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FEAR.

NONE OF US
ARE IMMUNE.

LOOK WHAT IT
HAS DONE TO
MY SISTERS.

FIGHTING
AMONG
OURSELVES--
TOO AFRAID
TO ACCEPT THE
CHANGE OUR
BROTHERS
REPRESENT.

AND THIS
POOR GIRL.

SHE'S ONLY
A CHILD. SHE
DOESN'T EVEN
REALIZE SHE'S
JUST A PAWN.

FOOL!

WHY DON'T
WE PUT AWAY THAT
SWORD BEFORE
SOMEONE GETS
HURT.

THE ONLY
ONE WHO
WILL BE HURT
HERE TODAY
IS YOU.

STOP!



DERINOE!
WHAT IS THE
MEANING OF
THIS?!



DIANA HAS
BROUGHT
THIS UPON
HERSELF.

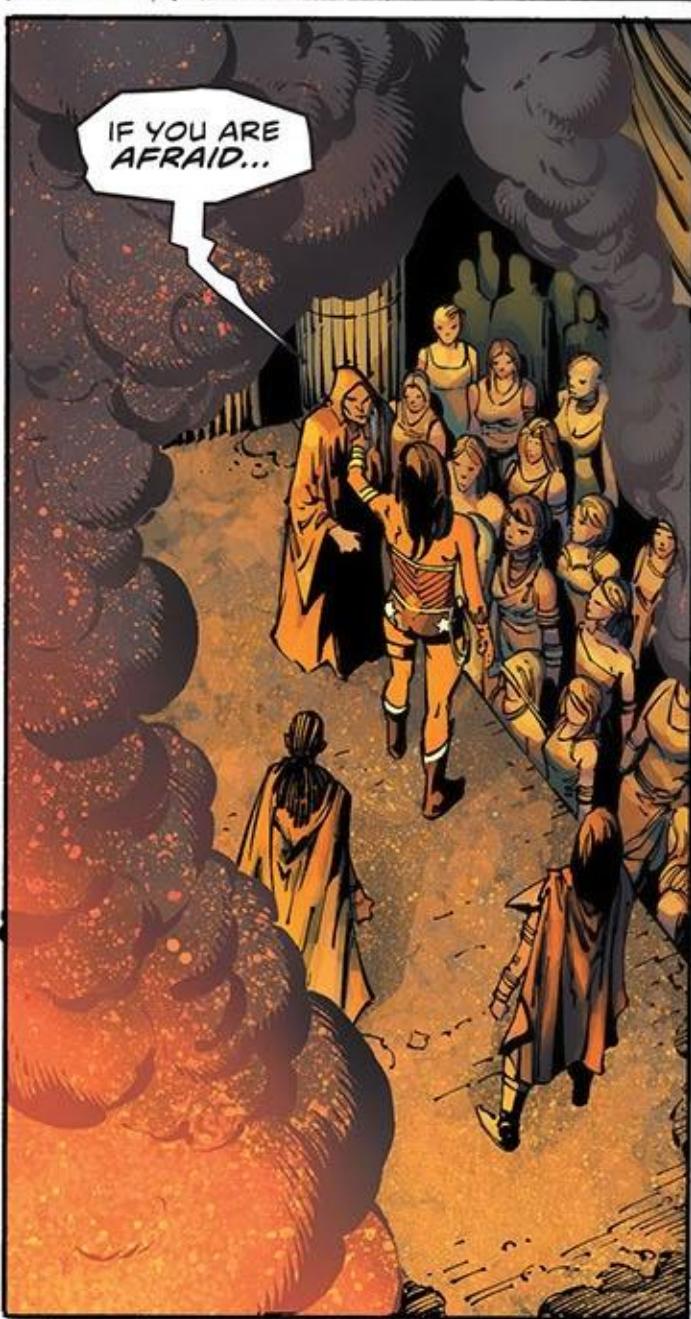
DO NOT
BLAME ME FOR
DOING WHAT
IS BEST FOR
THEMYSCIRA.
I ONLY DO WHAT
MUST BE
DONE.



AS YOUR QUEEN,
I WILL DO WHAT IS
BEST FOR EVERYONE
ON THIS ISLAND. THAT
INCLUDES OUR
BROTHERS.



YOU DO
ONLY WHAT
IS BEST FOR
THEM.





WHO IS THIS
GIRL DERINOE
IS TRYING TO MAKE
QUEEN? THERE'S
SOMETHING ABOUT
HER THAT IS SO
FAMILIAR...

HER NAME
IS DONNA TROY.
DERINOE CLAIMS
THAT SHE IS A GIFT
FROM THE
GODDESS.

A TRUE
AMAZON, BORN
OF CLAY AND
DAUGHTER TO
NO MAN.

SO OUR SISTERS
WILL EMBRACE THIS
DONNA BECAUSE SHE
IS EVERYTHING THEY
ONCE MOCKED ME
FOR BEING?

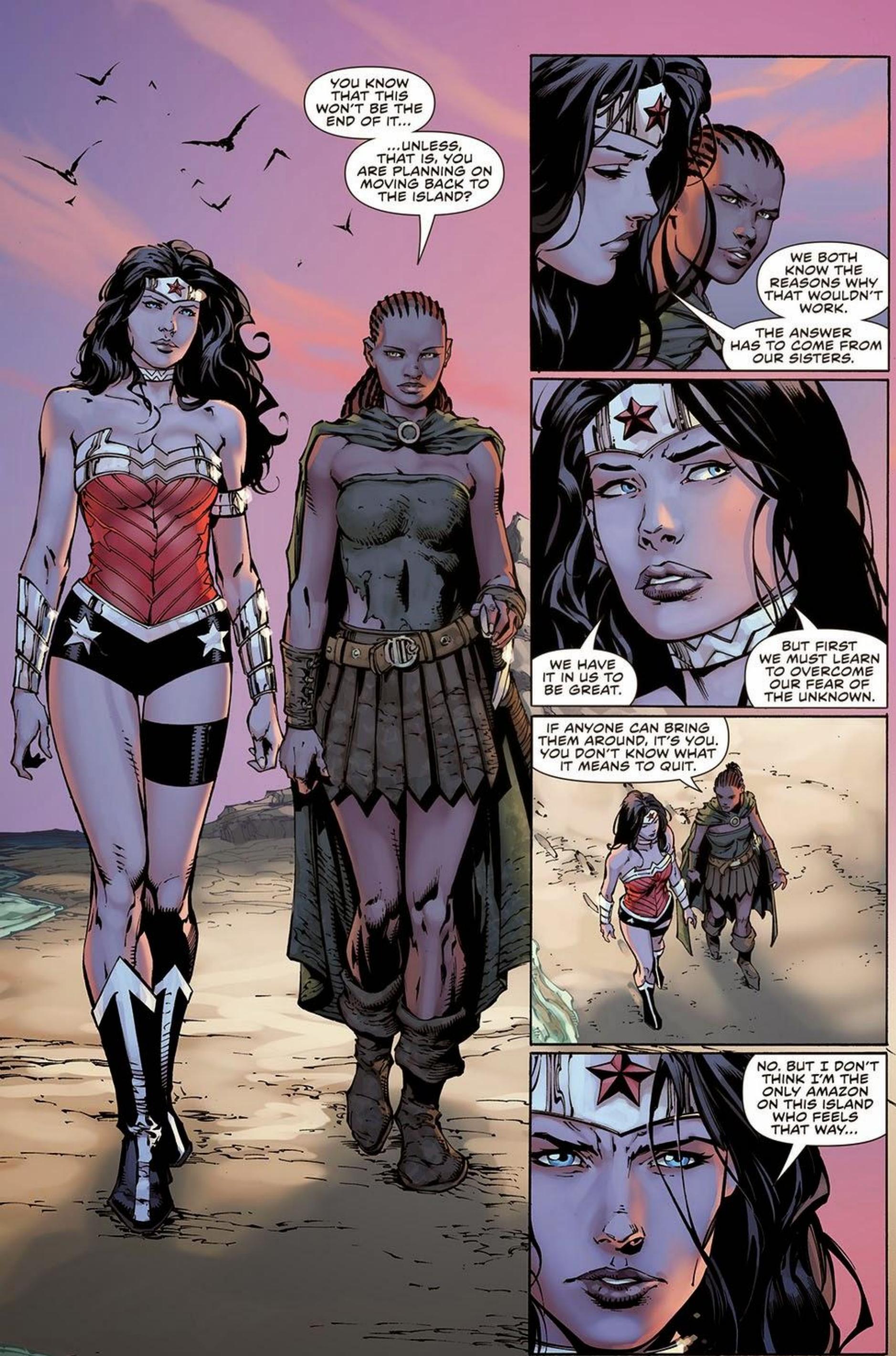


SOMEONE UP THERE
IS GOING TO HAVE TO
ANSWER FOR HER SENSE
OF HUMOR.

I DON'T
UNDERSTAND...



IT'S NOTHING.
I GUESS ALL
THIS STRIFE IS
JUST GETTING
TO ME.







WHAT WILL
YOU DO ABOUT
THIS CHALLENGE
TO YOUR
THRONE?



MAN!
MY BROTHER'S GONNA
BE SO MAD HE SKIPPED
SCHOOL TODAY.



THE AMAZONS
ARE A NATION OF
WARRIORs, AND THEIR
QUEEN NEEDS TO BE
THE STRONGEST OF
THEM ALL.



I'VE BEEN
AN OUTCAST MY
ENTIRE LIFE. PROVING
MYSELF TO THEM...
IT'S WHAT I DO.



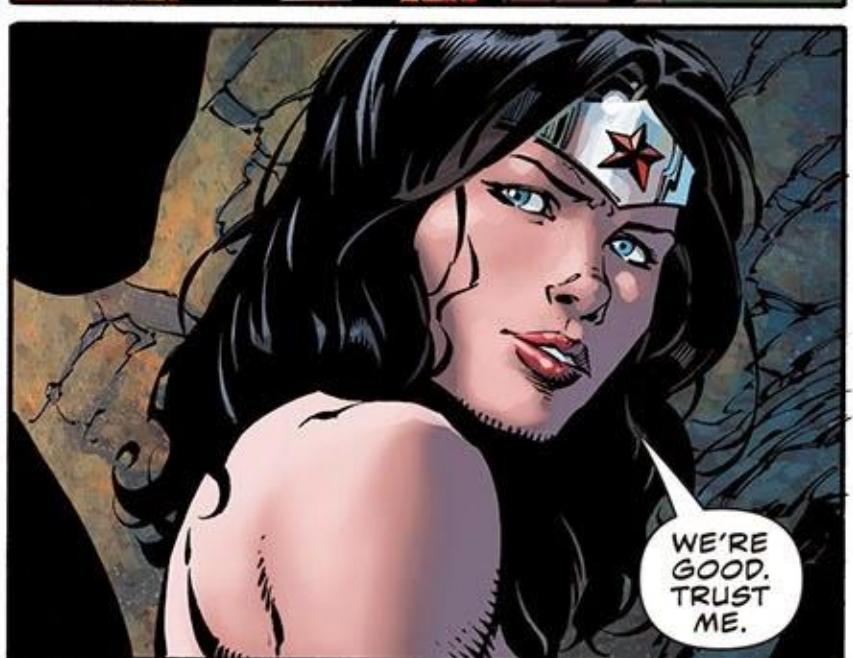
IT HURTS
A LITTLE LESS
EVERY TIME.

I JUST
HOPE THIS FINALLY
PUTS AN END TO
ALL OF IT...

...BECAUSE
A WAR ON PARADISE
ISLAND IS THE LAST
THING ANYONE NEEDS
RIGHT NOW.

WHAT
ARE WE
LOOKING AT,
GUYS?

I WAS ABLE TO UTILIZE
PHEROMONES EXTRACTED FROM
OUR "INSECTOID FRIEND" HERE
TO PINPOINT THE LOCATION
OF HIS QUEEN.





THE QUEEN
IS 250 METERS
STRAIGHT AHEAD,
DIANA.



WHAT DID YOU
SAY THESE GUYS
ATE AGAIN?



YOU
DON'T WANT
TO KNOW.



I WAS
AFRAID YOU
WERE GOING TO
SAY SOMETHING
LIKE THAT.



WE'RE
HERE.

WE WOULD
THANK YOU FOR
RETURNING OUR
SOLDIER--

--BUT YOU
SHOULD NOT
HAVE TAKEN HIM
IN THE FIRST
PLACE.

I WOULD
CONSIDER THE LOSS
OF ONE SOLDIER A
SMALL PRICE TO PAY
IN RETURN FOR THE
THOUSANDS OF LIVES
YOU'VE TAKEN.



FOOLISH GIRL.
WE HAVE TAKEN
NOTHING. WE HAVE
SIMPLY DONE THAT
WHICH IS IN OUR
NATURE.



DO YOU
DENY BEING
RESPONSIBLE FOR
THE DISASTERS
THAT COST
THOSE PEOPLE
THEIR LIVES?



THAT LOSS
OF LIFE YOU WOULD
BLAME US FOR WAS
AN ACT OF GOD. OR, TO
BE MORE SPECIFIC...
AN ACT OF THE GOD
OF WAR.



WHAT ARE
YOU TALKING
ABOUT?

WERE WE MISTAKEN?! WE HAD ASSUMED YOU WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR BURYING THAT ABOMINATION IN THE VERY HEART OF YOUR EARTH. THE DEPTH OF HIS FURY WOKE US FROM OUR LONG SLUMBER.

DID YOU REALLY BELIEVE THERE WOULD BE NO CONSEQUENCES? EVEN NOW WE CAN FEEL THE EARTH SHUDDER AT THE HORROR LOCKED AGAIN WITHIN HER DEPTHS...

...THE ONE YOU CALL FIRST BORN."

NO!

IT APPEARS WE ARE NOT THE ONLY ONES DOING WHAT IS IN OUR NATURE.

PARADISE ISLAND.

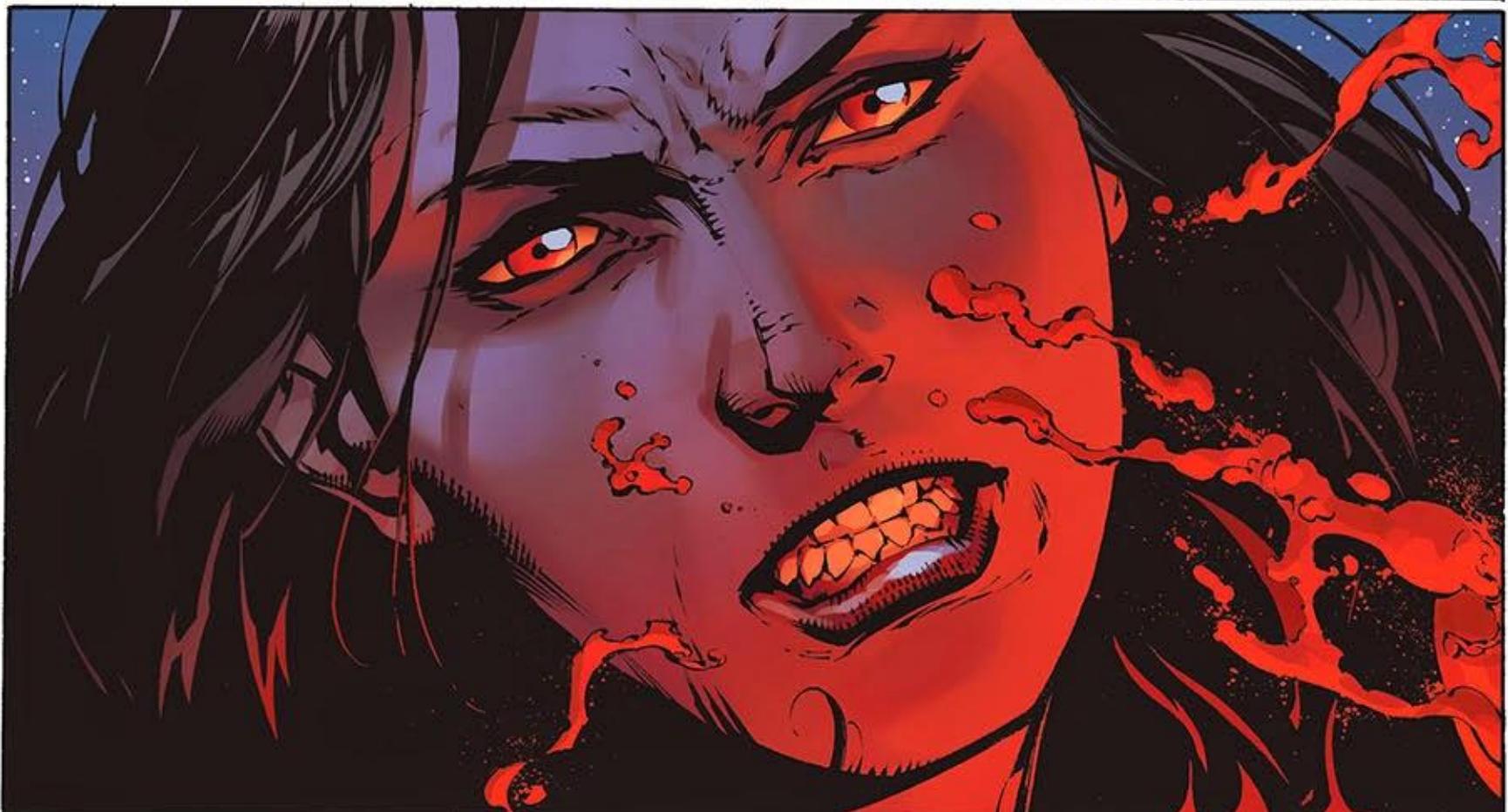




AMAZONS!
ATTACK!

RUN!!!!





FOR WE ARE
AMAZONS.

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