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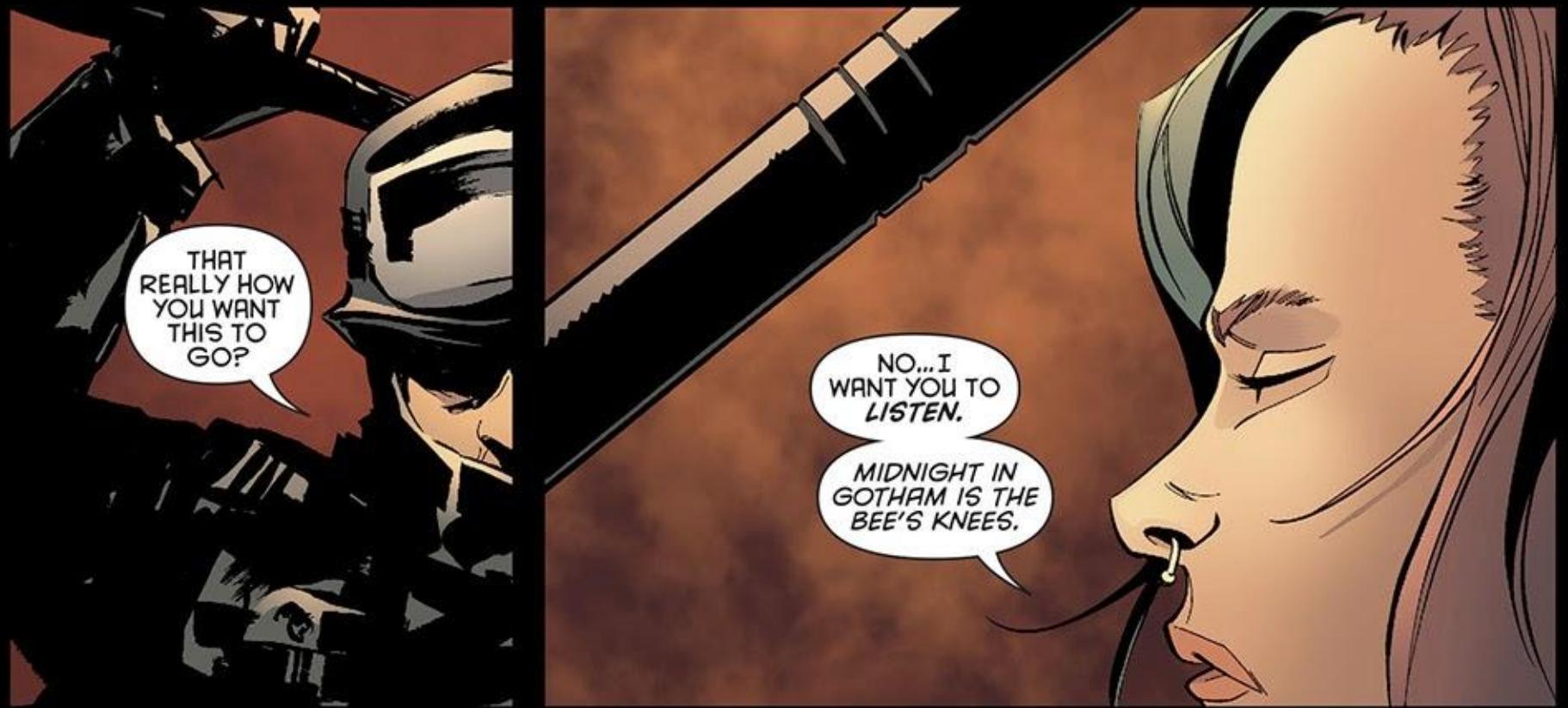




NO.



IF ONLY YOU KNEW WHO MY MOTHER WAS, #\$\$\$%.





BATMAN in GOTHAM **ETERNAL**

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Pretty clever using the police as your own private chauffeur service.

Yes, the boss thought so, too. Stand still.

That's a Waynetech XR2600 body scanner, isn't it? Top of the line.

Yes, it is.

Why are you here, young lady?

Okay, look. I'm sorry. It's just... I didn't know where else to go, all right?

WHAT DOES THAT GO FOR RETAIL? LIKE \$750K? MAN, THAT'S--

IT'S... IT'S MY BROTHER. HE'S BEEN INFECTED WITH IT...

WE'RE IN THE NARROWS. RIGHT AT GROUND ZERO.

IF HE'S INFECTED, THERE'S NOT A LOT WE CAN DO.

PEOPLE SAY THE OWNER OF THIS PLACE IS THE NEW "KINGPIN" OF GOTHAM OR SOMETHING. THAT THEY CAN MAKE ANYTHING HAPPEN FOR THE RIGHT PRICE.

WELL, THAT'S QUITE RIGHT, QUITE RIGHT.

FOLLOW ME. I'LL TAKE YOU RIGHT IN.





THE
PASSWORD
YOU GAVE THE
OFFICERS... IT'S
THREE DAYS
OUT OF
DATE.

AND YOUR
FACE DOESN'T
SHOW UP ON OUR
SCANNERS...
ACCORDING TO
GOTHAM RECORDS,
YOU **DON'T**
EXIST.

WHO ARE
YOU, LITTLE
GIRL? WHY
ARE YOU
HERE?

IT'S FUNNY
YOU SHOULD
ASK.

BECAUSE
ACTUALLY,
I'M HERE TO
HURT YOU.

WHAT
THE--

WHO
TURNED OUT
THE LIGHTS?!

CLIK

THEIR
SCANNERS
COULDN'T DETECT IT...
BUT YOU BROUGHT
IT, DIDN'T YOU? EVEN
THOUGH I SPECIFI-
CALLY TOLD YOU
NOT TO.

OBVIOUSLY.

...
CRAVE,
COME IN.

WHEN HARPER SHUT DOWN THE SYSTEM, WE GOT COMPLETE SCHEMATICS OF THE PLACE.

BAD NEWS-- THE ONLY WAY TO THE SAFE FROM YOUR CURRENT LOCATION IS THROUGH THE MAIN CASINO FLOOR.

HOW MANY PEOPLE ON THE FLOOR?

FORTY-THREE.

HOW MANY ARMED?

WHAT, DO YOU JUST WANT ME TO COUNT OR SOMETHING?

THERE'S A COMMAND SEQUENCE ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE--

GOT IT... GOT IT... SORRY, STILL NEW AT THIS.

SIXTEEN.

GOOD, STAY ON THE LINE.

GET DRESSED. WE HAVE MORE WORK TO DO.





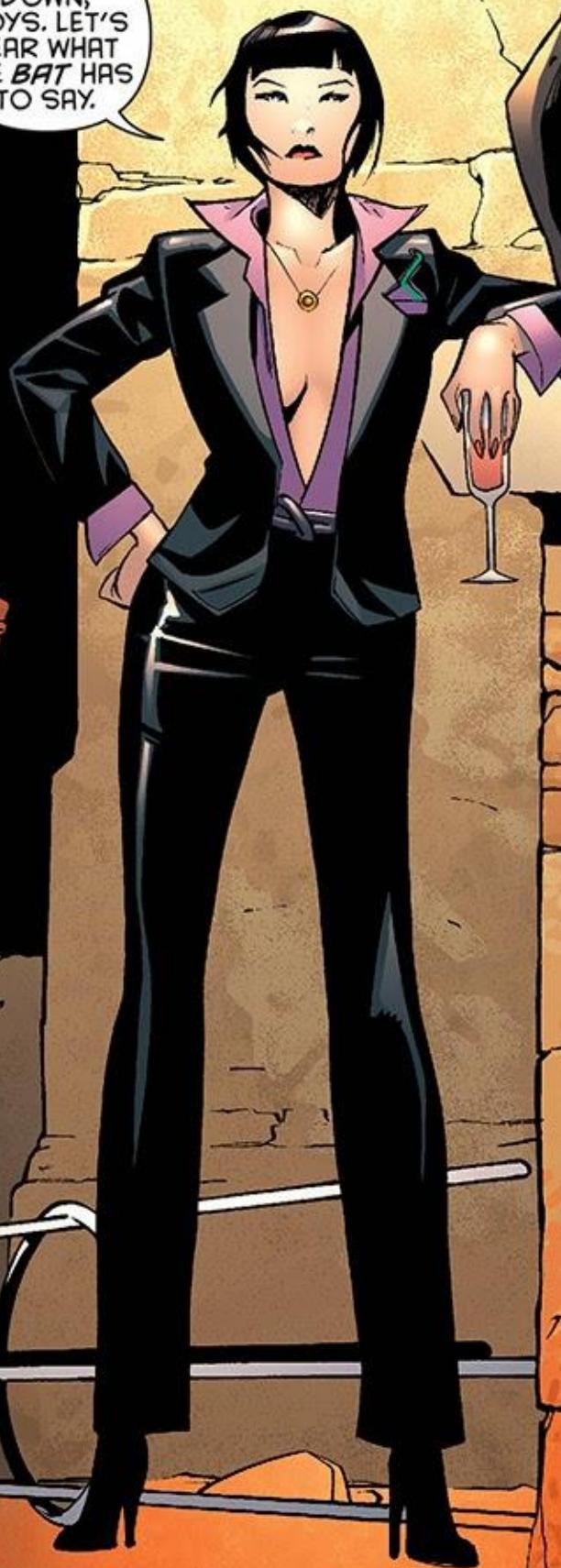


ALL RIGHT,
FOLKS. CONSIDER
THIS *LAST CALL*.



...WELL
HERE I
AM.

STAND
DOWN,
BOYS. LET'S
HEAR WHAT
THE *BAT* HAS
TO SAY.







DID YOU KNOW THEY RAISED THE BOUNTY TO 800 MILLION YESTERDAY? I TOOK IT AS AN INVESTMENT-- TO SHOW THEM I MEAN BUSINESS.

SHOW ME.



YOU SHOULD'VE JUST COME AND ASKED NICELY. WE HAVE A HISTORY.

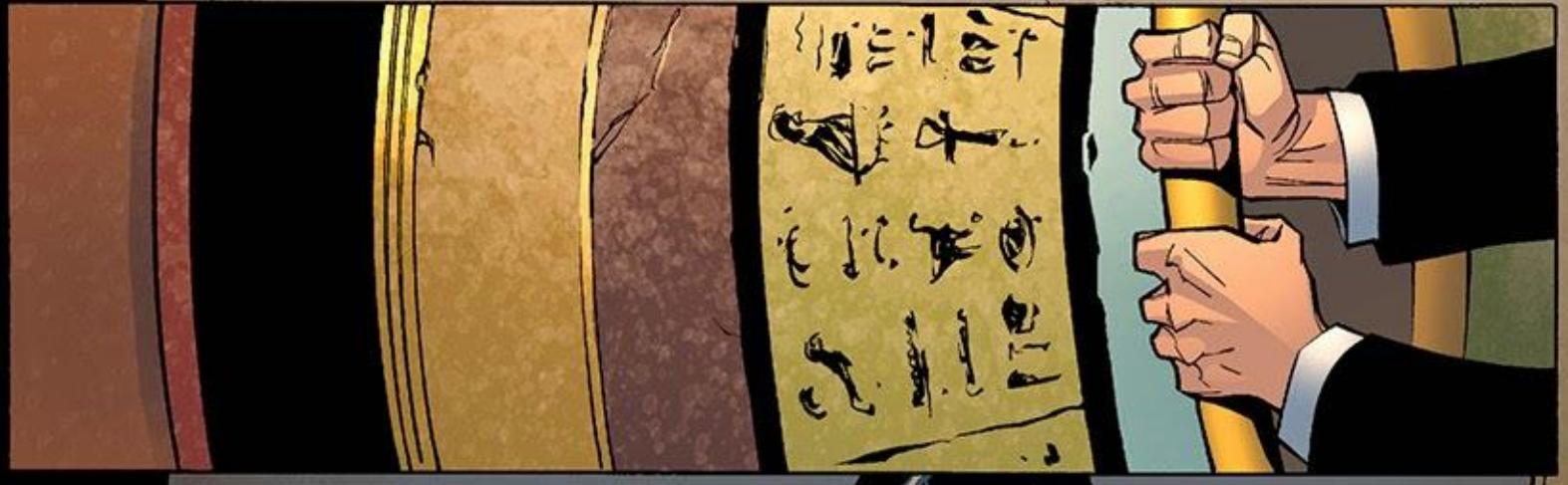


IF THIS IS WHAT YOU CHOOSE TO MAKE OF YOUR LIFE, YOU SHOULDN'T EXPECT ME TO PLAY NICE ANYMORE.











HER NAME
IS STEPHANIE
BROWN...

SHE CALLS
HERSELF
SPOILER.

AND SHE'S
THE ONLY ONE
IN THIS CITY WHO
KNOWS HOW TO
STOP WHAT'S
COMING NEXT.



THE STORY BEGINS IN **BATMAN ETERNAL #1**
ON SALE THIS APRIL!