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## **RUNNING BOX 4**

Memories rushed back to haunt the old woman! She would never forget that night 50 years ago when she lost her virginity! She would never forget the face of her attacker...the face of her father!



## **NEWSPAGE 15**

Gosh, it's just unbelievable, all the great new things happening at Warren Publishing these days! A new Creepy series...2 new Vampirella series...new, gruesome features for FM...and more! More! More!



## **GODDESS 16**

The pirates shuddered as they stepped out of the spacecraft! Something about this eerie planet was threatening! But before they could learn what it was, the planet itself had begun to devour them!



## **GHITA 29**

The marriage gondola continued to descend into blackness as dark as Archmage's soul! The gore-dripping undead of Ghita's blade came to watch as a hellish seed was implanted deep within her!



## **FARMED OUT 40**

In the 21st century, most of the earth's people lived on another planet, a lonely planet! Some took life as it came; others were determined to make things better... even if they had to kill to do it!



## **THE WARHAWKS 55**

The hell-raising Warhawks were fighting a war with the Poltroons on one side of the galaxy, but Earth was under attack by the Poltroons on the other side! Did anyone really know what the hell was going on?

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## prologue

THE CHILD SLEPT PEACEFULLY, DREAMING CAREFREE, LITTLE GIRL DREAMS!



HER BEDROOM DOOR CREAKED SLIGHTLY AS THE MAN...HER FATHER, QUIETLY PUSHED IT OPEN!



SHE SIGHED, SMILED IN HER SLEEP!



SHE WASN'T QUITE ELEVEN YEARS OLD, YET EAGERLY LOOKED FORWARD TO THE BIRTHDAY PARTY HER FATHER HAD PROMISED HER! IT WAS THE BIGGEST THING IN HER ANXIOUS YOUNG LIFE!



LITTLE DID SHE REALIZE THAT SHE WAS ABOUT TO RUSH HEAD-LONG INTO SOMETHING A WHOLE LOT BIGGER!



TEARS STREAKED FROM THE OLD WOMAN'S EYES AS THE MEMORIES FADED!

SHE HADN'T THOUGHT ABOUT HER FATHER IN YEARS...MUCH LESS THAT NIGHT ALMOST FIFTY YEARS BEFORE, WHEN HE'D COME INTO HER ROOM...INTO HER, IN WHAT WAS ONLY THE FIRST IN A STRING OF BRUTAL, SEXUAL ATTACKS!

THE FIRST TIME WAS SUPPOSED TO BE A WARM, GENTLE EXPERIENCE! BUT IT HADN'T BEEN THAT WAY, AT ALL!



THE FIRST TIME...AND ALL THE SUBSEQUENT TIMES WERE BRUTAL, FRIGHTENING, NIGHTMARISH EXPERIENCES! SHE REMEMBERED THEM NOW, AFTER HAVING EXILED THEM FROM HER MEMORY FOR SO LONG...ONLY BECAUSE OF HER GRANDDAUGHTER!

SOON, SHE KNEW THAT CHILD, TOO, WOULD LOSE HER LITTLE GIRL INNOCENCE! IN THIS CESSPOOL OF A WORLD WHERE HUMANITY HAD BEEN CHAR-BROILED BY NUCLEAR ARMAGEDDON, RESHAPED, REFORMED AND RECONSTITUTED BY DEFORMING NUCLEAR FALLOUT...A CHILD HAD NO CHANCE WHATSOEVER EVEN TO BE A CHILD!

SHE'D TRIED TO SHIELD THE CHILD FROM THE MUTANTS, THE SCAVENGERS, THE GODLESS PREDATORS WHO HAD OVERRUN AMERICA! SHE'D TRIED...AND SHE'D FAILED! NOW THE BASTARDS HAD THE GIRL AND, NO DOUBT, HAD ALREADY HAD THEIR PERVERSE WAY WITH HER!

# GRANDMOTHER RUNNING BOX

THE OLD WOMAN DIDN'T KNOW IF SHE'D EVER SEE  
HER GRANDDAUGHTER AGAIN!

SHE'D TRACKED THE RUSSIAN  
SCUM WHO'D TAKEN THE  
CHILD, FROM THE SWAMPY  
MUCK OF THE FLORIDA  
EVERGLADES, TO THE ICY  
POTOMAC OF EASTERN  
VIRGINIA!

IT HAD TAKEN ELEVEN  
AGONIZING, HEART-RENDING  
DAYS! YET, SHE DIDN'T CARE  
IF IT TOOK THE REST OF HER  
LIFE!



THE OLD WOMAN SWORE SHE'D  
NEVER REST UNTIL THE CHILD'S  
ABDUCTORS HAD PAID WITH  
THEIR LIVES!

AND GOD HELP ANYONE WHO DARED TO GET  
IN HER WAY!



KILL HER  
OLD WOMAN, AND  
YOUR LIFE IS  
MINE!

ANY  
OTHER TIME,  
I'D MAKE YOU  
EAT YOUR THREATS,  
GIRLIE! RIGHT NOW,  
I DON'T HAVE  
THE TIME TO  
WASTE ON  
YOU!

WE'RE NOT  
YOUR ENEMIES!  
WE HAD TO MAKE  
CERTAIN YOU WEREN'T  
ONE OF THE RUS-  
SIAN PIGS!

THESE WOODS  
ARE DANGEROUS  
FOR A WOMAN  
ALONE!

I'VE NO  
TIME FOR FOOD OR  
COMFORTS!

NOW THAT  
YOU KNOW, I'LL BE  
ON MY WAY!

LIFE  
IS DANGEROUS  
FOR A WOMAN  
ALONE!

COME WITH  
US! WE CAN FEED  
YOU... GIVE YOU  
SHELTER!

WE CAN  
HELP YOU SAVE  
THE GIRL!

WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT MY CHILD?

COME! WE'LL SHOW YOU!

WHAT THE HELL IS THIS PLACE?

OUR HOME!

ONCE, IT WAS A VAST, UNDERGROUND RAILWAY NETWORK! A SUBWAY, AS IT WAS CALLED!

THOUSANDS FOUND REFUGE DOWN HERE AFTER THE GREAT WAR!

THOUSANDS? WHATEVER BECAME OF THEM?

THEY'RE STILL HERE... ONE WAY OR ANOTHER!

AS ARE MANY OF THE SOVIET SWINE!

GOOD GOD!





THAT'S ONE OF THE BASTARDS WHO RAN OFF WITH MY CHILD!

WE KNOW! HIS EXPEDITIONARY PARTY ENTERED OUR AREA THIS MORNING!



WE KILLED THREE OF HIS GROUP, BUT WERE UNABLE TO RECOVER THE GIRL!



YOU HAVE SEEN HER THEN SHE'S ALL RIGHT?

AS FAR AS WE COULD TELL, THEY HADN'T YET TOUCHED HER!



HOW DO YOU KNOW THAT?

SHE'S NOT THE FIRST! IT'S STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURE WITH THESE SOVIET RAIDING PARTIES! THEY BRING BACK ANY NON-MUTATED VIRGIN THEY CAN FIND!



BRING BACK?

TO WASHINGTON, DC... NEW MOSCOW... THEIR OPERATIONAL BASE!

YOU MUST KNOW... THE CITY BELONGS TO THE SOVIETS! THEY'VE OCCUPIED IT SINCE THE END OF THE WAR!

THEIR COMMISSAR... GENERAL ANATOLI YANKOVITCH HAS AN INSATIABLE APPETITE FOR LITTLE GIRLS! THE RUSSKIE FIELD COMMANDERS TRY TO STAY IN HIS GOOD GRACES BY MAKING SMALL 'GIFTS' OF ANY BUDDING UNSPOILED FEMALES THEY CAN FIND!



I'M SORRY TO BE THE ONE!

GOD! NO!



YOUR CHILD WILL BE OKAY UNTIL TONIGHT, WHEN THE GIFTS ARE PRESENTED!

THEN, I... I HAVEN'T MUCH TIME!



WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO? TAKE ON THE ENTIRE SOVIET OCCUPATION FORCE?

STAY! REST! COME NIGHTFALL, YOU WILL FEEL REFRESHED...AND WE'LL SHOW YOU WHERE YOU CAN FIND THE RUSSIAN COMMISSAR AND YOUR CHILD!

WE'VE HELPED OTHERS! EACH TIME THEY, AS WELL AS MORE OF US, HAVE BEEN BUTCHERED!

ONCE...TARA WAS CAPTURED! THE BASTARDS LET HER GO AFTER HALF OF THEM HAD THEIR WAY WITH HER!

SHE HASN'T BEEN THE SAME SINCE!

I...I CAN'T JUST LET THEM HAVE HER!

YOU WON'T HELP ME, THEN?

CHOKED TO DEATH!



WE'RE NOT TOTALLY WITHOUT SYMPATHY! WE WILL GUIDE YOU! THIS SUBWAY SYSTEM IS LIKE A MAZE, WINDING ITS WAY UNDER WHAT'S LEFT OF THE CITY AND ITS OUTSKIRTS!

BEYOND THAT... THERE'S LITTLE WE CAN DO!

HOW DID  
THE RUSSIANS  
COME TO CAP-  
TURE YOUR  
DAUGHTER?

NO!  
NOT DAUGHTER!  
I-I CALL HER MY  
GRANDDAUGHTER  
BUT...

SHE'S  
NOT EVEN THAT!

"I GUESS IT ALL STARTED THIRTEEN YEARS AGO! THE REDS HAD ALREADY MADE THEIR WAR-LIKE INTENTIONS KNOWN! I WAS ONE OF THE FEW WHO TRIED TO ESCAPE THEM AND THE DEGENERACY WITHIN OUR OWN SOCIETY, BY RETREATING DEEP INTO THE FLORIDA SWAMPS!"

"I HEARD THE INCOMING SOVIET MISSILES AND FIGURED THINGS WERE KIND'A HARD TO IGNORE THE MUSHROOM CLOUDS! WHEN I SAW THEM, I KNEW THE WHOLE BALL'A BEANS WAS TURNING INTO UNADULTERATED SHIT!"

"I TRUGGED INTO THE CITY TO FIND OUT HOW BAD IT REALLY WAS! I DON'T KNOW WHAT IT WAS LIKE ELSEWHERE, BUT THE SUNBELT HAD BEEN HIT PRETTY HARD!"

THERE WEREN'T MANY PEOPLE LEFT! THOSE WHO SOMEHOW MANAGED TO WEATHER DOOMSDAY WEREN'T COUNTING ON LONG, PROSPEROUS LIVES!"



"IT WAS A TIME OF  
INSANITY...PEOPLE  
DOING INSANE  
THINGS TO SURVIVE  
ANOTHER  
HOUR...ANOTHER  
DAY!"

"THE FIRST TIME I  
SET EYES ON THE  
CHILD, I KNEW SHE  
WAS A NATURAL-  
BORN SURVIVOR!  
SHE COULDN'T VE  
BEEN MORE THAN A  
YEAR OLD...CRAWL-  
ING THROUGH THE  
RUBBLE LIKE SHE  
WAS CROWN  
PRINCESS OF THE  
HEAP!"

"GOD ALONE KNOWS HOW SHE MADE IT THROUGH THE BLASTS!  
YET, EVEN WITH HER TERRIFIC WILL TO SURVIVE, THERE'S NO  
WAY THAT BABY COULD HAVE MADE IT ON HER OWN!"

"I TOOK HER BACK INTO THE SWAMPS WITH ME,  
KNOWING THAT WAS THE ONLY PLACE WE HAD A  
CHANCE OF SURVIVING!"

"BECAUSE I DIDN'T KNOW WHAT SHE'D BEEN CALLED BEFORE, I  
GAVE THE CHILD A PROUD SEMINOLE NAME. AFTER ONE OF MY  
PEOPLE'S WISEST, MOST RESPECTED BROTHER CREATURES!"

"FROM NOW  
ON, YOU, TOO,  
ARE LITTLE  
BEAVER!"

"I KNEW OF THE SEXIST CONNOTATIONS THE WHITE MAN HAD IMPARTED TO SUCH A NAME! BUT, THE WORLD OF THE WHITE  
MAN WAS NO LONGER, I REASONED! IT WAS TIME FOR OLDER, MORE GENTLE WAYS TO PREVAIL!"

"YET, AS MY BEAVER GREW, I LEARNED THAT THE WHITE WAR-LOVERS WERE NOT SO EASILY WRITTEN FROM OUR LIVES! WE AVOIDED THEM WHENEVER POSSIBLE! AND WHEN THAT BECAME IMPOSSIBLE..."

"I TAUGHT MY CHILD HOW TO KILL!"

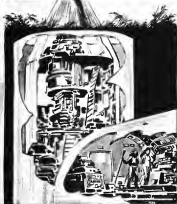
"WE SURVIVED AND CELEBRATED EACH NEW DAY OF LIFE!"



OUR HOME FOR MOST OF THE CHILD'S LIFE WAS AN ABANDONED MISSILE BASE, DEEP IN THE FLORIDA SWAMPS!

"THE MISSILES WERE STILL INTACT! NEITHER BEAVER NOR I EVER KNEW HOW TO OPERATE THE WARHEADS... AND WOULDN'T HAVE TOYED WITH THEM IF WE HAD!"

"THE RUSSIANS KNEW, THOUGH, AND I SHOULD HAVE ANTICIPATED THAT SOONER OR LATER, THEY'D COME AROUND TO CHECK THE BASE AND ITS MISSILE SYSTEM, THOROUGHLY!"



"WHEN THEY CAME, WE FIGURED WE'D BE READY FOR THEM!"



"WE WEREN'T!"

"KRAK!"



"THEY CLAIMED THEIR WARHEADS...AND MY CHILD, TOO..."



"...AND LEFT ME TO ROT IN THE SWAMP!"



"BY THE TIME I PULLED MYSELF OUT OF THE SLIME"



"...MOST OF THE SOVIETS WERE LONG GONE!"



"THOSE WHO'D BEEN LEFT BEHIND WERE ABOUT AS READY FOR ME AS I HAD BEEN FOR THEM!"



"I MADE THEM REGRET HAVING EVER LAID EYES ON ME AND MY CHILD!"



"AND I SWORE I'D DO THE SAME TO ANY OF THE SOVIET BUTCHERS WHO LAID HANDS ON MY LITTLE BEAVER!"



"THAT'S WHEN YOU FOLLOWED THEM... ALL THE WAY FROM THE SOUTHERN SWAMPS, TO THE OUTSKIRTS OF THEIR CAPITOL?"

"I'D FOLLOW THEM TO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH IF NEED BE! THERE'S NOTHING...NO DISTANCE THAT WILL KEEP ME FROM MY CHILD!"



"AND GOD HELP THE HEATHEN DOG WHO EVEN THINKS ABOUT COMPROMISING HER VIRTUE!"

TO BE CONTINUED!

# THE TOXIOUS NEWSPAGE

We've got nothing but good news this time around, gang! Two new series upcoming in VAMPIRELLA, all about FM's 25th Anniversary, plus an invitation to all our readers to write in and let us know what types of stories are preferred in CREEPY magazine! Read on! Read on!



## LOTS A LETTERS?

Reader response to the discontinuation of our letters page has been positively negative! So...in addition to the *Nonsensical Newspage*, we pledge to bring back letters in CREEPY, EERIE, and VAMPIRELLA! Of course, you should know by now not to hold us to our word on this! And to open our mouth a little wider in order to accommodate more feet at a later date, we'll even go so far as to say that, any time we can make room, we'll run a double-page spread of letters! (Of course, that means you'll have to write us twice as often, but that's your problem!)

What would the world be like if it was run entirely by children? The possibilities are explored in a new CREEPY series written by Carlos Trillo entitled *The Last Reces*. In the first installment, a mysterious plague sweeps over the earth, killing off all the adults. Only the children survive! Perhaps inevitably, the youngsters who once were friends spill into two distinct groups: those who want to live in peace, and the leather-jacketed, knife-wielding gangs who prefer to savage the land in the name of "fun." *The Last Reces* features some of the world's most talented artists and is a great addition to a Warren publication. The new series debuts in CREEPY #146.

*Moonstone* and *Jan* and *the Triad* are two new series upcoming in VAMPIRELLA. In the former, a voluptuous bar/bian woman journeys across vast wastelands in search of the answer to a fantastic riddle. Her quest leads her into some perilous predicaments...busting sub-humans, monstrous beasts, and her own self-doubts (sounds like a day on the unemployment line, doesn't it?). *Rudy Nebres* is illustrating the series, which is scripted by Bill Doherty.

*Jan* and *the Triad* is currently being written by former Warren editor David Allikas. In this new series, a young woman uncorks a strange bottle and out pops not one...not two...but three genies—each with its own identity, its own powers, and its own motives! Poor Jan never knows beforehand which genie is going to answer her summons, setting the scene for some wild fun. You'll see this one some time after the New Year...if we can get Pablo Marcos to stop partying long enough to draw it!



## THANKS, J.R.!

Wow, were we blown away when reader Jim Rhodes mailed us a VAMPIRELLA magazine index, complete with interior cover illustrations and exponential notations highlighting the most important developments in the magazine's 14 year history! And to think he did it without us even asking...! Jim's pamphlet (actually almost a magazine in itself) lists all the stories, along with artists' and writers' credits, from every issue of VAMPIRELLA, from numbers 1-109. It's an invaluable reference guide, and we'd like to take the time to officially compliment Jim on his excellent work. Thanks, J.R.! The VAMPIRE index sure will come in handy around here! (Gosh...now if we could only talk him into doing one for CREEPY, EERIE, and 1994...!)



## THE GREAT DEBATE!

The CREEPY Controversy has raged for years: what kinds of stories really belong in CREEPY? Here's your chance to tell us what you think.

Should CREEPY run just short horror tales? Or is there room for science-fiction and fantasy? Should the stories be a fixed length? What about book-length epics? Would you like to see series introduced into CREEPY, or remain strictly in EERIE? Should we bring back "theme issues"?

Think about it. And after you've done think, send us your remarks. Address all suggestions to "The Great Debate," CREEPY Magazine, Warren Publishing Company, 145 East 32nd Street, New York, N.Y. 10016. We'll listen, we promise!



## FM FACELIFT!

Readers keep asking us, with Furry Ackerman no longer editing FM, what will the "new" FAMOUS MONSTERS be like? Actually, it won't be that "new." We thought Furry's FM was a great magazine...we've only added new spice to the brew! Beginning with FM 191, each issue will contain a major filmbook in the classic FM tradition, plus a revised News Department filled to overflowing with in-depth looks at upcoming fright flicks and behind-the-scenes stories. Then there's our Video Section, Science Page, and hard-to-find Movie Review feature! On the lighter side, FM's "Great Moments in Cinema" spotlights some of the biggest flops ever committed to celluloid! All in all, FM is better than ever! We'd tell more, but we'd rather you pick up FM 191 yourself and see the shocking surprises we have in store for our vast readers!

An even bigger surprise awaits those sturdy souls who dare to pick up FM 192, our giant 25th Anniversary package! Twenty-five years ago (as of February 8, 1983) Jan Warren published the first issue of FAMOUS MONSTERS, and we've been at the forefront of the monster movement ever since. FM 192 will be a full 100 pages thick—shock-full of demonic delights and horrible highlights from 1958-1982! In addition to bringing you exciting insights into the greatest monsters and villains of the past 25 years, this special edition of FAMOUS MONSTERS will feature articles on special effects, Saturday matinees, subtlety and splatter in horror (with the "final word" on the subject by none other than the creator of the gore film, Herschell Gordon Lewis!), a brand new, updated FM Index and history of FAMOUS MONSTERS, and lots of other ghoulish goodies...including a surprise interview or two! It's all on sale this February. Watch (out) for it!

# COMING WARREN MAGAZINES

FM #191: Get the incisive, penetrating details about the behind-the-scenes action on the set of the new movie, *The Dark Crystal*. Also, the second part of our *Time Machine* film book, plus this year's fantasy & sci-fi television shows, great movie reviews, and all-new departments!

ON SALE DECEMBER 14!

EERIE #139: At last, it's Rich Margopoulos' long-awaited *Voyage of the Space Beagle*, rounded by Luis Bermejo, plus *The Infinity Force*, a full-color gem by Dobby & Nebres, Kelly Friese's fantastic cover, and much more. We're sure you'll find this issue EERIE-sible!

ON SALE DECEMBER 14!

VAMPIRE #112: An issue you shouldn't miss—it's a double dose of the Drakulonica heroine! Rich Margopoulos teams up with Jose Gonzalez for *Walker of the Worlds* and combines with Gonzalo Mayo in *Feeding Frenzy!* Plus *The Fox*, *The Ransom*, and *Limbo* by Marot!

ON SALE DECEMBER 21!

CREEPY #146: A tale of the old West so gruesome your own blood will run cold! It's *Mane Blood* by McGregor & Sanchez! Plus *Michael Fleisher* and *Delgado Niao's* *The Iceman Killeth* and *All of Them Must Die!* An issue we're sure will send chills up and down your spine!

ON SALE DECEMBER 21!

SPAZZ!

VOOM!



SENSORS CONFIRM, CAPTAIN... THE POLICE SHIP'S ENGINES ARE CRIPPLED!

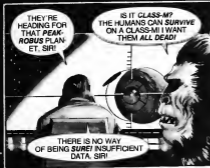
THEY WERE WARNED NOT TO INTERFERE WITH OUR SLAVE ROUTES!

FINISH THEM!



OUR ENGINES TOOK A DIRECT, SIR! THEY'RE FALTERING! RESERVE POWER NEAR DEPLETION!

SCAN FOR A CLASS-M PLANET AND GO LIKE HELL FOR IT!



THEY'RE HEADING FOR THAT PEAK-ROBUS PLANET, SIR!

IS IT CLASS-M? THE HUMANS CAN SURVIVE ON A CLASS-M! I WANT THEM ALL DEAD!

THERE IS NO WAY OF BEING SURE! INSUFFICIENT DATA, SIR!



THE TARGET PLANET DEFIES CLASSIFICATION, CAPTAIN! THE ATMOSPHERE IS COMPATIBLE... BUT THE SURFACE READINGS ARE WILD!

WE'VE GOT NO CHOICE NOW! INITIATE LANDING PROCEDURES AND PRAY YOUR ASS OFF!



THEY'VE ENTERED THE PLANET'S ORBIT! BLAST THEM! THEY MUST NOT ESCAPE!

NO MATTER, SIR! WITHIN 48 PLANET REVOLUTIONS, THIS SYSTEM'S SUN WILL GO NOVA! THIS QUADRANT WILL BE DEVASTATED! COMPUTER CONFIRMS WITH TOTAL CERTAINTY!

THE HUMANS ARE DOOMED!



...GO NOVA WITHIN FORTY BLEEMS! THIS PLANET WILL BE DESTROYED! SORRY, SIR! IT APPEARS OUR LUCK HAS-I

WE'VE GOT NOTHING TO LOSE THEN. DO WE? SUMMON ALL RESERVE POWER AND BLAST THOSE FUCKERS TO CONFETTI!



WITT!

WITT!

BLOOM!

# GODDESS

WE'VE HIT THEM!  
CAPTAIN! A DIRECT ON THEIR  
FUSION TUBES!

SMALL CONSOLATION,  
BUT CONSOLATION NONETHELESS!  
PROCEED TO THE PLANET SURFACE  
...AND MAY GOD HELP US!

OUR  
FUSION TUBES  
ARE DAMAGED. SIR!  
WE'LL HAVE TO PUT  
DOWN FOR RE-  
PAIRS!

SPAK!

SPUT!

SPAK!

REPAIRS HAD  
BETTER BE COMPLETED  
BEFORE THAT SUN GOES  
NOVA, OR I'LL HAVE  
YOUR BALLS IN A  
BASKET!

UNITED PLANETS MILITARY CRUISER  
AV-9, CAPTAIN EARNEST SPELCHUCK  
COMMANDING, WEAVES THROUGH  
THE PLANET'S ATMOSPHERE AND  
PREPARES TO MAKE A FAULTY-  
ENGINE LANDING MANEUVER...

...WHILE IN THE PLANET'S  
DARK HEMISPHERE, THE  
PIRATE SHIP MAKES A  
SIMILAR FORCED LANDING!

THE PIRATE SHIP COMES TO REST IN A REGION CHOKED WITH MARSH AND JUNGLE...!



REPAIRS MAY TAKE A WHILE! FORM A PERIMETER AROUND THE SHIP!

PUTER SAYS THERE'S LIFEFORMS ALL OVER THIS DAMN PLANET!

THEY'RE WATCHING US! I CAN FEEL 'EM!



OWWWW! FUCKIN' MOSQUITO TOOK OFF A PIECE OF MY CHEEK!



THIS IS NOT A MOSQUITO, SIR! ITS SKIN IS METALLOID! BUT...BUT ITS INTERIOR JELLY IS ORGANIC...! I THINK!



IT SEEMS LIKE A PROBE OF SOME KIND! A SENSOR!

I DON'T LIKE IT. A WORKING ALLIANCE BETWEEN INORGANIC AND ORGANIC FORMS!



DO YOU SEE IT? THE WHOLE DAMN JUNGLE IS MOVING! MAYBE WE SHOULD--!

SIR!

WHA--?

BACK TO THE SHIP!



THE SHIP!  
IT...IT'S BEING  
DISMANTLED!



T-THE  
GROUND! IT...IT'S  
MOVING! S-SOMEBODY  
STOP IT...!



AS THE FRANTIC PIRATES ARE  
DRAGGED UNDERGROUND, A  
VOICE...BORNE ON THE  
WIND...OR INSIDE THEIR OWN  
SCREECHING SKULLS...SINGS A  
CRUEL SONG...!

EVEN AS THEIR EARS ARE SPIKED AND PEELED, THE VOICE GRATES INSIDE THEM. "YOU ARE OF VISCERON NOW! YOU ARE A PART OF ME! YOU BELONG TO ME.. VISCERON, THE MIGHTY!"

EVEN AS THEIR BODIES ARE GOUGED, DRILLED, AND SHREDDED, THE VOICE BELLOWES ON... "YOUR WILL IS MINE! YOUR BODY! YOUR SOUL! YOUR PARTS WILL BE RE-EMPLOYED, EACH GOBBET USED TO FUEL AND FUSE THE ENTIRETY OF ME. VISCERON!"

"ALL IS VISCERON! VISCERON'S IS ALL!  
VISCERON IS GOD! SCREAM! YOUR PAIN FUELS  
VISCERON! VISCERON THRIVES ON NEW PAIN,  
NEW FEAR!"

THE PIRATES SCREAM! CHOPPED INTO A THOUSAND PIECES AND SCATTERED  
ACROSS THE TERRA-MECHANISM, THE PIRATES SCREAM...UNTIL THEIR  
SCREAMS BECOME PART OF THE RELENTLESS CHANT...THE SONG OF THEIR  
AWESOME NEW MASTER!

MEANWHILE, IN THE OTHER HEMISPHERE...

THAT'S THE GODDAMNDEST THING I EVER SAW!

YOU GOTTA SEE THIS, CAPTAIN! THIS LITTLE BUG IS STUDYING MY CONSOLE AS METHODOLOGICALLY AS ONE OF THOSE GAMMA NINE EXCHANGE STUDENTS WE TOOK ON LAST YEAR!

THEY DON'T SEEM TO MIND IF I STUDY THEM, EITHER! TEST RESULTS SHOULD BE IN ANY TIME NOW!

BLAST YOU, SIMPSON! IN JUST 37 BLEEMS, THIS WHOLE PLANETARY SYSTEM IS GOING BLOOEY! YOUR ORDERS ARE TO REPAIR OUR ENGINES...NOT PLAY WITH THESE CRAZY ANIMALS...OR MACHINES...OR WHATEVER...!

YOU MAY HAVE GIVEN UP HOPE OF LEAVING THIS PLANET ALIVE, BUT I HAVEN'T!

NO!

SMULCH!  
OOOEE!

"I THINK THAT IF WE WANT TO MAKE A PRELIMINARY...AND SUPERFICIAL...COMPARISON, CAPTAIN, WE COULD LIKEN EACH OF THESE CREATURES TO AN INDIVIDUAL BEE IN A HIVE, OR ONE ANT IN A COLONY! EACH CREATURE IS ONE, SIMPLE BIT OF A WHOLE! TAKEN TOGETHER, THEY MAKE UP ONE OVER-ORGANISM!"

"IT IS CLEAR THAT THEY ARE INTELLIGENT, IF SIMPLE! AND I THINK WE CAN ASSUME THAT THERE IS A GREATER INTELLIGENCE GUIDING THEM!"

"MY TEST RESULTS MUST BE LABELED INCONCLUSIVE, CAPTAIN SPELCHUCK! INSUFFICIENT DATA, YOU UNDERSTAND! BUT WHAT WE HAVE COULD SET THE FIELD OF BIO-MECHANICS ON ITS EAR! LOOK AT THIS! THE INTERIOR JELLY OF THESE CREATURES IS AN AMINO ACID OF SOME KIND! THE VERY STUFF OF LIFE!"

"AND...THIS AMINO ACID IS NOT ONLY THE SEAT OF INTELLIGENCE, BUT IT SERVES AS A FUEL TO DRIVE THE ENVELOPING METAL ALLOY THAT MAKES UP THE BODY! AND...GET THIS...THE BALANCE OF THE ORGANIC JELLY AND THE METAL ALLOY IS CONSTANTLY METAMORPHOSING! THE BALANCE BETWEEN ORGANIC AND INORGANIC IS IN CONSTANT FLUX!"

LOOK, CAPTAIN SPELCHUCK! IT'S ALREADY REPAIRING ITSELF!

DIT!  
D-DIT!  
D-DDIT!

SOME OF THEM ARE CARRYING MACHINERY OF REMARKABLE SOPHISTICATION! THE GADGETRY DOESN'T COME FROM OUR SHIP! WHERE DOES IT COME FROM?

MORE IMPORTANTLY, SIMPSON...WHERE THE HELL IS MY CREW? I SENT A FEW OUT ON RECONNAISSANCE...BUT NOW, EVERY ONE IS GONE!

WHAT'S IT FOR? WHAT ARE THEY BUILDING?

AND IT'S OFF AND RUNNING AGAIN! IT...IT'S MIRACULOUS!

I FEEL  
THEY WENT THIS  
WAY...J

WHY?

I DON'T  
KNOW! I JUST  
DO! I-I

WAIT! DO  
YOU HEAR SOME  
THING?

MY GOD,  
CAPTAIN!  
LOOK!

THIS  
PLANET HAS  
MORE TO OFFER  
THAN CUTE  
BUGS!

LIKE THE SIRENS OF LEGEND, THE ALLURING  
VOLUPTUARIES DRAW THE MEN IRRESISTIBLY TO  
THEIR EMBRACE!

THEY RISE FROM THE EARTH, SWAYING SENSUOUSLY  
AND COOING SONGS OF ENDEARMENT AND  
SEDUCTION...!

THIS...  
THIS MUST BE A  
TRAP! YOU MEN!  
GET AWAY!

I SENSE  
NO DANGER,  
SIR!

REQUEST  
PERMISSION  
TO EXAMINE  
THE LIFE-  
FORMS!

SIMPSON,  
WAIT! PERMISSION  
DE-I

OH HELL!  
GO AHEAD!

WELCOME!  
OH, WELCOME  
WELCOME!





I... I'M SORRY I HIT YOU! IT'S JUST THAT... YOU WON'T UNDERSTAND, BUT... YOUR SUN IS ABOUT TO NOVA! UNDERSTAND? IT'S GOING TO EXPLODE!



YOUR PLANET WILL BE DESTROYED... BURNT OR FROZEN OR WHACKED OFF ITS AXIS! CAN'T YOU SEE?!



ALL WILL BE WELL WITH THE GODDESS!

TAKE US ALOFT, MY FRIENDS!



WHAT THE-! H-HEY! PUT ME DOWN! PUT-!



THE GODDESS LOVES AND SUSTAINS US, AND WE IN TURN LOVE AND SUSTAIN THE GODDESS!

THE LOVE YOUR CREWMEN HAVE GIVEN, THE LIFE FORCE THEY FREELY SHARED... EVEN THEIR OWN BODIES... ARE FUEL FOR THE GODDESS' CONSTRUCTION...!



YOU MEAN THESE MOUNTAINS... THIS IS YOUR GODDESS? AND... AND IT... SHE LIVES?!



**SHE LIVES!  
WE LIVE ON HER  
ACCOUNT! WE ARE  
ALL OF THE GOD-  
DESS! WE HOPED  
THAT YOU WOULD  
JOIN US!**

**THIS IS FANTASTIC! YOU  
MEAN...BY MAKING LOVE TO YOU,  
MY ENERGY FUELS THESE MACHINES?  
AND IF I SURRENDER MY BODY, IT  
WOULD BECOME A PART OF  
THE GODDESS?**



**I DO WANT  
TO BE A PART  
OF THIS!**

**SHOW ME  
HOW...!**



**NOTHING  
IS WASTED!  
NEITHER FLESH  
NOR SPIRIT!  
YOUR IMAGINA-  
TION BECOMES  
A FRAGMENT OF  
THE GREAT  
POOL!**



**"YOUR PAIN AND  
HATRED HAVE  
DONE VISCERON  
WELL! IT IS  
TIME TO RISE!  
TO CONQUER! TO  
KILL! TIME TO  
DOMINATE ALL  
THE PUNY LIFE-  
FORMS ON  
THIS  
PLANET!"**

**THERE COMES A STIRRING IN  
THE EARTH OVER A VAST  
REGION OF THE FAR  
HEMISPHERE !**

**THE SURFACE CRACKS AND  
HEAVES... AND SUDDENLY A  
CLAW DRIPPING WITH ROT  
AND DECAY REACHES OVER  
THE LIP, HAULING ITSELF  
UPWARD FROM THE NOISOME  
DEPTHS!**



**RMMMMM!**



**K-K-DOSHSH!**





RISE FROM HIS FATHOMS-DEEP GRAVE OF SHIT, MAGGOTS, AND PUS IS VISCERON, THE MAD GOD OF THE UNDERWORLD!

"RISE! RISE IN A WAR STANCE!" HE HISSES AS, WITH A FLICKING OF HIS SPIKED TONGUE AND A QUIVERING OF HIS SLIMY BODY, HE LAUNCHES HIMSELF FORWARD!



THE EARTH TREMBLES AS VISCERON BARRELS TOWARD THE LIVING MOUNTAIN RANGE CALLED THE GODDESS! VISCERON RELEASES A WASTE LUMP AS AN ADVANCED SCOUT...

AND SOON THE WASTE LUMP IS SKITTERING ACROSS THE OUTER FRINGES OF THE GODDESS' REGION...!



A CREATURE NOT OF THE GODDESS! A MOUND OF HELLI FLEE!



TOO FLEE!  
HELP!

THE MAD GOD OF HELL HAS RISEN!

RUN!

WHAT'S THE MATTER? WHERE ARE THEY ALL GOING?



QUICKLY! WE MUST FLEE TO THE GODDESS' HEART AND HOPE TO BE SAFE!



FLEE, MY ASS! I'VE FOUND SOMETHING WORTH LIVING FOR... AND I'LL FIGHT FOR IT!



THE GODDESS STIRS TO WAKEFULNESS, BUT IT IS TOO LATE! VISCERON IS UPON HER!

NOW, HIGH AND MIGHTY GODDESS, YOU SHALL BE BROUGHT LOW...AND KNOW THE PAIN OF VISCERON'S DRILL!

FOR CENTURIES YOU HAVE LAID THERE STUPIDLY, WHILE I'VE BECOME STRONGER!

THE GODDESS HAS BEEN PENETRATED! WE MUST RUN!

I WON'T!

BUT COOPERATION IS ALL WE KNOW! THE GODDESS WOULD NOT WANT US TO FIGHT THEM!

RAR!

BRRR!

RAR!

GRAR!

BUT SPELCHUCK SEIZES A HEAVY METAL CLUB AND FACES THE MENULING DEMONS, BRAVELY DECAPITATING ONE AS MORE SNAP AND SNARL ALL AROUND HIM!

BLARA!  
GRRLL!  
BIBBL!

BZZAT!

RARGHGH!  
BRRARRFF!



THOUGH SPELCHUCK FIGHTS GALLANTLY, BASHING THE GROTESQUE, GURGling GARGANTUANS LEFT AND RIGHT... HE IS SOON OVERWHELMED! HE FALLS... WITH COLD METAL, PIERCING HIS FLESH IN A DOZEN PLACES!

AGAINST ALL HER STRONGEST IMPULSES, VIOLA STOOD

BY SPELCHUCK AGAINST THE SLITHERING HORDE... AND NOW SHE PAYS THE PRICE! THE DROOLING DEMONS FALL UPON HER WITH MAD ABANDON!



BUT SUDDENLY, THROUGHOUT THE GODDESS' BODY, THERE IS AN INTENSE VIBRATION... A DEEP RUMBLING...

AND OUTSIDE, AN EXPLOSIVE DERVISH OF RADIANT ENERGY!



THE GODDESS RISES! THE GODDESS SHINES WITH BRILLIANT STABBING COLOR! THE TWITCHING VISCERON STRUGGLES IN HER GRIP AS HE IS LIFTED OFF THE PLANET SURFACE INTO THE AIR...



...UNTIL, WITH A WRENCHING SCRAPE OF METAL AND JELLY, HIS DRILL IS RIPPED FROM HIS BODY!

USING THE INGENUITY AND SPIRIT OF THE CREW OF MILITIAL SHIP AV-9...AND THEIR KNOWLEDGE OF THE COMING NOVA...THE GODDESS HAS REFASHIONED HERSELF IN THE SPAN OF A FEW HOURS INTO AN INTERSTELLAR SPACECRAFT!



AND AT THE HELM OF THIS UNIQUE SHIP, PILOTING THIS BRAVE NEW VOYAGE AWAY FROM DEVASTATION, INTO THE UNKNOWN...



A RENEWED, RESTORED EARNEST SPELCHUCK, A MAN WILLING TO DIE FOR A SYSTEM ALIEN TO HIM! SPELCHUCK IS THE EYE, THE CAPTAIN, THE CONTROL OF SPACESHIP GODDESS...AND HE WILL BE HER HEART FOREVER!



# Ghita

## OF ALZARR

BY FRANK THORNE

RAHMUZ' ORNATE MARRIAGE GONDOLA RESTS AT THE BOTTOM OF THE PIT OF BLACK NECTAR, FAR BENEATH THE URDISH NUPTIAL DOME! THE MULTARMED SORCERER SUMMONS AN AUDIENCE OF PHANTOMS TO WITNESS HIS WEDDING TO GHITA! THE MUMMIFIED CARCASS OF KHAN-DAGON, GENERAL OF ALZARR'S ARMIES, BOARDS THE FRAIL CRAFT! THE CORPSE ATTEMPTS TO TAKE GHITA FOR HIS OWN! RAHMUZ STRUGGLES WITH KHAN-DAGON AS THE VICTIMS OF GHITA'S BLADE

PHANTOMIC 'U'DNAD HEB EYEN DELPEA WITU TPE 76/133!

AS THE PHANTOMS DO HIS BIDDING, THE LATE GENERAL COMPLIMENTS GHITA!

SOLDIERY IS NOT PLAY-  
ACTING, WHORE-THEIF! BUT  
YOU'LL ENOUGH REGRUIT  
THE QUICK FOR THE  
ARMY OF DEATH!

BLOODLETTING SO NIMBLE IS  
UNCOMMON FOR A COMMON  
WENCH YOU'VE EARNED A RANK  
ABOVE CORPORAL!



THE HELLHORDE GARGLES ITS APPROVAL!

YOU WILL HAVE A  
PLATOON OF  
DEMONS AT YOUR  
COMMAND!



BUT THE HARLOT DECLINES THE HONOR!

IT WILL TAKE A BATTALION OF YOUR  
STINKING DEVILS TO KEEP ME HERE,  
MAGGOT-BAG!



"BY THE SKILLS YOU HAVE GIVEN ME," GHITA GRINTS. "I WILL QUIT THIS PLACE. FOR A GOOD BLADE AROUSES ME. NOT BY MY CHOICE. BUT YOURS, MAGGOT-BAG!" SHE FLEXES HER FREE HAND AS HER BONDS ARE CUT! GHITA TENSES AS TIBOR'S SHEATHED SWORD SWINGS NEARBY!

KHAN-DAGON! YOU GAVE ME WHAT NO OTHER OF MY GENDER OWNS... A COCK OF STEEL!



WOMAN, BORN THE SHEATH FOR MANHOOD'S SHAFT...

...BECOMES THE SUNDERER!



THE LETHAL GIG PHANTOMS EXPLODE IN THE LUMINOUS WAKE OF GHITA'S SAVAGE ONSLAUGHT!

LIFE IS THE GIFT...



...OF THE MALE STEM!



DEATH IS THE GIFT OF...



ALL BUT TWO ARE BUTCHERED!



...GHITA'S BLADE!

HER MENTOR IS JUSTLY PROUD...



AS GHITA FACES THE PAIR!



WHICH OF YOU FRIGGING SCARECROWS WOULD LIKE TO BE NEXT?

WHAT OF YOUR TRICKERY? DOES IT NOT WORK HERE IN HELL?

CAN YOU NOT CHANGE KHAN-DAGON INTO GIMMEAD? THEN WE MIGHT DRINK TO YOUR SKEWERING!

NO! YOU ARE FEEBLE OF SPELLS AND LET YOURSELF BE JACK-HAULED BY A WALKING CORPSE!

NOW, PREPARE TO DIE, AS I DISMEMBER THE BUM-SNIFFER!



AS SHE SPEAKS, RAHMUZ GESTURES TOWARD HER! ABRUPTLY, KHAN-DAGON HURLS HIS MACE ACROSS THE DRIED MASS OF SUNDERED FLESH! GHITA, ORPHAN OF THE STYGIAN PLAGUE, CRASHES BACKWARD OVER THE SIDEWALL OF THE GONDOLA!



NAKED AND UNCONSCIOUS, SHE FALLS INTO THE CHATTERING MIDST OF THE MONSTROUS NIGHT-SWARM!

THE ORGAN RECESSAL Fades INTO THE SCURRYING SHADOWS! THEN, ALL OF RAHMUZ'S PETS BECOME INERT!



WELL PLAYED, CHILDREN OF MY SORCERY!

RAHMUZ' VOICE ECHOES THROUGH THE FROZEN CONGRESS OF PHANTOMS! THE CEREMONY IS ACCOMPLISHED! HE TRUMPETS, "THE UNION COMPLETE! THE RAGING BAWD OF ALIZARR IS NOW CONSORT OF RAHMUZ AND EMPRESS OF URDI!"

COME, PROUD SEEDS OF MY INCANTATION!



MY JUNGS AWAIT YOU!



THEY NEED YOU AS SPORE TO NURTURE THE QUEEN'S DELUSIONS!



ALL OF THE NUPRIAL ARK FLUORESCES WITH A PURPLE GLOW! AS THE ARCHMAGE LAYS HIS BRIDE UPON THE COUCH, PUNGENT JASMINE HISSES FROM ITS PILLOWS! RAHMUZ' GENERATIVE BASIN TEEMS WITH SPECTRAL SEED, WAITING TO BE SEWN IN GHITA'S BELLY!

SLEEP ON, HARLOT, AS MY LEGIONS JOIN YOUR EXQUISITE MADNESS!



UNDER A MADWOMAN'S COMMAND, OUR ARMIES WILL BE SWALLOWERS OF EMPIRES!





THE MUTANT SPORE-HORDES ARE  
IMPLANTED IN A SPASM OF POUNDING  
THRUSTS! THEN THE SORCERER  
GESTURES UPWARD!



SLOWLY THE MARITAL GONDOLA  
RISES! WITH THE GRACE OF A SILKEN  
BALLOON, IT NEARS THE FLOOR  
OPENING IN THE DOME!



UNOBSERVED IN THE DIM GLOW, GHITA REGAINS  
CONSCIOUSNESS! FRAMED IN HER VISION IS RAHMUZ'  
NAKED FORM!



THE FAIR HAND OF RAHMUZ, DESTRUCTION CLOSES  
AROUND HIS SWORD, CARELESSLY LEFT TO JOUNCE  
UPON THE NUPTIAL COUCH!



BENOLD THE IMPROBABLE JUGGERNAUT OF FREEDOM FOR CAPTIVE URD! FULL BREASTS BOBBLING IN RHYTHM  
WITH THE MOTION OF A MIGHTY SWING, GHITA OF ALIZARR POLE/AXES THE DESPOTIC RULER OF URD, SEVERING  
TWO OF HIS ARMS!



A SECOND POWERFUL SWEEP WITH THE BLADE DISJOINS RAHMUZ' REMAINING ARMS!



GHITA RAISES THE SWORD IN TRIUMPH AS THE GONDOLA PASSES THROUGH THE PORTAL!



FREE CITIZENS OF URDI  
BEHOLD RAHMUZ, MINUS HIS  
FRIGGING ARMS!



THE BLOODTHIRSTY NUBIAN GUARDS, FAITHFUL TO THE ARCHMAGE, PRESS FORWARD!



AYE, RAHMUZ!  
SORCERY WILL  
REBUILD THY RENT  
ARMS!

THE MIND-  
TONGUE  
SPEAKS!

WE  
HARKEN!

KILL  
HER!

"NOW, DAHBI!" THENEF CRIES, "SEND RAHMUZ  
INTO THE PIT! IT MAY END HIS POWER AND  
DISENCHANT HIS HENCHMEN!"

HASTE! I AM  
ONE WITH  
YOU!

DAHBI SAVE  
HOLY ONE!



THE HALFTROLL PUSHES THROUGH THE  
TIGHTENING CORDON! HE SHOUTS TO GHITA AS HE  
LEAPS ONTO THE GORE-SOAKED ARK!

GODDESS!  
JUMP FREE!



NOBLE DAHIB GRASPS THE GOLDEN CHAIN.

AND FEROCIOUSLY BITES AT THE LINKAGE!

JUMP,  
GODDESS!



GHITA LEAPS, AS THE CHAIN SNAPS!  
DAHIB SWINGS TO LAND SAFELY ON  
THE RIM!

THE CRAFT DROPS INTO THE PIT!  
INSIDE, RAHMUIZ BODY STRUGGLES  
TO HEAL ITSELF!

AS THE APERTURE CLOSES, GHITA  
AND HER COMRADES FACE A RING OF  
SPEARS!



AS DEATH'S FIST  
CLENCHES  
AROUND THE  
NAKED WOMAN  
AND HER  
COMRADES, FAR  
BELOW, RAHIMUZ  
IS BLASTED INTO  
A SULPHUROUS  
VAPOR BY THE  
IMPACT! THE  
PRIME VESSEL OF  
EVIL IS NO MORE!

AT THE INSTANT OF THE SORCERER'S DESTRUCTION, ALL OF THE GUARDS AND MEN  
AT ARMS DISSOLVE! THROUGHOUT URD, EACH SECRET VASSAL MELTS AWAY IN  
ORGIES OF NAUSEOUS MIST!



SWEET CHEEKS OF  
NINNAZUI!

THEY...  
VANISH!



WHERE HAD  
THEY GONE,  
GREY ONE?

MORE  
FRIGGING  
HOCUS  
POCUS!

METHINKS IT BE  
HIS FINAL  
TRICK!

DAKINI AND RUNTHAR JOIN WITH THE TRIO AND THE DAZED COURTIER!



A THOUSAND  
WIZARDS  
HAVE  
DIED IN THE  
ABYSS!

AYE! EACH AN  
ASPECT OF THE  
MASTER  
CONJURER!

AT ONCE,  
URD IS RID OF  
ITS SPIES,  
CONSPIRATORS,  
AND GUARDSMEN!

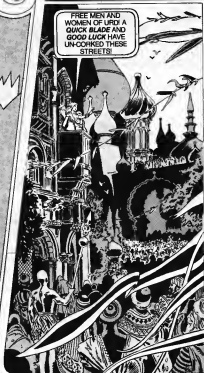
WHAT  
WAS IT  
LIKE  
BE-  
LOW?

A GESS-  
POOL! A  
TUN OF  
GINMEAD  
MIGHT  
END MY  
THINKING  
OF IT!



THE SWEET WINDS OF LIBERTY BRISKLY FLUTTER THE RITUAL FLAGS ABOVE THE CITY'S CENTRAL SQUARE! A JOYOUS MULTITUDE LISTENS AS GHITA, WITH RUNTHAR AS HER PRIME MINISTER, SPEAKS OF A NEW ERA OF JUSTICE AND FREEDOM FOR URD AND ITS PEOPLE!

FREE MEN AND WOMEN OF URD! A QUICK BLADE AND GOOD LUCK HAVE UN-CORKED THESE STREETS!



NOW, I AND MY COMRADES RETURN TO ALIZARR! WE LEAVE URD TO THE WISE RULE OF RUNTHAR, HER RIGHTFUL KING!



HE BE NONE TOO GOOD AT GUZZLING JUNIPER SPIRITS! BUT ALL TO YOUR PROFIT, FOR A SOMEW AARSE HAD BETTER, TO WARM THE THRONE OF URD!



RUNTHAR, DEPOSED BOY-KING OF URD, HOBBLES FORWARD! HE ASKS THAT DAKINI JOIN HIM: "WE SALUTE THE HEROES OF OUR RESCUE FROM SORCEROUS TYRANNY!" HE THEN TAKES DAKINI'S HAND! "AND I WOULD HAVE DAKINI OF DELZUR TO SHARE THE CROWN OF URD!"

DAKINI, THE RELUCTANT SLAVE OF RAHMUZ WHIMS...



...SHALL BE MY QUEEN!



KING RUNTHAR INSISTS THAT THE VALOROUS TRIO RETURN TO ALIZARRI IN THE ROYAL URDISH COACH! THEN, THE NEW LEADERS OF URD AND A GRATEFUL ASSEMBLY BID THEM FAREWELL!



SOON, TRAVEL'S BOREDOM, AND ROUNDS OF GINMEAD, BREW A BOUNCING REVEL OF DRUNKEN TUMBUMPING! THE GODDESS OF HALFTROLLS THEN MUSES IN THE AFTERGLOW!



SURELY, RAHMUZ SPORE WITHIN GHITA HAS VANISHED IN THE ECSTASY OF HIS DESTRUCTION! SURELY!

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IN THE LAST DECADE OF THE 21ST CENTURY, OVERPOPULATION WAS STRANGLING PLANET EARTH!

TO AVOID CATASTROPHE, THE WORLD CORPORATION INITIATED A MASS EXODUS! 80% OF THE EARTH'S POPULATION WAS SHIPPED OUT TO THE OTHER PLANETARY BODIES OF THE SOLAR SYSTEM!

ONE OF THESE NEW OUTPOSTS FOR HUMANITY WAS LUNA CITY, A HOME FOR ALMOST TEN MILLION HARDY SOULS. A SHOWCASE OF WORLD CORPORATION'S SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENTS...

HOLD STILL, BITCH! I MEAN IT!

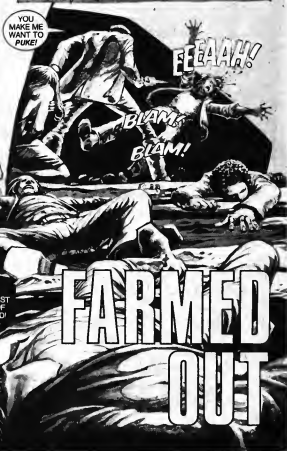
A PLACE THAT WAS SLOWLY CRUSHING THE HUMAN SPIRIT!







YOU MAKE ME WANT TO PUKE!



# FARMED OUT



BY THE TIME TED REACHED HOME, HIS DARK MOOD HAD TURNED UTTERLY BLEAK...!



THREE!  
JERRY MAKES  
THREE ENFORCERS  
KILLED ON DUTY  
IN THE LAST  
MONTH!

THE  
WHOLE STINKING  
DOME IS GOING  
CRAZY!



TEDDY,  
YOU'RE EARLY!  
WHAT'S THE  
OCCASION?

MAGGIE,  
IT'S JERRY! HE'S  
DEAD...!



HE WAS SHOT  
DOWN BY A DIRTY LITTLE  
ASSHOLE!

OH DEAR  
GOD, NO-!



IT'S  
UNREAL OUT  
THERE! A  
JUNGLE!

IT'LL BE  
ALL RIGHT...!

IT'LL  
NEVER BE  
ALL RIGHT!  
THERE'S ONLY  
ONE WAY WE CAN  
LIVE... AND THAT'S  
TO GET OFF THIS  
GODDAMNED ROCK  
AND MAKE IT  
TO EARTH!



THE  
LOTTERY  
TICKETS...!  
WHERE ARE  
THEY?

ON TOP  
OF THE TV!

GOOD...!



THE  
LOTTERY!  
IT'S ALMOST TIME  
FOR IT! WE'VE GOT  
TO WIN...WE'VE  
GOT TO!

HONEY,  
DON'T GET-!

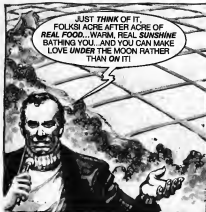
SHHHH!



WELCOME TO THIS MONTH'S LOTTERY WHERE 1000 LUCKY COUPLES WILL WIN ONE WAY TICKETS TO THE GREEN HILLS OF EARTH!

THE LOTTERY IS SPONSORED BY THE WORLD CORPORATION...YOUR LINK TO THE PAST...YOUR FRIEND FOR THE FUTURE!

EARTH HOME OF OXYGEN, ABE LINCOLN, AND EVE'S APPLE!



JUST THINK OF IT, FOLKSI ACRE AFTER ACRE OF REAL FOOD...WARM, REAL SUNSHINE BATHING YOU...AND YOU CAN MAKE LOVE UNDER THE MOON RATHER THAN ON IT!



EVER SEE A WOMAN WITH A REAL TAN? YOU CAN...EVERYDAY...IF YOU WIN!



AND NOW OUR SPECIAL LOTTERY COMPUTER WILL PRINT OUT THE LUCKY WINNING NUMBERS!

THIS IS IT, BABY! THIS IS IT!

BUT TED, THE ODDS—!

FUCK THE ODDS! WE'VE GOTTA WIN, WE GOTTA!



THIS WEEK'S LUCKY NUMBER IS AOB-785...



AND AFTER SEVERAL HOT, FUNKY ADVENTURES  
IN PARADISE...!

ALL  
THAT TALK  
ABOUT LYING  
AND CHEATING AND  
KILLING...TED,  
I WISH YOU'D  
QUIT TALKING  
LIKE THAT!  
IT SCARES  
ME!



AS  
A SUPER-  
VISOR IN COMPUTER  
CENTRAL YOU COULD GET  
A COMPLETE LIST OF  
TONIGHT'S WINNERS.  
COULDN'T  
YOU?



YEAH...  
BUT WHY??

BECAUSE  
IT'S A WAY  
OUT, BABY! IT'S  
A WAY OUT OF  
THIS ROCK!

TOMORROW I WANT  
YOU TO FIND THE NAMES  
AND ADDRESSES OF THE CLOSEST  
WINNING COUPLE! AND THEN I  
WANT YOU TO SUBSTITUTE  
OUR VITAL STATISTICS  
FOR THEIRS...!



IT  
WON'T WORK,  
TED! THE OTHER  
COUPLE WILL KNOW  
THEY'VE WON! AND  
THEY'LL PROTEST  
IF WE TRY AND  
TAKE THEIR  
PLACE!



NOT  
AFTER  
I KILL  
THEM!

KILL  
THEM? YOU'RE  
MADI!



IT'S  
THE ONLY  
WAY! YOU SAID  
YOURSELF THAT  
THE ODDS ARE  
TOO GREAT!

BUT... WE'LL  
BE MURDERERS!

NOT MURDERERS...  
SURVIVORS!





THE NIGHT IS LONG FOR MAGGIE! SHE WANTS TO HELP THE MAN SHE LOVES, AND YET TO DO SO WILL MEAN BETRAYING EVERYTHING SHE HAS BELIEVED IN HER WHOLE LIFE...!

MAGGIE!

WHA--?!



I SAID IT'S TIME FOR LUNCH! ARE YOU COMING?



NO, NO I CAN'T! I HAVE A PRIORITY PROGRAM TO RUN! IT CAN'T WAIT!



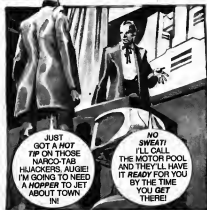
NO TURNING BACK NOW...!



ENFORCERS' CENTRAL? CONNECT ME WITH ENFORCER PHILLIPS!



YEAH, YEAH RIGHT! I'LL GET RIGHT TO IT!



JUST GOT A HOT TIP ON THOSE NARCO-TAB HIJACKERS, AUGIE! I'M GOING TO NEED A HOPPER TO JET ABOUT TOWN IN!

NO SWEAT! I'LL CALL THE MOTOR POOL AND THEY'LL HAVE IT READY FOR YOU BY THE TIME YOU GET THERE!

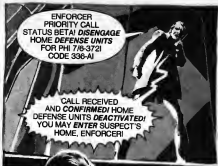


LUNA CITY'D BE A BETTER PLACE TO LIVE IN IF WE HAD MORE COPS LIKE TED PHILLIPS!

HE'S ONE STRAIGHT ARROW!



MAGGIE DID GOOD!  
THIS COMPLEX ISN'T TOO  
FAR FROM OUR PLACE! AND IT  
WOULDN'T DO FOR ME TO GET  
CAUGHT WITH A COUPLE OF  
STIFFS IN THE BACK  
SEAT...!



ENFORCER  
PRIORITY CALL  
STATUS BETA! DISENGAGE  
HOME DEFENSE UNITS  
FOR PHI 743-3721  
CODE 336-AI

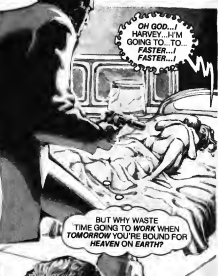
CALL RECEIVED  
AND CONFIRMED! HOME  
DEFENSE UNITS DEACTIVATED!  
YOU MAY ENTER SUSPECT'S  
HOME, ENFORCER!



AS TED CREEPT  
FORWARD...!

THEY'RE  
HOME!

A NOISE!



OH GOD...!  
HARVEY...! H'M  
GOING TO... TO...  
FASTER...!  
FASTER...!

BUT WHY WASTE  
TIME GOING TO WORK WHEN  
TOMORROW YOU'RE BOUND FOR  
HEAVEN ON EARTH?



AWWK!

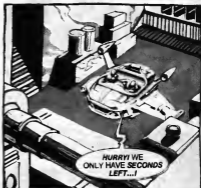
PHUT! PHUT!  
PHUT!



WOTTA  
WAY TO GO!

AS SOON AS  
I CLEAN THIS MESS UP,  
NOBODY'LL EVER KNOW  
WHAT HAPPENED HERE  
TODAY!





EXPERTS WOULD PEG IT THE WORST SINGLE DISASTER IN THE HISTORY OF LUNA CITY! THE EXPLOSION WAS SHUNTED ALONG FROM BUILDING TO BUILDING BY THE CITY POWER COMPANY'S ACCESS LINE AND SOON THE WHOLE GREENBRIER SECTOR WAS ENGULFED IN THE WORST BLAZE SINCE THE OLD CHICAGO FIRE ON EARTH!

IN THE FINAL COUNT MORE THAN 20,000 PEOPLE WOULD BE LISTED AS KILLED AND ALMOST TWICE THAT NUMBER SO HORRIBLY MUTILATED THAT THE STATE TURNED THEM OVER TO THE EUTHANASIA DEPARTMENT FOR FINAL DISPOSITION!



AND YET NARY A TEAR WAS SHED OVER THE TRAGIC VICTIMS, FOR THIS TRAGEDY LOWERED THE ODDS FOR THE SURVIVORS IN THE WEEKLY LOTTERY FOR THE TICKETS TO EARTH!



IF ANYONE AT THE SPACEPORT NOTICED THE EXPLOSIONS AND FIRES IN THE CITY THEY WERE ABOUT TO LEAVE NO ONE MADE A MENTION OF IT! THEY WERE EARTHBOUND, AND ANYTHING WHICH OCCURRED IN THE CITY THAT HAD BEEN THEIR HOME SINCE BIRTH HELD NO CONCERN FOR THEM NOW.!



WHAT IF THEY-?

FIND OUT  
HOW CAN THEY? IF YOU  
ALTERED THE COMPUTER BANKS  
LIKE I TOLD YOU, WE HAVE  
NOTHING TO FEAR!



PLEASE,  
GOD... WE'VE  
BEEN THROUGH  
SO MUCH!



IDENTITY CONFIRMED!  
YOU MAY PASS AND ENTER  
THE SHIP FOR EARTH!



IT WAS  
WORTH EVERY-  
THING WE WENT  
THROUGH!

WE'RE  
GOING TO  
LIVE THE  
GOOD LIFE  
NOW. HUH  
BABE?



LIFT-OFF IN  
TWO MINUTES!

YOU KNOW  
IN ALL THE RUSH, IT  
HASN'T SUNK IN YET THAT  
WE...KILLED INNOCENT  
PEOPLE!

DON'T  
THINK ABOUT  
IT, DEAR!



AFTER WHAT SEEMED TO BE AN ETERNITY OF  
WAITING, THE MIGHTY SHIP SUDDENLY ROARED  
INTO LIFE, ITS MIGHTY ENGINES SPEWING HEAT  
AND POWER AS THE MAJESTIC CRAFT INCHED  
UPWARD INTO THE INKY VOID OF SPACE...



..LEAVING BEHIND THE PITTED AND SCARRIED  
FACE OF THE MOON WHICH WATCHED  
MUTELY AS HER CHILDREN LEFT HER FOR  
THE MORE DESIRABLE GREEN PASTURES OF  
EARTH!



FUNNY!  
I CAN'T SEEM  
TO \*YAWN\*  
KEEP MY EYES  
OPEN!



\*YAWN\*  
SIXTY WINKS  
WOULDN'T DO ME  
ANY HARM,  
EITHER!



LATER, AT THE CAPE WALSH LANDING COMPLEX...!

THE TOWER JUST  
REPORTED THAT THE LATEST  
MOON ROCKET IS ABOUT  
TO LAND!

RIGHT! OFF  
YOUR ASS, CLINTONI!  
WE'VE GOT WORK  
TO DO!

'BOT,  
ORDER THE  
TRUCKS  
OUT!



end



THEY ARE: MUTHA ISAAC, OBADIAH X. OSGOOD, SWEETS, MEATBALL, BRUCIE AND CAP 'N NEMO! SEPARATELY AND APART, THEY'RE SEVEN OF THE BADDEST, BADASS MOTHER-FUCKERS EVER TO STOMP THE FACE OF ANY OTHER EARTH TOGETHER, AND UNDER THE COMMAND OF THEIR CADAVEROUSLY CANESCENT LEADER, WARNER HAWK, THEY ARE THE INVULNERABLY INDEFATIGABLE, INSUPERABLY INTEMPERATE, INTELLECTUALLY INSUFFERABLE

# THE WARHAWKS

WE BEEN  
OUT HERE, WHAT...  
BOUT A WEEK  
NOW, HAWK?

A WEEK TOMORROW,  
CAP! BUT, NOT TO WORRY!  
WE'RE MOVIN' NOW! THAT'S EARTH'S  
MOON LANGUISHIN' IN OUR DUST!  
WE OUGHT TO HIT POLTROONI  
BEFORE YOU KNOW IT!


THINK Y'KIN  
SPEED IT UP, HAWK?  
M'TRIGGER FINGER'S ITCHIN'  
T'TAKE OUT SOME A THEM HEINOUS  
BUTT-BANGIN' THESSBIANS  
WE'S BEEN HIRED TO  
VENTILATE!

WE'RE  
ALL PRETTY  
ANXIOUS T'GET  
BACK INTO  
ACTION,  
OBIE!

WHEN WE WERE  
HIRED BY THE POLTROONS  
TO FIGHT THEIR LITTLE INTER-  
STELLAR WAR, I HAD NO IDEA  
WE'D SPEND HALF OF OUR  
LIVES JUST GETTIN'  
TO IT. I



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C'MON CAP! THE POLTROONS SAID IT WAS 75 QUADRILLION MILES TO THEIR WORLD! HOW FAR CAN THAT BE?

ACCORDIN T'THSE STAR CHARTS THEY GAVE US, IT'S HALFWAY ACROSS THE GALAXY!

WITH A BIT OF LUCK, WE OUGHTA GET THERE IN TIME FOR MY EIGHT HUNDREDETH BIRTHDAY!

THAT'S THE LEAST OF OUR WORRIES! I'VE BEEN RUMMAGING THROUGH OUR FOOD STORES, AND YOU KNOW THAT HUMUNGOUS PILE OF BOXED LUNCHES THE POLTROONS SO THOUGHTFULLY PROVIDED FOR US?

WHO CARES ABOUT FOOD AT A TIME LIKE THIS? WE DONE BEEN VIOLATED!

THOSE DOUBLE-DEALIN LIMPICKS SAID THIS HOLD WAS FULL'A MUNITIONS! THEY AIN'T SO MUCH AS A USED SPITBALL IN HERE...

THEY'RE EMPTY!

NOT TO ADD TO YOUR WORRIES, GENTLEMEN

BUT IT SEEMS THE POLTROONS HAVE SHORT-SHEETED US IN THE FUEL DEPARTMENT AS WELL.

WHA-!? Y-YOU MEAN WE AIN'T GOT NOTHIN' TO EAT?

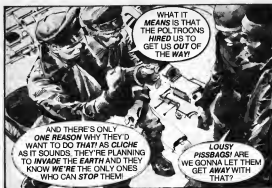
IF WE CONSERVE, WE MIGHT JUST HAVE FUMES ENOUGH FOR A GOOD HIGH!

IS YOU BEGINNIN' T'GET TH'FEELIN' WE'S BEEN HAD?

HAD AIN'T THE WORD FOR IT! WE'S TAKEN IT CLEAN UP TH' BUTT!

DOES THIS MEAN WE GET T'BUST SOME HEADS?





FOR NEARLY A WEEK, THE MERCURIAL MERCENARIES FEVERISHLY PREPARE FOR ALL-OUT WAR! FIRED BY THEIR RAGING ANGER THEY VIRTUALLY GUT THE INTERIOR OF THEIR SHIP IN THE ASSEMBLY OF TWO FIGHTER-SIZED BATTLECRAFT!







MY LIEGE! IT IS THE EARTHANS. RETURNED TO DO US BODILY HARM!

THEY ARE FAR MORE INTELLIGENT THAN WE THOUGHT! IT HAS TAKEN THEM LESS THAN A FORT-NIGHT TO REALIZE THEY WERE DUPED BY US!

PREPARE TO VITATE THEM IMMEDIATELY! NO DELAYS!



LIEGE, RECALL THE DARK ONES' REPUTATION FOR SAVAGERY! RETREAT WILL ASSURE OUR CONTINUED HEALTH!

A POINT WELL TAKEN! BUT IT APPEARS WE ARE WITHOUT THE BENEFITS OF GLORIOUS COMBAT!

SEE HOW THEIR SHIP CRUMBLES EVEN AS WE SPEAK?



WITH ALL DUE RESPECT, BENEFICENT AND SAGACIOUSLY WIZENED ONE

IT APPEARS THAT THE TERRAN WARSHIP HAS SEPARATED TO DISCHARGE TWO WAR-PODS... BOTH OF WHICH SEEM TO BE HEADING UP OUR BUMHOLE!

WE ARE DOOMED!



HA HA! THAT'S TH'WAY, SWEETS! AIM FOR THAT BIG PICTURE WINDOW IN THEIR COMMAND CENTER! IF WE PUT A WHOLE IN THAT, WE CAN RAM AN OVERRUN THEIR ENTIRE SHIP!

YOU ALWAYS WERE ONE CRAZYASS SUICIDAL SUMBITCH, MEATBALL!

HEY! DON'T BLAME ME! IT'S OUR LACTESCENT LEADER'S PLAN!

SOMETIMES I WONDER IF HE LIKES US COLORED FOLKS!



HOLD YER FIRE TIL HAWK GETS US JUST A TEENSIE BIT CLOSER, BRUCE! I WANTS T'MAKE SURE THEM LITTLE GREASE-HOLES GET OUR POINT!

ANYTIME YOU WANT TO SHARE YOUR POINT WITH ME, YOU LUSCIOUS HUNK OF MASCULINE DEVILTRY, YOU JUST LET ME KNOW!

LOOK AT THAT, CAPI! ISN'T IT JUST MARVELOUS THE WAY A SIMPLE BLOOD-LETTING BRINGS OUT THE BEST IN THEM?



RUN! HIDE! PRAY  
TO THE GLORIOUS GODS  
OF PUSILLANIMITY!

THEY'RE  
GOING TO RUN  
US DOWN!

BRACE  
YOURSELF  
CAP! WE'RE  
GOING  
IN!



KWAMMM!  
AIEEEE!



WHAT  
TALENT!  
A PERFECT  
PINPOINT  
LANDING!

YOU  
CALL THAT  
PERFECT? HA!  
YOU EGOMANIACAL  
DOGSTOOL! YOU  
JUST ABOUT GAVE  
ME A HEART  
ATTACK!

THERE  
GOES THEIR  
FRIGGIN' LEAD-  
ER RIGHT  
NOW...



SLIDIN  
UNDER THAT CLOSIN  
METAL DOOR!

KRAK!

KLANG!

KWING!  
ZING!  
ZOOIE!

YOU  
WILL NEVER  
TAKE ME ALIVE.  
ATRAMENTOUS  
ONES!



YEEHA! TH'BOYS MUST BE  
HAVIN' A TIME BUSTIN' HEADS AN  
WHUPPIN' BOODIE! THEM L'L DILDOES  
IS STUMBLIN' ALL OVER THESELVES  
TRYIN' T'SAVE THEIR PIMPLY  
PISSANT GREEN HIDES!

LOOKIT 'EM  
ALL... BUZZIN' 'BOUT  
LIKE FLIES IN THEIR  
ESCAPE PODS!

KEEP BLASTIN'  
'EM, SKIN-HEAD! IF  
WE CHASES 'EM ALL THE  
WAY BACK T' POLTROOM,  
IT WON'T BE FAR  
'NUFF FO' ME!



HA HA! THEY THEY GOES!  
SURRENDERIN' THEIR MOTHER  
SHIP T' THE CHAMPEEN BUTT  
BUSTERS A TH' GALAXY!...

...TH' EBON  
KNIGHTS' A THE  
COSMOS...

...WARNER HAWKS'S  
OWN PERSONAL SLIDIN'  
STRIDIN' RHYTHM-  
FOOTED DARKIES!



HANAHAI! WE DID  
IT! WE SENT THEM ALIEN  
INFIDELS PACKIN'!

WE'S  
TH' BADDEST  
THEY EVER  
WAS. MUTHA-  
FUCKA!

THEY AIN'T  
NOBODY KIN BEST  
TH' WARHAWKS!



THIS CALLS FOR  
A CELEBRATION! BRING  
ON TH' WIMMEN! BRING  
ON TH' BOOZE...

...GIT DOWN AN'  
BOOGIE! AIN'T NO  
TIME T' SNOOZE!

A POET  
YOU AIN'T,  
EGGHEAD! BUT  
I SURE LIKE  
WHAT YOU'RE  
SAYIN'!



WOMEN AND LIQUOR AND  
MEANINGLESS GRATUITOUS SEX!  
SOUNDS LIKE FUN TO ME! WHAT  
DO YOU THINK CAP?

LONG AS THEY'S  
CHEAP WIMMEN AN' EVEN  
CHEAPER WINE! MY OLD TICKER  
COULDN'T STAND TH' STRAIN  
A'NOTHIN' FANCY!

CHEAP WOMEN IT IS!  
WE'LL ZIP ON DOWN TO OLD  
MOTHER EARTH AND BE BACK  
BEFORE YOU KNOW IT!



Y'CLEAN PULLED IT  
OFF! YOU'RE A WHIZ, BOY!

Y' SURE Y'GOT  
ENOUGH CASH T' PAY OFF  
THE POLTROONS?

IN  
THAT CASE,  
CAP!



LAWDEE!  
NEVER SEED  
THIS MUCH  
MONEY IN ALL  
M'LIVELONG  
DAYS...

HAD  
TO TAKE  
A SECOND  
MORTGAGE  
ON THE  
ISLAND...

NOT  
EVEN WHEN  
YER PAP WAS  
RUNNIN' THAT  
DEATHRAY  
SCAM BY THE  
S.S. BACK  
IN '44!

... BUT  
IT WAS WORTH  
IT JUST TO BRING  
THOSE SMILES  
TO MY BOYS'  
FACES!



DON'T BE JVIN' A JIVEASS, HAWKI YOU DIDN'T GO T'THE EXTREME PAINS OF GETTIN' UP AN INTERGALACTIC WAR JUST T'MAKE A BUNCH' A BURR-HEADS HAPPY!

OH, CAP... YOU'RE WISE BEYOND YOUR NINETY-000 YEARS!



YOU DONE IT TO FURTHER YOUR REPUTATION AS THE BADDEST BADASS IN THE COSMOS!

HAWKI MY OLD FRIEND!



TO SAY NOTHING OF THE MONETARY RENUMERATION!

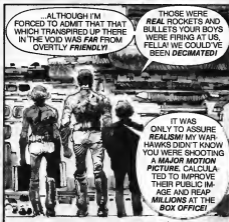
IT'S GOOD TO SEE YOU!



AND IT'S GOOD TO SEE YOU, OH WISE AND SAINTED SOVEREIGN OF THE POLTROON AGGRESSORS!



JUST PLAIN 'HARVEY' WILL SUFFICE! I MAY BE 'MR. SOVEREIGN', ACE PRODUCER, DIRECTOR AND MOVIE MOGUL EXTRAORDINAIRE TO MY CAST AND CREW, BUT WITH MY BUSINESS PARTNERS, I LIKE TO STAY ON A FIRST-NAME BASIS...



...ALTHOUGH I'M FORCED TO ADMIT THAT THAT WHICH TRANSPIRED UP THERE IN THE VOID WAS FAR FROM OVERTLY FRIENDLY!

THOSE WERE REAL ROCKETS AND BULLETS YOUR BOYS WERE FIRING AT US, FELLA! WE COULD'VE BEEN DECIMATED!

IT WAS ONLY TO ASSURE REALISM! MY WAR-HAWKS DIDN'T KNOW YOU WERE SHOOTING A MAJOR MOTION PICTURE. CALCULATED TO IMPROVE THEIR PUBLIC IMAGE AND REAP MILLIONS AT THE BOX OFFICE!



MILLIONS?! PSHAW! BILLIONS WITH MERCHANDISING, BUBBA! AND, AS THE VENTURE'S SOLE BACKER AND STAR, MOST OF IT'S YOURS!



AND FOR YOUR MEN...STARLETS EAGER TO FUL-FILL THEIR EVERY WHIM!

AND A FRIEND FOR BRUCIE?

WOULD I FORGET BRUCIE...?!

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