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BATMAN

TWO-FACE
RETURNS!



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->HUFF-HUFF<-
--DON'T MAKE
ME HAVE TO DO IT,
SCALADINO. DON'T MAKE
ME ->HUH-HUH<- KILL
YOU. NOT AFTER
ALL THIS...

...THINK WHILE
I CATCH MY DAMN
BREATH. SWEAR IT
TO ME. ->HUFF-
HUFF-HUFF<-



>COUGH-<
YOU HAD TWINS,
DIDN'T YA? THINK
OF THEM.

PLEASE,
NO MORE...I
TOLD YOU--UHNG!
I DON'T HAVE
A CLUE...

FOR THE LOVE
OF GOD, YOU'RE
DOING THIS TO YOUR-
SELF. YOU THINK I WANNA
BE HERE? DOIN'
THIS TO YOU?

NO...
PLEASE...

THEN SPILL
IT, MY COIN.
THAT'S ALL
I WANT.

Y-YOU'RE
KILLING ME!

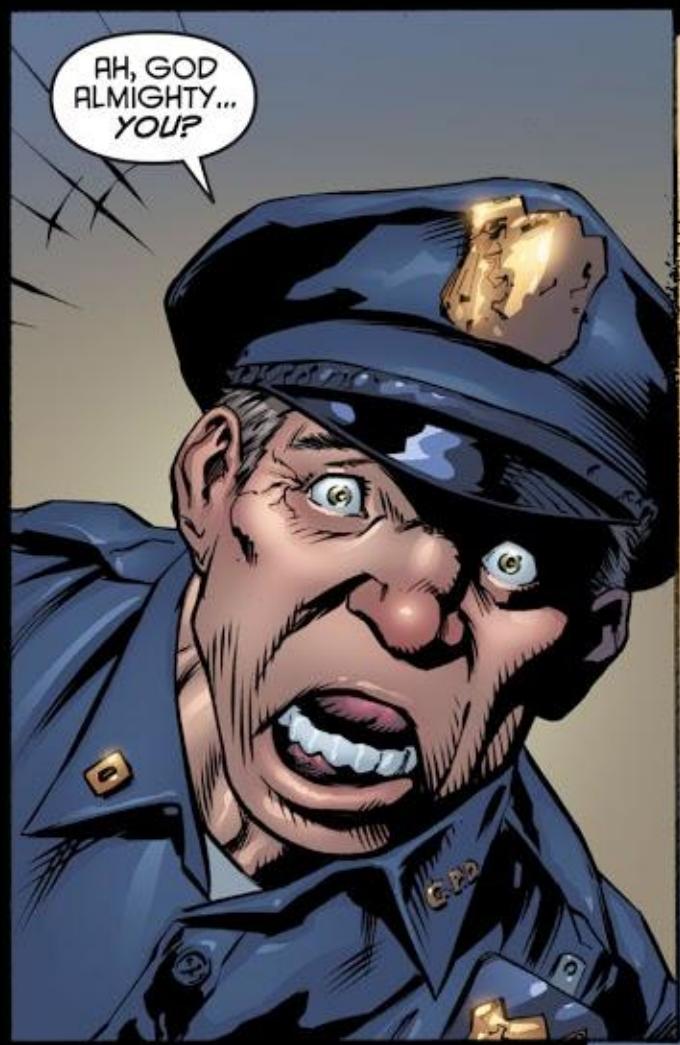
I'M NOT
THE ONE
KILLING
YOU.

YOU DONE THIS
TO YOURSELF.
EARNED EVERY
INCH OF IT.

YAAAAAA!

It's getting
to me. Can't...

I need to control myself.
I need to collect my thoughts.
Not let this crap drive me mad...



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PART ONE **LOST.**

Some say it all started in a courtroom several years ago. A thug tossed a vial of acid onto District Attorney Harvey Dent's face, permanently scarring him.

The injury has always been the explanation for Dent's transformation into Two-Face. A transformation that is at constant odds with itself.

One that pits good against evil. Right against wrong.

And sane against insane.



A traumatic injury can take a mental toll. But it took more than a dousing of acid to create Two-Face.

It's my belief that Dent's role as District Attorney is what kept his inner demons in check.

The acid left him with half a face. Two pieces of a man. Both balanced, seemingly with the flip of a coin.

THIS IS JUST GRAND.

THE VICTIMS IDENTIFIED YET?

THEY RUN THE GAMUT. BUT THEY HAVE ONE THING IN COMMON--ALL ARE AFFILIATED WITH GOTHAM'S MOST NOTORIOUS.

WITNESSES SAY TWO-FACE SHOT A POLICE OFFICER. HE MIGHT NOT LIVE.

WE KNOW WHO, OBVIOUSLY. BUT THE WHY--

WORD ON THE STREET IS TWO-FACE LOST HIS COIN, COMMISSIONER.

ALL THIS... FOR HIS COIN?

HARD TO SAY EXACTLY WHAT HE WAS TRYING TO EXTRACT FROM THESE MEN. WE MAY NEVER KNOW UNLESS WE FIND HIM.

I DON'T LIKE THIS. SOMETHING TELLS ME THIS IS JUST THE BEGINNING.

WELL, IF ALL HE WANTS IS HIS COIN, LET'S FIND HIM A NEW ONE. HE CAN PLAY WITH IT ALL HE WANTS IN ARKHAM.

WE HAVE TO TRACK HIM DOWN FIRST.

WE HAVE WITNESSES UP THE WAZOO. THEY SAY HE SHOT THE OFFICER AND VANISHED INTO THE ALLEY ACROSS THE STREET.

VANISHED?

WELL, NO ONE'S ACTUALLY GOING TO FOLLOW TWO-FACE INTO A DARK ALLEY. NOT UNLESS HE'S YOU.

LOOKS LIKE SOMEONE'S TRYING TO STEAL YER THUNDER, BATS.

IF THE CITY INSTITUTES BROADER SECURITY MEASURES, WE CAN DETER THESE CRIMINALS. FORCE THEM TO MOVE OUT OF GOTHAM. I'M PRESSURING THE MAYOR AT THIS MOMENT TO SPEND MORE ON SURVEILLANCE TECHNOLOGIES.

JUST WHAT I NEED, BULLOCK... CONGRESSMAN DEAN SKAPE IN THE CENTER OF THE LIGHTS AND CAMERAS.

CONGRESSMAN SKAPE--ARE YOU REFERRING TO YOUR PROPOSAL TO IMPLANT TRACKING DEVICES INTO GOTHAM'S FELONS?

THESE LAWLESS THUGS HAVE THE BACKING OF CRIMINAL RIGHTS GROUPS ALL ACROSS AMERICA. TECHNOLOGY EXISTS THAT COULD ENABLE THE CITIZENS OF GOTHAM TO TAKE BACK THEIR STREETS.

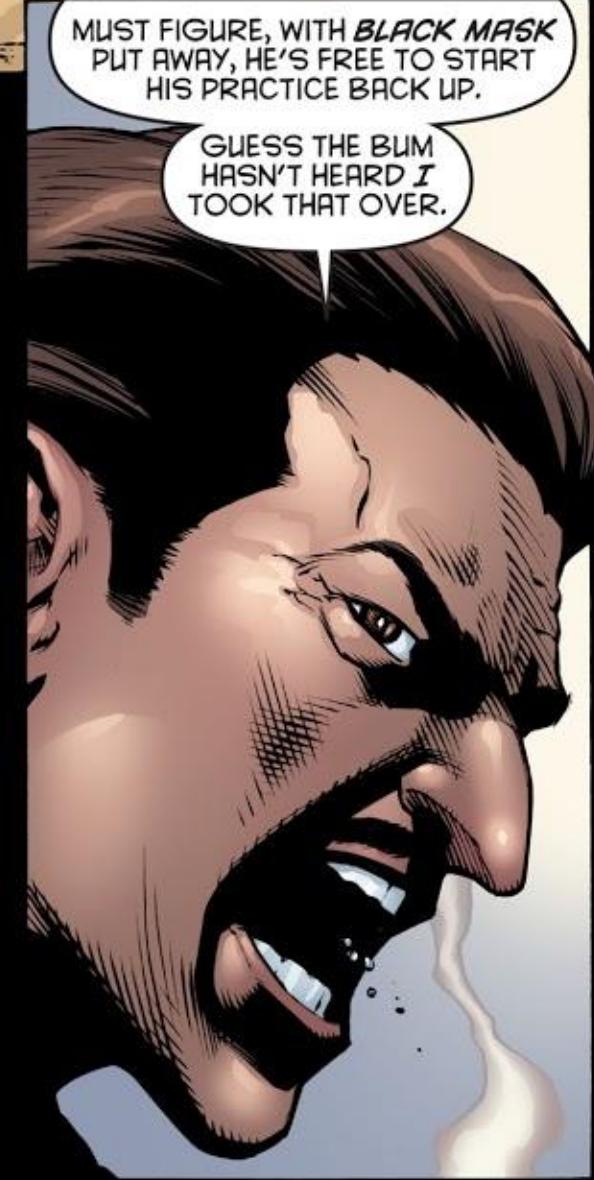
I SAY WE TAKE OUR SECURITY OUT OF THE HANDS OF VIGILANTES. I'VE WAITED LONG ENOUGH FOR PEACE IN THE STREETS OF GOTHAM. HAVEN'T YOU?

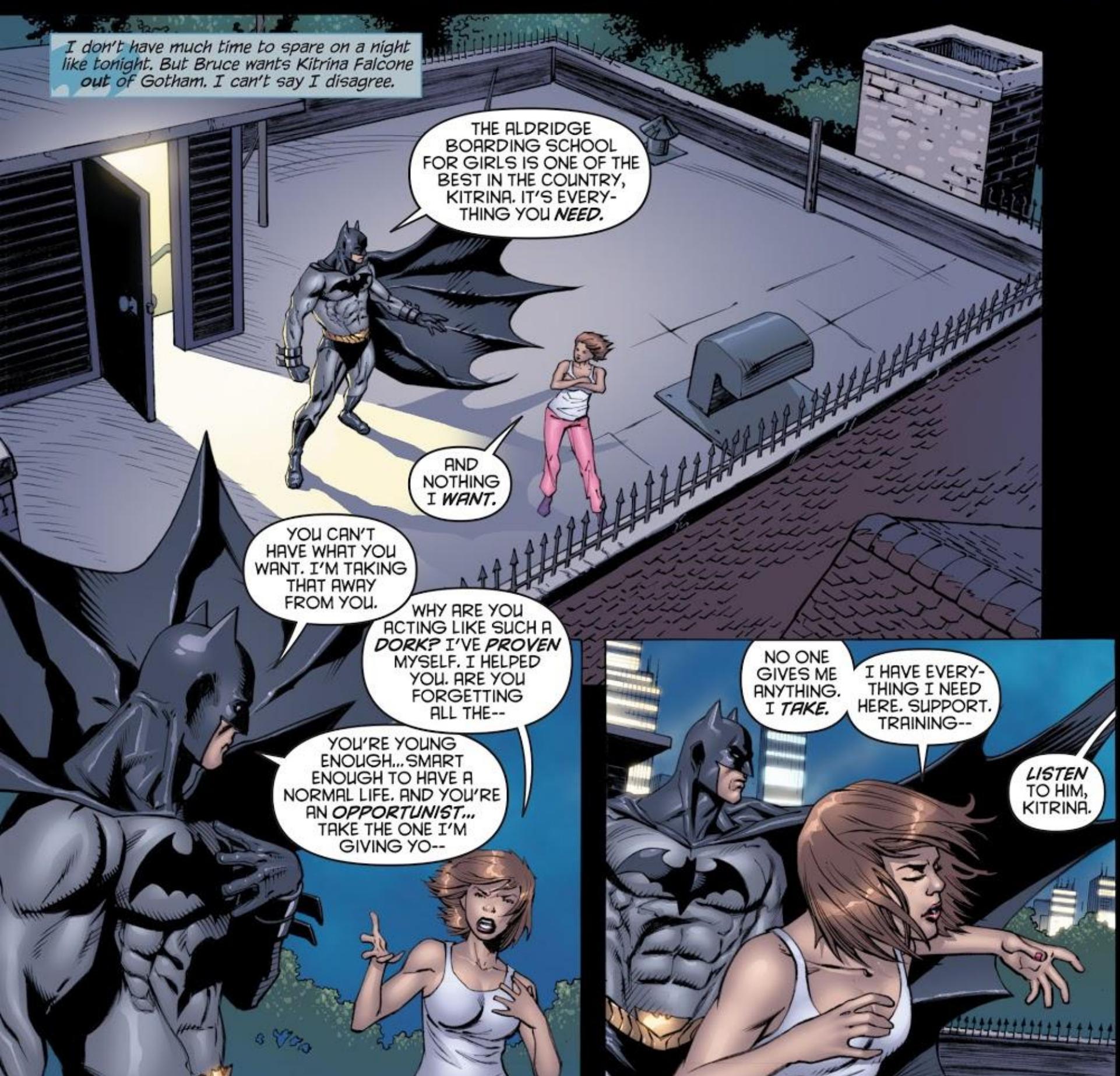
AND WHAT ABOUT THE SAFETY OF OUR CHILDREN WHO IDOLIZE AND IMITATE THESE SO-CALLED "HEROES"? WHERE ARE THEIR PARENTS? THEIR GUARDIANS?

BATMAN! CAN WE GET A REACTION?

BATMAN, CAN YOU ANSWER JUST A FEW--

Cameras rolling. Reporters. A loud-mouth politician. Yeah. That's my cue to exit stage left.











The ringing... it just stopped.

Looks like someone's down there.

WHOEVER
YOU ARE,
YOU'D BETTER
HAVE
ANSWERS.

DRAWWWW,
COWBOY!

BLAM
BLAM
BLAM

DRAWWWW,
COWBOY!

IT'S... IT A
RECORDING.

Who did this?



GOTHAM'S WEST SIDE.



--SEVEN GUYS DENT KILLED, AND THAT AIN'T INCLUDIN' THE COP.



NOT YET, MR. DIAMOND.

HE'S GOOD FOR THE CHEDDAR. I FIGURE WE OWE HIM A LITTLE BENEFIT OF THE DOUBT CONSIDERIN' ALL HE'S DONE FOR ME. AND YOU, TOO.

SHOOT! I'M SAYIN' YOU CAN'T SQUEEZE BLOOD FROM A ROCK, IS ALL.

MAYBE I CAN FROM YOUR POINTY HEAD.

WHY THE HELL NOT?

WHAT?

Riiip



The first time I came through this window I was twelve.

VRRMM



Some killed in gang wars. Others Bruce tossed in the clink.

SMASH





Some were dumped because of the flip of a coin.

It's no wonder Two-Face's crew doesn't seem to know the meaning of the word "loyalty"--



BLAM BLAM BLAM



--which definitely works in my favor right now.



WHERE'S MY RIDE?
SON OF A--



YOU
KNOW WHO
I'M LOOKING
FOR, DIAMOND
JACK.





YOU PROMISED ME, MARIO.
I WOULD BE THE ONE TO
DO IT. IT'S THE ONLY WAY TO
GET HIM OUT OF OUR
LIVES. FOR GOOD.

NO.
IT CAN'T
BE...



DINGOIRE-HARD INGBR
Uninvited Guests

SEE?
I DID IT. I DID
IT FOR US.

YOU'RE
THE BEST,
GILDA.

NEXT HAS
GILDA DENT
RETURNED?

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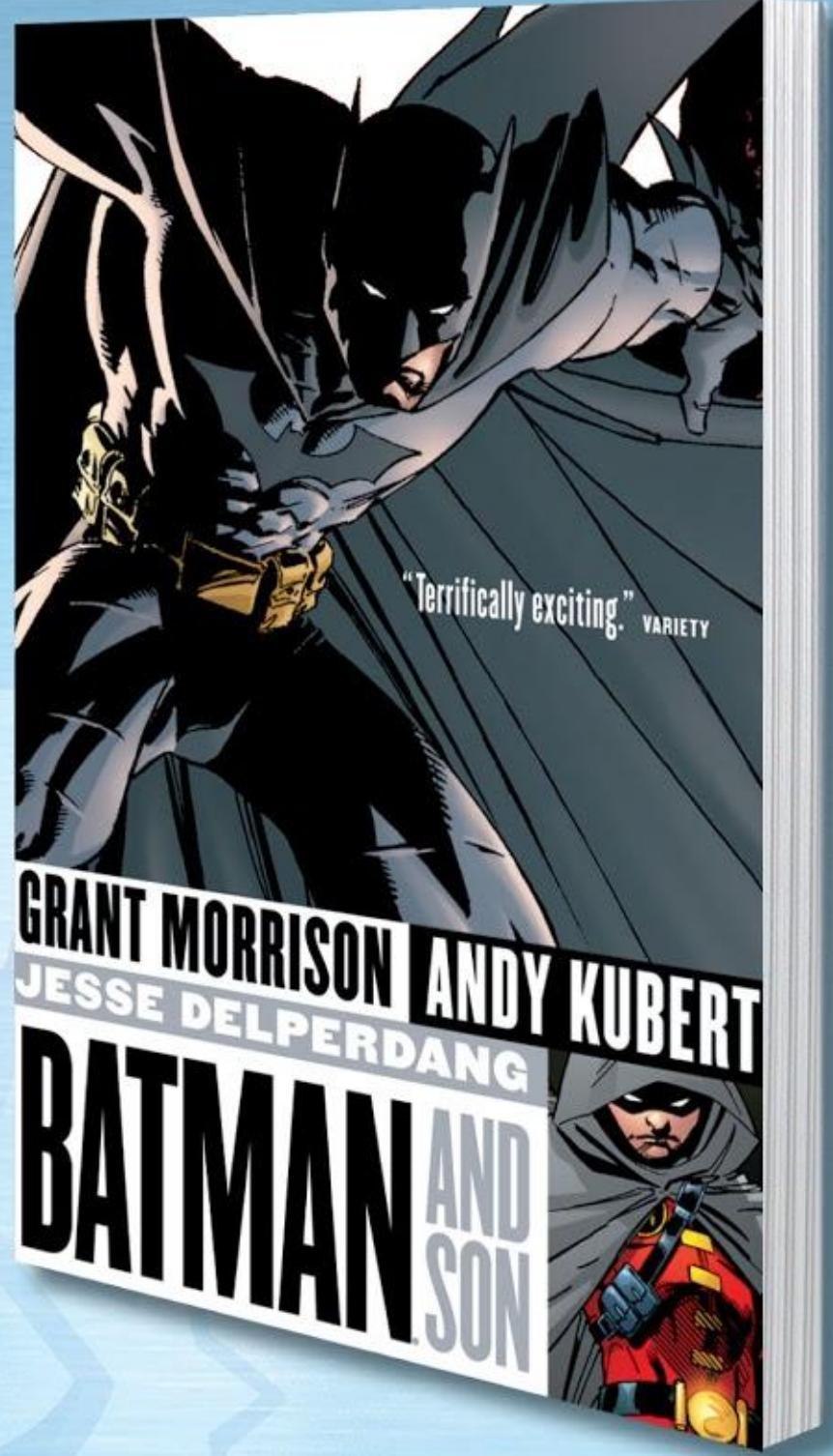
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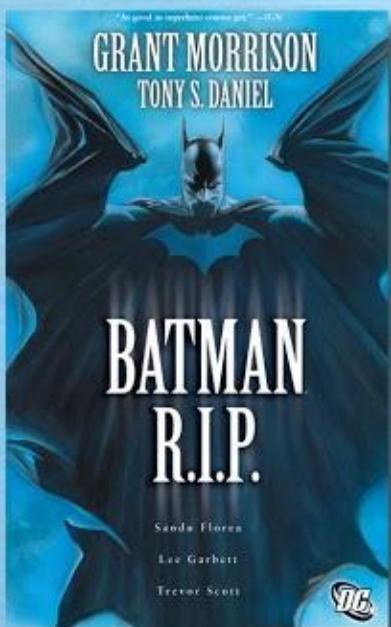
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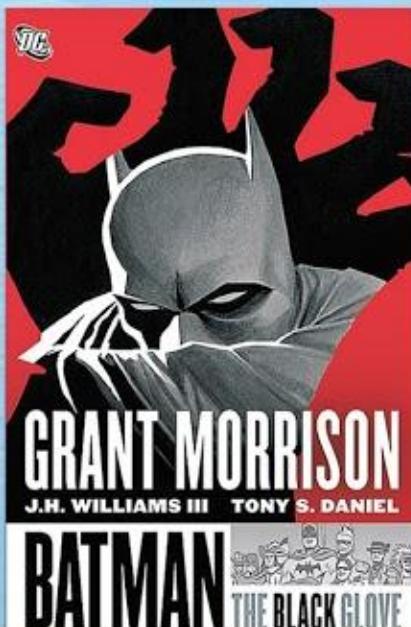
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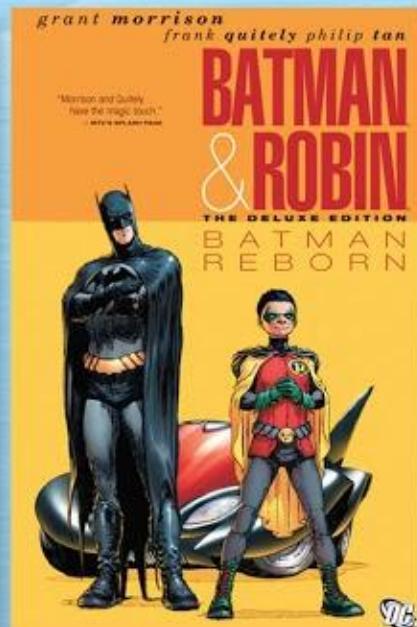
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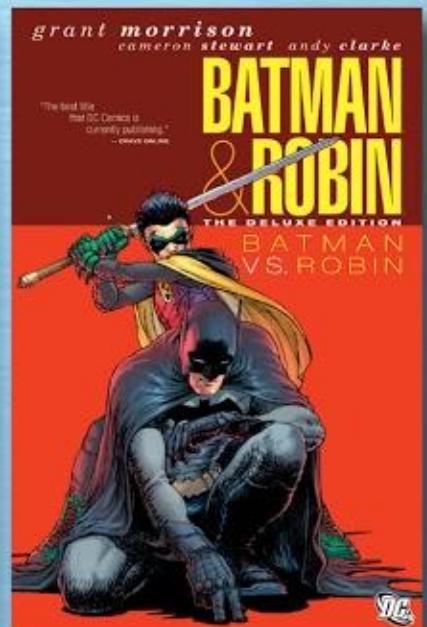
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THE BLACK GLOVE



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