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ALFRED.

I AM MONITORING THE PILOTS' COMMUNICATIONS NOW, **MASTER BRUCE**. THE PLANE SUSTAINED CRITICAL DAMAGE TO THE VERTICAL STABILIZER AND REAR RUDDER.

WHAT IS WORSE, THEY APPEAR TO HAVE LOST CONTROL OF THE CENTRAL HYDRAULIC SYSTEM.

THEY EXPECT TO COME DOWN NEAR THE BASE OF KANE PLAZA, IN GOTHAM SQUARE, IN APPROXIMATELY SIX MINUTES.

A SATURDAY EVENING. THE CROWDS IN THE SQUARE.

I'M AFRAID THE LOSS OF LIFE WILL BE... EXCEPTIONAL.



I JUST
NEED AN
ANGLE.

ALL RIGHT...
OFF ROBINSON
BRIDGE AT THE
SECOND
MARKER.

IF YOU
GO OUT AT
122 MPH, 1.2
SECONDS AFTER,
WITH A LEFT TILT
OF THIRTY-SEVEN
DEGREES AND A
FORWARD ROLL
OF...I GUESS
THIRTEEN
DEGREES?

YEAH,
THIRTEEN
DEGREES.
THAT
SHOULD
DO IT, I
THINK.

TIME,
MISTER
THOMAS.



YEAH,
TIME, OF
COURSE.
SORRY.

UH, LET'S
SEE, YOU
NEED TO HIT
THE JUMP IN...
FIFTY-THREE
SECONDS.

FIFTY-
THREE
SECONDS.

THANK
YOU.



ROBINSON
BRIDGE.

FIFTY-TWO
SECONDS
LATER.

SIR, I'M
SORRY TO
INTERRUPT.

IT'S
ALL RIGHT,
ALFRED.

GO
AHEAD.

I'VE
RECEIVED
A NUMBER
OF AUTOMATED
RESPONSES
FROM THE
LEAGUE.

SCREEEEE

UNFOR-
TUNATELY, IT
APPEARS THEY
ARE ALL EITHER
OFF-PLANET
OR FIGHTING
MONSTERS OF
VARIOUS
SORTS.

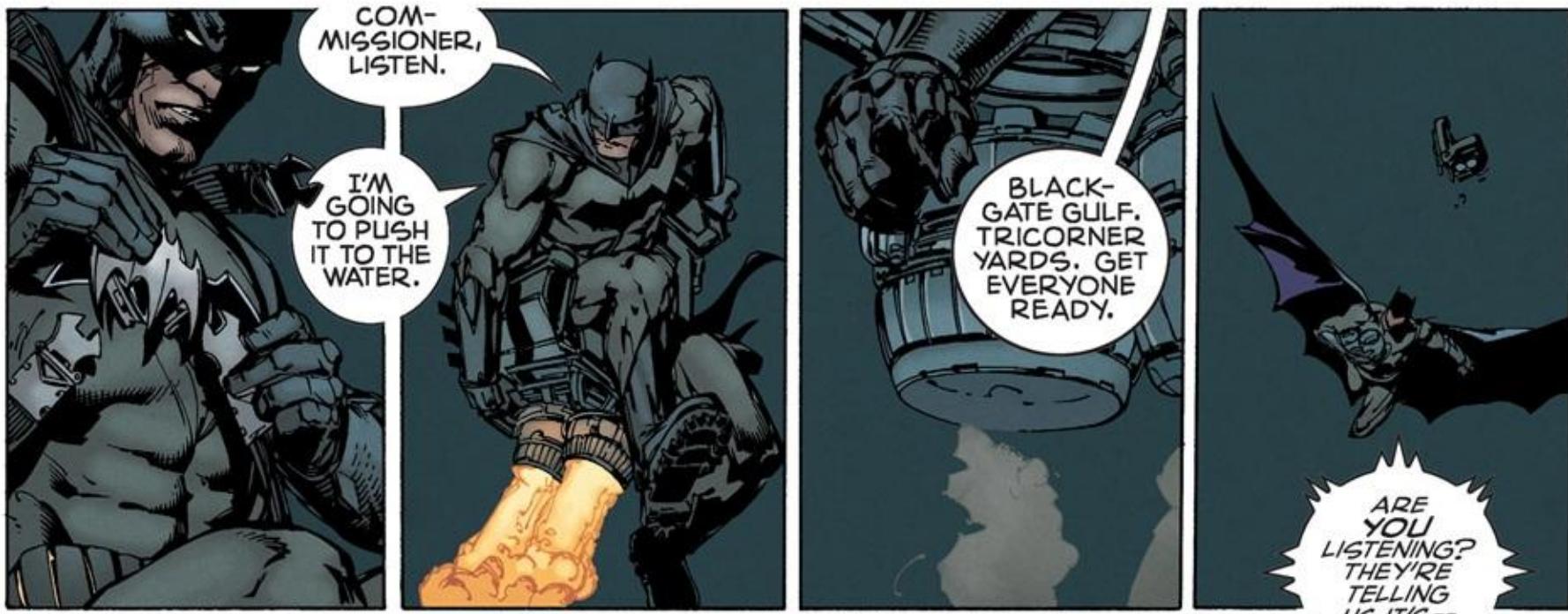
UNDER-
STOOD.
REPLY. LET
THEM KNOW
WE'RE
FINE.

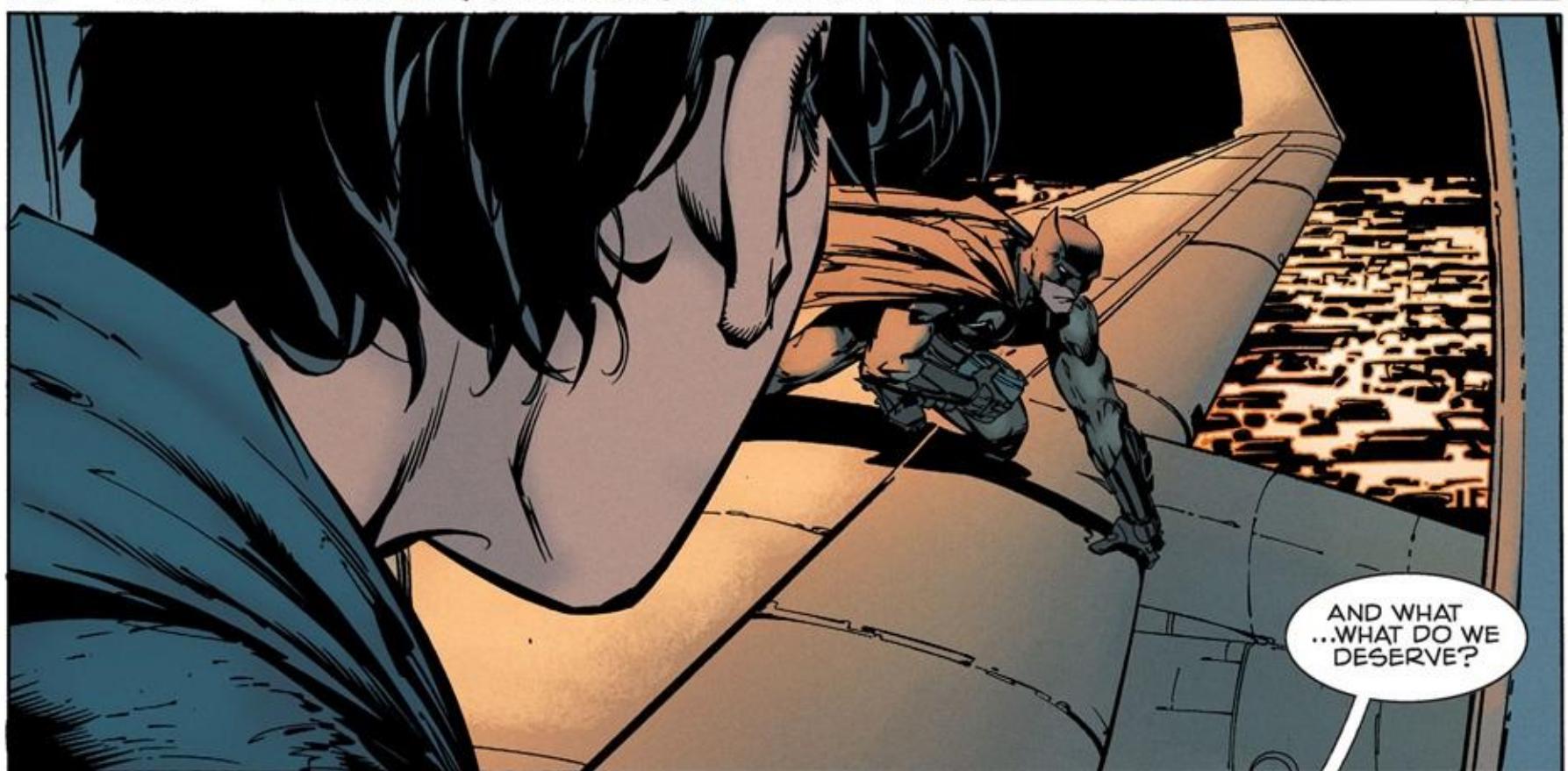
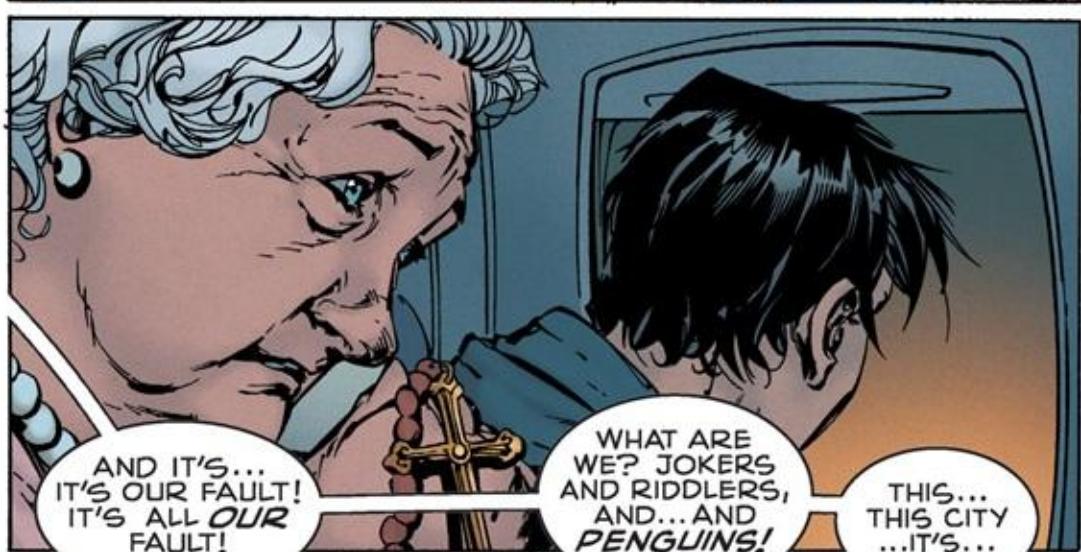
THIS
IS MY
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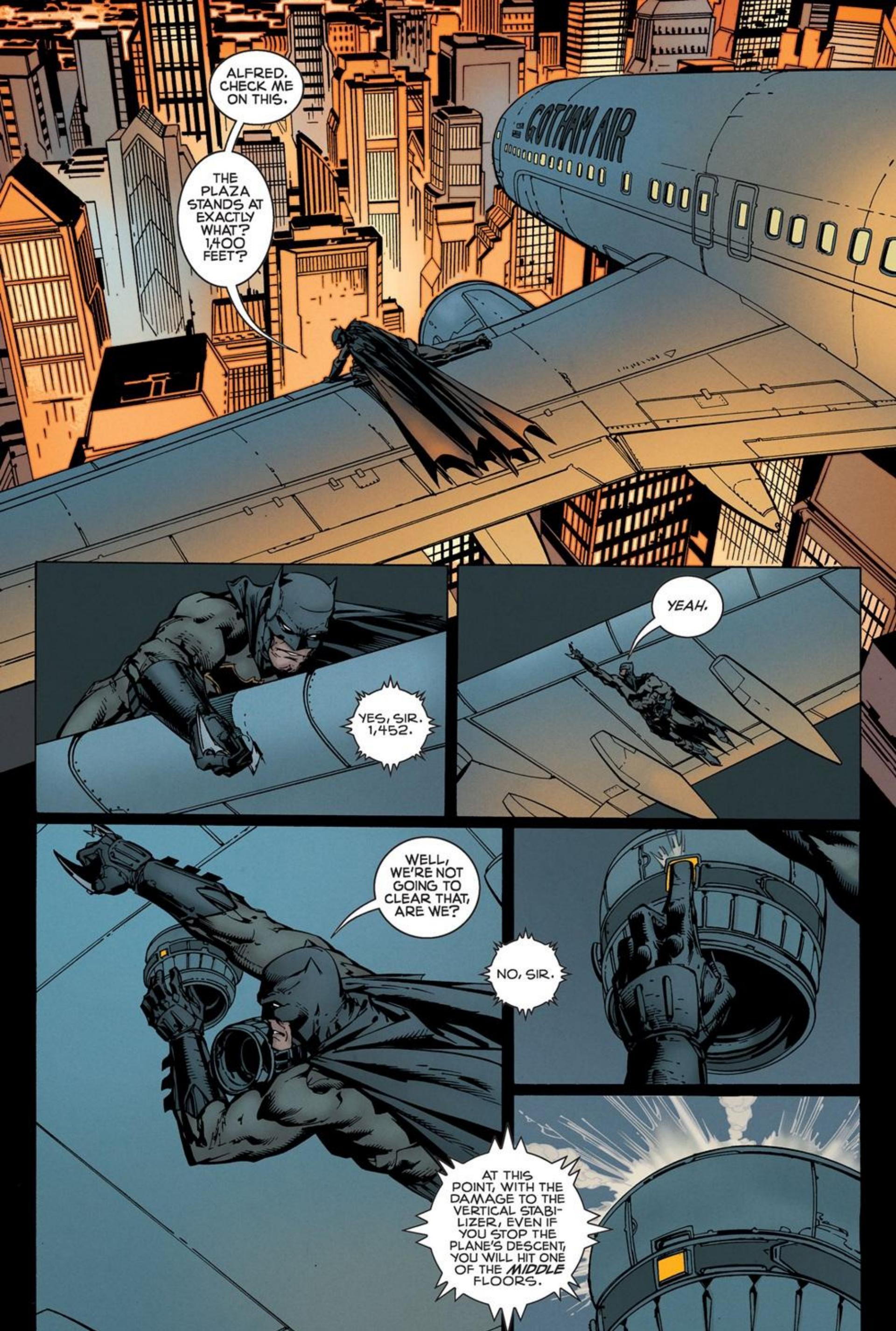


I'LL
SAVE
IT.













WHAT
WAS ONCE
JUST A 747
COMMERCIAL
JETLINER...

...IS
NOW...

...THE NEW
BATPLANE.



"SIR, I HESITATE TO RAISE THE ISSUE, BUT THERE IS PERHAPS ONE MATTER THAT WE MIGHT DISCUSS."

"YES?"

"IF YOU HIT THE GULF AT THE PRECISE ANGLE, THE PLANE SHOULD ABSORB A GREAT DEAL OF THE IMPACT, PRESERVING THE LIVES OF THOSE INSIDE."

"YOU WILL HAVE SAVED THOUSANDS. YOU WILL HAVE SAVED THE CITY. YOUR CITY."

"YES."

"HOWEVER, TO ACHIEVE THIS PRECISE ANGLE, YOU WILL NEED TO STAY IN PLACE AND NAVIGATE THE POINT OF ENTRY."

"MEANING YOU WILL BE OUTSIDE THE PLANE, EXPOSED TO THE FULL FORCE OF THE COLLISION."

"SIR, YOU MUST KNOW IT WILL BE IMPOSSIBLE TO SURVIVE."

"YES."

"I KNOW."

OBSERVE THE CLOCK, BATMAN.







BATMAN,
IT IS AN
HONOR AND A
PLEASURE.

PLEASE,
ALLOW ME
TO INTRODUCE
MYSELF.

I AM
GOTHAM.

SHE IS
GOTHAM
GIRL.

THIS IS
OUR CITY.
WE ARE
HERE TO
SAVE IT.

TO BE CONTINUED!