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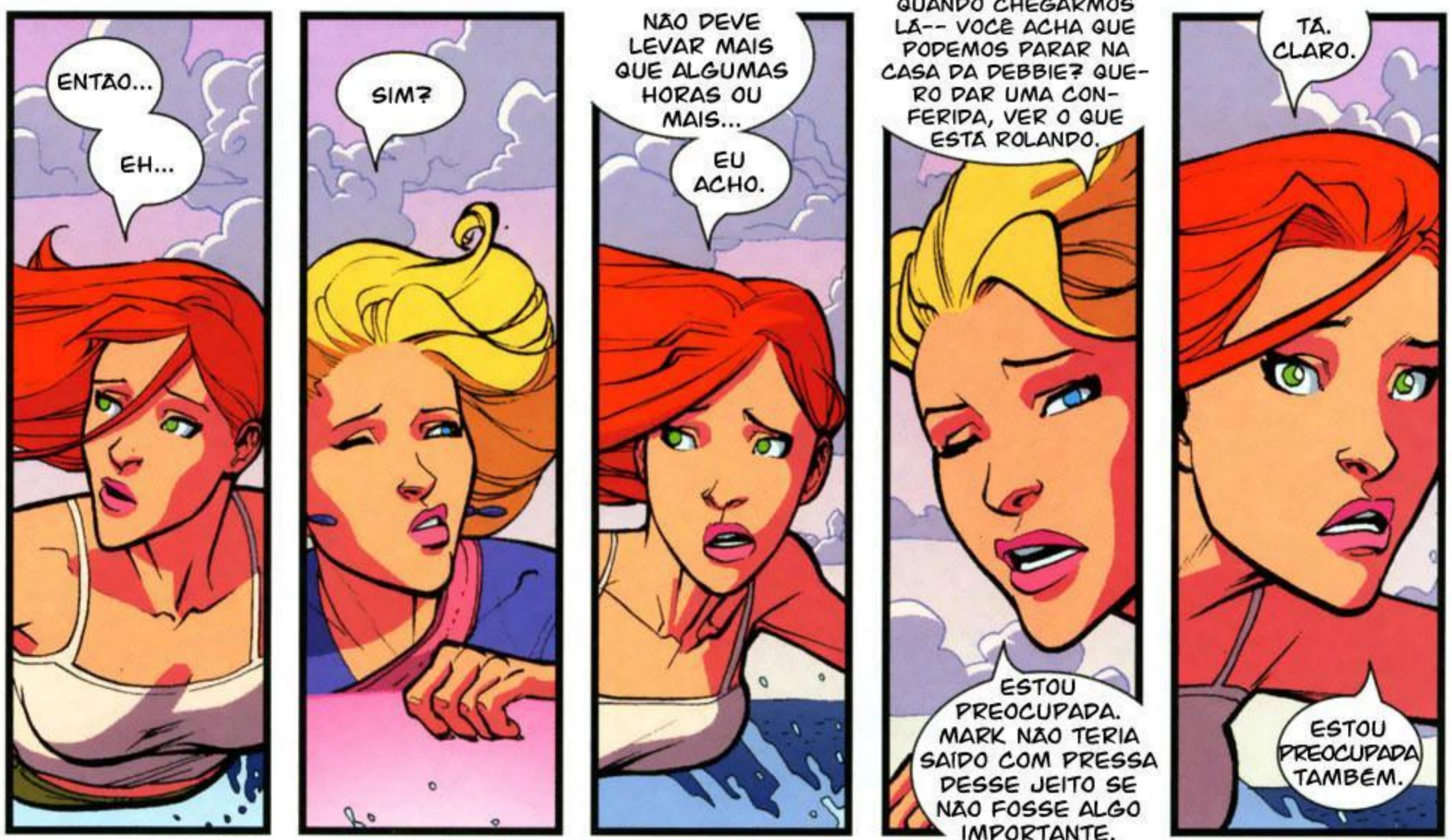
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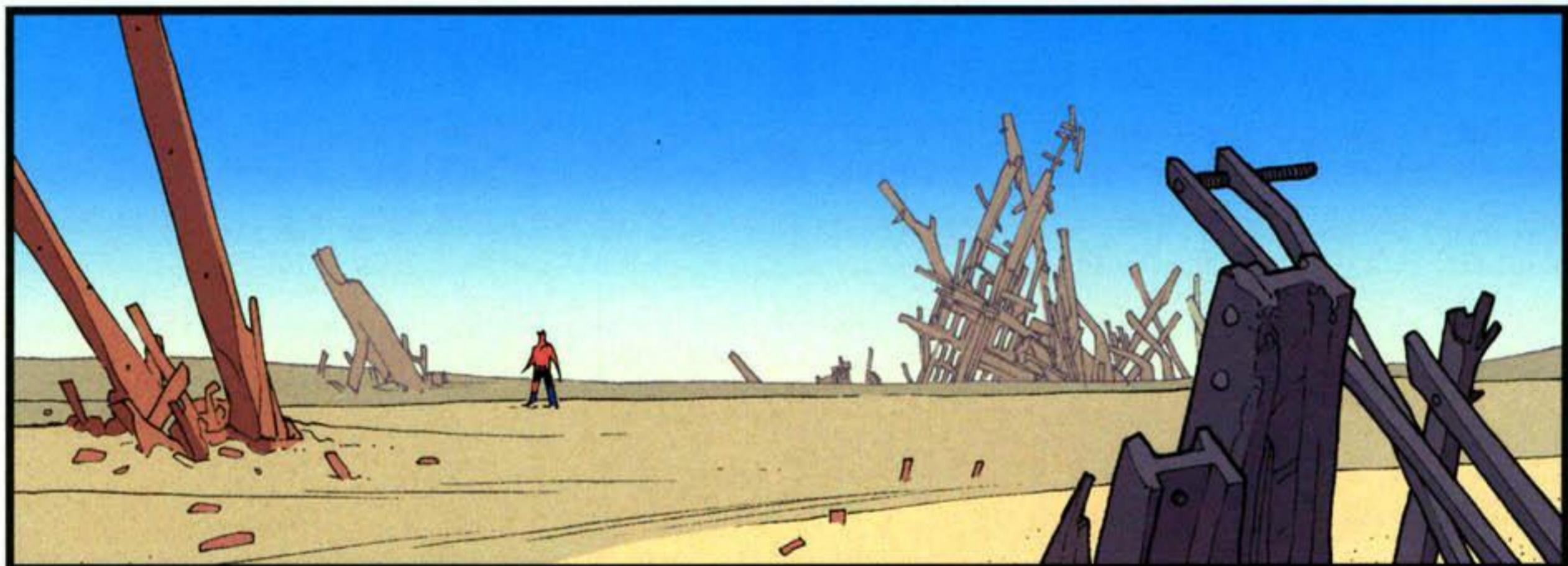
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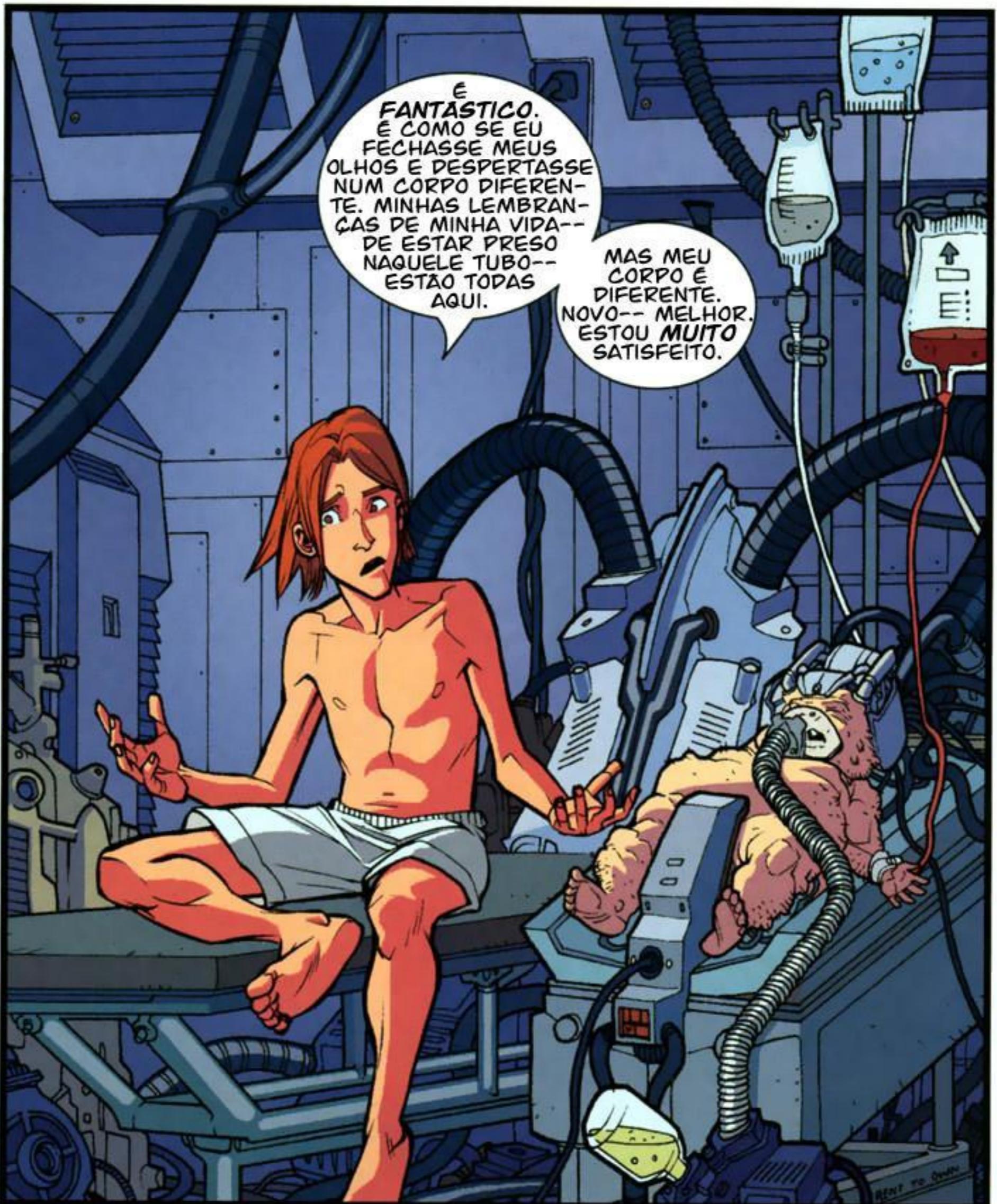
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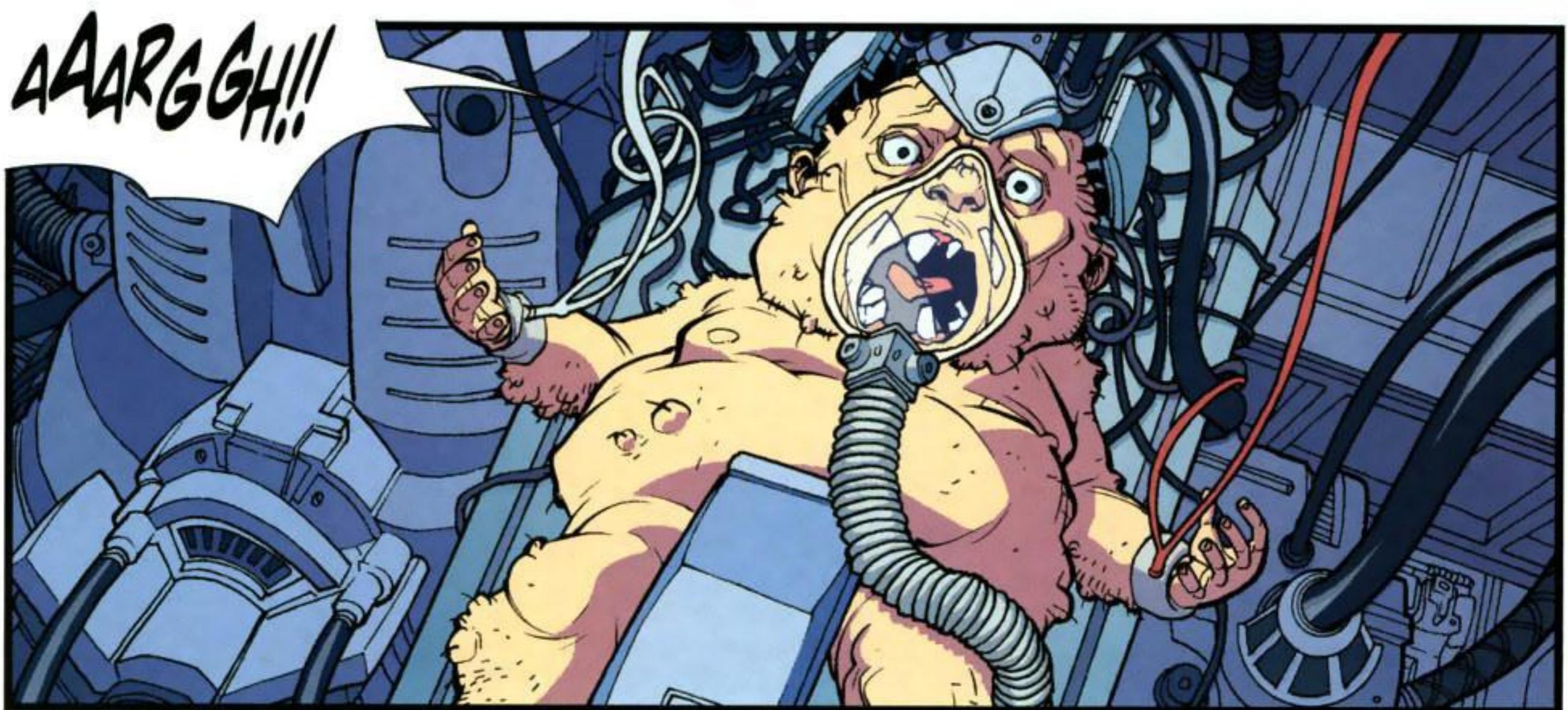
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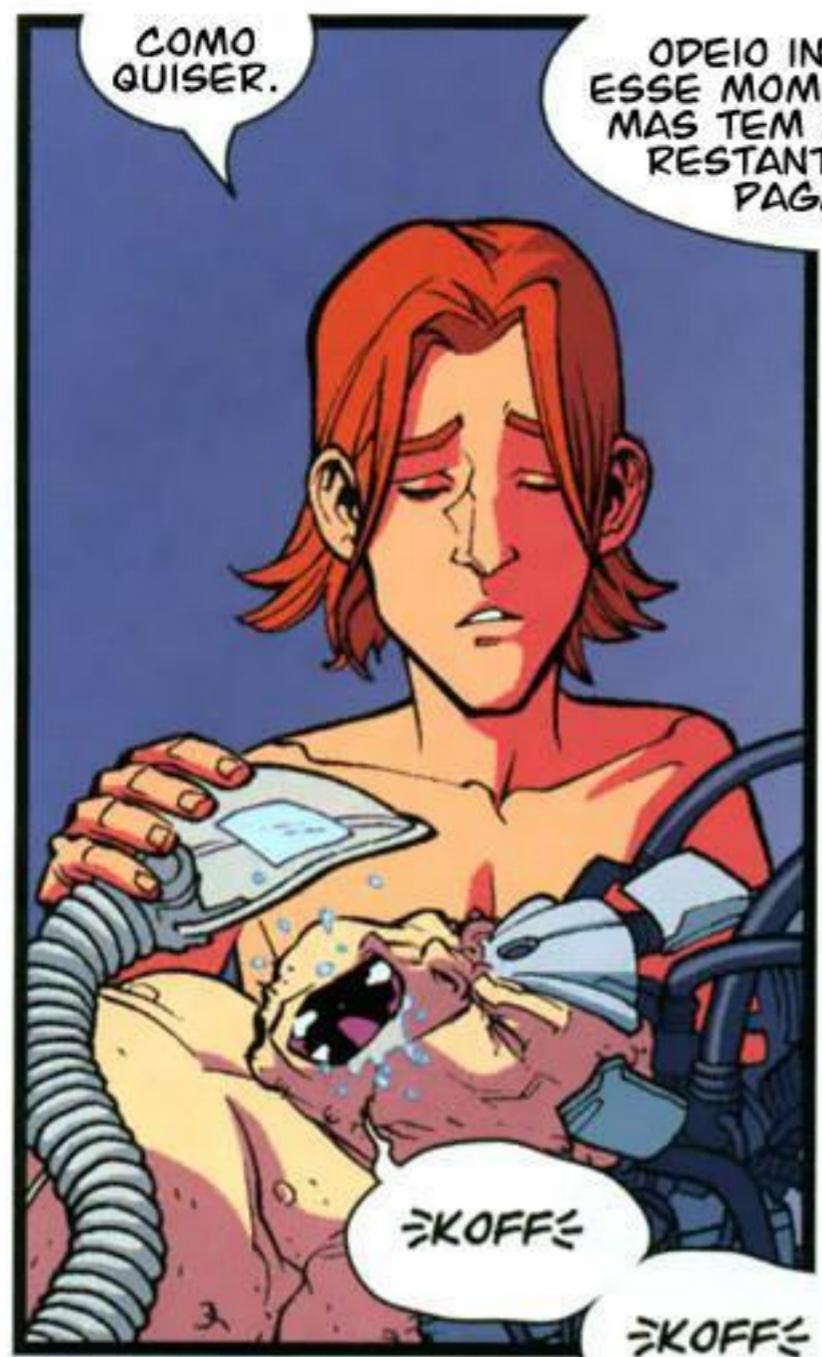
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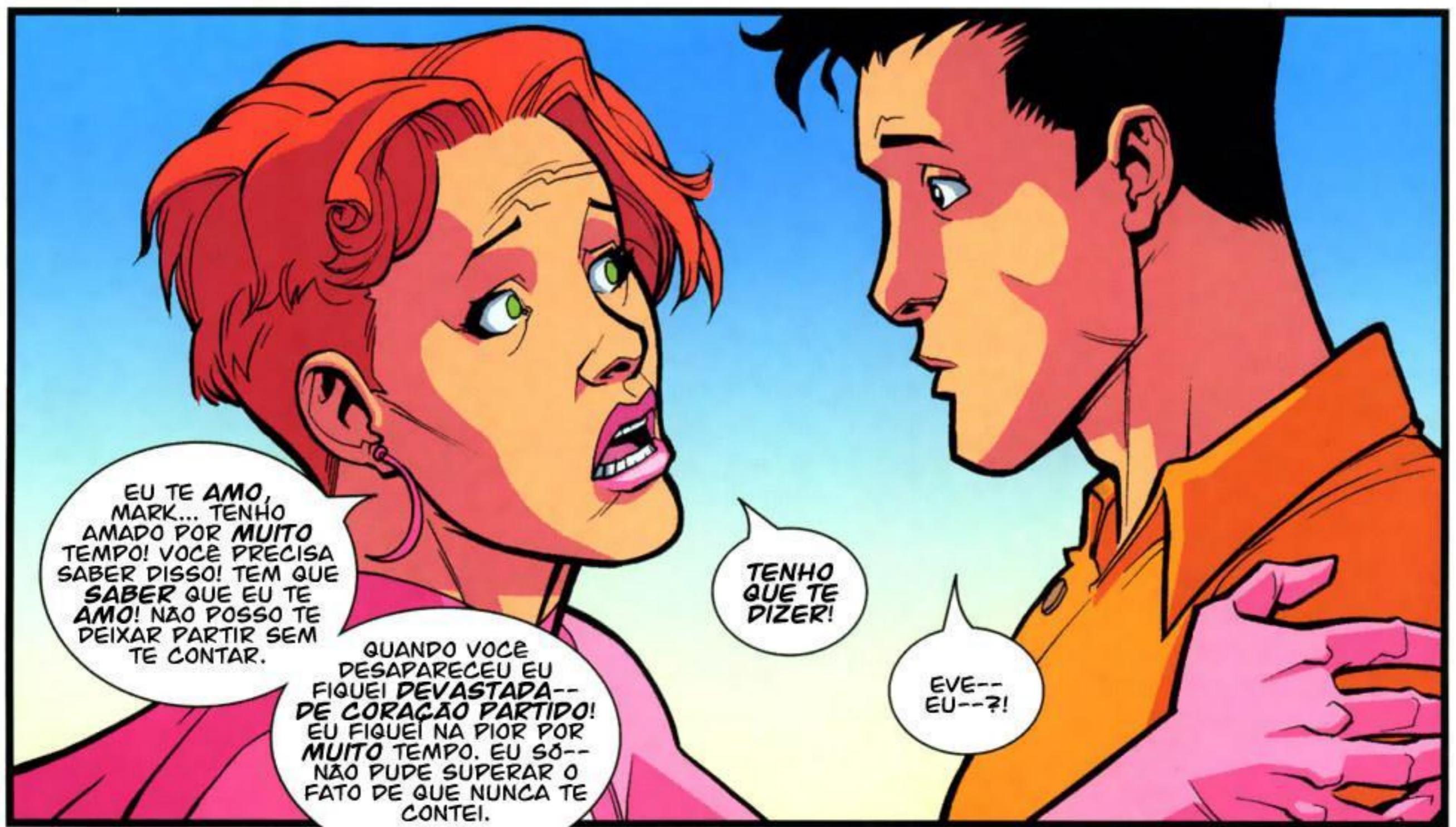


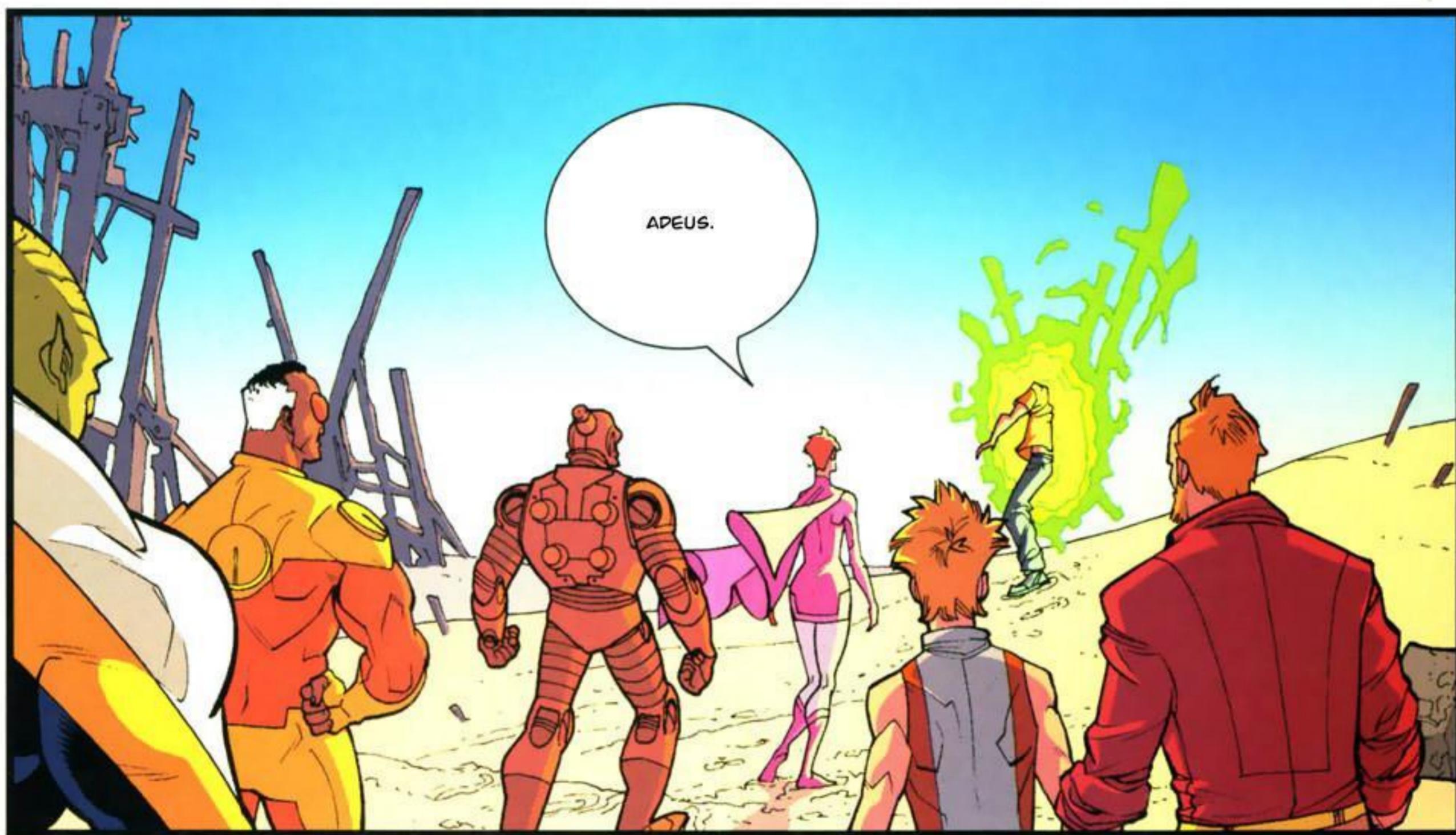


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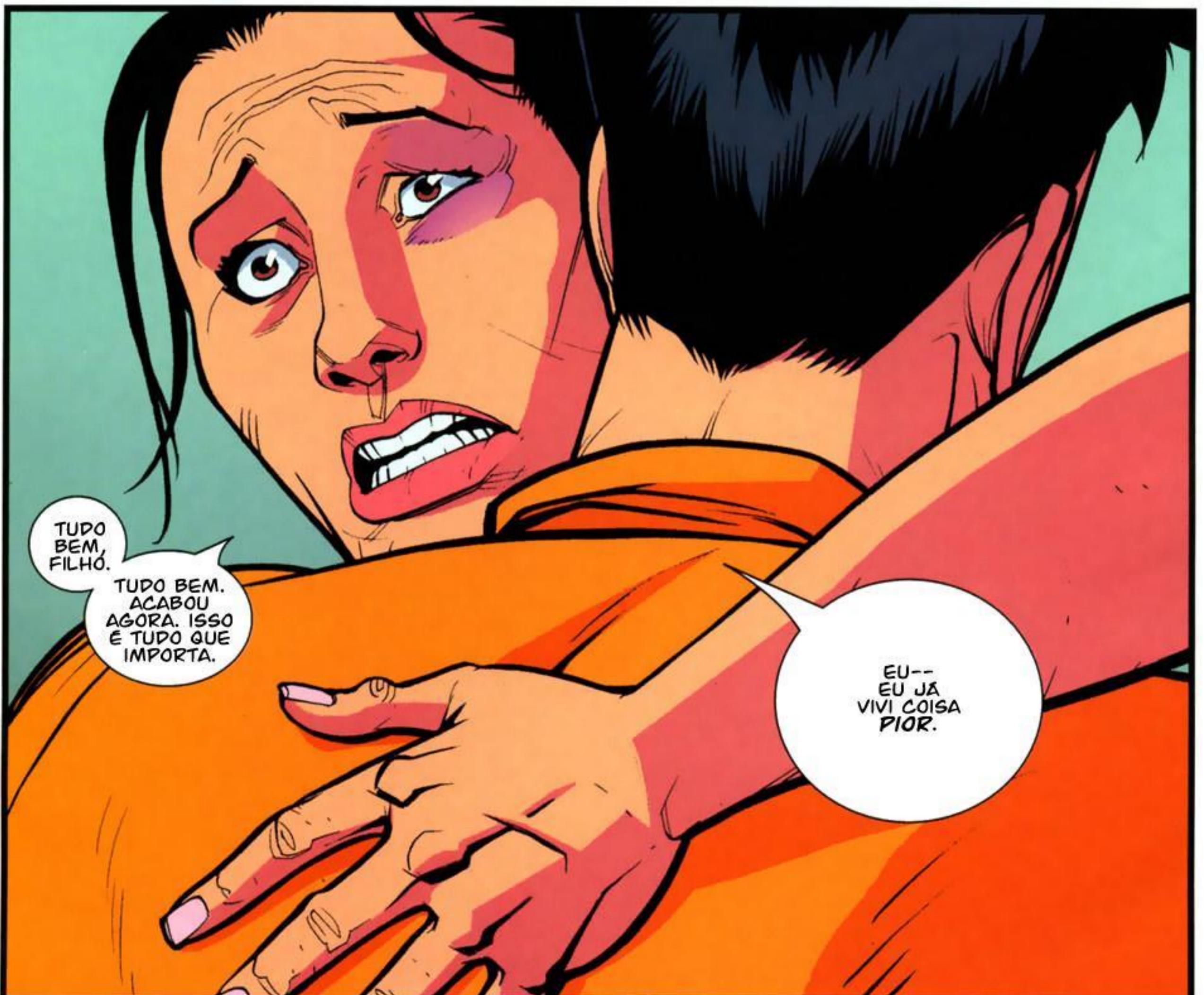
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Issue 34 is here, kids! Can I get an AMEN?!

In other news CAPES is back! That's right, after a much needed break due to some kind of alien-borne stomach ailment Mark Englert is back in the saddle and he's kicking butt and taking names. So be sure to check it out in two pages. But please... read the letters too... I don't do this for nothing... or rather, I don't WANT to.

Speaking of letters:

DUDE!

Can I say a few things here? Numbered statements for you, and meanwhile if I think of any questions to number I'll number those up, too.

1. Please stick with the floppy covers. That's a comic book. I like them waay better, and that one guy DID have warm greasy hands.

I agree. I think we'll keep things the way they are for the time being.

2. I definitely like the wordy issues. I hope no one else is telling you different on this topic because I don't see why they'd want less story for their money. I was actually excited at the prospect of a whole issue in nine-panel grid but it only lasted four pages. REALLY great issue, incidentally.

We'll do a nine panel grid issue eventually I'm sure. I'm glad you like the wordiness. I'll try not to go too crazy but these guys have a lot to say...

3. I am very happy that you said that Science Dog will have a back-up in every issue #32 on. Thanks for that. I would ask you if it's really true but I don't doubt it since I heard you say it. Yep, from your own mouth. I think you promised.

Hah. Nice try. Science Dog MAY be back in issue 50 for the continuation of the story in issue 25. Until then, he's taking a break from existing.

4. Who the hell is your target audience anyways? After the first 2-3 issues it definitely seems all-ages, and you've even said "family book" (although I dunno how serious you are about that), but after 12 issues it's clearly much darker (and far far better) than the first few issues let on. It really is a fun, adventurous, humorous book, but it's also extremely violent, and the tragic moments hit hard. That's a pretty good synopsis of why I love it so much, but I am a discriminating adult reader. Do you really think this comic is for kids, too?

I think this book would be fine for anyone 14 and older. Not "kids" but close to it.

4.5 On the other hand, Amazing Spidey #'s 121-122 was one of the most eff-ed up stories ever, and totally approved for kids by the Code. Still, I think there was a Viltrumite fighting with his spine hanging out in issue 29.

We do it for the kids.

5. I think you have probably the best superhero comic book in the universe going here. Invincible has all the things that make Silver-Age comics great but in a fully modern book; No idea how you manage that but its fantastic. The overwhelming majority of pro comic writers today could learn a freaking lot from an issue of Invincible. I know you are too young to have grown up with 60's Spidey issues, but to me they seem to be an obvious and prominent influence on this book.

I've got all the masterworks but I don't think I've read so much as five of the old Spider-Man comics. I'll get around to it eventually (I certainly WANT to). I just haven't had the time.

5.5 I couldn't have kissed your ass that much just now if not for Invincible's exceptional art/color/letter team. Most of the big two's books look like garbage by comparison. Ottley's first issue was right around when the story was also starting to get really good and this is when I went from like to love on this comic.

Yeah, it's all Ryan's fault. We were just talking about that today. He's clearly the star of this book.

6. Thanks for the letter column and for taking the time. I read the whole thing every issue. I can't believe you do this in TWD, too. Nuts.

I'm a glutton for punishment.

6.5 "Pen-vinci-pals" is a horrible name for a letter column. Are you joking with that name, or what?

Up yours.

7. Ok to re-iterate, that's a big "YES" floppy covers, and "YES" dense-reading issues.

Thanks.

8. Goodbye?

Jack, Comic book fan.

Catch you later, dude.

Hey Kirkman,

I noticed you mentioned that new mouthwatering Planet of the Apes box set in your letter col just now, and damn if that thing doesn't look good. I've got the previous movie box set, and I'd be happy to trade it to you for one of your hard covers or some trades or something. Of course, it doesn't have the tv show or the cartoon stuff, just the original five movies and a documentary, but hey, it's worth a shot, eh.

Sorry, man... I've already got that set. Although, if anyone out there reading this is a DVD dealer or something and is willing to trade books for DVDs... email me... we can TOTALLY work something out. Wink. Wink.

Also, the zombie drawing you did in my sketchbook in Baltimore this past year was great. Your art may not be as bad as you might think it is. Or something like that.

You're REALLY trying to get that free hardcover aren't you? I admire that.

Lastly, thanks telling people left and right that Invincible is laid out pretty much like Savage Dragon. That has always been the most underappreciated book there is, and what you do with the style is incredibly awesome.

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I certainly wouldn't say the book is laid out pretty much like Savage Dragon. I'm not totally cribbing Erik's style or ideas or anything. Savage Dragon is my favorite comic of all time, though... so of course there are similarities. But that's just because I think Dragon is comics done right... and I'm trying to do this book right. I think this book stands well on its own... dammit.

Ye Gods!

Another fine issue of the finest solo superhero book on the market today. This book should be selling 100,000 books a month if America was truly out for the best read they can buy.

You'll get no argument from me.

Atom Eve is looking great in Africa, although I really have to question how well off she really is. I really get the feeling we're seeing the brave front this issue, as Eve has to deal with her continued lack of relationship with Mark.

Sad about the lack of Capes, but I guess it will just have me chomping at the bit all that more for next issue.

As always my Kirkmania is running wild. Keep this book out monthly Robert, and you'll have one happy camper at least. Now if we can just get Bendis kicked off Ultimate Spidey...

Nick Ahlhelm

Yeah, as you can see this issue came out shortly after 33 and that issue came out shortly after 32. I think we're FINALLY back on track. So that's good news. I'll try to make sure we never fall behind again, but hey--nobody's perfect... just look at Bendis.

Yao, Kirkman,

You are the man...Invincible, and the Walking Dead are the most entertaining comics on the market. Seriously, I love what you're doing with both of them. It's really great to see someone who writes as many books per month as you do, and not loose their edge. (Are you and Bendis having a competition every month?) This week alone you released three books: Invincible 32, Walking Dead 28, and Marvel team up 21. Every one of them rocked!! From Mark's mother getting kidnapped by Armstrong Levy, to Rick losing a hand, to the X-men saving the day at the end, all three books kept me on the edge of my seat. Thank you, for having the balls to make serious changes to your core characters. I have a ton of questions so instead of kissing your ass, I'll get right to them.

-Any news on how or when the Invincible Heroclix will be available?

They will be available to the collectors club in August, I believe... and then in September the left over stock will be for sale to the masses... I'm not 100% sure on that. It's best to check www.wizkids.com or www.heroclix.com... whichever one is actually a website.

-I thought the costume designs for the Lizard League were awesome, will we be seeing them in future issues?

You'll see them plenty as the book goes along... I may... MAY actually have them DO something at some point.

-I read an interview on comicbookresources.com with Ryan Ottley, where he said he'd love to draw Spider-man, Wolverine, or the Hulk, any future plans for Invincible in Marvel team up again? (maybe this time drawn by Ottley?)

No plans right now. Sorry. I'm sure Ryan will get his chance sooner or later.

-Speaking of CBR, there has not been a segment of "Buy My Books" in a while, are you still doing those?

Trying too. I'm very lazy when it comes to that stuff. Just ask anyone I ever promised to mail something too.

-I was recently on the Invincible MySpace page, where I saw some pictures of Invincible fighting Zombies and a Zombified Invincible, any chance Armstrong Levy will send Invincible to the land of the Walking Dead?

Not the land of The Walking Dead... but he did encounter some zombie-like creatures last issue. I'm in a rut.

- In Image's FCBD Future Shock, we learn that the leader of the Coalition of Planets, the great Thaedus is XXXX XXX XXXX XXXX (brilliant by the way) (edited for spoiler reasons), when will we see Invincible meet Thaedus? or more of Allen ?

Anyway, thanks for doin' what you do.
Always keepin' it real,
James Ranne

The Thaedus subplot in the FCBD Future Shock issue is an excerpt from a future issue of Invincible. It's a slight spoiler so I don't want people who missed that book to be spoiled here in the letters column. The Viltrumite/Allen/Thaedus/Space subplot is one of the core plots to this book... you'll definitely be seeing more of that stuff as things progress. The pages from that issue will appear somewhere in issue 40-45 I suspect, but I don't know exactly what issue it will be yet.

Ye Gods!

Or, you know, not. After the epic planet-hopping, Viltrumite-bashing shenanigans of recent issues, it's been good to change gear and read a couple of issues of more quiet, character-driven stuff. It's also been great to see Atom Eve again, and her relationship with Invincible is heading in interesting directions. All in all, you've got the balance of action and soap opera absolutely spot on, and it makes for exactly the kind of title that got me into superhero comics in the first place (for me it was early-to-mid-80's Marvels like the Frenz/DeFalco Amazing Spider-Man; you know, the Hobgoblin, Puma, pre-Venom Black Costume stuff). Are you deliberately trying to evoke a certain kind of feel, or is Invincible just the way you think superhero stories should be, with no particular influence from any previous title or era?

It's starting to seem like most older people that like the book say Invincible reminds them of the comics they read when they were getting into comics. People who read '70s comics say it's like that stuff, same for '80s and '90s comics... and obviously, Invincible isn't like ALL those eras of comics. But I hear that stuff all the time. I'm just glad there's some folks out there who seem to enjoy the book as much as we do.

Oh, and when are we going to see Battle Beast and/or his people again?
Oh and oh, considering that BB gave Invincible the kind of thrashing we normally see from Viltrumites, does that mean he could hold his own against one of the mustachioed astrofascists? Ye gods, what a geeky question...

Okay, I think that's it. Keep up the good work.

- kelvin green (not Mike Deming)

Sure, Mike... pull the other one while you're at it.

We'll be seeing Battle Beast again for sure... I'd really rather not say when in the letters column... that would ruin the fun. But yeah, I'm never going to introduce a character... do stuff with them, and then never show them again... or call them Damien Darkblood, The Demon Detective, either.

Now I think it's time for me to do a little shilling. I mean... we've got to do something to keep the lights on right?

ITEM! THE WALKING DEAD is still going strong. Issue 29 should be on the stands well before this issue (issue 30 should be out soon after this book). Big stuff going on in the book right now. You owe it to yourself to check it out. It's a blast!

ITEM! BATTLE POPE is continuing with its monthly reprints. Issue 9, in stores now, even includes a new 10-page section that's never been published. So if you're looking for NEW Battle Pope action, this is the only place to get it... at least until next year or so... hint, hint. Honor thy father and mother!

ITEM! MARVEL TEAM-UP is kicking into high gear leading up to the super-cool issue 25! The current arc, Freedom Ring is in the middle of it's run, with issue 22 out soon where we introduce the world to IRON MANIAC. It's a hoot! Also in stores soon, Marvel Team-Up Vol. 3: League of Losers, featuring issue 14, the Spider-Man/Invincible team-up! Don't miss it a second time! Eat your vegetables!

ITEM! MARVEL ZOMBIES is getting collected in AUGUST in an oversized hardcover the likes of which the world has never seen. It features a brand-spanking-new cover by Arthur Suydam and will even feature EVERY COVER DONE for the series. It also includes the actual comic, written by yours truly with art by Sean Philips. I'm told it's quite good... but who believes my mom anyway? Seeing is believing!

ITEM! My run on ULTIMATE X-MEN continues! What does the future hold for Magician? What does Jean Grey do now that she knows what she knows about The Phoenix? All these answers and more questions asked in MAGICAL running through issues 72-74 featuring art by Tom Raney. Fight the power!

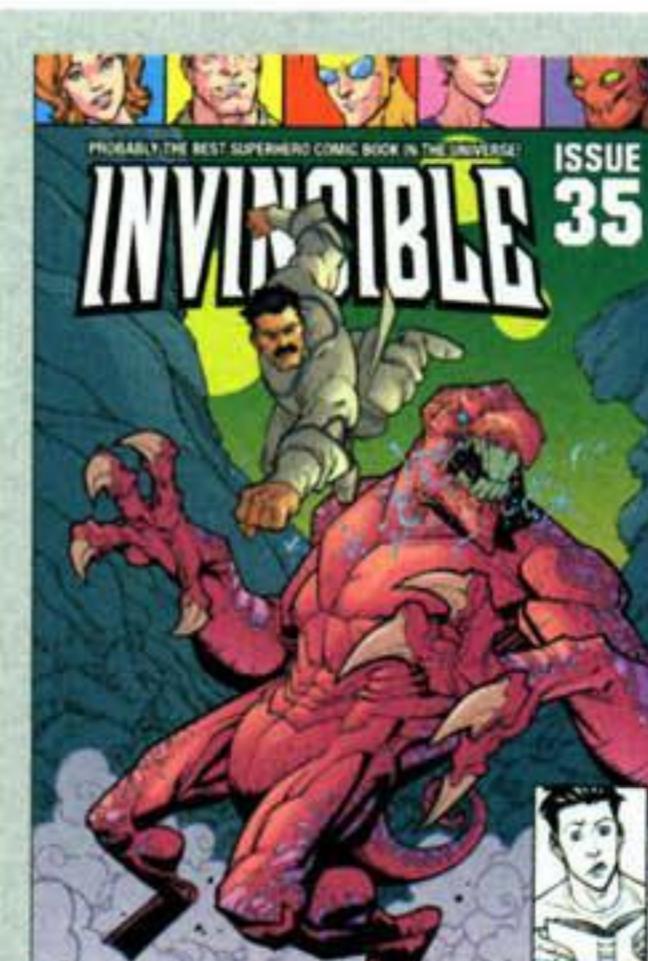
ITEM! It was just announced that I'm doing yet another series for Marvel. This time it's THE IRREDEEMABLE ANT-MAN! For those of you thinking Ant-Man isn't the coolest character in the world, don't worry, this series is going to be so off the wall you won't even notice. It's going to be a blast. And for those of you who love Ant-Man more than life itself. This is the book for you, we're going to be showing this guy the respect and care he deserves. Also, the art team is Phil Hester, Ande Parks and Bill Crabtree on pencils, inks and colors. So you know it's going to be a SOLID book. Don't count your chickens until they're hatched!

This month's TOTALLY SWEET Science Dog pin-up is by JASON HOWARD.

If you guys missed The Pact #4, by myself and Jason Howard--you're missing out. It features the return of an Invincible villain not seen since issue 10. Give it a look!

That's it for this month. I'll see you back here next month... for all kinds of cool stuff--now go read the new CAPES!

-Robert Kirkman



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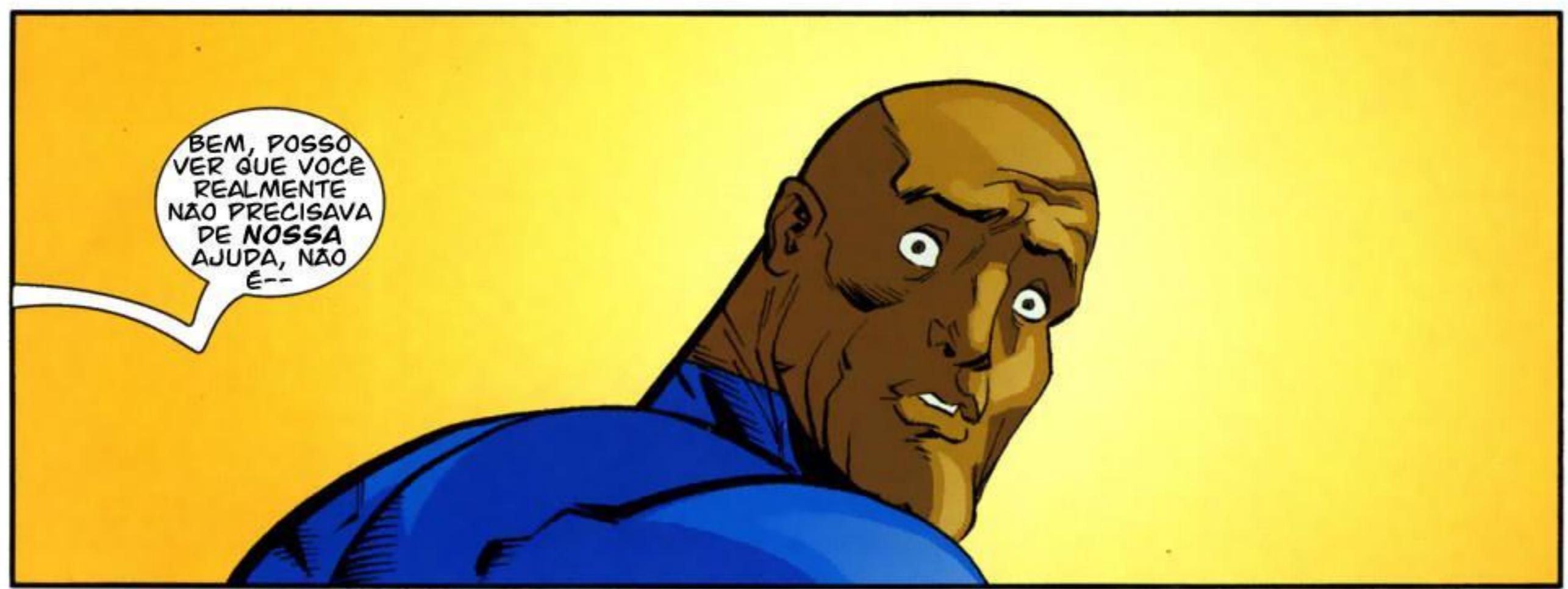
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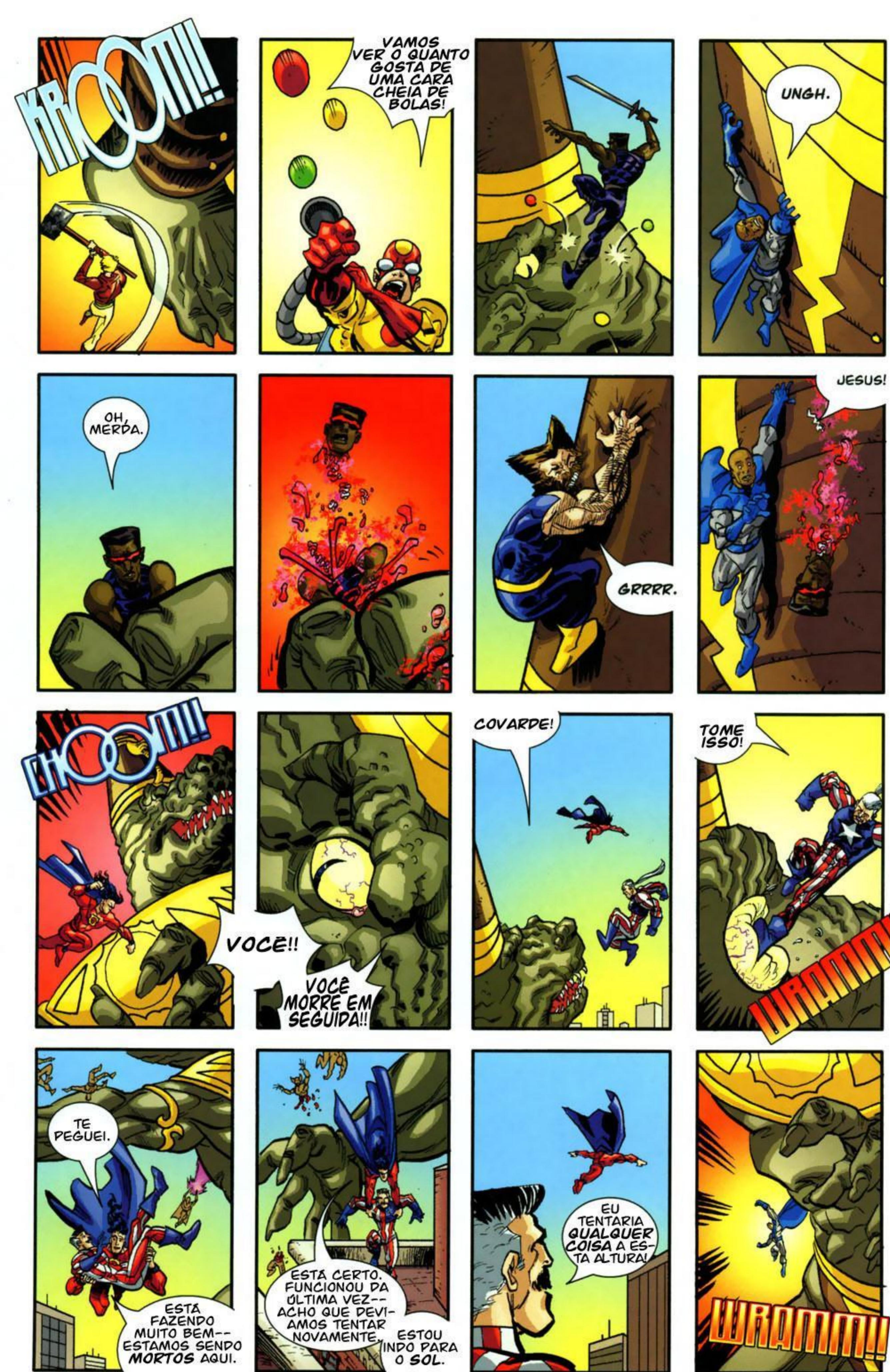
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