

# SPIDER-MAN



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High schooler Miles Morales was bitten by a genetically altered spider that granted him incredible arachnid-like powers. This is a secret he has shared only with his best friend Ganke, Fabio Medina (A.K.A. Goldballs), and his father, Jefferson.

Miles never revealed any of this to his mother, Rio. When she discovered Miles' research into web fluid and demanded answers, Miles came clean—as did Jefferson, who had been secretly working for S.H.I.E.L.D.—and Rio, unable to trust her son or husband, left.

Meanwhile, the Black Cat, with the help of her co-conspirator Hammerhead, has taken control of some of the criminal underworld...but she wants more.

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HI, I'M BOMBSH-- OH.  
IS IT EVEN ON?  
OH!  
THOUGHT I HAD IT--



HI. WELL, I'M BOMBSHELL.  
YOU PROBABLY DON'T KNOW WHO I AM.

IT HAS BEEN BROUGHT TO MY ATTENTION THAT I HAVE NOT BEEN DOING A VERY GOOD JOB OF GETTING MY NAME OUT THERE.

I'M FRIENDS WITH SPIDER-MAN--NAMEDROP-- AND HE WAS THE ONE THAT POINTED OUT THAT IF A FRESH-FACED, RELATIVELY ATTRACTIVE YOUNG WOMAN WHO CAN MAKE THINGS EXPLODE IS RUNNING AROUND AND YET NO ONE KNOWS WHO I AM...  
...THAT MIGHT BE ON ME.

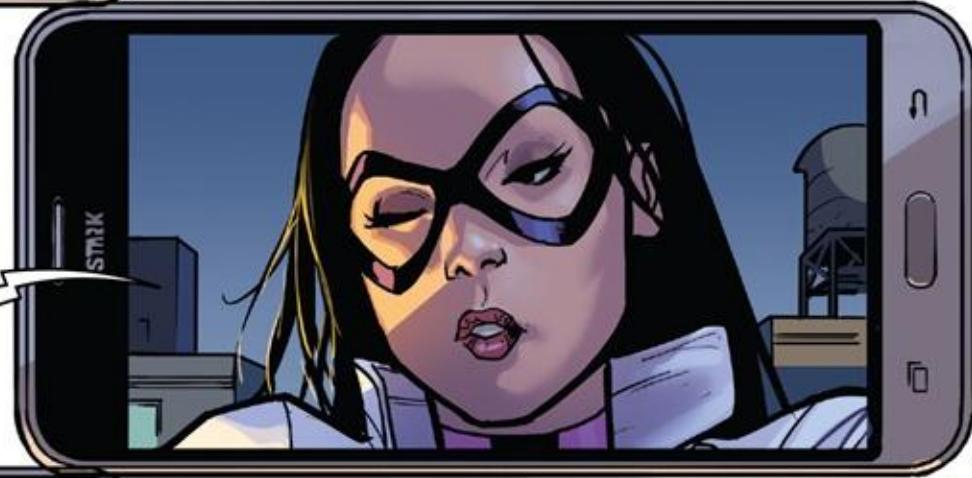


SO I'M LIVE-STREAMING IN AN ATTEMPT TO BROADEN MY OUTREACH...IN QUOTES.

AND IT'S NOT LIKE I'M TRYING TO BE FAMOUS.

FAMOUS IS...UGH.

BUT I KNOW SO MANY PEOPLE WHO DON'T THINK THAT THE WORLD IS FAIR...



...OR THAT ANYONE IS LISTENING TO THEM OR FIGHTING FOR THEM...

...AND I KNOW WHY PEOPLE FEEL THAT WAY.

THAT'S WHY I COME OUT HERE AND TRY TO HELP THE POLICE AND THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OR WHOEVER KEEPS EVERYTHING FROM FALLING APART.



I JUST WANT TO HELP. WOW, THAT SOUNDS SO CORNBALL.

THAT'S WHY I LOVE THE AVENGERS SO MUCH.

THEY JUST REMIND YOU THAT SOMEONE IS OUT THERE TRYING TO DO SOMETHING.

BUT...





...PROBABLY  
SHOULD HAVE  
THOUGHT ABOUT  
THAT BEFORE!

I'M  
JUST SAYIN',  
IS ALL!

THIS--THIS  
IS NOT HOW  
WE DO THINGS,  
HAMMERHEAD!

WELL, YOU  
START PAYING YOUR  
BILLS AND THEN YOU  
CAN START DICTATING  
THE TERMS OF  
SERVICE.

THE FACT  
THAT I EVEN  
HAVE TO COME  
DOWN HERE  
AND--

WHAT?!

CAN  
I HELP  
YOU?

HI.  
I'M  
BOMBSHELL.



CALL THE POLICE!

TELL THEM THERE IS A  
SUPER-POWERED CRIMINAL!

TELL THEM TO CALL THE  
AVENGERS OR S.H.I.E.L.D.!

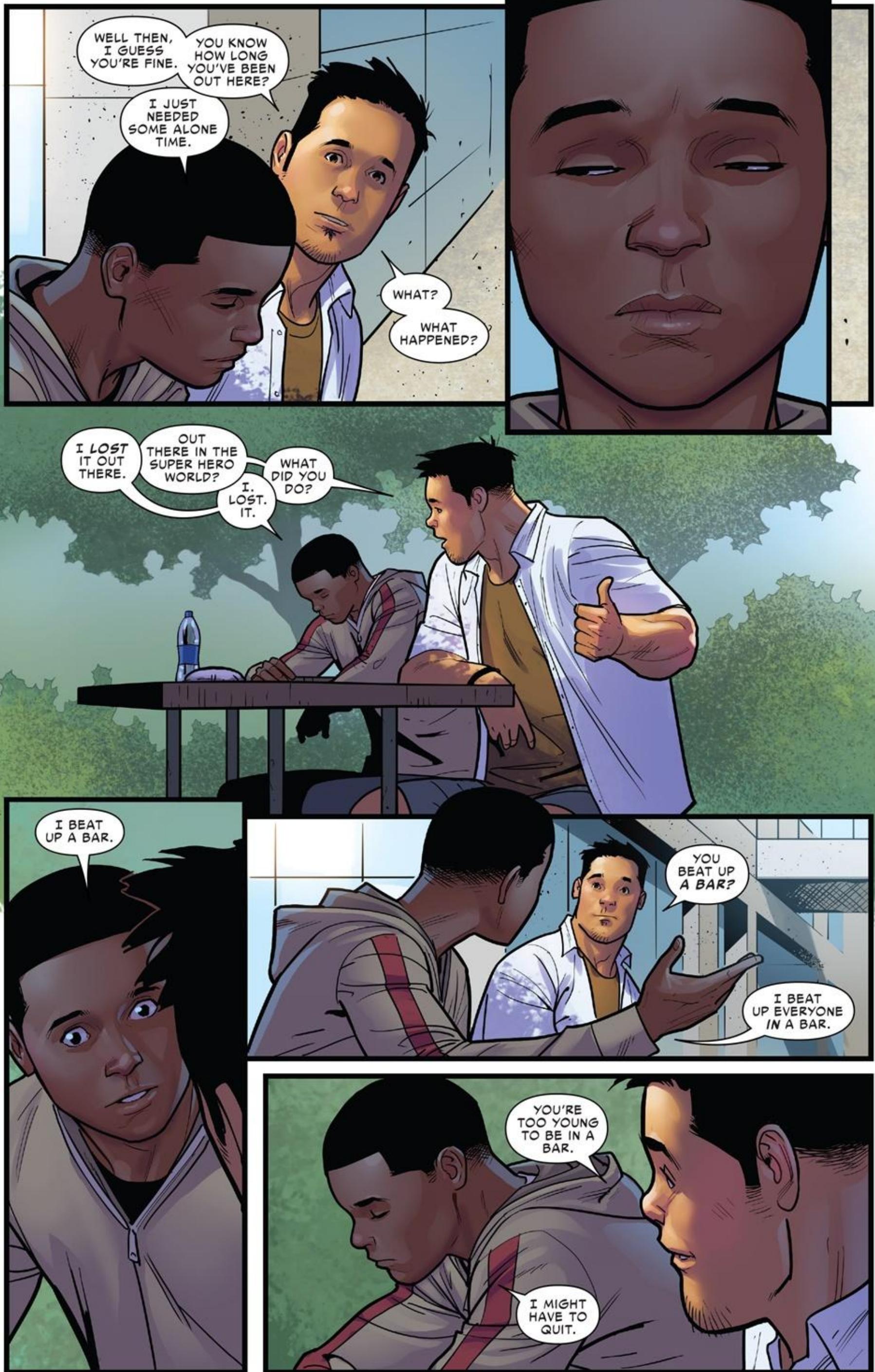


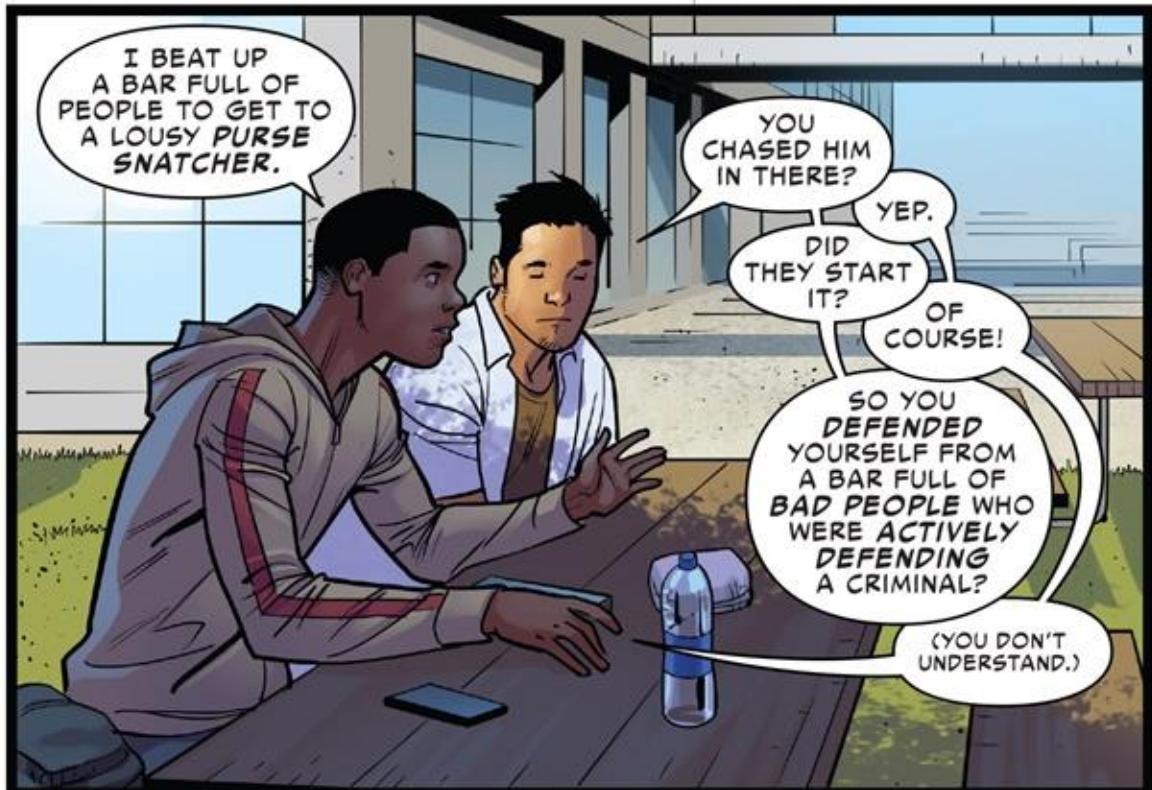




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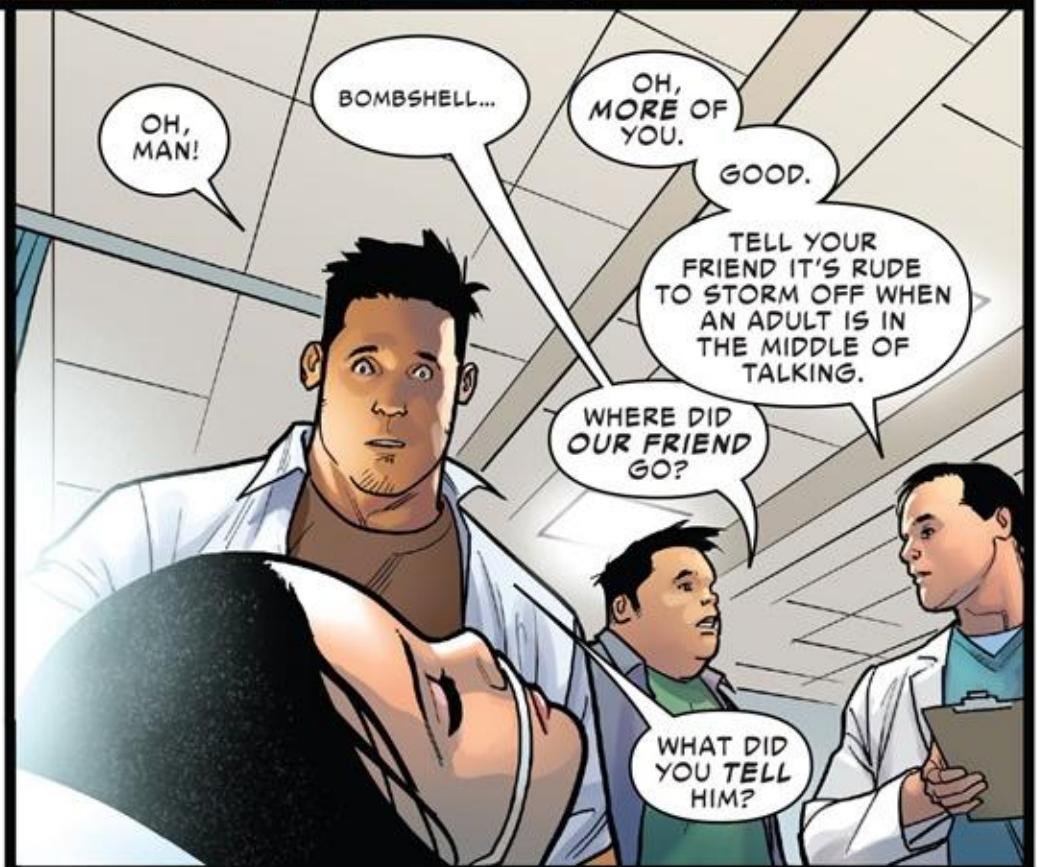








HAMMERHEAD.



AND THAT'S THE THING...

THE COSTUMED PEOPLE ALWAYS COME AT US THINKING THEY'RE GONNA SHUT IT DOWN BUT...

...THAT'S ALWAYS WHEN IT ESCALATES.

THEY THINK THEY MAKE THINGS BETTER, BUT THEY ALWAYS MAKE IT WORSE.

SAY IT!

LIKE TAKE TONIGHT. I GOTTA DRAG MY SORRY BUTT ACROSS TOWN TO SHAKE DOWN THE VULTURE'S BROTHER.

YOU KNOW HIM?

THE VULTURE'S BROTHER?

AND YOU'RE SAYING YOU HAD TO CHASE HIM FOR MONEY? GASP!

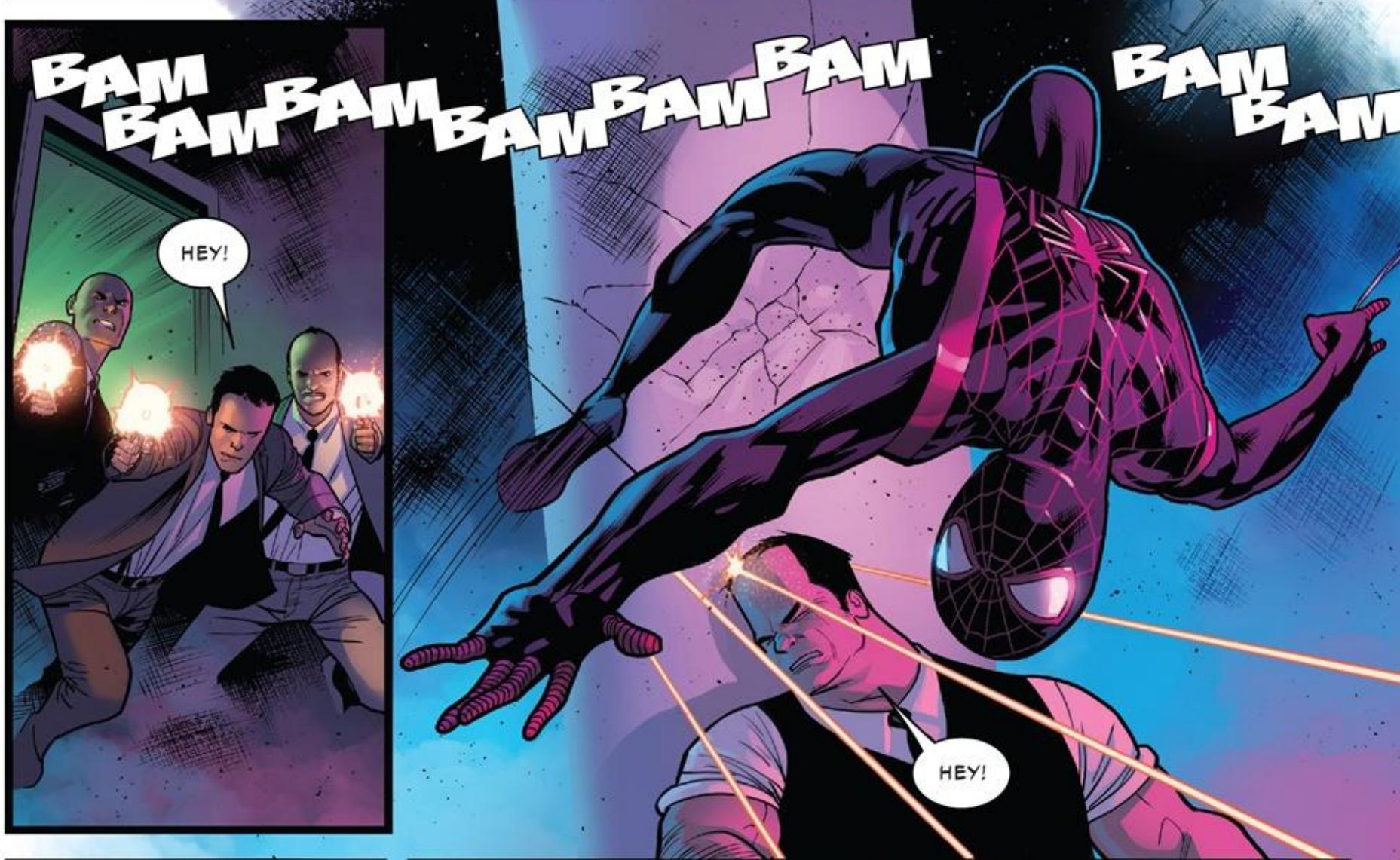
HA!

I SAID TO HIM: YOU MAKE ME DRAG MY BIG OL' HEAD ALL THE WAY DOWN HERE, YOU BETTER HAVE THE MONEY YOU OWE, AND THEN, ALL OF A SUDDEN...

...I TURN MY HEAD AND THIS TEENY-BOPPER...







ACTUALLY, I  
JUST THOUGHT  
OF ONE!!

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KILL  
YOU...

YEAH?!

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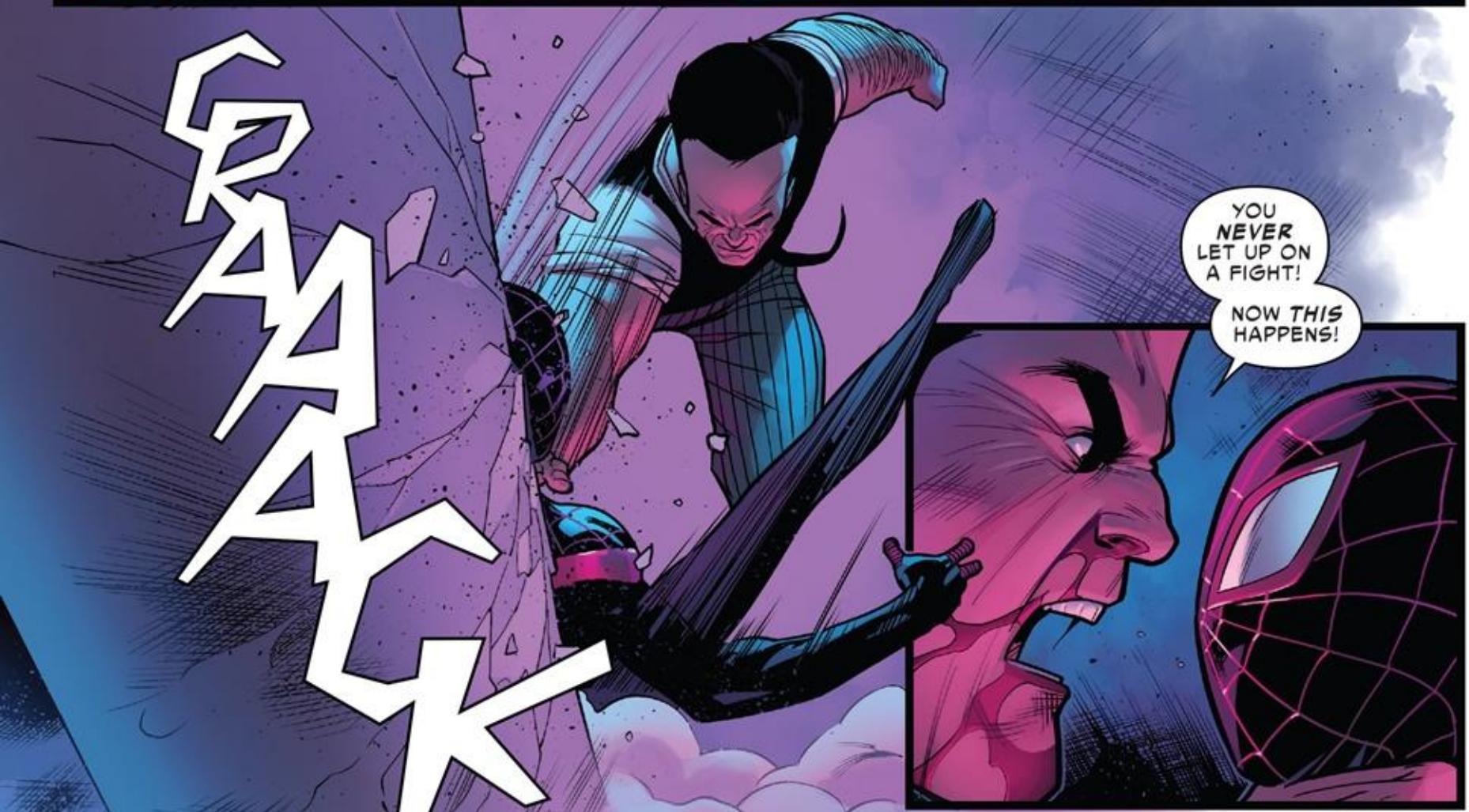
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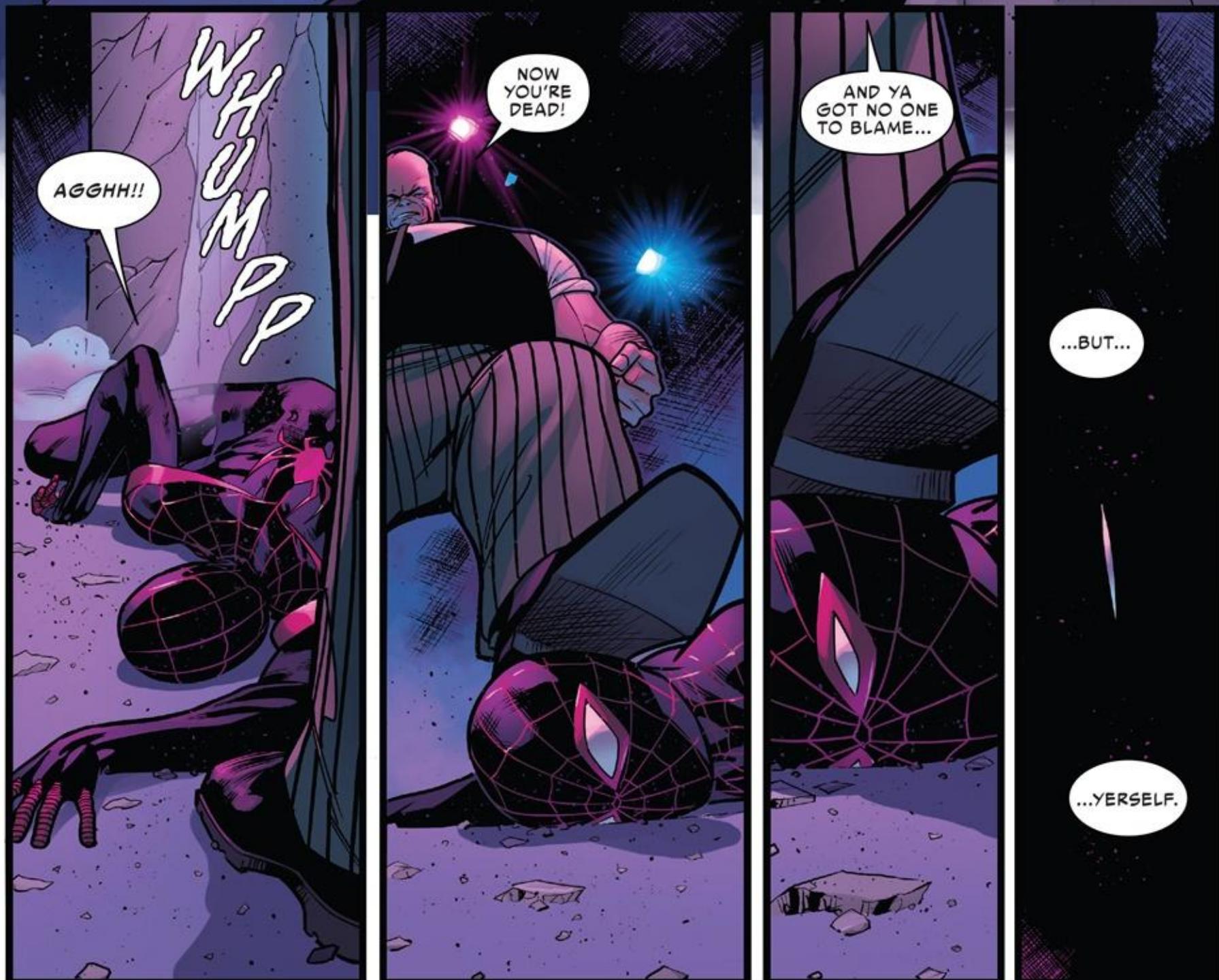


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