

SECRET EMPIRE UNDERGROUND



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BOBBI MORSE



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ANT-MAN
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IRON MAN
TONY STARK A.I.



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PIETRO MAXIMOFF



HERCULES

A COSMIC CUBE TRANSFORMED STEVE ROGERS, CAPTAIN AMERICA, INTO THE ULTIMATE HYDRA SLEEPER AGENT--AND AFTER MONTHS OF SCHEMING AND MANIPULATION, THE COUNTRY IS NOW UNDER HYDRA'S CONTROL. EARTH'S MOST POWERFUL HEROES ARE STRANDED BEYOND EARTH'S PLANETARY DEFENSE SHIELD OR TRAPPED INSIDE THE DARKFORCE BUBBLE THAT ENVELOPS NEW YORK CITY.

CAPTAIN AMERICA DEALT A VICIOUS BLOW TO THE HANDFUL OF HEROES THAT REMAIN, OBLITERATING THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS FOR SHELTERING THE UNDERGROUND. DESPERATE TO RETURN ROGERS TO HIS FORMER SELF, THE HEROES OF THE UNDERGROUND HAVE EMBARKED ON A HUNT FOR SHARDS OF THE COSMIC CUBE...

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ANTARCTICA.
MINUTES FROM
THE SOUTH POLE.

LOOK, THIS ISN'T GOING TO BE LIKE THE LAST ONE. WE SHOULD BE IN AND OUT.

WE KNOW WHO'S IN CHARGE HERE. WE GO IN. WE CONVINCE HIM TO GIVE US THE COSMIC CUBE SHARD. WE GET OUT.

QUESTIONS?

YEAH, SO WHEN YOU SAY DINOSAURS, YOU MEAN THAT FIGURATIVELY, RIGHT?

NO, LANG. LITERAL DINOSAURS STILL ROAM THE SAVAGE LAND. IDIOT.

VERILY! THERE IS NO QUEST HERCULES ENJOYS MORE THAN RETRIEVING TREASURE FROM DRAGONS.

SCOTT LANG, A.K.A. ANT-MAN.
SHRINKS, GROWS, STEALS, GETS CAUGHT, REFORMS.

PIETRO MAXIMOFF, A.K.A. QUICKSILVER.
RUNS FAST. RUNS HIS MOUTH EVEN FASTER.

HERCULES, A.K.A. HERACLES.
SON OF ZEUS. DEMIGOD. TANK.

WHO'S THE GUY AND WHY'S HE GONNA GIVE US THE SHARD TO US?

SAM WILSON, F.K.A. CAPTAIN AMERICA, F.K.A. FALCON.
FLIES. FIGHTS. HAS HAD A ROUGH FEW MONTHS.

SAURON.
ESSENTIALLY HE'S PART DINOSAUR AND ALL JERK.

REAL EGO-MANIAC. DRAINS LIFE OUT OF PEOPLE TO MAKE HIMSELF STRONGER.

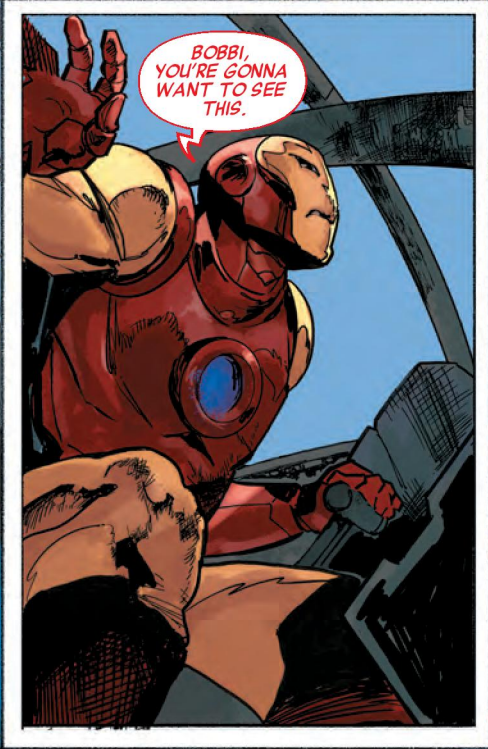
TONY, YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO BE FLYING THE PLANE.

I AM... REMOTELY. LISTEN, IT'LL BE FINE. WE'RE--

BOBBI MORSE, A.K.A. MOCKINGBIRD.
LADY ACTION SCIENTIST. AGENT OF S.H.I.E.L.D. HITS THINGS WITH BATTLE STAVES.

A.I. TONY STARK, A.K.A. IRON MAN.
ACTUALLY IN A COMA. BUILT AN A.I. OF HIMSELF SO WE COULD ALL ENJOY HIM AFTER HE'S GONE. UNIRONICALLY CALLS OTHER PEOPLE "REAL EGOMANIAC."





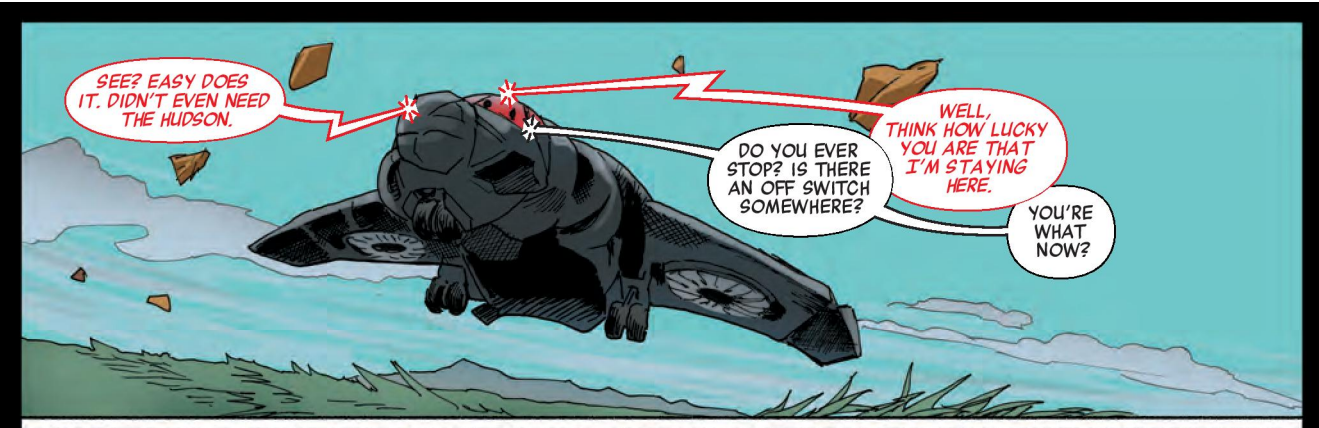
BOBBI,
YOU'RE GONNA
WANT TO SEE
THIS.

I GUESS
THEY DIDN'T
GET THE MEMO
ABOUT THIS
BEING THE EASY
MISSION.

YES, MA'AM.
JUST CALL ME
SULLY.

OH,
COME ON!
WHAT IS
THIS?!

SHUT UP AND
LAND THIS THING
BEFORE ONE OF THEM
CRASHES INTO THE
ENGINE.



SEE? EASY DOES IT. DIDN'T EVEN NEED THE HUDSON.

DO YOU EVER STOP? IS THERE AN OFF SWITCH SOMEWHERE?

WELL, THINK HOW LUCKY YOU ARE THAT I'M STAYING HERE.

YOU'RE WHAT NOW?



THE SAVAGE LAND HAS A WEIRD EFFECT ON ELECTRONICS AND SEEING AS I CURRENTLY AM ELECTRONICS--

--FINE. EVERYBODY ELSE, LET'S GET GOING.

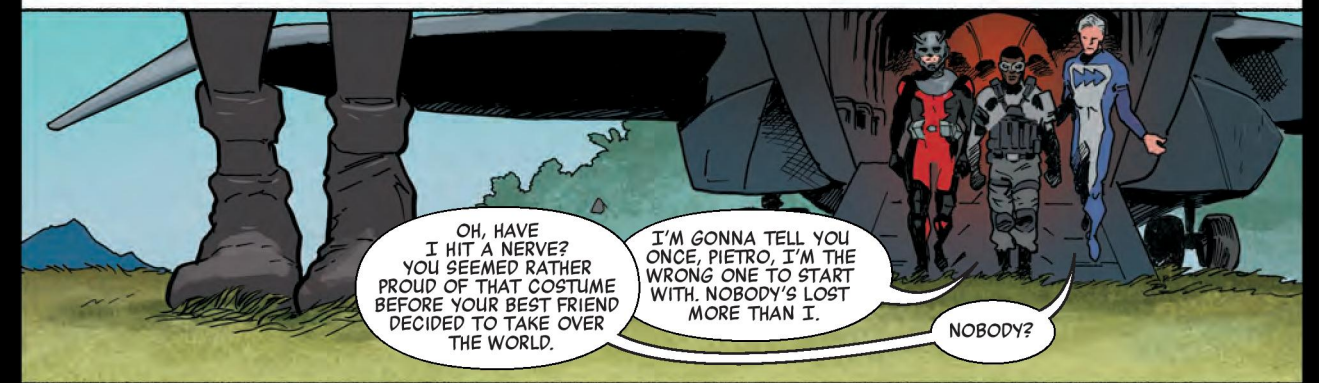


WHO DECIDED SHE WAS THE LEADER? WHY NOT YOU, LANG? YOU'RE A THIEF, AFTER ALL.

WHEN IT COMES TO LEADING A HEIST ON SOME KIND OF DINOSAUR VAMPIRE, MOCKINGBIRD HAS MY VOTE.

WHAT ABOUT YOU, CAPTAIN AMERICA?

DON'T CALL ME THAT.



OH, HAVE I HIT A NERVE? YOU SEEMED RATHER PROUD OF THAT COSTUME BEFORE YOUR BEST FRIEND DECIDED TO TAKE OVER THE WORLD.

I'M GONNA TELL YOU ONCE, PIETRO, I'M THE WRONG ONE TO START WITH. NOBODY'S LOST MORE THAN I.

NOBODY?



I'D JUST AS SOON KILL ROGERS, BUT HIS PET DEMON HAS MY SISTER UNDER HIS CONTROL AND IF WE KILL ROGERS THERE'S NO GUARANTEE WE'LL GET HER BACK.

GET OUTTA MY FACE, PIETRO.

OOF!