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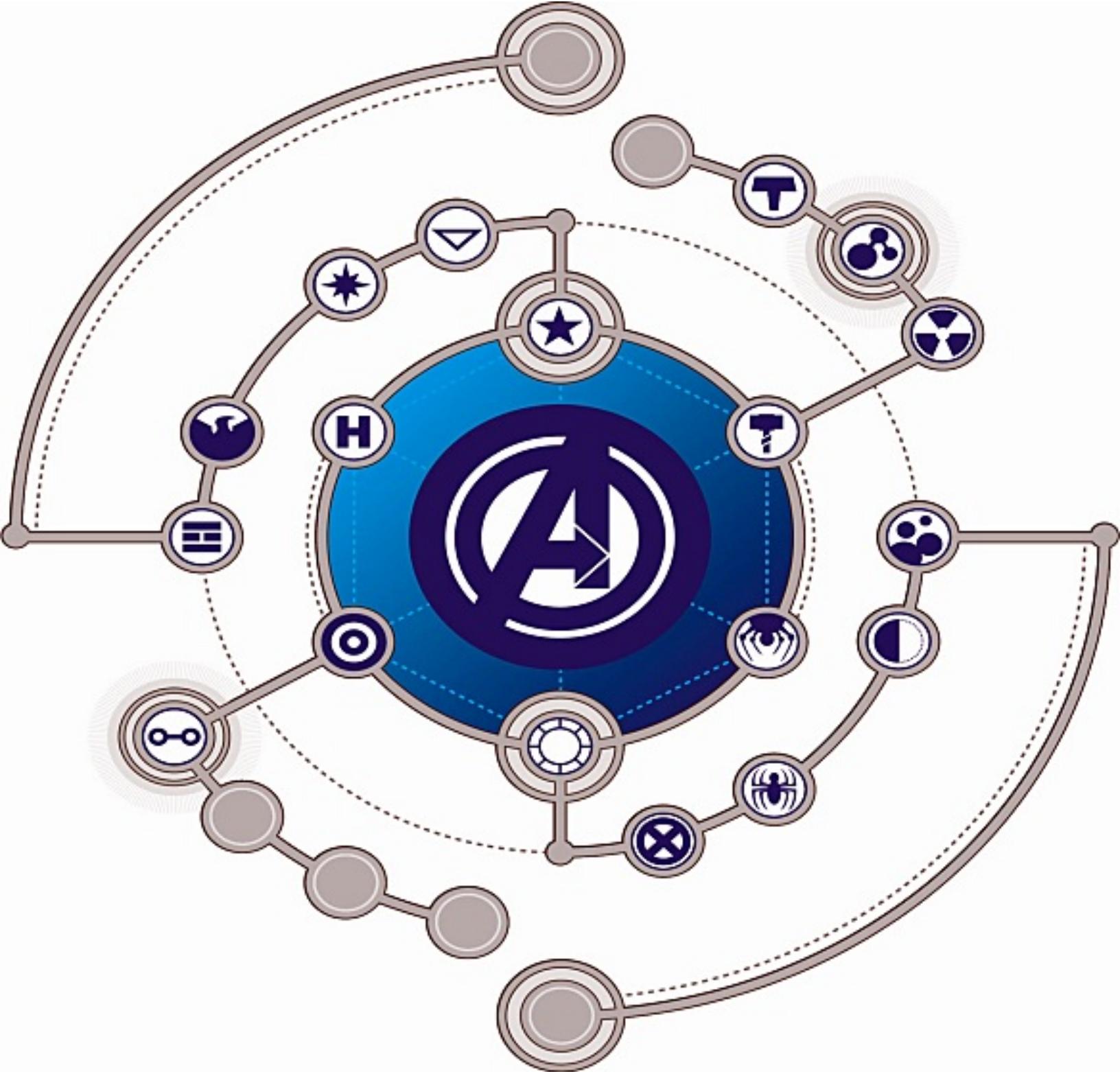


HICKMAN MARVEL WEAVER
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PREVIOUSLY IN AVENGERS





EARTH'S MIGHTIEST HEROES

CAPTAIN AMERICA · IRON MAN · THOR · HAWKEYE · BLACK WIDOW · HULK
WOLVERINE · SPIDER-MAN · CAPTAIN MARVEL · SPIDER-WOMAN
FALCON · SHANG-CHI · SUNSPOT · CANNONBALL · MANIFOLD
SMASHER · CAPTAIN UNIVERSE · HYPERION



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MARS.



YES... NOW THAT YOU BRING IT UP, I CAN'T HELP BUT NOTICE.
SON... IS THERE SOMETHING DIFFERENT ABOUT YOU?





WHAT DO YOU MEAN? BIOLOGICALLY? CHEMICALLY? STRUCTURALLY?



HAVING A CLOSER LOOK.



I SAID...



"ON OTHER WORLDS, WE GARDENERS HAVE ALWAYS JUDGED LIFE."

"IF IT WAS FLAWED, WE TERMINATED IT. IF IT HAD POTENTIAL, WE ENCOURAGED EVOLUTION."

"THIS TIME... I CHANGED THE RULES."



WHAT HAVE YOU DONE, BROTHER?

I TWEAKED THE MIX. I PLAYED GODDESS.

THE BOMBS I SENT WERE NOT JUST TO CHANGE THE PEOPLE, BUT THE WORLD ITSELF. I'M ATTEMPTING TO MAKE THE EARTH SENTIENT.

YOU DID WHAT?

EACH BOMB CARRIED A SPECIFIC CHARGE. A TRAIT THAT ALL EVOLVING SPECIES POSSESS.



SPLIT, CROATIA.

*SELF-AWARENESS.



THE FALLEN HEIGHTS, THE SAVAGE LAND.

*SELF-SUSTENANCE.



CHHATARPUR, INDIA.

"SELF-REPAIR."



KOBE, JAPAN.

"REPRODUCTION."



PERTH, AUSTRALIA.

"COMMUNICATION."



REGINA, CANADA.

"EVOLUTION."



R.I.M. ISLAND.

"SELF-DEFENSE."



WHO KNOWS
WHAT WILL HAPPEN
WHEN ALL THE SITES
BEGIN THEIR CHANGE STATE...

BUT I
GUARANTEE
IT WILL BE
DIFFERENT.



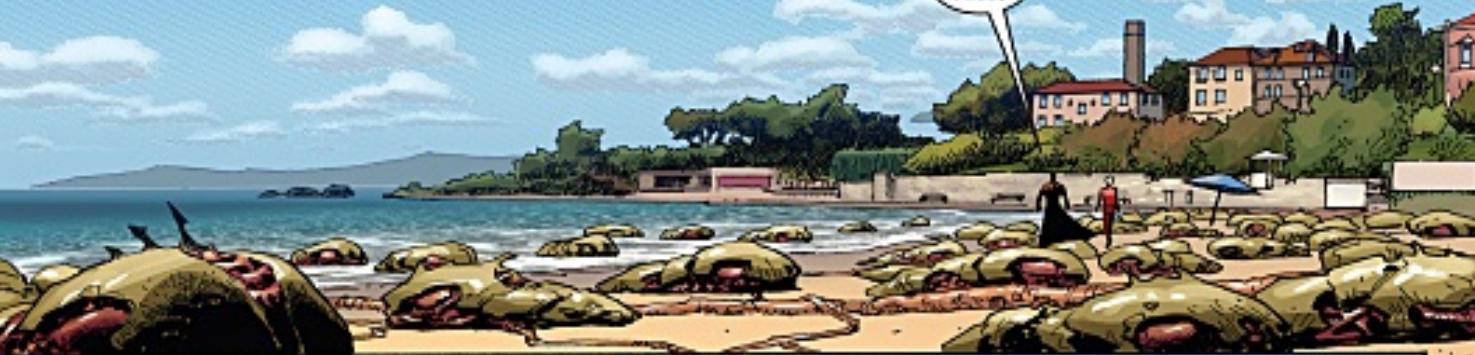
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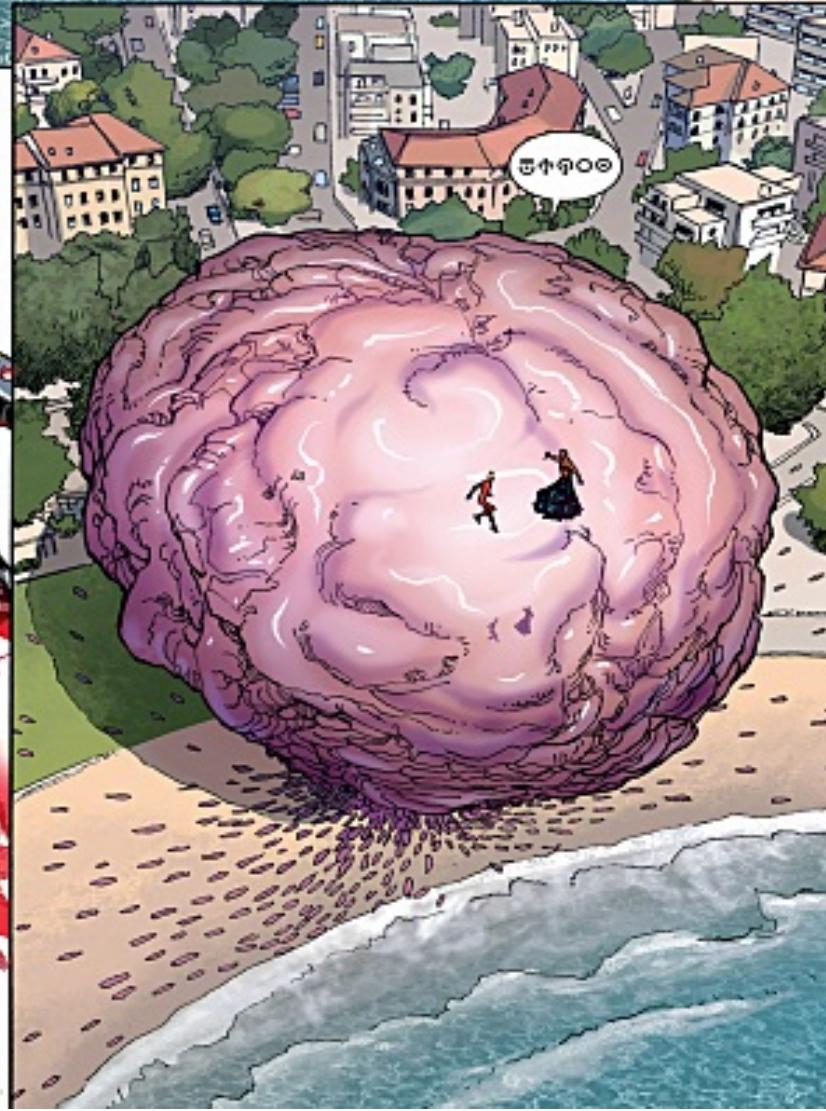
CROATIA.

I'VE NEVER
BEEN TO
THE BEACH
BEFORE.

THIS IS
NICE.







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YES, I
CAN HEAR
YOU.

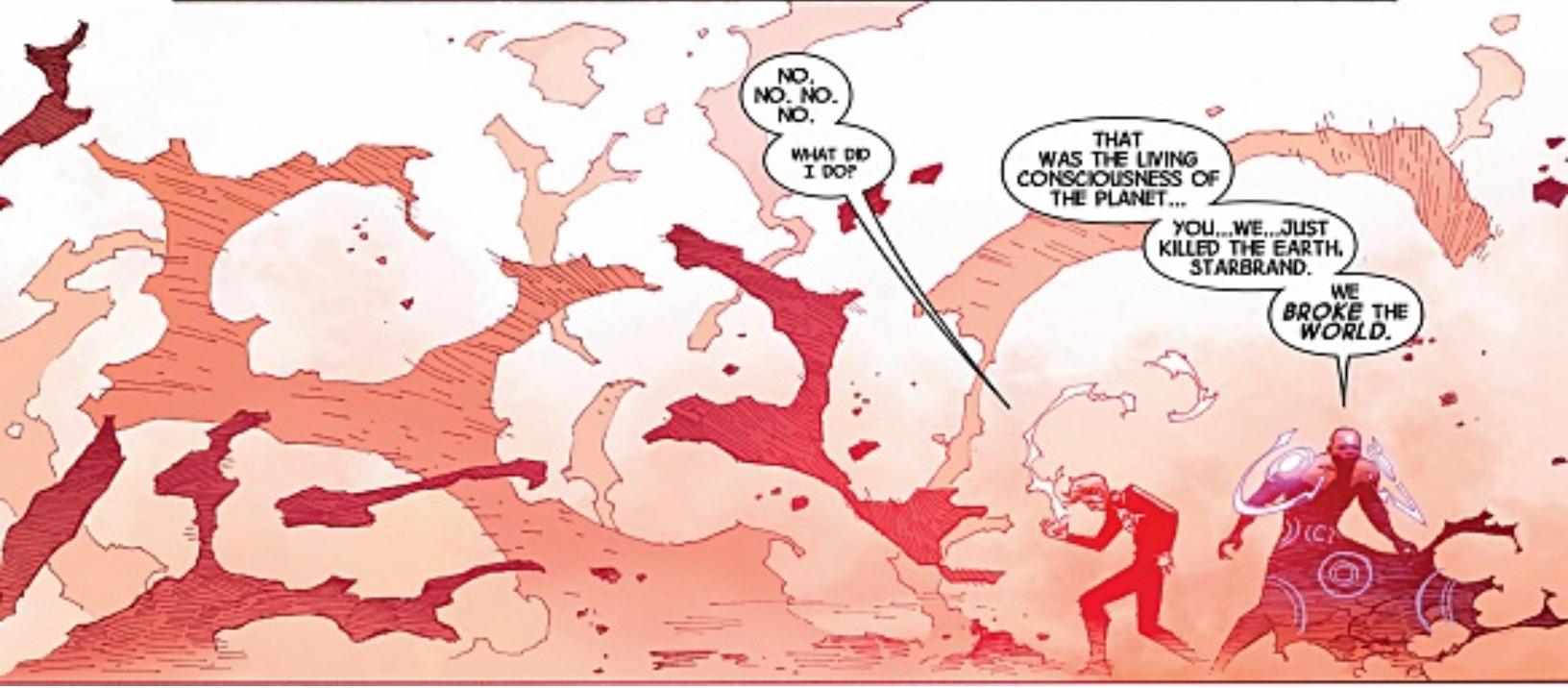
YOUR CODE...
YOU ARE A
SYSTEMP



LET
GO!



MRRFFF!





IT WAS THE SPARK THAT STARTED THE FIRE--A LEGEND THAT GREW IN THE TELLING.



IT HAPPENED AFTER THE LIGHT.



BEFORE THE WAR.



AND BEFORE THE FALL.



THEY WERE THE HIGH DAYS
OF THE GREAT IDEA—
AN AVENGERS WORLD.

A TIME OF LIFE,
BEFORE A SEASON
OF DEATH.



THEY WERE TITANS AND GODS AND MORTALS DOING IMMORTAL ACTS...



THEY HAD BEEN SUMMONED, AND DID NOT PAUSE TO ANSWER.



THEY WERE PERFECT...THEY WERE HEROES.

AND WE...WE
WERE BROKEN.



NOT
CALLED...

BUT
MADE.





ERRORS IN
THE SYSTEM.
ANOMALIES.

PLANET KILLERS
AND WORLD
BREAKERS.

FINAL
OPTIONS.

LAST
RESORTS.

THINGS IT
WAS NOT
TIME FOR...

YET.

STOP.

PLEASE
STOP.

I DIDN'T
MEAN TO
DO THIS...

ANY
OF IT.

MOST
PEOPLE DON'T,
SON.

BUT THEY
STILL HAVE TO
PAY FOR THEIR
MISTAKES.

I WAS
HOLDING
BACK.

WE KNOW.

YOU THINK
THAT DOESN'T
TERRIFY US?

I NEVER
ASKED FOR
THIS
POWER.

I DON'T
WANT IT.

WE
KNOW,
KEVIN...



"MAYBE THAT
FACT GIVES
US HOPE."

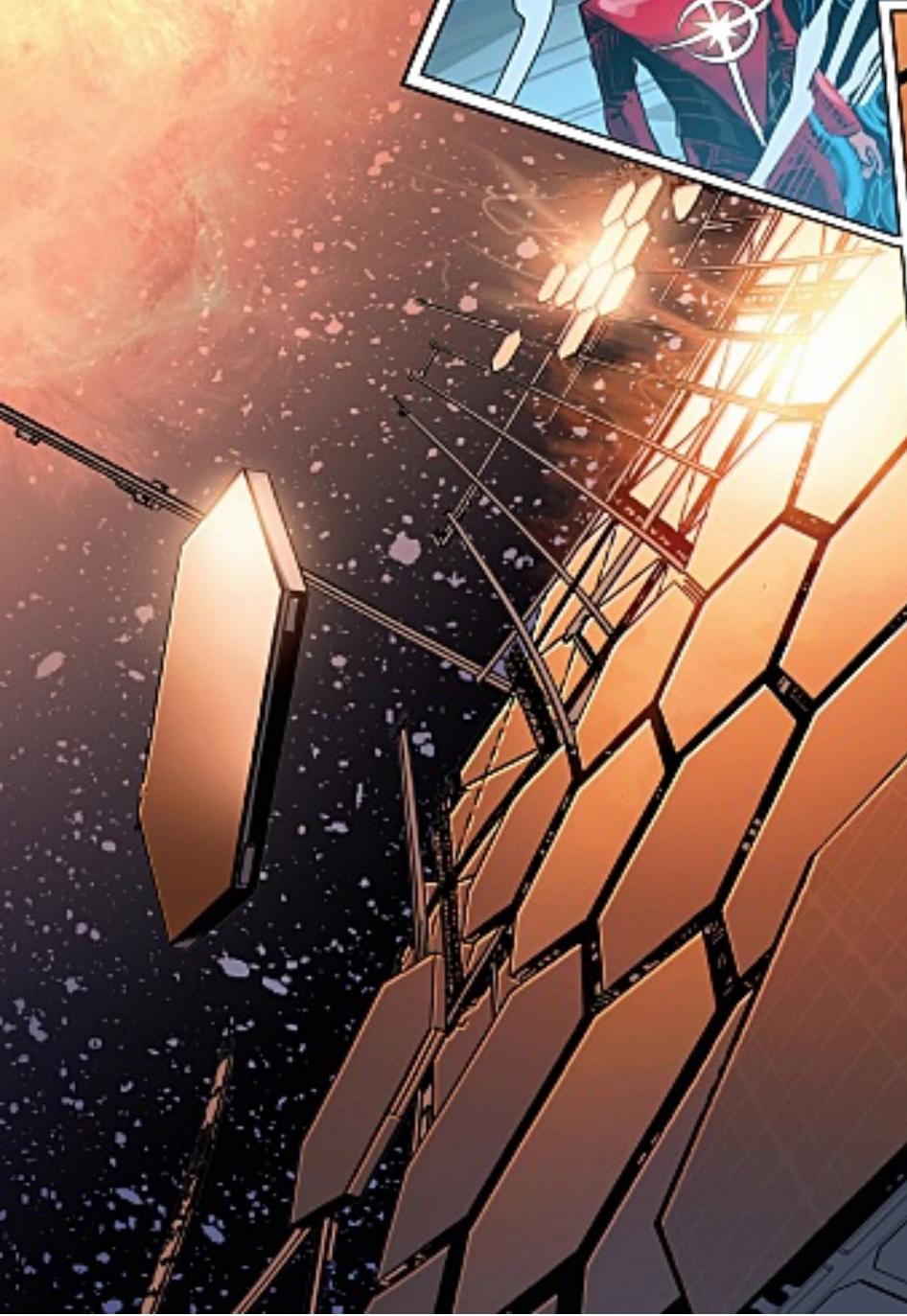


"WE'RE GOING TO TRY
TO HELP YOU—WE
WILL HELP YOU, BECAUSE
THAT'S WHAT WE DO."

"BUT FOR
NOW..."



"WE'RE ALL OUT
OF OPTIONS."



"YOU'RE TOO
DANGEROUS
TO RUN FREE."



"BECAUSE WE HAVE
THE WORLD TO
THINK ABOUT."



"AND TODAY, IT'S
SAFER WITH YOU
NOT IN IT."





BUILDER MACHINE CODE

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THE ASSEMBLY!

YOUR ONE-STOP NEWS SOURCE FOR ALL THINGS AVENGERS!

So how do you follow up on the most successful super hero movie ever put to film? Well, if you're the talented crew at Marvel Studios, the answer is **IRON MAN 3**, causing a stir in your local film emporium starting May 3, 2013! We're sure you've all seen the action-packed trailer for the film by now—but, if not, point your electronic device at the poster image on this page and activate the Marvel AR App, and excitement shall be yours! If you don't have a whatevemacalit electronic device, we're afraid you'll just have hold out for a few more weeks!

But trust us—it'll be worth it!



Beyond our usual releases, there's a pair of projects this month that AVENGERS fans may want to pay special attention to. Proving he's more than just a pretty face at the end of a blockbuster movie, Jason Aaron and Simone Bianchi reveal the full story of the life of Thanos the Mad Titan in **THANOS RISING**. And for those who miss writer Brian Bendis around these parts—and who doesn't?—the ongoing saga of **AGE OF ULTRON** continues this month with three additional issues—Issue #6 in particular should prove a special treat for long-time AVENGERS fans!

Hey, it's mailbag time!

Have you ever thought about having a poll to see which is the best current AVENGERS title? If so, **UNCANNY AVENGERS** has my vote. Coming from somebody who has been collecting comics and Avengers since they had a twelve cent cover price, I think it's better than **AVENGERS**, **NEW AVENGERS**, **AVENGERS ASSEMBLE**, **SECRET AVENGERS**, **HONEY, I SHRUNK THE AVENGERS**, etc. Hypothetically if I only could get one AVENGERS title a month it would be **UNCANNY AVENGERS**. Hypothetically if I only could get one Marvel title a month it would be **HAWKEYE**, but I'd be pretty ticked off at these hypothetical people/reasons limiting my Marvel purchases to just one book a month and I'd

raise enough hell that the hypothetical people/reasons would let me get two Marvel titles to placate me. And the second title would be **UNCANNY AVENGERS**. If I could go back in time and rename my daughter, I'd rename her **UNCANNY AVENGERS**. (**HAWKEYE** is a silly name for a little girl anyway.)

If you can't tell, I'm really liking the book.

Make Mine Marvel.
Rob Shelor
Roanoke, VA

Ask and ye shall receive, Rob! So a poll it is! We're calling on all of our faithful Marvel readers to drop us a line at the e-mail address below and let us know which AVENGERS title is your favorite! And as long as we're asking, how about telling us your favorite current AVENGERS family writer, penciler, inker, letterer and colorist as well? Results to be tabulated and printed in an upcoming ASSEMBLY page!

And because we're always a sucker for letters like this one:

Dear Marvel,
A lot of people have their own opinions of a "hero", and this is mine...my fiancé Paul! He's my hero!

A year ago he was in a terrible car crash, which left him paralyzed from his waist down. This means his only way of getting around is in a wheelchair. Before the accident he was very active and always on his feet.

For as long as I have known Paul, he's been a huge fan of Marvel! I never knew anyone could have such an obsession with anything.

I was oblivious to super heroes before the accident, a bit like Penny and Leonard's relationship from "The Big Bang Theory." Paul can't do anything active and is always bored. Then about 6 months ago when I came in from work he had gotten his brother to get all his old comics out. That day was the most I had seen him smile in a long time.

We also have 2 children together; they are both super hero dafit too! Obviously due to Paul's accident he can't enjoy normal father and son activities, but he loves to read them both comics.

Thanks to Marvel, we have a bond like never before, as I'm now a huge fan too and we can enjoy things together. Thanks to Marvel, I now see a smile on my fiancé's face every day. He's always looking forward to what's new!

Thank you so much for your time and brilliant storylines over the years!

Most of all, thank you for giving Paul motivation to get through the days!

Yours Faithfully,
Chelsey Wright

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