FIRE AT US IS GONNA HIT ME FIRST, SO I'D APPRECIATE SOME EVASIVE MANEUVERS THAT ARE A LITTLE MORE EVASIVE.

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TWEAHTCH

TWEAHTCH

GAEGH! I JUST LOST FLIGHT CONTROL... THIS SHIP MANEUVERS LIKE MY GRANDMA'S DAMN CADILLAC!

HALCYON, BREAK US HARD LEFT!

...MY BRAINS... ARE GOING INTO MY FEET...

I WAS VERY EXCITED TO GO TO OUTER SPACE, BUT NOW I REALLY DON'T LIKE IT AT ALL!

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DO IT, KID--NOW OR NEVER...

MISSILE LOAD PRIMED
READY

64 % TARGET LOCK

I'VE GOT YOU, PATSY. HOLD ON...

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COME BACK TO US, PATSY. *HEAR MY VOICE,* FRIEND...

TONY?

GARGOYLE?

NO.

OKAY... WHERE AM I?

YOU'RE **PHYSICALLY** SAFE FOR NOW. BUT I'M SOMEWHERE ELSE ENTIRELY.

AND YOU ARE?

YOU DON'T RECOGNIZE MY VOICE?

WAIT... YES...

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MOONDRAGON.

HELLO, HELLCAT. IT'S BEEN A WHILE. AND IT SEEMS YOUR MIND HAS REKINDLED SOME...**INTERESTING ABILITIES** AGAIN.

YOU TOOK MY POWERS AWAY A WHILE AGO.* SO I'M SURE YOU'RE NOT TOO THRILLED THAT I'M ACCESSING THE OL' **PSYCHOACTIVE RADIO WAVES** AGAIN...

NO, PATSY.

I'M HERE TO MAKE YOU **STRONGER.**

*IN DEFENDERS #77. --TOM

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I'VE FELT THE THREAT OF **KORVAC**. THE GUARDIANS AND I ARE **FAR** FROM YOU, BUT EVEN **HERE** I SENSE HIM. I'VE SEEN HIS **MURDEROUSNESS**. HE **MUST** BE STOPPED.

I'M GOING TO ENHANCE YOUR MENTAL POWERS...BUT I DON'T WANT YOU TO BE **HURT**, LIKE LAST TIME.

HONESTLY, I... I DON'T KNOW IF THAT'S A GOOD IDEA.

I'M NOT FACING KORVAC **ALONE**. I'M WITH **TONY**. AND **JIM RHODES**... AND--

FROG-MAN.

SURE, YES, **FROG-MAN**. YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE ALL **PASS-AGG** ABOUT IT...

I'D BE THERE WITH YOU, BUT I'D **NEVER** GET THERE IN TIME.

KORVAC IS **QUITE** PSIONICALLY FORMIDABLE. HE'S LINKED WITH YOU **MORE THAN ONCE** TO TRY TO WEAKEN YOU. BUT THIS LINK MAKES HIM **VULNERABLE**.

HE ALSO SHOWED ME... WHAT HE WANTS TO DO... I FELT IT--THE **POWER**, THE...PURE EUPHORIC **SIMPLICITY**...

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KORVAC WANTS TO **ENSLAVE US ALL.** NO ONE THING GETS TO DECIDE WHAT **ALL THAT IS** BECOMES.

I...I DON'T WANT TO LOSE MY MIND AGAIN. I'VE ALREADY COME **TOO** CLOSE.

I'M HERE TO MAKE YOU **STRONGER.** SO LET'S START SOMEWHERE MORE **FAMILIAR.**

CENTERVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

OH MY GOSH! MY OLD HIGH SCHOOL!

YES. AND THE UNIVERSE **ALSO** TELLS ME YOU ONCE HAD A VERY GOOD FOOTBALL TEAM HERE.

BEST IN THE STATE.

CENTERVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

BBRRRRRRRRRRRNNNG!

WOW, THERE'S **BUZZ!** BEFORE WE GOT DIVORCED AND HE MUTATED INTO AN **EVIL DOG!** LOOK AT HIM--HE'S **SO YOUNG AND HANDSOME...**

COME ALONG, PATSY. WE'RE GOING TO BE LATE FOR **CLASS.**

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HEY! THAT'S MY FRIEND HEDY!

HEDY! HEY!

GEEZ, **SHUT IT OFF**, WILL YA? YOUR VOICE COULD BRING BACK **SILENT MOVIES!**

BOY, WHAT A **SNOT-NOSE.**

YOU'D BETTER FOCUS ON THIS **TEST.**

TEST?

BENEDICT ARNOLD MAY HAVE LED A CHARGE AT FREEMAN'S FARM DURING THE FIRST DAY OF WHAT BATTLE?

HISTORY?! I DON'T REMEMBER **ANY** OF THIS STUFF!

IT'S NOT **ABOUT** THE TEST. IT'S ABOUT KNOWING **WHERE** THE ANSWERS ARE. **YOU KNOW** THEY'RE LOCKED INSIDE YOUR TEACHER'S MIND.

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BREATHE IN... OUT... LET THE THOUGHTS DISSIPATE. REACH IN.

SEE IT.

THE BATTLE OF SARATOGA.

VERY GOOD.

HE'S ALSO HAVING AN AFFAIR WITH MRS. GRUNDELMAN.

NOW TRY TO MOVE THE APPLE ON HIS DESK.

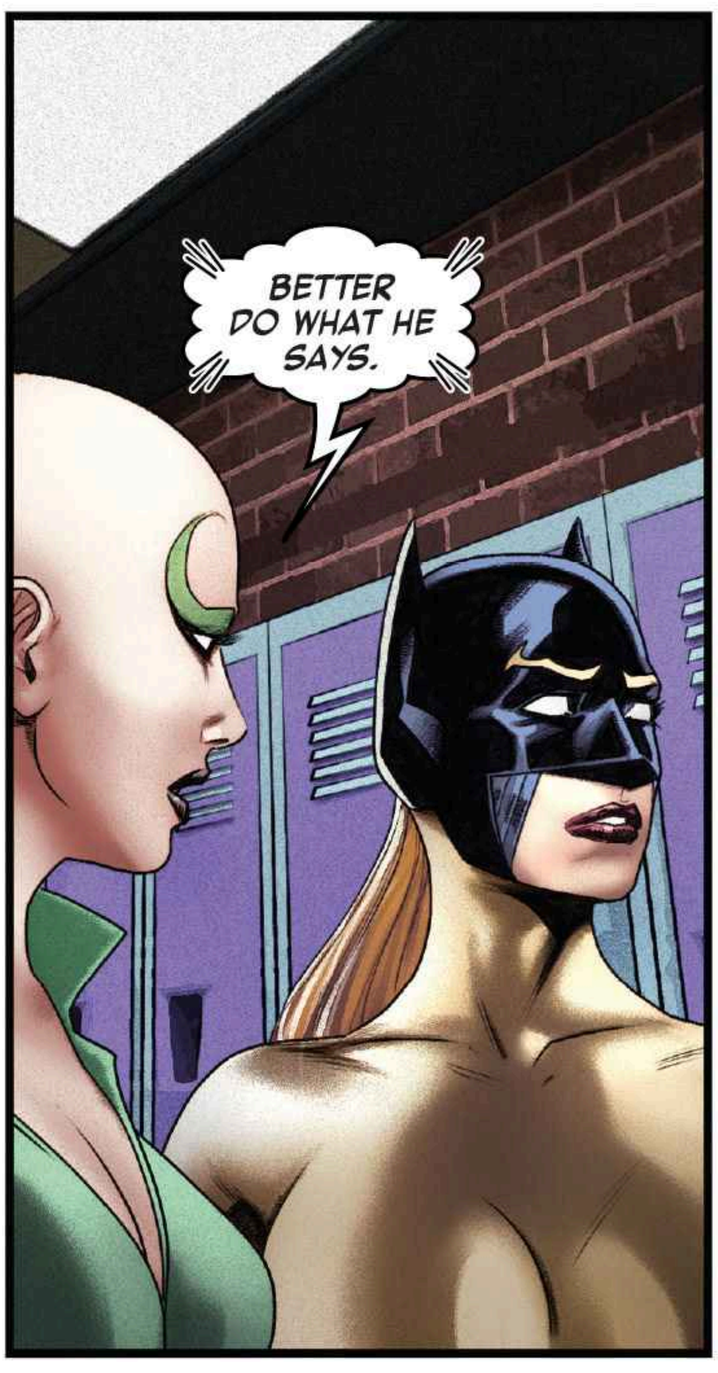
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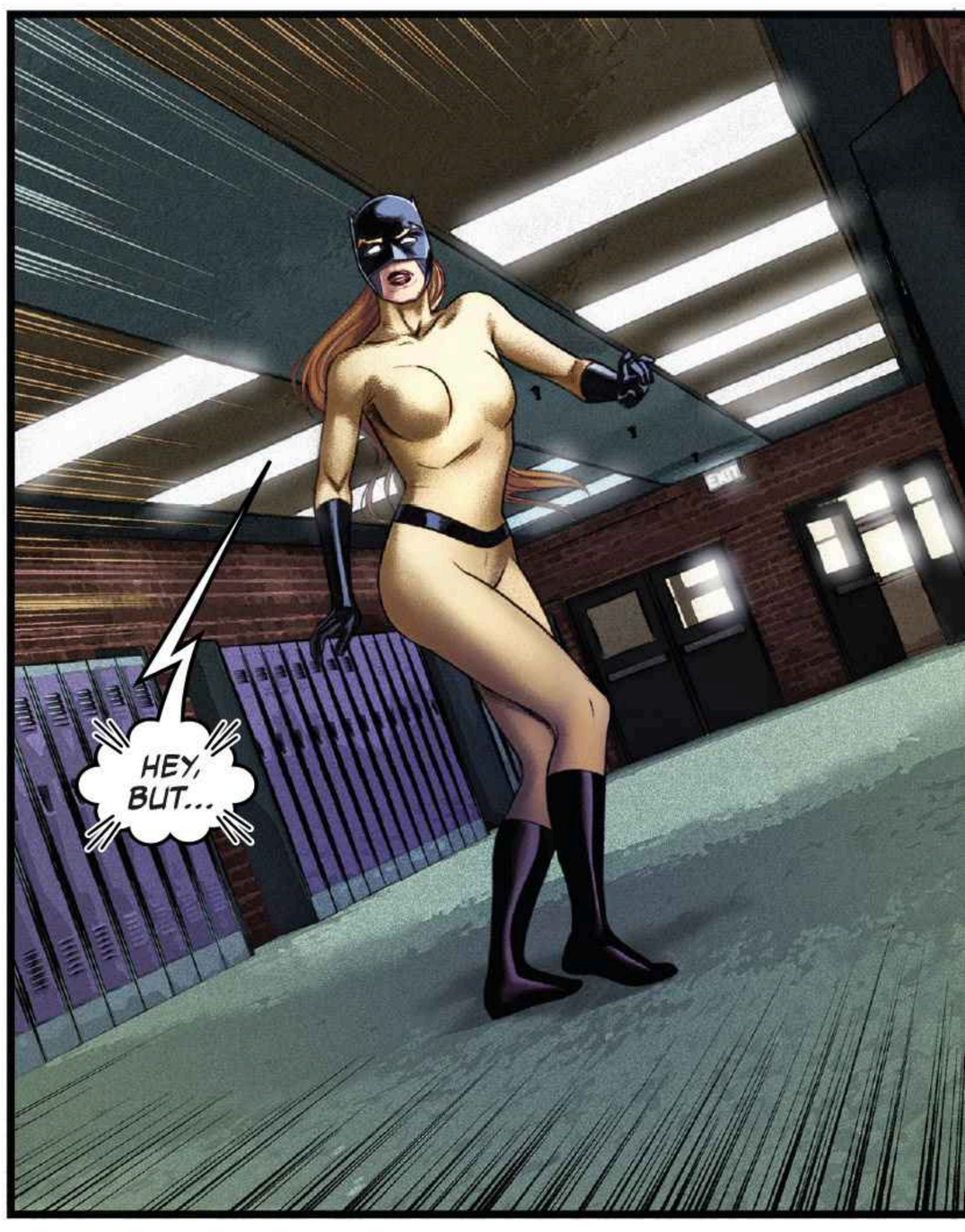












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PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE

OH MY GOD... NOT YOU!

NO!

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I MISS YOU SO MUCH... PATSY, I LOVE YOU...

I'M SORRY... PLEASE BE WITH ME AGAIN...

DAIMON HELLSTROM
PRINCIPAL
SON OF SATAN

NO! I WON'T GO BACK THERE! I CAN'T!

KCASTCHH!

YOU'RE BREAKING MY HEART, KITTEN...

DON'T BREAK MY HEART.

DON'T. BREAK. MY. HEART.

NOOOOO!

OH, MISS WALKER, IT'S JUST *HORRIBLE* THAT PATSY'S HAD A *PSYCHOTIC BREAK* AND BECOME *TRAPPED IN HELL.*

YES, HEDY, BUT HER *COMPLETE BREAKDOWN* IS MAKING FOR A *WONDERFUL* COMIC STRIP BOOK, RIGHT OUT OF THE *GOLDEN AGE...*

AND YOU'LL DRAW US AS *BESTEST FRIENDS*, RIGHT, MISS WALKER?

OF COURSE, HEDY.

AND NOT TO WORRY, BUZZ CAME BY WITH A *NICE STRAIGHT RAZOR* FOR PATSY THAT'LL FIX HER *RIGHT* UP.

OR WAS IT THAT HANDSOME *DEMON* BOY...?

REGARDLESS, I KNOW OUR PATSY WILL DO THE RIGHT THING AND *OFF HERSELF* SOON. SPARE US ALL THE TROUBLE OF ENDURING HER *MISERABLE SUFFERING.*

SHE *IS* WRETCHED FILTH NOW, YOU KNOW. *CORRUPT* AS SIN.

PERSONALLY, I THINK IT'S *TOO MUCH TV.*

LIGHTS OUT, SWEETIE.

I'M ON YOUR *LAST PAGE.*

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...MOM?

NO...
NO, PLEASE.
I'M *BETTER*
NOW...

MOM,
TELL THEM
I'M *BETTER*
NOW!

NO FLAMES, NO
TEETH! NO FLAMES,
NO TEETH!
SEE?

...SEE?

MOM...
MOONDRAGON...
TONY...
SOMEBODY...

SOMEBODY!

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BREATHE IN. OUT.

LET THE THOUGHTS DISSIPATE.

REACH IN.

SEE IT.

WHO IS THAT?

YOUR FEAR.

FEAR OF YOUR OWN MIND.

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WITH A SOFT TOUCH...

...FREE IT.

ACCEPT IT.

HOLD IT.

DEEP DOWN, KORVAC IS AFRAID.

IF YOU ARE NOT... YOU CAN WIN.

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EEP BEEP BEEP BEEP BEEP BEE

EMERGENCY. EMERGENCY. IMMINENT HULL COMPRESSION.
EMERGENCY. EMERGENCY. REAR ENGINE 4 RUPTURE.

HHULLLIAAAAH!

WHAT'S HAPPENING?!

THE #$%& IS *OFFICIALLY* HITTING THE FAN!

MAYDAY OR WHATEVER! MY GUN IS JAMMED--I'M IN A TIGHT SPOT!

RHODEY!

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<WARNING: FIRE--CLASS C.> <ENGAGING.> <AUX.> FILTRATION... CHEMICAL. PRIORITY...? FINALIZED: CO. CO2. THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF HYDROCARBONS: <ALIPHATIC...>

I'M GONNA SLAM ON THE BRAKES AND SELF-DESTRUCT THIS OVERLOADED SPACE YACHT RIGHT IN THEIR FACES!

FIRE-SUPPRESSION SYSTEM DAMAGED. WARHEAD TEMPERATURES EXCEEDING SAFE ZONE.

TYPICAL STARK EQUIPMENT. ALL SHOW. NO GO.

UNICORN, FIRE ON MY MARK.

RHODEY, DON'T TOUCH THAT DIAL!

KADUNK

WE'RE OUTTA TIME!

GIMME *TEN SECONDS*, THEN THROW EVERYTHING TO THE ENGINES OR THE-- I DON'T KNOW--JUST MAKE IT GO AS *FAST* AS IT CAN!

THIS IS OUR *ONLY* CHANCE TO STOP THEM!

JUST DO IT, JAMES.

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...AND F--

TRAITOR...

...LORD...?

COWARD...

YOU WILL ALWAYS BE *OUR SLAVE*, KORVAC.

KRRRSSHZZ!

ILLUSIONS, ALL!

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WHOA! HUGE SURGE ON THEIR SHIP...

HE'S DROPPING OFF--

NOW!

ENGINE FOUR IS CONTAINED, AND THE SUPPRESSION SYSTEM IS BACK ONLINE!

CHNT

SUPPRESSANT FOAM--ENGAGED--

WAIT A MINUTE...

WHERE THE HELL IS *TONY?*

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THE YEAR 2997.

WHAT DID YOU TELL THEM?

THE... LOCATION OF OUR *RESISTANCE CELL...EVERYTHING.* I'M SORRY, CAPTAIN, THE *PAIN--*

IT'S *ALL RIGHT.* THE THINGS THEY CAN DO... THE *TORTURES...* I'VE FELT IT, TOO.

SOMEONE'S COMING.

A GUARD?

I DON'T KNOW.

IT'S ME.

...MICHAEL?

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KORVAC. THANK GOD.

WE GOT SEPARATED... *CAPTURED.* HOW DID YOU...? WE THOUGHT THE WORST--

NO TIME FOR THAT RIGHT NOW.

WE'VE GOT TO BREAK OUT OF HERE, GET WORD BACK TO EARTH. TELL THEM OF THE BADOON'S PLANS FOR *INVASION.*

NICE UNIFORM... WHERE'VE YOU BEEN HIDING THESE LAST FEW DAYS WHILE THEY PULLED US APART LOOKING FOR INTEL?

HYEOFFZ

HYEOFFZ HYEOFFZ

IT'S DONE.

GOOD. THOSE ***EARTH-BORN*** WERE NO LONGER OF ANY USE.

THEY DIDN'T DOUBT MY INFILTRATION INTO THEIR REGIMENT FOR A ***SECOND.***

YES, KORVAC, YOUR SKILLS IN BETRAYAL ARE ***PAR EXCELLENCE.*** TELL ME, HOW DOES IT FEEL TO BE A ***COWARD*** WHO TRADES THE LIVES OF HIS FELLOW SPECIES IN EXCHANGE FOR A ***MODEST*** POSITION WITHIN OUR EMPIRE?

RETURN TO YOUR STATION, EARTHBORN. TEND TO YOUR ***PRECIOUS COMPUTER MODULES*** AND ***DON'T*** WASTE MY TIME AGAIN.

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WHAT IS THIS?!

YOU *DARE* LEAVE YOUR MODULE, YOU SNIVELING UPRIGHT *WORM?!* NO SLAVE *ABANDONS* HIS DUTIES!

I SHALL *ENSURE* YOU *NEVER* LEAVE THAT MODULE AGAIN!

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NNYAAAAAAAAA! AAAA! AAUUAAGGGHH!

NO... I BEG YOU...

NGGGNGGGNNNAAAAAAA

MASTERS, PLEASE! I AM MORE THAN A MACHINE!

YOU'RE TOO WEAK, EVEN FOR A HUMAN!

SUFFER, SLAVE, AS METAL AND CIRCUITS MADE INCARNATE!

SERVE US AS NOTHING MORE THAN A SOULLESS MATRIX!

NOOOOOOOOO!

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LORD KORVAC.

NOW.

WE'VE ARRIVED ON THE SURFACE OF THE RIVALIS MOON AND ARE READY TO DISEMBARK.

AND THE *ELECTROMAGNETIC SIGNATURE?*

JUST OVER 200 YARDS NORTHWEST.

"GOOD.

"I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO *MEETING* HIM."

THIS MOON'S ATMOSPHERE IS INCREDIBLY RICH IN OXYGEN.

THEN WE NEED TO BE EVEN *MORE* CAREFUL. CONTROLLER, BE READY, JUST IN CASE.

YES, LORD.

HERE, OTHER. JUST AS YOU DESCRIBED.

STAND BACK.

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CHAAOOOFFSH

I DON'T *CARE* WHO YOU ARE, YOU KNOW.

THERE CAME A TIME WHEN I WOULD HAVE. BUT NOT *NOW*.

THAT'S WHY I CHOSE THIS *MOON* AND THIS *HOLE*.

FWOOSHH

BECAUSE I WANT TO BE LEFT ALONE.

WAIT! THE UNIVERSE KNOWS YOU AS THE ORIGINAL *Human Torch*—

MY NAME IS JIM HAMMOND.

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NO. YOUR NAME IS ADAM I.

WHO ARE YOU?

SOME ONCE KNEW ME AS KORVAC. BUT I WAS...REBORN. AND THE FIRST NAME GIVEN TO ME WHEN I AWOKE WAS ADAM IV.

I'M YOUR BROTHER.

GREAT, SO ANOTHER ANDROID, THEN.

MORE THAN THAT. A DIRECT EVOLUTION FROM THE SCIENCE OF PHINEAS HORTON, YOUR CREATOR, WITH ARTIFICIAL CELLS THAT EXACTLY MATCH YOUR OWN.

I'M NOT ADAM I ANYMORE. MY BODY WAS DESTROYED, REPLACED BY THIS GARBAGE SCRAP.*

*IN INVADERS #7. --TOM

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RIGHT. THE WORK OF ONE *TONY STARK.* HIS *SLAPDASH IGNORANCE* CAN BE SPOTTED INSTANTLY.

LOOK, I DON'T KNOW WHAT *YOU* WANT, BUT I TOLD YOU WHAT *I* WANT. SO MAYBE *GET LOST* BEFORE I GET *HOT* UNDER THE COLLAR AGAIN.

HE MADE YOU A *MONSTER.* HE MADE YOU *DEFICIENT,* A MECHANICAL TOOL...

ALL RIGHT, NOW YOU'RE STARTING TO *PISS ME OFF.*

DON'T YOU WANT TO KNOW WHY I CAME *ALL* THIS WAY? WHY I TRAVELED *LIGHT-YEARS* TO FIND YOU?

JIM... I CAME TO MAKE YOU *ADAM* AGAIN.

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I KNOW YOU WANT TO BE MORE THAN ONE OF TONY STARK'S ***BROKEN TOYS.***

TRUTH IS, TONY MADE ME THIS WAY SO I COULD FIGHT AN ***OLD FRIEND.***

A FRIEND WHO I GUESS WASN'T ***REALLY*** EVER MY FRIEND TO BEGIN WITH. BUT...A LONG TIME AGO, WE--

SO TONY ***USED*** YOU.

TO PUT IT ONE WAY. AND NOW I DON'T EVEN HAVE... ***ME.***

YOU HID YOURSELF AWAY HERE OUT OF ***SHAME.***

NO. I CAME HERE BECAUSE I FINALLY DECIDED #$%& EVERYBODY ELSE.

THE SAME THING HAPPENED TO ME ONCE. MY BODY WAS ***DESTROYED,*** ***GRAFTED*** TO MACHINE PARTS. IT WAS BRUTAL. TORTUROUS. ***CRUEL.***

HOW DID YOU SOLVE YOUR PROBLEM?

I ACCESSED A POWER... IT MADE ME...***PERFECT.***

SOON, I'M GOING TO BE PERFECT ***AGAIN.***

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AND I WANT *YOU* TO BE PERFECT WITH ME, JIM.

WELL, HEY, WE'RE JUST GETTING TO KNOW EACH OTHER.

I'M TALKING ABOUT *GODHOOD.*

I'M NOT INTERESTED IN BEING A GOD.

OF COURSE NOT. NEITHER AM I. I THINK OF IT AS A... *MEANS TO AN END.*

I ONLY NEED POWER IN ORDER TO SAVE *EVERYONE ELSE.* WHAT I REALLY WANT IS FOR THIS ENTIRE STRIFE-RIDDEN UNIVERSE TO BE AT PEACE. NO MORE WAR. NO MORE HATE. NO MORE FEAR.

NO MORE *BETRAYAL.*

HOW THE *HECK* ARE YOU GONNA PULL THAT OFF?

I'M GOING TO SHOW YOU, JIM.

BUT *FIRST THINGS FIRST.* I CAME HERE TO HELP YOU BECOME *WHOLE* AGAIN. DO YOU WANT MY HELP?

...YES. I DO.

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"I'M GOING TO ***RECONSTRUCT*** YOUR ANDROID FORM. HERE AND NOW.

"BUT I'VE ***IMPROVED*** IT. MODELED IT ON MY OWN, THE ***FOURTH ITERATION*** OF THE ADAM PROCESS.

"YOU WILL BE ***YOU*** AGAIN.

"BUT, AS A 'FREEBIE,' YOU'LL BE EVEN ***BETTER. STRONGER.***

"THIS IS MY ***GIFT*** TO YOU, BROTHER."

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WHY DO I DESERVE A GIFT LIKE THIS FROM YOU?

BECAUSE YOU'RE THE ***ONLY*** ONE ABLE TO ***FULLY*** SEE MY VISION FOR A BETTER EXISTENCE.

I CAN ***EXPLAIN*** IT TO LESSER BEINGS...TEACH IT, ***PROSELYTIZE*** IT...BUT ***YOU,*** ADAM I...YOU'LL BE ABLE TO ACTUALLY ***FEEL*** IT. IN ***ALL*** ITS ***LIVING*** GLORY.

IN YOUR UPGRADED ANDROID MIND I'LL IMPART SPECTERS OF ***MY OWN.*** THE ***KNOWLEDGE*** TO GRASP THE SCOPE OF MY MESSAGE. AND I'LL REVEAL TO YOU ITS ROOTS THAT GROW FROM MY ***PUREST HEART.***

YOU WILL BE ***YOU,*** ADAM I. YOU'LL BE ***JIM HAMMOND.*** YOU WILL ***STILL*** BE THE TORCH. BUT YOU WILL SEE ***ALL*** AS IT IS ***MEANT*** TO BE, AND KNOW THAT IT'S ***UNDENIABLE.***

AND AS FOR ME... I WILL NO LONGER BE ALONE WITH MY ***BURDEN*** OF SALVATION.

SHOW ME WHATEVER YOU WANT. I JUST WANT ***ARMS AND LEGS*** WHEN I SEE IT.

THE MENTAL AUGMENTATION WILL TAKE SOME TIME.

I WILL HAVE THE CONTINGENCIES READY.

I HAVE FAITH IN HIM. HE'LL SEE ***THE LIGHT.***

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"MICHAEL?

"MICHAEL? ARE YOU AWAKE?

I WILL BE THE COSMOS AND THE COSMOS WILL BE ME...

"MICHAEL, WAKE UP.

"I THINK YOU'RE HAVING A BAD DREAM..."

GIVE ME WHAT I DESERVE! WHAT IS MINE ALONE!

FOREST HILLS, NEW YORK. MANY YEARS AGO.

THESE DREAMS YOU HAVE... THEY'RE SO *AWFUL.* WHAT WAS IT THIS TIME?

JUST... THE PAST... *STEALING* THE POWER COSMIC...

NOT STEALING. *CLAIMING.* CLAIMING YOUR *DESTINY.*

AND WITH THIS POWER WE WILL MAKE *ALL THE WORLD* A BETTER AND MORE HARMONIOUS PLACE.

I LOVE YOU, CARINA.

YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN REALLY SEE IT.

IF PEOPLE COULD JUST UNDERSTAND WHAT I'M TRYING TO DO, THEY WOULDN'T SEE ME AS A THREAT. THEY'D WANT TO HELP.

DNNG DONNG

MICHAEL KORVAC? ARE YOU IN THERE? WE NEED TO TALK...

BMM BM BMM

WE NEED YOU TO OPEN UP...

HEY THERE... SORRY TO BOTHER YA, BUT WE THINK SOMETHING IN THIS HOUSE MIGHT POSE GREAT PERIL TO THE FUTURE OF MANKIND.

YOU KNOW, THAT OL' CHESTNUT...

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YOU CAN'T IMAGINE HOW VERY, VERY *SAD* THIS MAKES ME.

WHY'S THAT?

BECAUSE I WAS GOING TO BE YOUR *SAVIOR.*

BRING ALL OF EXISTENCE UNDER MY SANE AND BENEVOLENT RULE.

AH, THE HOPES...THE *DREAMS...*

IT'S *GONE* NOW, ALONG WITH MY SECRET...BUT... THOUGH I CAN NO LONGER SAVE THE *FUTURE--*

--I CAN SAVE MYSELF.

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FAMZOOM

AND THIS ONE, THE ONE CALLED IRON MAN, WHO WON'T GIVE UP!

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I WIELD THE POWER COSMIC!

NO! MICHAEL, YOU'RE KILLING THEM!

SPACTH

I'M... AWAKE...

MY BROTHER ADAM...CAN YOU *SEE* IT NOW?

FROM MY MIND TO YOURS, MY PLAN TO *SAVE* THIS UNIVERSE. TO GIVE IT ALL IT *DESERVES*...

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I SEE...

OH MY GOD...

YES. ISN'T IT BEAUTIFUL? ISN'T IT *PERFECT?*

I SEE WHAT YOU *DID*...YOU... YOU *KILLED* THE AVENGERS.

YOU KILLED THEM ALL.

NO. IT WAS A MOMENT OF ANGER! I *RESTORED* THEM! I TOOK *MY OWN* LIFE INSTEAD! TO BUILD A *NEW* PLAN, A *BETTER* ONE THAT WOULD...

DAMMIT, JIM, I CANNOT BE OBSTRUCTED IN THIS WORK! I WON'T ALLOW IT!

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YOU'RE ***SELFISH.*** YOU'VE ALWAYS BEEN ***SELFISH.*** THAT IMPRINT OF YOUR MIND YOU GAVE ME... IT'S SO OBVIOUS NOW THAT YOU'RE JUST A ***COWARD*** WITH ***DELUSIONS OF GRANDEUR!***

BUT YOU, HOWEVER...A PATHETIC AND COMMON ***MANNEQUIN*** BLIND TO GREAT DESIGN, ***HINDERED*** BY MUNDANITY--

KZZK

THE CONTROL DISC IS CONFIGURED TO BLOCK ANY SELF-AWARENESS FROM THE ANDROID, AND ALL OF HIS SYSTEMS CAN NOW BE ***REMOTE CONTROLLED*** BY US.

VERY WELL.

LORD... HE WILL STILL PROVE A ***VALUABLE*** WEAPON AGAINST STARK AND HIS CADRE, AND ***WHATEVER ELSE*** WE MAY ENCOUNTER ABOARD *TAA II.*

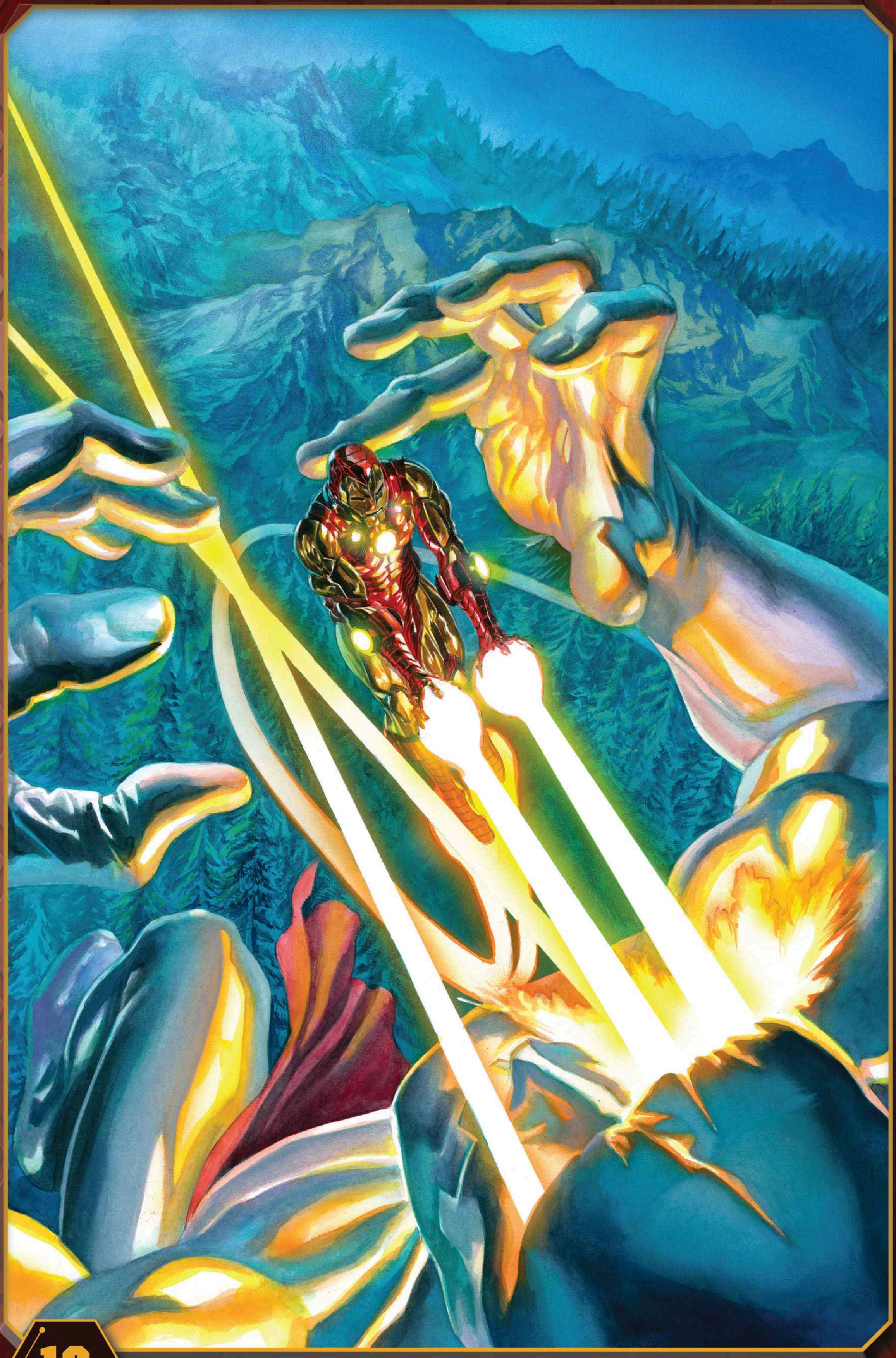
I DIDN'T WANT A ***WEAPON,*** BASIL.

I WANTED AN ***ALLY.*** A ***BROTHER.***

BUT I SUPPOSE I'LL CONTINUE TO REMAIN ***ALONE.***

AND SETTLE FOR A ***SLAVE.***

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MEGIDDO

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GOD, I FEEL HELPLESS.

I'VE BEEN STUCK HERE FOR SIX DAYS.

SIX EARTH DAYS, BY MY COUNT. DAYS HERE SEEM TO LAST FOREVER.

I STILL DON'T KNOW HOW I GOT HERE.

OR WHY I WAS BROUGHT HERE, IF THERE'S A REASON AT ALL.

I STILL HAVE NO IDEA HOW TO GET BACK TO WHERE I WAS BEFORE.

I NEED TO GET BACK TO MY TEAM. BACK TO PATSY, RHODEY.

AND I'M SURE KORVAC IS STILL OUT THERE, RACING TOWARD TAA II.

BUT LIKE I SAID, I'M HELPLESS. LIKE SOME CAST-ABOUT SCRAP METAL.

I COULD BE A BILLION LIGHT-YEARS FROM... WELL, FROM ANYTHING.

THERE WERE PEOPLE HERE ONCE. SOME KIND OF PEOPLE, A LONG TIME AGO. BUT THEY'RE GONE. DIED OFF.

BUT THERE ARE OTHERS HERE RIGHT NOW TOO. I'M NOT ALONE.

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THE PEOPLE WHO ***ARE*** HERE ARE NOT ***FROM*** HERE EITHER.

I GUESS YOU COULD SAY THEY'RE ***ALL*** REFUGEES. LIKE ME.

AT A SINGULAR MOMENT IN THEIR LIVES, THEY EACH SUDDENLY FOUND THEMSELVES TRANSPORTED HERE WITH NO EXPLANATION. ***POWERLESS*** TO STOP IT.

THIS COLONY IS PRETTY STURDY, DESPITE EVERYONE BEING FROM DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE GALAXY OR, IN A FEW DISTINCT CASES, THE ***UNIVERSE.***

NONE OF THEM KNOWS A WAY BACK TO WHERE THEY CAME FROM. AND SURPRISINGLY, MANY DON'T FEEL THE ***NEED*** TO TRY.

FOR SOME REASON, THEY ***LIKE*** IT HERE.

THEY'VE NAMED THIS PLACE ***MEGIDDO,*** AFTER THE CITY NEAR THE JEZREEL VALLEY IN ANCIENT GALILEE.

I'M GUESSING ONE OF THE HUMAN SETTLERS SUGGESTED IT.

AND I WONDER HOW MANY OF THE OTHERS KNOW THAT THE GREEK NAME FOR MEGIDDO IS ***ARMAGEDDON.***

MAYBE--***HOPEFULLY***--IT'S A JOKE.

BUT THE MEGIDDANS--FOR LACK OF A BETTER WORD--HAVE EVEN OFFERED ME SHELTER AND A SHARE IN THE FOOD BANK.

GIVEN ME WATER TO DRINK AND BATHE IN.

IT'S ALL SPEARHEADED BY THE WOMAN IN CHARGE, ***YAR.***

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I'M ACTUALLY ASTONISHED BY THEIR AMOUNT OF TRUST. THEY ALL SEEM SO... ***HAPPY.*** AT ***PEACE,*** AT LEAST. ***WHY?***

WE'VE ALL BEEN ***MAROONED*** HERE, BUT THEIR ***GRACIOUSNESS*** SUGGESTS THAT PEOPLE HAVE BEEN ARRIVING FOR SOME TIME AND THAT THEY'VE LEARNED TO RELY ON ONE ANOTHER.

WHAT THE HELL IS SO ***GREAT*** ABOUT THIS PLACE? IT'S A CHUNK OF ***BLUE DUST.***

THEY'VE BEEN ***NOTHING*** BUT ACCOMMODATING. ***OVERLY*** SO.

IT'S NOT ***COMPLACENCY.*** IT'S LIKE THEY KNOW NONE OF US IS EVER GOING HOME.

I EXPLAINED MY INJURIES. WHY I CAN'T TAKE MY HELMET OFF BECAUSE OF MY BROKEN NECK.

THE PATROL IS JUST THAT. A DEFENSE OF WHAT THEY HAVE. IT FEELS MORE LIKE A ***MILITIA*** THAN ANYTHING ELSE. HELL, THEY'RE ***FRIENDS.***

I DON'T EVEN GET ALONG WITH THE ***AVENGERS*** THIS WELL.

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WEIRDEST THING IS, I **KNOW** ONE OF THEM. GUY NAMED **COLIN RICHARD**, GOES BY **AVRO-X.** MET HIM AT A ROBOTICS SYMPOSIUM IN LATVERIA AGES AGO.*

YOU STILL IN CANADA?

OH YEAH. WELL. I **WAS**, EH? TILL THIS.

*MARVEL FANFARE #44. --TOM

HOW LONG YOU BEEN HERE?

MORE THAN A YEAR, FOR SURE. BUT WE'RE DOIN' ALL RIGHT, ALL THINGS CONSIDERED.

YOU DON'T HAVE ANYBODY BACK HOME?

WE **ALL** DO, EH?

THAT'S TRUE.

WHAT **IS** OUT HERE, COLIN?

WELL, UH... YOU KNOW. IT'S NO **CAKEWALK**, FOR SURE...

WHAT'S NOT A CAKEWALK?

HAVEN'T YOU TALKED TO **BIG MAN** YET? BEST ASK HIM FIRST.

WHO'S BIG MAN? I THOUGHT **YAR** WAS IN CHARGE.

YAR MANAGES DAY-TO-DAY THINGS ON THE **GROUND.** BIG MAN IS... WELL, YA SEEN **WIZARD OF OZ?** HA... HE'LL CALL FOR YA SOON, DON'T WORRY...

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HOW CAN THEY JUST *GIVE UP?* IT'S NOT IN MY BLOOD. I'M NOT GONNA LIVE SOME VERSION OF *LITTLE HOUSE ON THE ALIEN PRAIRIE.*

TRYING TO RESEARCH AN ESCAPE PLAN AT LEAST GIVES ME SOMETHING TO DO WHILE I WAIT ON THE *WIZARD OF OZ.*

I'VE ALSO FOUND *ANOTHER* PREOCCUPATION. A *TROUBLING* ONE.

GSSSN

AFTER MY INJURY, I HAD HALCYON INSTALL A *MORPHINE DRIP* INTO THE SUIT. IT WAS SO I COULD CONTINUE TO FUNCTION AND NOT GO INTO *SHOCK* FROM PAIN.

RHODEY MADE FURTHER ADJUSTMENTS, MINIMIZING THE DOSAGE AND BUILDING IN A TIME-RELEASE TO MITIGATE AGAINST *ADDICTION.*

RHODEY KNOWS ABOUT MY... TENDENCIES. THIS WAS ONLY SUPPOSED TO BE AN *EMERGENCY STOPGAP SOLUTION.*

BUT IT'S BEEN *SIX DAYS.*

AND NOW I *NEED* IT. I *CRAVE* IT.

THE DRIP SYSTEM HAS ABOUT *THREE MONTHS'* WORTH OF DRUGS LEFT IN IT.

AND IT'S NOT LIKE I CAN'T *HACK* THE TIME-RELEASE.

THIS COULD GET REALLY, REALLY *BAD.*

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STATCH

CYBERNETICS. *ANCIENT* CYBERNETICS. WHAT THE *HELL?*

POWER. STILL STORED AND WARM. AND IT'S... *DIFFERENT.*

THERE'S... A *LOT* OF IT HERE.

EH. WHY NOT? I COULD USE A CHARGE.

GRRZZSH

IT'S NOT MORPHINE, BUT IT'S STILL SOMETHING *PRETTY GOOD...*

THE SUIT IS TAKING IT IN LIKE IT JUST FOUND A *DESERT OASIS.*

SEEMS LIKE WHATEVER THIS CIVILIZATION WAS, IT DISCOVERED A PARTICULARLY *POTENT* SOURCE OF ENERGY. IT'S...*BIOLOGICAL. ENZYMATIC...*

AND THEY MUST'VE *DESTROYED* THEMSELVES WITH IT.

IS *THIS* WHAT'S MAKING THE LOCALS GO GAGA FOR *PLANET WHO-GIVES-A-#$%&?*

AH YES, THE *RUINS.* QUITE A *QUANDARY,* AREN'T THEY?

A BIG ONE, YEAH...

THESE MACHINES WERE LIKELY BUILT BY THOSE WHO *ULTIMATELY* FAILED TO CONTROL THEM. WE USE THE POWER FOR OUR TURBINES AND GENERATORS.

HE'S READY TO SEE YOU, BY THE WAY.

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I FEEL LIKE I WENT RIGHT TO THE WIZARD AND SOMEHOW SKIPPED THE WICKED WITCH OF THE WEST.

MAYBE I'M THE WITCH.

SOMETHING TELLS ME YOU'RE MORE THE GLINDA TYPE.

MUST BE MY PINK DRESS AND WAND.

I'LL BE DAMNED.

STILT-MAN?

HEY THERE, STARK.

OBVIOUS QUESTION, BUT WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?

HM. HARD ONE TO ANSWER.

MAKING DO, I GUESS.

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SO WILBUR DAY IS THE MAN BEHIND THE CURTAIN?

DISAPPOINTED?

NO, JUST... CONFUSED.

ME TOO. FOR A LONG TIME I WAS, AT LEAST.

YOU'RE SNATCHING PEOPLE OUT OF THEIR LIVES AND DROPPING THEM ON THIS ROCK. WHY?

YOU'RE **WRONG**. I GOT HERE SAME AS YOU. I WAS ONE OF THE FIRST.

ONE **BLINK** OF AN EYE. THEN SOME NEW **LONELY** LIFE.

AND YOU RUN THIS PLACE. **LEGITIMATELY.**

WE DO OUR BEST. I LEND MY INTELLECT. WE TRY TO PROTECT THESE PEOPLE.

FROM WHAT? **BOREDOM?**

FOR NOW, LET'S JUST SAY...THE **ELEMENTS.**

'KAY. AND WHAT'S IN IT FOR YOU?

IT'S **THAT** HARD FOR YOU TO GRASP, ISN'T IT, STARK?

SOMETHING **SIMPLE. QUIET.** IN ANOTHER LIFE I WAS A **KREE COLONEL. ALWAYS** AT WAR. **ALWAYS** BEHOLDEN.

SO WHAT, YOU'RE BOTH **RETIRED?**

I'M JUST... I WANTED SOMETHING **DIFFERENT.** I DIDN'T REALIZE IT AT THE TIME, BUT... I WANTED **THIS.** FANCY THAT.

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WE'VE COME TO SEE LIVING HERE AS A *GIFT.*

SO HOW ARE YOU KEEPING A LEASH ON THESE FOLKS? THREATS? HYPNOTISM?

THERE'S NO *SECRET.* YAR'S THE *PUBLIC FACE.* A LOT OF PEOPLE OUT THERE KNOW ME BY *DEED.* I MAKE PEOPLE *UNEASY* IF I'M AROUND ALL THE TIME.

EVERYONE HERE LOST *EVERYTHING. PEOPLE. PURPOSE.* BUT ALSO...*RESPONSIBILITIES.* NOT JUST TO OTHERS, BUT ALSO TO SOME...*VERSION* OF OURSELVES WE BELIEVED *NECESSARY.*

IS THIS MAKING ANY SENSE?

I...

NOBODY HERE IS TRYING TO *SAVE* THE WORLD OR *RULE* IT. WE'RE JUST TRYING TO *SUSTAIN* SOMETHING TOGETHER.

LIKE A...WHAT, LIKE A HIPPIE COMMUNE?

WE COULD USE SOMEONE LIKE YOU.

NO, LET ME REPHRASE THAT. PERHAPS *YOU* COULD USE SOMETHING LIKE *US.*

I MEAN...I DON'T KNOW HOW TO... THANKS, I GUESS...

YOU KNOW HOW MANY TIMES YOU'VE TRIED TO KILL ME, WILBUR?

I DON'T KNOW WHAT THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS IS ON APOLOGIES, BUT *I'M SORRY.*

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SO WHAT'S OUT THERE? WHAT ARE "THE ELEMENTS"?

I'LL ADMIT, IT'S SOMETHING PRETTY ***MONSTROUS.*** WE'VE NEVER BEEN ALONE HERE. THAT'S THE TRADE-OFF.

WE'VE BEEN ABLE TO REPEL IT EACH TIME, BUT WE ALWAYS LOSE SOME PEOPLE. PERHAPS WITH YOU, WE'LL STAND A ***REAL CHANCE.***

NO OTHER DETAILS?

YOU'LL KNOW IT WHEN IT COMES. I DON'T WANT IT TO ***PREOCCUPY*** YOU. EXPERIENCE ***THE REST*** OF THIS PLACE FIRST.

WELL...IT'S WEIRD TO SAY, BUT...

I'M GLAD TO SEE YOU'RE DOING SO WELL OUT HERE.

THANKS.

"I'VE HAD A ***LOT*** OF TIME TO THINK."

WHAT IN THE LIVING **HECK** IS GOING ON? STILT-MAN IS SUDDENLY SOME REFORMED VERSION OF **ALAN WATTS.**

HOW DO YOU KNOW ABOUT THAT?

IT'S INTERESTING TO HEAR YOU BE ***SO ANXIOUS*** EVEN ON A HIGH DOSE OF ***MORPHINE.***

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STARK! LOOK ALIVE!

ARE THESE PEOPLE LIVING IN A *DREAM?*

HEY NOW! WHOOP-WHOOP!

LET'S SEE ONE, IRON MAN!

CRAK!

IS ANY OF THIS REAL?

GUY HITS A *DOUBLE* ON HIS FIRST AT BAT! *MVP!*

THAT'S RIGHT, CANADA!

IT'S *REAL*, TONY.

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IT'S FUNNY TO HEAR YOU SAY IT'S REAL WHEN I CAN SEE THROUGH YOUR ENTIRE BODY. HOW ARE YOU EVEN HERE, PATSY?

KORVAC'S BEEN PLAYING SO MANY MIND GAMES THAT MOONDRAGON FINALLY HELPED ME RE-UP MY MAD MENTAL SKILLS.

IT'S PRETTY IMPRESSIVE. AND HERE I THOUGHT IT WAS JUST THE MORPHINE.

ARE YOU BEING CAREFUL WITH THAT STUFF?

I'LL BE HONEST... IT'S GONNA BE A PROBLEM. BUT ONE I'LL NEED TO DEAL WITH AFTER KORVAC. WHEN IT'S TIME...WILL YOU HELP ME?

YOU KNOW I WILL.

BUT WE NEED YOU BACK HERE FIRST. TAA II IS ONLY A DAY AWAY TOPS.

I THINK THESE PEOPLE HERE NEED MY HELP TOO.

KORVAC WILL COME FOR EVERYTHING IN THE UNIVERSE. SEEMS LIKE THEY'D GET SWEPT UP IN THAT MESS AS WELL, RIGHT?

I'VE BEEN THINKING... YOU KNOW...IF I DIED HERE, I WOULDN'T GET THAT GREAT STATUE IN CENTRAL PARK.

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BOO-HOO.

NO, YOU'RE RIGHT. I MEAN... I THINK THAT WOULD BE **FINE. BETTER.** I COULD DO THE GOOD THING AND THAT WOULD BE THAT.

YOU MEAN DO IT WHILE NOBODY WAS ***WATCHING?***

YEAH.

HERE I CAN... **WAKE UP.** HELP PLANT FOOD. **BUILD** THINGS PEOPLE CAN USE. AND IF THERE'S A PROBLEM, I JUST **DEAL** WITH IT.

BY THE WAY, DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA WHERE ***"HERE"*** IS?

AS ENLIGHTENED AS YOU SOUND, I CAN'T FIGURE OUT YOUR ***ACTUAL*** LOCATION FOR THE LIFE OF ME. JUST ***REACHING*** YOU IS HARD ENOUGH.

I AM HARD TO REACH, AREN'T I? WHY IS THAT?

BECAUSE, BEFORE ANYTHING ELSE, YOU HAVE TO BE ***IRON MAN.***

BUT HERE I'M JUST...

HERE YOU'RE JUST THE GUY THAT I KNEW WAS ***UNDERNEATH*** THIS ENTIRE TIME. THE ***SELFLESS*** ONE. A ***HERO.*** AND A ***FRIEND.***

A HERO AND A FRIEND. I LIKE THAT.

THEN ***KEEP BEING IT.*** FOR ***THESE*** PEOPLE AND FOR THE ***REST*** OF THE UNIVERSE.

AND COME BACK TO ME, TONY STARK. *I MISS YOU.*

I MISS YOU TOO, PATSY WALKER...

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WUBBOO

OOOMMMM

I WAS JUST COMING TO GET YOU!

WHAT'S GOING ON?

ATTACK ON THE PERIMETER.

BIG ONE?

ALWAYS IS, EH?

YAR AND MY PATROL ARE ALREADY TAKING UP POSITIONS ALONG THE TREE LINE, AND WILBUR IS INBOUND--

YOU GUYS EVER GONNA TELL ME WHAT THE HELL WE'RE ACTUALLY FACING?

WORDS DEFY. ANYWAY, IT'S RIGHT THERE, BUD...

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ULTIMO?!

CORRECTION: AN ULTIMO. WE BELIEVE THIS MIGHT BE THE PLANET THEY ORIGINATED FROM CENTURIES AGO.

A PLANET OF ULTIMOS? ARE YOU KIDDING ME?!

KAK

TAACKKSHHH

WE JUST HAVE TO *SCARE IT OFF.* THEY'RE ACTUALLY MORE AFRAID OF US. *WE'RE* THE THREAT TO THEIR ENVIRONMENT.

YEAH, RIGHT, IT LOOKS **REALLY** SCARED...

"THE ELEMENTS"! I THOUGHT YOU MEANT, LIKE...A HEAVY THUNDERSTORM...

IT'S PART OF THE ECOSYSTEM, STARK! WE DIDN'T MAKE THE RULES!

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IT STILL DOESN'T LOOK SCARED, GUYS...

BAEZZHHH

ZAARP!

TZCHAERT TZCHAERT

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THIS ONE SEEMS *REALLY* RILED UP...

KRANGK

GRATCHF

#$%&!

AH, GOOD GOSHDARNIT!

KROUNGK

TZCHAERT TZCHAERT

GET TO THE CAVERNS! NOW!

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AND I WAS HAVING SUCH A NICE DAY...

I HEARD YOU PULLED JUICE OUT OF THE RUINS, EH? CAN YOU USE IT HERE?

I CAN'T CONCENTRATE SOMETHING LIKE THAT INTO A SINGLE BLAST WITHOUT BLOWING MY HANDS OFF.

WHAT ABOUT THAT THING IN YOUR CHEST? LAST TIME I SAW YOU, YOU WERE SHOOTIN' IT ALL OVER THE PLACE.

MY UNI-BEAM...?

WOW, I MEAN... IT'S BEEN A MINUTE SINCE I FIRED IT, AND THIS IS A NEW SET OF CLOTHES, BUT--

LET THEM GO!!!

KRAENGKCH

DO IT, YOU DAMNED ANIMAL!

GRNNNSKCH

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OH MY GOD...

NO WONDER THE ENERGY IS ENZYMATIC. HE'S EATING THEM.

EATING US. CRIMINY, I NEVER GET USED TO IT...

YAR MIGHT'VE BOUGHT US SOME TIME. HE ATE HER RIFLE TOO--

PZZRRF FFFFFF!

WAAAAAERREEERRRREERREEEEEEWAAER

ZZRAAOOK-PYAOTCHKA

FOOOOOOOOM

AND FOR GOOD MEASURE, LET'S TRY OUT MY NEW FIST SPEED.

TAAWWNKK

WHH HMMMMPF

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HOLY... TONY... WE'VE ***NEVER*** KILLED ONE BEFORE.

COLIN'S RIGHT. THAT WAS... ***ASTONISHING.*** QUITE... ***ASTONISHING.***

THEY DERIVE THEIR POWER FROM **BIOMATTER.** I TOOK IN A **TON** OF IT OUT OF THE ANCIENT PIECES IN THE WILD EARLIER.

YOU SAID THERE'RE **MORE** OF THOSE THINGS OUT THERE.

BUT WHAT YOU'VE BUILT HERE IS SOMETHING **BEAUTIFUL.**

YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE TO LOSE ANY **MORE** OF IT.

YAR'S LOSS IS... ***IMMEASURABLE.***

THEN **I'LL** STEP IN.

WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?

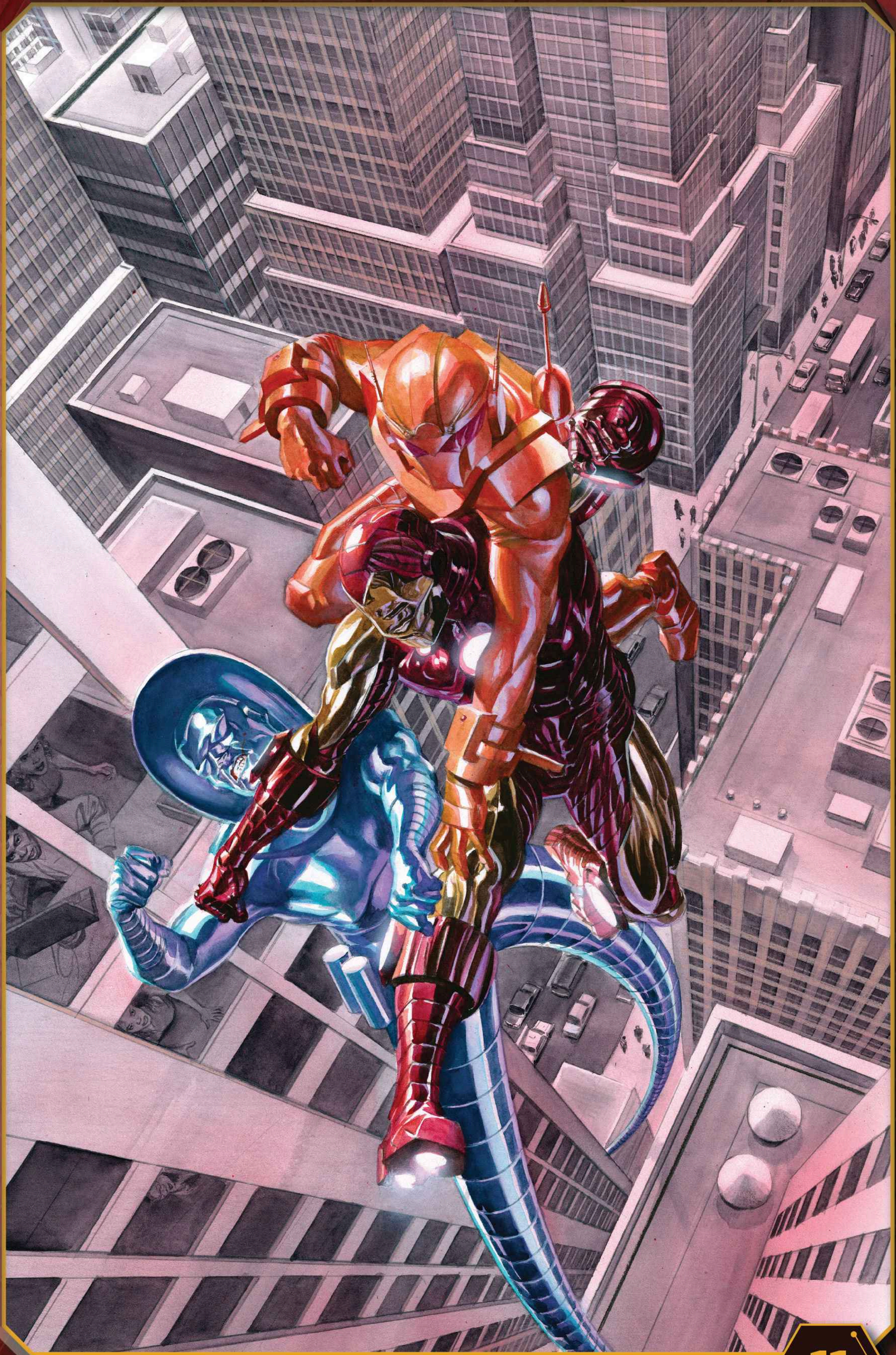
COLIN WILL CONTINUE TO RUN THE COLONY PATROL.

I'LL HELP YOU RUN THE COLONY.

I WANT TO HELP YOU.

I LIKE IT HERE.

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WALKING AWAY FROM OMELAS

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YAR, YOU GAVE SO *MUCH* OF YOURSELF TO THIS PLACE. OUR *HOME*. AND NOW YOU'VE GIVEN YOUR *LIFE* FOR IT.

AND WITH YOU GO *OTHERS* WHO ALSO CALLED THIS PLACE HOME. WE'LL MISS YOU. *EVERY ONE* OF YOU.

AVRO--COLIN. *SORRY* AGAIN THAT WE LOST 'EM...

IT'S OKAY, TONY. THEY *FOUGHT*. WE ALL DID. INCLUDING *YOU*.

HOW MANY... HAVE *DIED* HERE? IN THE, UH...IN THE COLONY?

TOO MANY.

WHAT ABOUT ATTACKING THE *SOURCE*? WHATEVER'S POWERING AND SUSTAINING THOSE *ULTIMO* THINGS?

LOOK AROUND, *EH*? WE BARELY HAVE ENOUGH *FOOD*. WE CAN'T LAUNCH SOME FULL-FLEDGED *CAMPAIGN*.

STILL... MAYBE YOU AND I COULD CHECK OUT THE WRECKAGE OF THE ROBOT LATER. SEE IF--

FORGET IT-- IT'S ALREADY BEING MELTED DOWN FOR BETTER USE. NOW *C'MON*. I FEEL LIKE RAISIN' A DRINK TO THE *FALLEN*.

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"MELTED DOWN"...?

YOU ALL RIGHT, TONY?

ON EARTH, I UNDERSTOOD THE **RULES**. I'M **IRON MAN**. YOU'RE **STILT-MAN**. WE **FIGHT**.

BUT THIS PLACE IS...YA KNOW... **DIFFERENT**. **PARADISE**... KIND OF. STILL...I ALWAYS HAVE TROUBLE WITH **INNOCENT PEOPLE** GETTING KILLED...

I KNOW.

YOU'VE BUILT SOMETHING... **AMAZING** HERE, WILBUR. UNIQUE. SO WHY NOT TRY TO STAMP OUT THIS LAST **TERRIBLE** PART OF IT...ONCE AND FOR ALL?

I MEAN... "GREAT PLACE EXCEPT FOR **KILLER ROBOTS**" ISN'T A VERY GOOD TRAVEL BROCHURE, RIGHT...?

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YOU THINK I HAVEN'T THOUGHT ABOUT THAT ***EVERY*** DAY?

BUT THE PEOPLE HERE, THEY'RE NOT LIKE YOU AND ME. WE'RE LUCKY TO EVEN HAVE AVRO-X. WE'RE REAL ***FIGHTERS.*** THEY'RE ***NOT.***

AND I'M NOT GOING TO ASK THEM TO GO HEADLONG INTO ***BATTLE*** AND GET THEMSELVES ***KILLED.*** THE BEST I--***WE***--CAN DO... IS ***PROTECT*** THEM.

*BUT, WILBUR, GOING AFTER THE ULTIMOS DOESN'T HAVE TO BE... **PICKETT'S CHARGE.** WITH THE RIGHT INFO, YOU COULD GO IN QUIET-LIKE AN' SHUT DOWN THE ENTIRE--*

TONY. FROM WHAT COLIN AND I HAVE APPROXIMATED, THE SOURCE IS NOTHING SHORT OF A ***SINGULARITY.*** SELF-AUTOMATED. AN ***ENDLESS*** ASSEMBLY. BUT IT'S ALSO ***CONTINENTS*** AWAY.

EVEN IF ONE ERRANT MACHINE KNEW OUR ***EXACT*** LOCATION, IT WOULD TAKE ***MONTHS*** TO REACH US.

*BUT THEY **HAVE** REACHED YOU. JUST LET ME HELP. I WANNA HELP...*

I ***DO*** WANT YOUR HELP. BUT I THINK WE HAVE A BETTER CHANCE OF BEING ***RESCUED.*** I'VE BEEN WORKING ON A ***SIGNALING SYSTEM...***

TOTALLY...THAT MAKES SENSE... BUT ALSO... THIS IS...

IT'S A BEAUTIFUL HOME WE'VE CREATED, YES. EVEN IF BY ***ACCIDENT.***

IT'S ***FUNNY,*** IN A WAY. I THINK THE THREAT OF THE MACHINES IS WHAT KEEPS THE COMMUNITY ***BOUND*** TOGETHER. NO DISSENT.

*STILL, WILBUR... **KILLER ROBOTS,** MAN. **WITHOUT** THOSE, THIS PLACE COULD...**GROW.** **BUILD** ON THE GREAT IDEAS YOU'VE ALL DISCOVERED.*

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TONY, I'M *SINCERELY* ASKING FOR YOUR HELP WITH THE RESCUE SIGNAL. I BET WE COULD HAVE IT WORKING WITHIN WEEKS, IF NOT *DAYS*.

I... OF COURSE. YEAH...

LET'S JOIN THE OTHERS FOR DINNER. WE CAN KEEP TALKING.

STILT-MAN...

IRON MAN.

I CAN'T TELL YOU HOW LITTLE MY LIFE MAKES SENSE TO ME THESE DAYS...

SEEMS LIKE ONLY YESTERDAY DAREDEVIL WAS *PILE-DRIVING* ME THROUGH A PARKED CAR.* BUT TONIGHT... IT'S BUTTERNUT SQUASH AND WHAT I CAN ONLY DESCRIBE AS "*BIRD-MEAT STEW.*"

*DAREDEVIL #20. --TOM

EXCUSE ME. AREN'T YOU *FORGETTING* SOMETHING?

...PATSY...?

YOU GOT IT, PAL--THIS IS *HELLCAT* CALLING ON THE *MIND PHONE*. CAN I STEAL YOU AWAY FROM THE *BIRD-MEAT STEW* FOR A SECOND?

G'ON AHEAD. I'LL BE IN SOON...

SO, WHAT, YOU'RE BEST BUDS WITH *STILT-MAN* NOW?

HEY, STOP--ARE YOU *READING* MY MIND?

JUST TRYING TO GET UP TO SPEED ON WHAT THE *HECK* YOU'RE DOING.

DON'T DO THAT, PATSY-- IT'S *RUDE*. AN' IF YOU *REALLY* WANT TO TALK, LET'S... GO SOMEWHERE ELSE.

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YOU KNOW, EVEN WHEN YOU'RE LIKE THAT... ALL...GLOWY... YOU LOOK GREAT--

I KNOW--I'M SORRY. I GOT CAUGHT UP IN... THE PEOPLE HERE, THEY REALLY... NEED MY HELP.

ONE WORD, TONY-- KORVAC.

THESE PEOPLE FROM THIS PLANET YOU'RE ON--DO THEY EXIST IN THE KNOWN UNIVERSE?

YEAH. AT LEAST I THINK SO...

THEN MAYBE YOU CAN HELP THEM BY STOPPING KORVAC BEFORE HE HORRIFICALLY TRANSMOGRIFIES SAID KNOWN UNIVERSE.

LOOK, I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHERE I AM--

I KNOW YOU DON'T KNOW THAT--

STOP WITH THE MIND READING! THIS PLACE, IT'S...WELL, IT'S SO...

PERFECT?

YES.

EXCEPT FOR THE ULTIMO MACHINES THAT EAT PEOPLE.

PATSY, C'MON--

TONY, I KNOW YOU'VE TURNED OFF YOUR MORPHINE GOVERNOR. SO LET'S GET REAL.

HOW HIGH ARE YOU RIGHT NOW?

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...I'M SORRY.

AND MY ANSWER IS... VERY.

YOU'VE BEEN CARRYING A LOT ON YOUR SHOULDERS. BUT THE THING IS...YOU DON'T ***HAVE*** TO. NOT ***ALONE***. YOU HAVEN'T FIGURED THAT OUT YET, HAVE YOU?

WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?

THE REST OF US HAVE DECIDED TO FACE KORVAC ON *TAA II* ***WITHOUT*** YOU.

NO. PLEASE DON'T. YOU HAVE TO WAIT FOR ME.

WE HAVE A ***VISUAL***. WE MANAGED TO BEAT KORVAC HERE, AND WE ***CAN'T*** MISS THE CHANCE TO GET THE JUMP ON HIM WHEN HE SHOWS UP.

ALL YOUR DEATHS COULD END UP ON MY CONSCIENCE. IT'LL BE ALL MY FAULT.

STOP DOING THAT. WHEN YOU SAY IT'S ALL YOUR FAULT, YOU MAKE IT ABOUT ***YOU***. YOU TAKE AWAY EVERYBODY ELSE'S CHOICES. WE'RE NOT ***REFLECTIONS*** OF YOU.

WE'RE TRYING TO BE ***HEROES***. AND OUR EXECUTIVE DECISION IS TO TAKE ON KORVAC ***ALONE*** IF WE HAVE TO.

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TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF, TONY. ONCE WE GET THROUGH THIS, WE'LL COME FIND YOU.

AND TURN YOUR MEDICINE GOVERNOR BACK ON BEFORE WE ALL LOSE YOU *PERMANENTLY.*

WE'RE ANCHORED *TWO HUNDRED KLICKS* OUT FROM THE WORLDSHIP. SO WHAT'S THE NEXT MOVE?

WE'RE *ON OUR OWN.*

THIS *ALREADY* FELT LIKE A SUICIDE MISSION...

WE HAVE *NO IDEA* WHERE HE IS? *NO* WAY TO GET HIM?

EVEN IF WE COULD... HE'S IN *NO SHAPE* TO DO THIS. *TRUST* ME.

IT'S *JUST US.* SO, I GUESS LET'S TRY TO *SAVE THE UNIVERSE.*

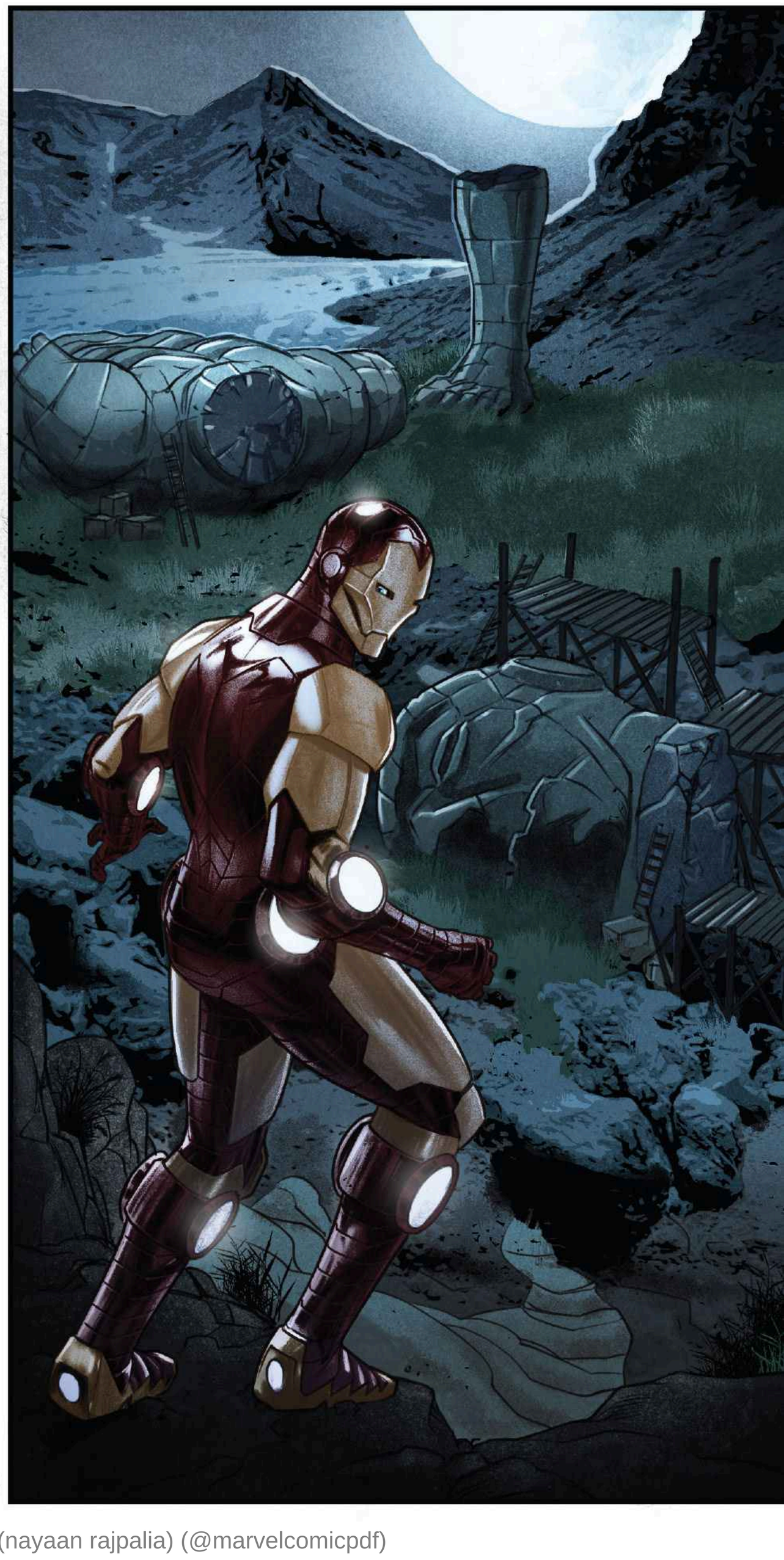
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I TOLD YOU THIS ULTIMO WRECK WAS OFF-LIMITS, TONY.

MAY I ASK **WHY** IT'S OFF-LIMITS? DO YOU EVEN **KNOW** WHY IT'S OFF-LIMITS?

WILBUR'S BEEN THROUGH A **HALF-DOZEN** OF THESE THINGS, EH? IT'S A **WASTE** OF TIME OTHER THAN THE POWER STORAGE.

AH, SO IT'S **WILBUR** WHO SAYS IT'S OFF-LIMITS--

WEET-

CHOOWWW

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YOU'RE NOT IN CHARGE OF THIS COLONY, TONY.

YOU'RE NOT IN CHARGE OF ANYTHING.

OKAY, WELL, I'M GONNA HAVE TO PULL MY PUNCHES BECAUSE OTHERWISE I'LL KILL YOU.

GOTTA GET CLOSE ENOUGH, EH?

SHOOOOT

AGK!

WHAT ARE YOU PROTECTING?

WNNNGCH

WHAT ARE YOU HIDING?

CRNGSCH

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I KNOW THESE THINGS ARE *DANGEROUS* ENOUGH THAT WE DON'T WANT ANYONE MESSING WITH THEM...

"WE"? YOU AND WILBUR?

I DO WHAT HE SAYS. HE *OVERSEES* THE COLONY, HE KEEPS IT *GOING*...

WHAT *ELSE* DOES HE TELL YOU TO DO?

JUST-- *PROTECT* THIS PLACE! NOT LET... ANYTHING--ANY*ONE*-- UPSET THE *BALANCE!*

UPSET THE BALANCE?

HE SAID... IT'S... *FRAGILE*...

WRENCH

FIND SOMETHING...?

I'M NOT THAT FAMILIAR WITH COMPUTERS BUILT BEYOND THE LAST MILLENNIUM...BUT THIS ONE HAS AN *I.R. REMOTE CONTROL CIRCUIT* GRAFTED TO IT. SILICON CHIPS, TIN SOLDER...

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"VERY RECENT WORK."

PZSEEW PCHFFFSH

TONY, COLIN... DID YOU TRY *KNOCKING* FIRST? MAYBE I WAS *DISTRACTED* AND DIDN'T HEAR IT.

A SENTIENT SINGULARITY DOESN'T SHOP AT RADIO-SHACK.

ARE YOU *ACCUSING* ME OF SOMETHING?

YEAH. *MURDER.*

I'VE BEEN DOING SOME BETA TESTS ON THE RESCUE SIGNAL.

LIKE HELL YOU ARE.

THE *ULTIMOS*. THEY'RE BEING CONTROLLED *REMOTELY*.

LIKELY BY THE *SINGULARITY* THAT'S BUILDING THEM--

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THIS IS MY *HOME*, TONY. AND I'M STARTING TO THINK YOU SHOULD *LEAVE*.

RIGHT. PERHAPS *HORIZONTALLY*, LIKE THE OTHER COLONISTS WHO'VE GOTTEN IN THE WAY.

HOW COULD YOU DO THIS TO US? WE **TRUSTED** YOU!

NEITHER OF YOU UNDERSTAND A *DAMN THING*, DO YOU?

THE *ULTIMOS*-- THEY'RE PART OF THE *ECOSYSTEM*. JUST LIKE *EVERYTHING ELSE* HERE.

WHAT DO YOU MEAN? **PROTECTED** LIKE WILDLIFE? BECAUSE THEY'RE NOT EXACTLY *GAZELLES*.

GOOD GOD, STARK, OPEN YOUR EYES TO THE *GRAND EXPERIMENT*. THE EXPERIMENT THAT'S *WORKING*.

KNNNSSNKCH

I'D HAD *ENOUGH* OF EVERYTHING BACK HOME. BEING CONSTANTLY *HUMILIATED* WHEN ALL I WANTED WAS A *STAKE* IN SOMETHING.

SO I CAME HERE WITH A PLAN. I WANTED TO SHOW THAT I COULD BE A *LEADER*. CREATE SOMETHING *GOOD*. AND I *DID*.

YOUR LITTLE... TERRARIUM...HAS... SOME FLAWS...

NOT FLAWS. *BALANCE*. THE *INTERFERENCE BEAM* BROUGHT YOU ALL HERE ONE BY ONE. I JUST PRETENDED AS IF THE *SAME THING* HAD HAPPENED TO ME. THAT WAY WE WERE ALL IN IT *TOGETHER*. FIGHTING FOR *SURVIVAL*. *BONDING*.

YOU... BROUGHT US HERE...?

OF COURSE, COLIN. AND I GAVE YOU WHAT YOU *ALL* WANTED. SOMEWHERE THAT WAS *JUST* YOUR OWN. WHERE YOU COULD *LET GO* OF WHAT YOU WERE BEFORE. LIVE *NOW*, WITH OTHERS.

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QUEAESTCHKCH

THEN WHY THE ULTIMOS? WHY KILL OFF YOUR LOYAL SUBJECTS?

CLTNK

KCHNK

THE ONES WHO LIVED HERE BEFORE, *THEY* CREATED THE ULTIMOS. THE ULTIMOS *DESTROYED* THEM. ROAMED *FREE*. BUT I LEARNED HOW TO *REPROGRAM* THEM.

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ITSCHK!

AAAGH!

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WHY REPROGRAM THEM? WHY USE THEM TO KILL?

BECAUSE...

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...I COULDN'T...LET THE COLONY GROW TOO *BIG*... I MIGHT LOSE *LEADERSHIP... CONTROL.* SO I KEPT IT SMALL...

...AND WITH... A *THREAT*...ALWAYS LOOMING...THERE'D BE NO... *INFIGHTING...ARGUING... FACTIONS... ANY OF IT...*

JUST...PEACE... *HAPPINESS.*

WHEN I HEARD THE S.O.S. SIGNAL FROM YOUR SHIP...I *HAD* TO BRING YOU, TONY... IT WAS RISKY, BUT I *HAD* TO SHOW YOU... THAT I COULD...*LEAD*...SOMETHING... PURE.

IT'S NOT PURE, WILBUR. IT'S SICK. AND SAD.

AND...FROM WHAT IT LOOKS LIKE... PRETTY DANG *INFURIATING.*

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NO. DON'T DO THIS.

LET'S ALL REMAIN CALM--

YYYYAAAAAAAAHHHH!

PLEASE! NO!

I LOVE YOU ALL! I LOVE ALL OF YOU!

COLIN, WHAT IF THEY--?

THIS IS A SOCIETY AND THEIR INJUSTICE. YOU HAVE TO TRUST THEM TO DEAL WITH IT HOW THEY BEST SEE FIT.

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I WON'T LET THEM KILL HIM.

THESE ARE GOOD PEOPLE. THERE'S ALREADY BEEN TOO MUCH DEATH. THEY KNOW THAT.

FLEEAAZSSZHOO

HOLY GEEZ--

TONY STARK.

OH BOY.

I DIDN'T REALIZE THE LIVING TRIBUNAL KNEW MY FULL NAME... SEEMS BAD...

THE UNIVERSE IS ON THE VERGE OF CATASTROPHIC IMBALANCE. ONLY YOU CAN RESTORE THIS BALANCE. YOU MUST TRAVEL TO THE WORLDSHIP OF GALACTUS AT THIS VERY MOMENT.

RIGHT, YEAH, KORVAC. HE'S TALKING ABOUT THIS ANDROID NAMED KORVAC--WHO WANTS THE POWER COSMIC--

ANYWAY, IT LOOKS LIKE I'VE GOTTA GO...

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SO, UH...FROM WHAT YOU'RE TELLING ME, MY FRIENDS WON'T BE ABLE TO STOP KORVAC ON THEIR OWN. I HAVE TO DO IT.

I'LL GO, BUT ONLY IF YOU SEND ALL THE PEOPLE ON THIS PLANET HOME.

YOU GRAVELY MISUNDERSTAND MY WORDS, BUT YOU STILL MUST LEAVE NOW.

VERY WELL.

LET ME COME WITH YOU INSTEAD. SOUNDS LIKE YOU NEED ALL THE HELP YOU CAN **GET.**

YOU **SURE?** I DON'T KNOW IF ANY OF US ARE **COMING BACK** FROM THIS--

I'M IN. I MEAN, WHAT ELSE AM I DOIN', *EH?*

FLEEAAZSSZHOOO

...WAS THAT IT?

ARE WE ON *TAA-11?*

JUDGING BY THE **SIZE** OF THIS PLACE...I'D SAY **YES.**

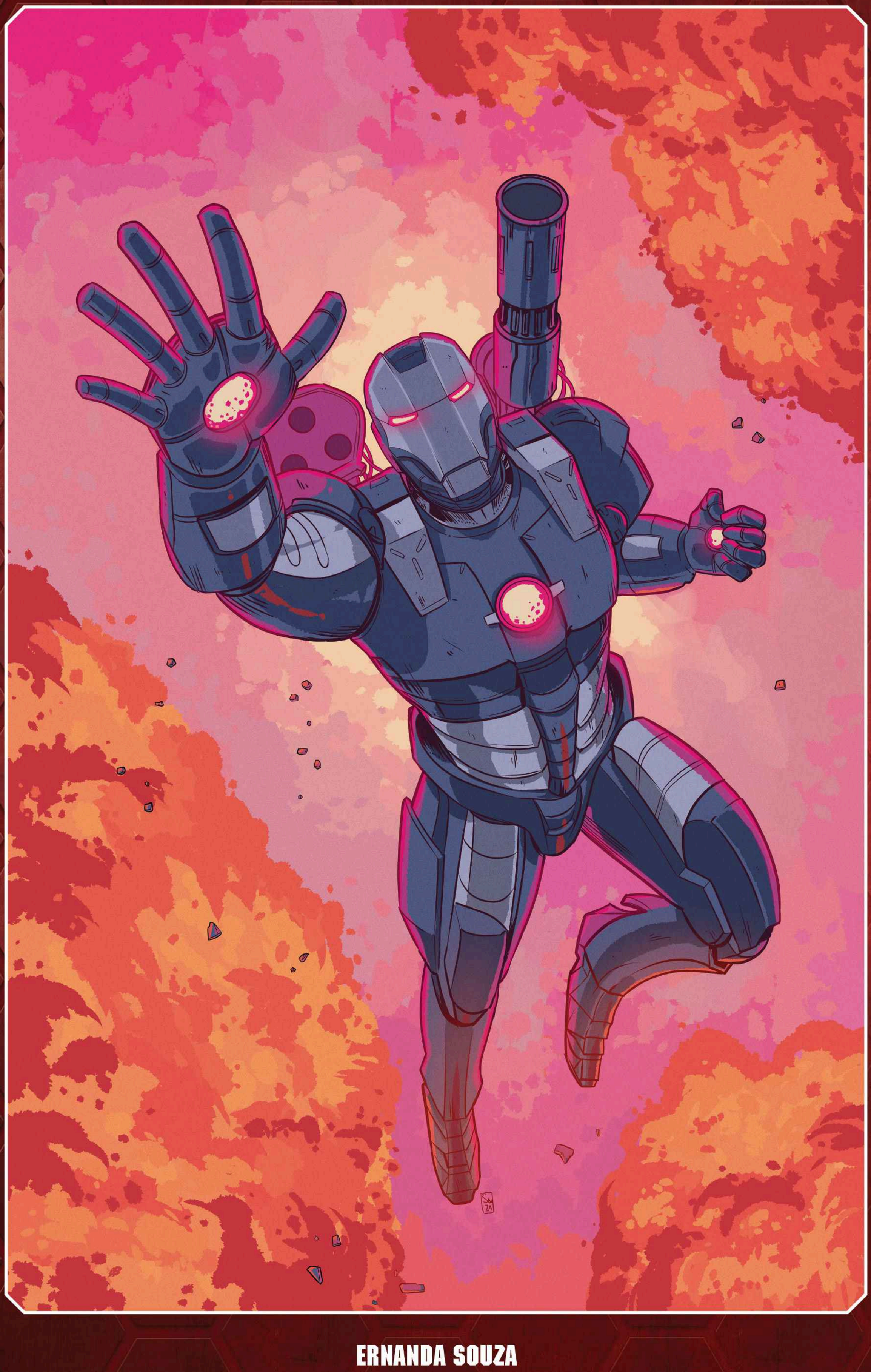
AND...LUCKY US, PERHAPS...I THINK WE'RE ENTIRELY **ALONE**... NO **KORVAC.** AND NO FLYING PURPLE **PLANET-EATER...**

INTRUDER ALERT. INTRUDER ALERT.

BUT I THINK WE JUST ACTIVATED HIS **DEFENSE SYSTEMS...**

TO BE CONTINUED!

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6 BLACK HISTORY MONTH VARIANT

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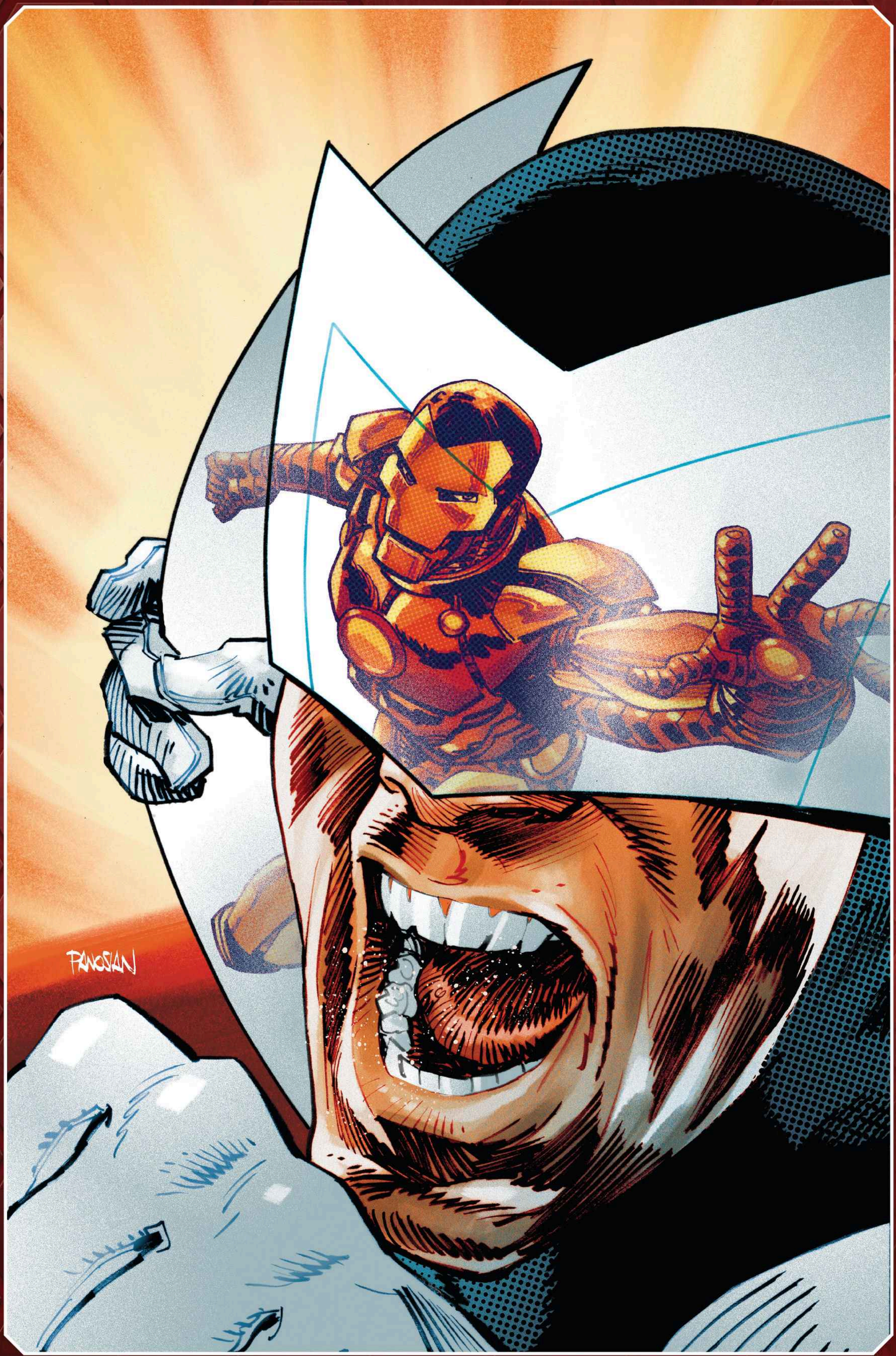
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9 SPIDER-MAN VILLAINS VARIANT

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