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THEN ~ NOW ~ FOREVER



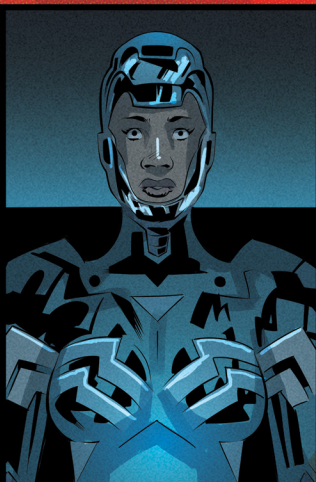
THEIR
RESISTANCE WILL
BE CONSIDERABLE!
IT WOULD BE WISE
TO ALLOW
ME TO --

BELAY
THAT INITIATIVE,
WARFAHR! JUST
STAY IN FORMATION
AND KEEP IT
TIGHT!

HELL,
YES! HERE
WE COME--!

WE'VE GOT A STRONG
TRACE SIGNAL, PEOPLE!
WE'RE **NOT** HERE TO LAY
WASTE TO THIS HELLHOLE
NATION --

-- SO KEEP
YOUR MINDS ON
THE MISSION AND
WE'LL BE BACK
HOME IN NO
TIME!



MARC
DAGGER!
I WARNED
YOU--!

DON'T --

NIGHTSTRIKER...
... ARE YOU
LISTENING...?



EH...?



DID YOU
HEAR WHAT
I SAID...?

SORRY,
NO...

... I WAS...
THINKING...

OKAY. DO
YOU... WANT
TO TALK
ABOUT IT OR
ANYTHING?



NOT
REALLY.

SO WHAT
WERE YOU
SAYING...?

JUST THAT
WE NEED TO **DECIDE**
WHETHER OR NOT
WE'RE GOING TO TELL
THE **REST** OF --

HEADS UP,
EVERYONE --



-- WE'RE
FINALLY COMING
UP ON THE DROP
ZONE.

STEALTH
TECH IS
ACTIVE FOR
LOW-ALTITUDE
APPROACH.

NOT FOR
NOTHING,
MAN OF
WAR --



-- BUT ARE YOU
UNDER THE
IMPRESSION THAT
YOU'RE **IN CHARGE**
OF THIS OP?

I JUST
DON'T RECALL
MISS RICHMOND
ASSIGNING
YOU THAT
AUTHORITY...

I'M NOT
JOCKEYING FOR
POSITION,
INFINITI.



I'M SIMPLY ACCESSING
MY OWN **EXPERIENCE**
DEALING WITH COMBAT
SITUATIONS LIKE
THIS ONE.

THIS IS
NO TIME FOR
DISCORD
WITHIN THE
RANKS.



LISTEN...

... I KNOW WE HAVEN'T HAD A CHANCE TO **TALK** SINCE... WELL, I MEAN... SINCE YOU AND I --

DIDN'T I **WARN** YOU NEVER TO MENTION THAT?

LIKE, **EVER?!**



LET'S JUST KEEP OUR MINDS ON THE **MISSION** HERE. NO DISTRACTIONS. NO **PERSONAL** ISSUES GETTING IN THE WAY.

REMEMBER... WE'RE ALL **PROFESSIONALS** HERE. AND **THAT** DICTATES **BEHAVIOR**.



SHIT. WE'RE ALL **OVER** THE PLACE...!

H-HEY, ARE YOU **ALRIGHT**...?

I DON'T KNOW. SOMETHING ABOUT THIS WHOLE THING... IT JUST FEELS... **OFF**, SOMEHOW.



BUT EVEN **MORE** THAN THAT...

I DON'T KNOW WHY ERIKA FELT SHE HAD TO BRING UP MY **FATHER**. SHE KNOWS BETTER.

REGARDLESS, I'M GOING TO MAKE **SURE**...



... THAT **HISTORY** DOESN'T **REPEAT** ITSELF.

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