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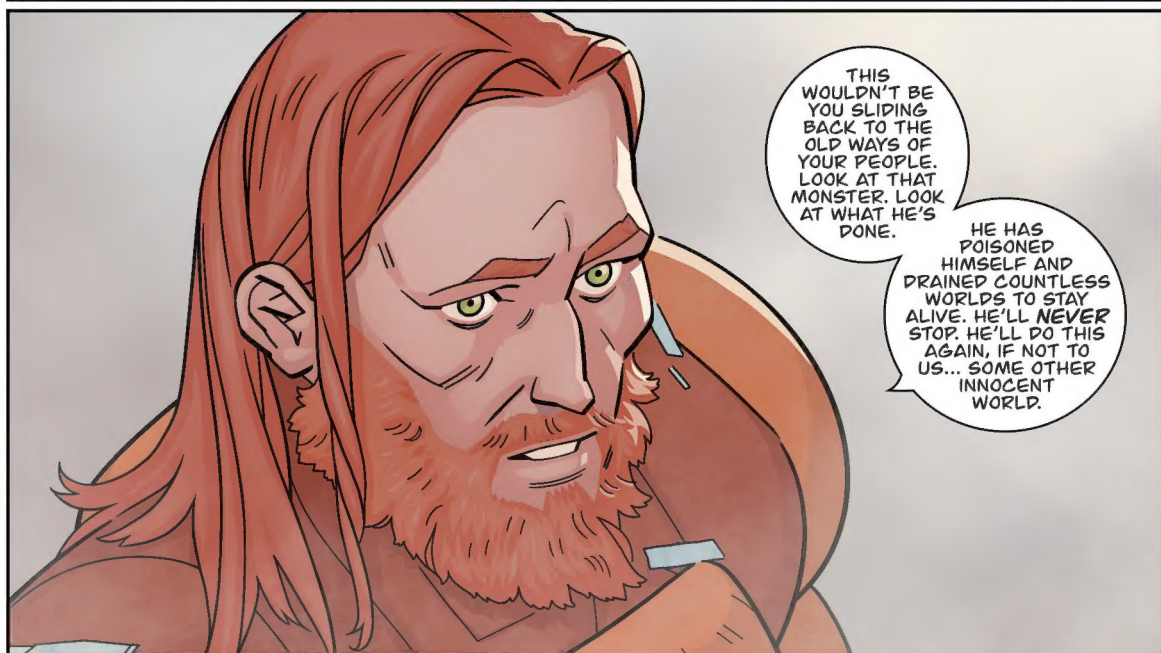
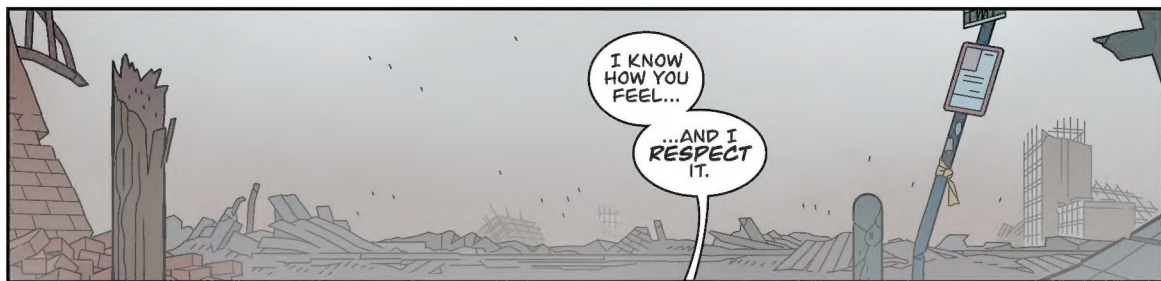
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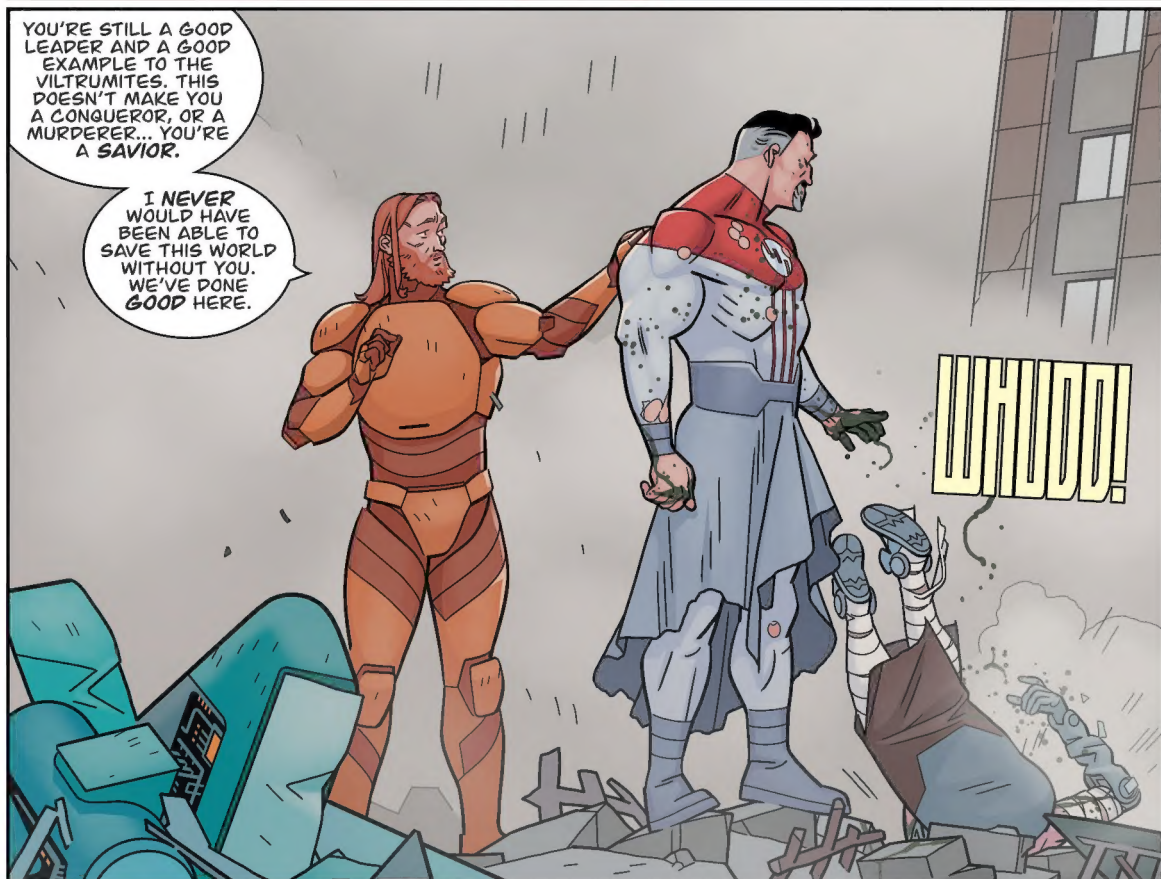




YOU
HAVE
TO KILL
HIM.



I KNOW.



YOU'RE STILL A GOOD LEADER AND A GOOD EXAMPLE TO THE VILTRUMITES. THIS DOESN'T MAKE YOU A CONQUEROR, OR A MURDERER... YOU'RE A SAVIOR.

I NEVER WOULD HAVE BEEN ABLE TO SAVE THIS WORLD WITHOUT YOU. WE'VE DONE GOOD HERE.

WHUDD!



NOW WE'LL REBUILD WHAT THEY'VE DESTROYED... STRONGER, BETTER.

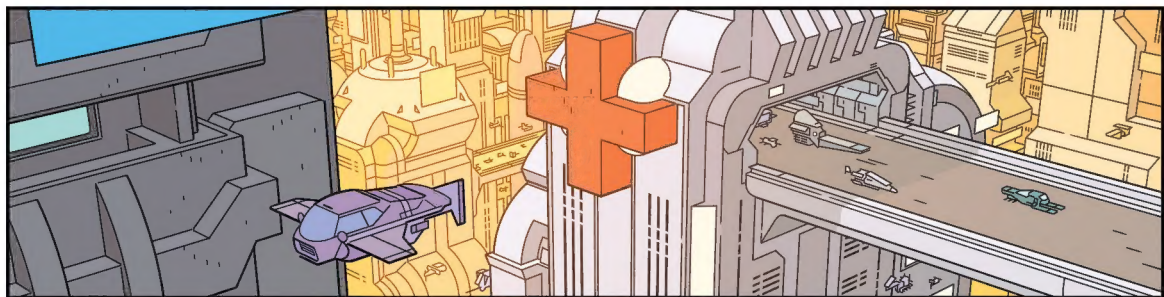
YOU'LL SEE HOW THIS EVENT WILL BRING THIS ENTIRE PLANET TOGETHER. THIS WILL UNITE US... MAKE US GREATER THAN WE EVER WERE... AND WE'LL BE ABLE TO BUILD THE WORLD WE NOW DESERVE.

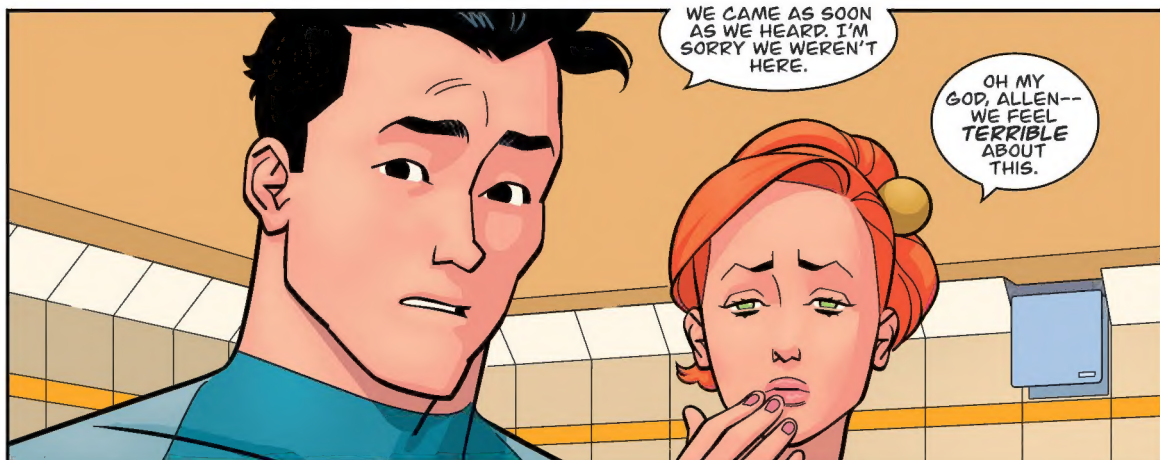


YES, I AGREE.

I'M JUST GLAD THE FIGHTING IS OVER. THANK YOU, REX.

YOU'RE A GOOD FRIEND.





WE CAME AS SOON
AS WE HEARD. I'M
SORRY WE WEREN'T
HERE.

OH MY
GOD, ALLEN--
WE FEEL
TERRIBLE
ABOUT
THIS.



DON'T. REALLY. THERE'S
NOTHING YOU COULD
HAVE DONE TO STOP THIS.
I WAS BETRAYED
FROM WITHIN THE
COALITION...

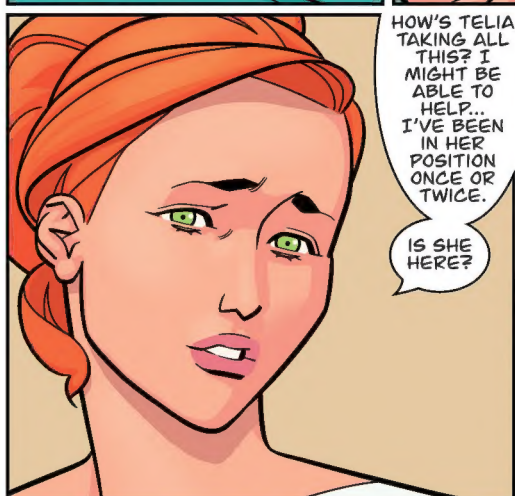
...AND
IT WOULD
APPEAR
ELIA, THE
BETRAYER,
HAS TAKEN
CARE OF
HERSELF
IN THE
PROCESS.



WAS SHE WORKING FOR THRAGG?
DO YOU THINK HE'S MAYBE GOT
SOMEONE ELSE WORKING ON
THE INSIDE?



NO. HER PLAN WAS TO
REPLACE ME WITH
SOMEONE WHO COULD
TAKE THRAGG
DOWN.



HOW'S TELIA
TAKING ALL
THIS? I
MIGHT BE
ABLE TO
HELP...
I'VE BEEN
IN HER
POSITION
ONCE OR
TWICE.

IS SHE
HERE?



OH,
TELIA RAN
OUT TO GET
SOMETHING
TO EAT WITH--

WE'RE
BACK!

...OH
CRAP.



OH, HI, EVE.

YEAH, UH... I HAD NO IDEA YOU GUYS WERE HERE.



WE JUST WANTED TO CHECK IN AND SEE HOW ALLEN WAS DOING. WE WERE LEAVING.

WHAT? WE WERE?

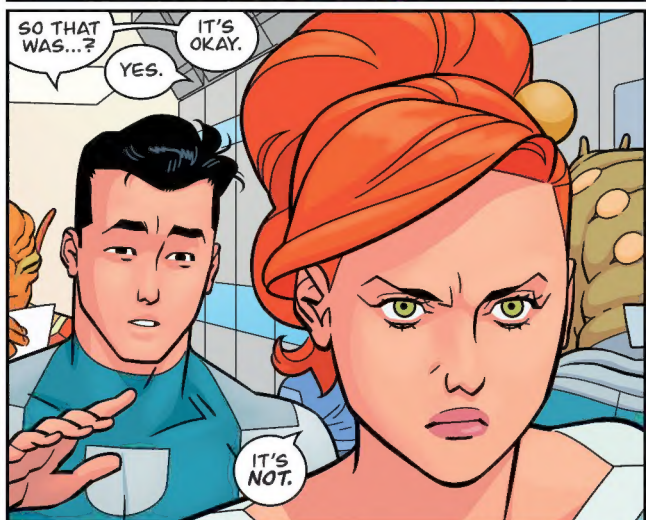
WHO IS--



OH.

COME ON, TERRA.

BYE, NO ARMS ALLEN!



SO THAT WAS...?

YES.

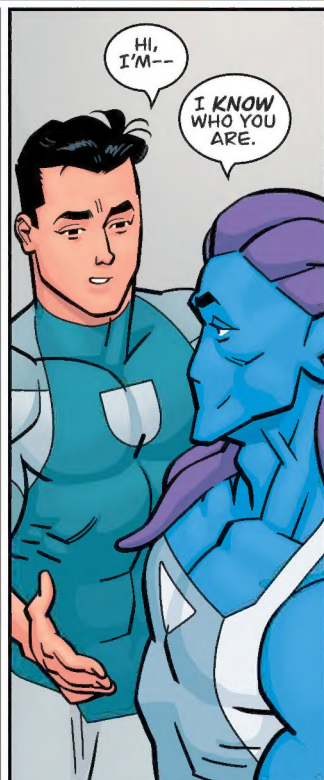
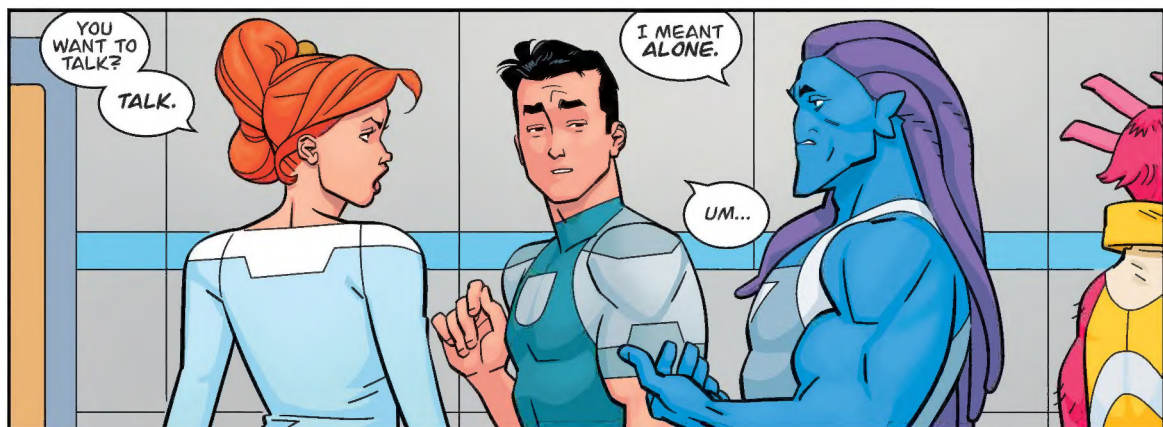
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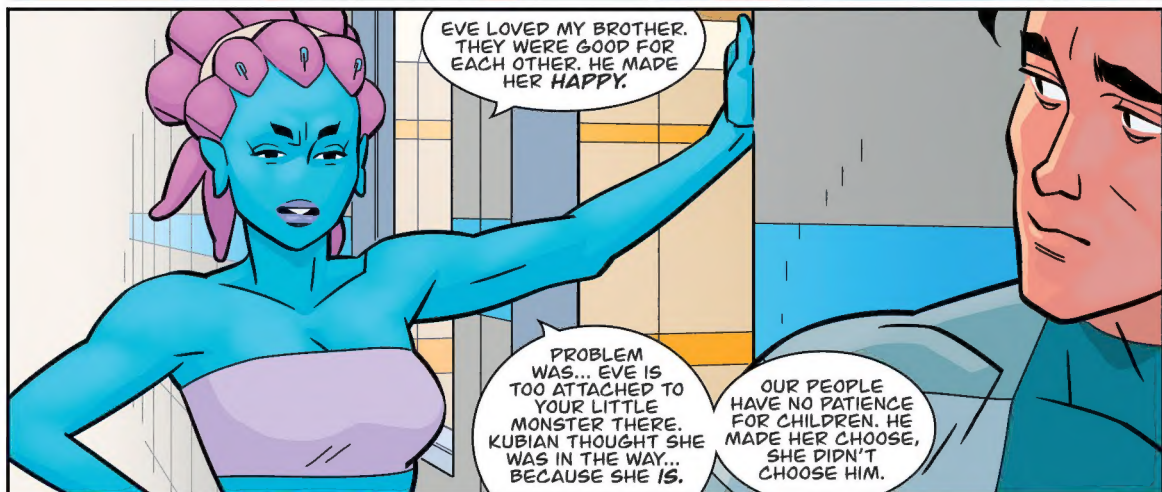
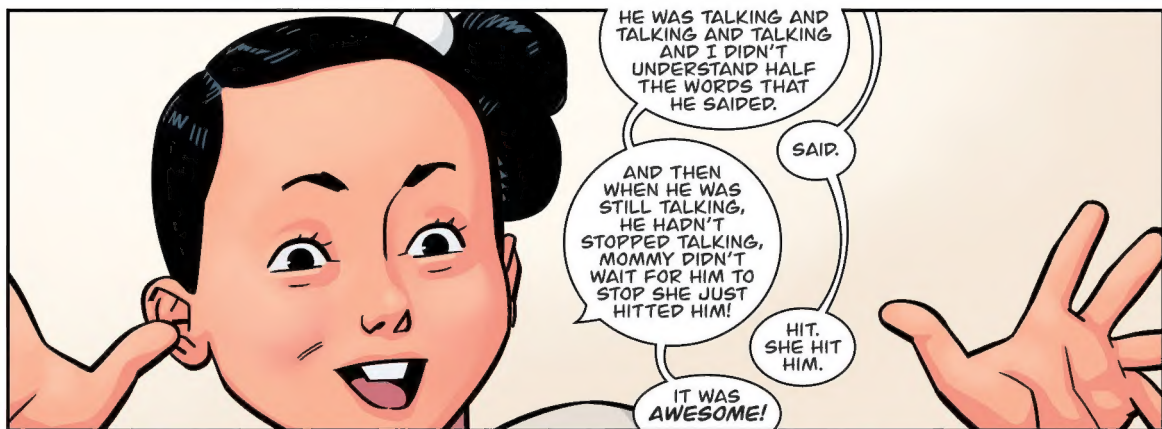
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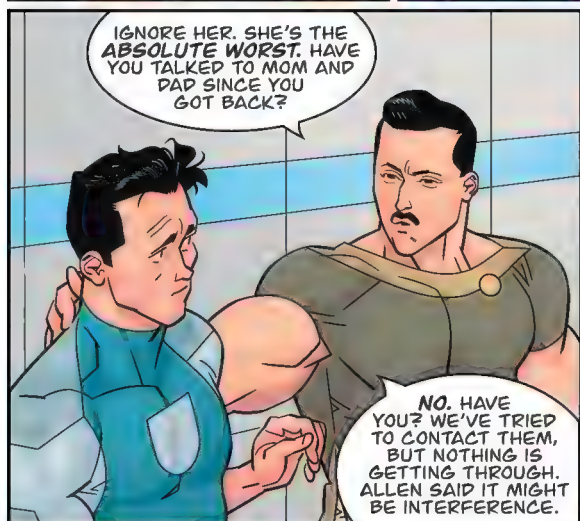


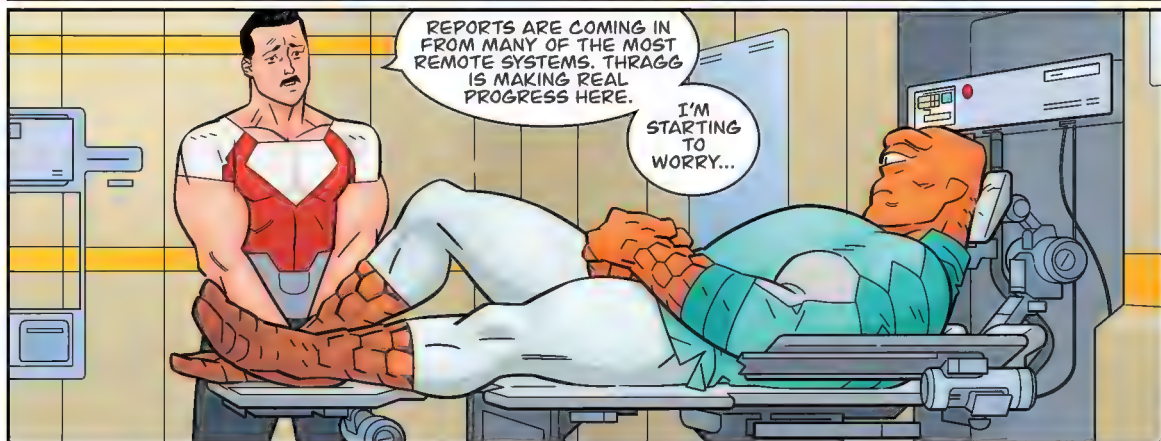
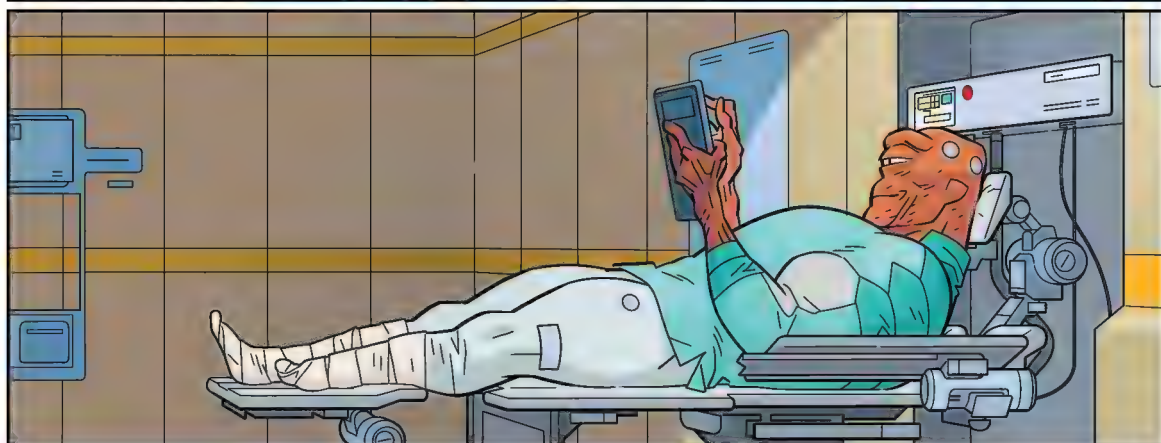
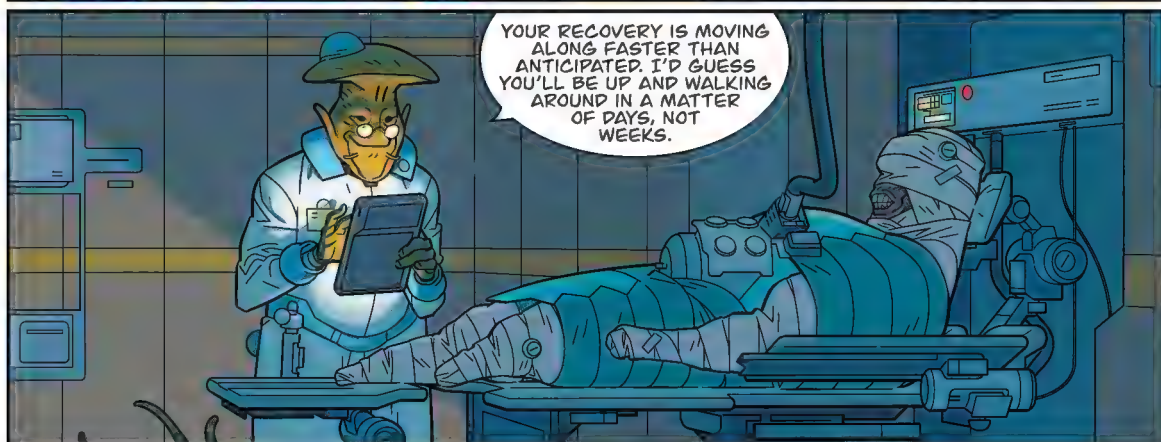
EVE, WAIT. YOU CAN STAY. I'LL GO.

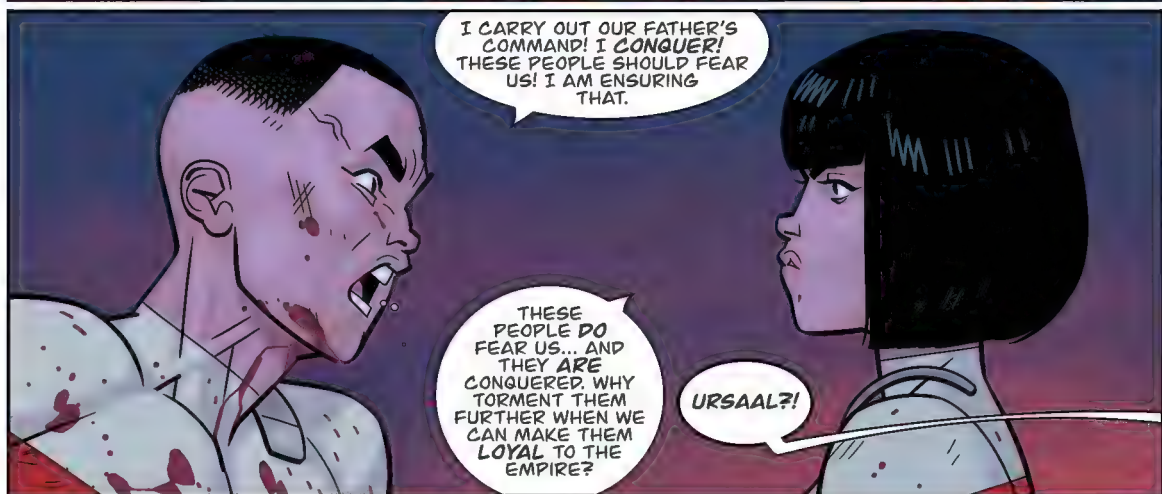
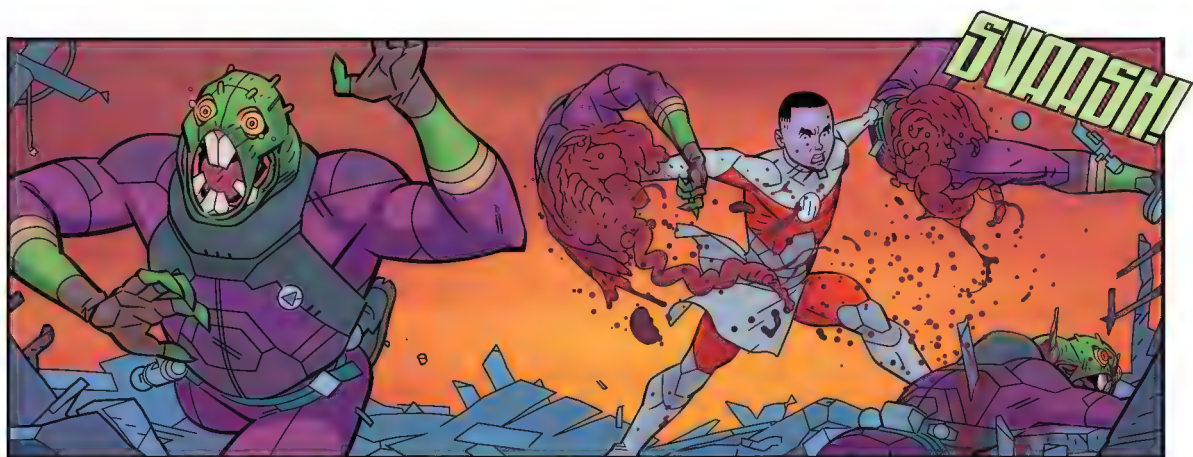
BUT CAN I... COULD WE TALK?





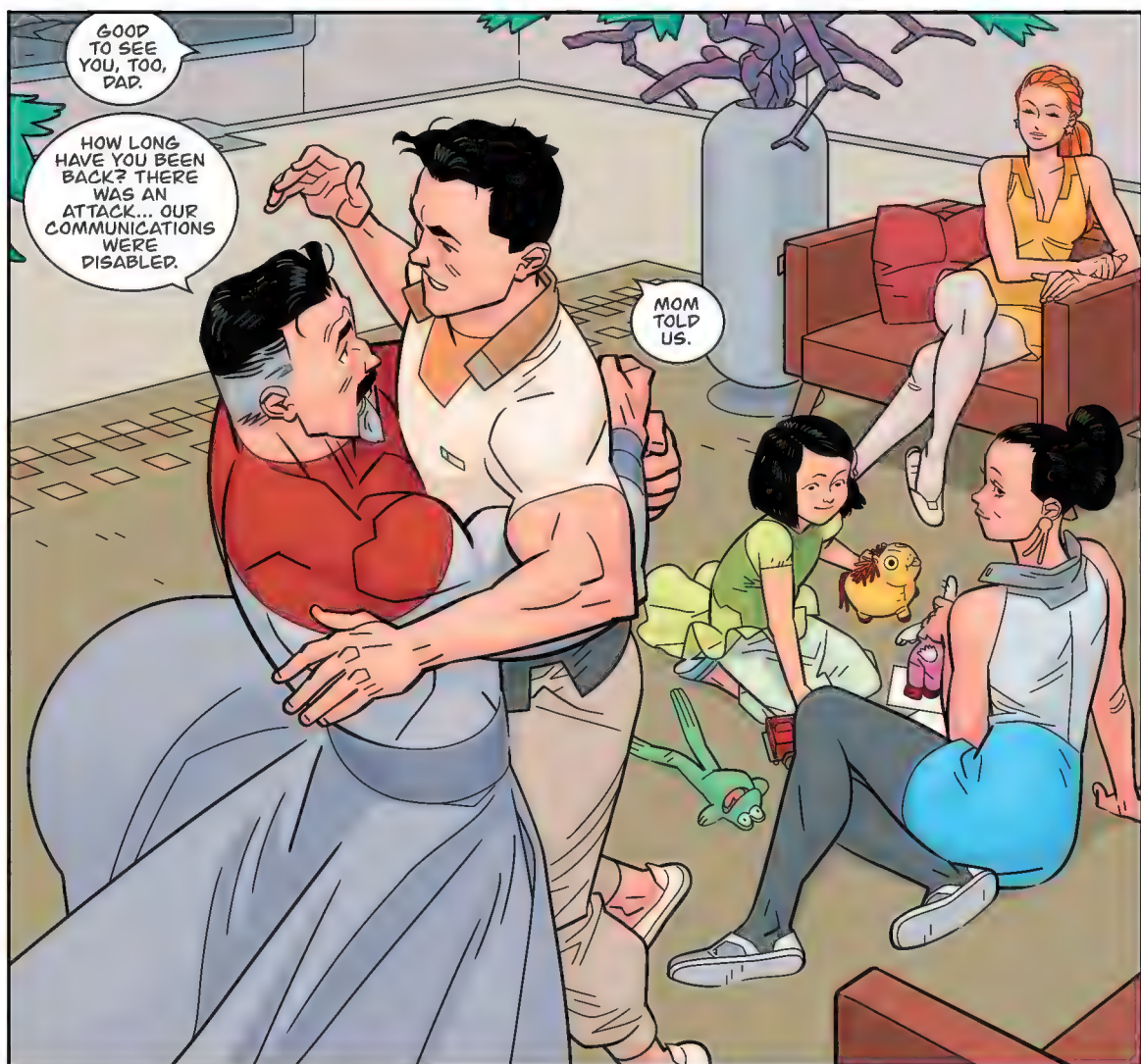












GOOD
TO SEE
YOU, TOO,
DAD.

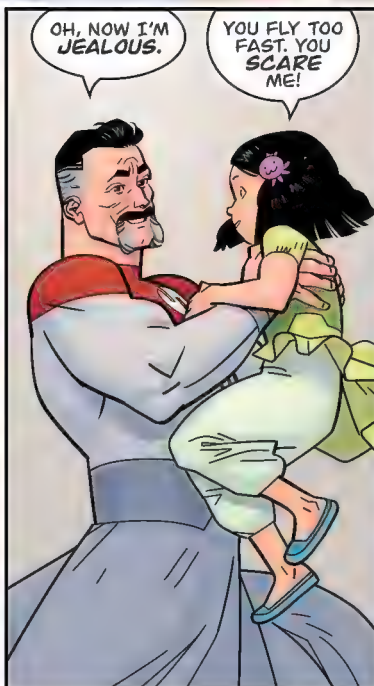
HOW LONG
HAVE YOU BEEN
BACK? THERE
WAS AN
ATTACK... OUR
COMMUNICATIONS
WERE
DISABLED.

MOM
TOLD
US.



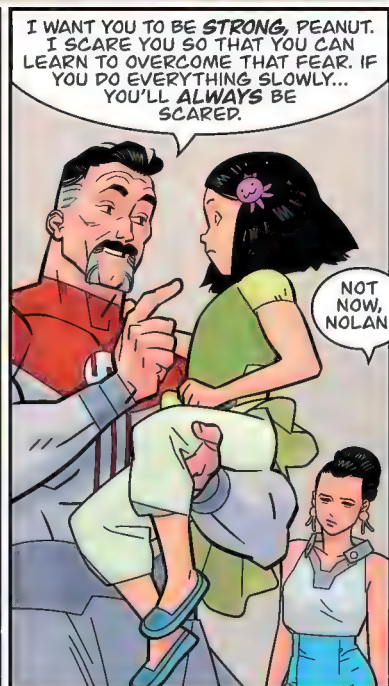
MY DADDY
IS STRONG
LIKE YOU,
PAPA!

I EVEN LET HIM
FLY ME IF HE
GOES REAL
SLOW.



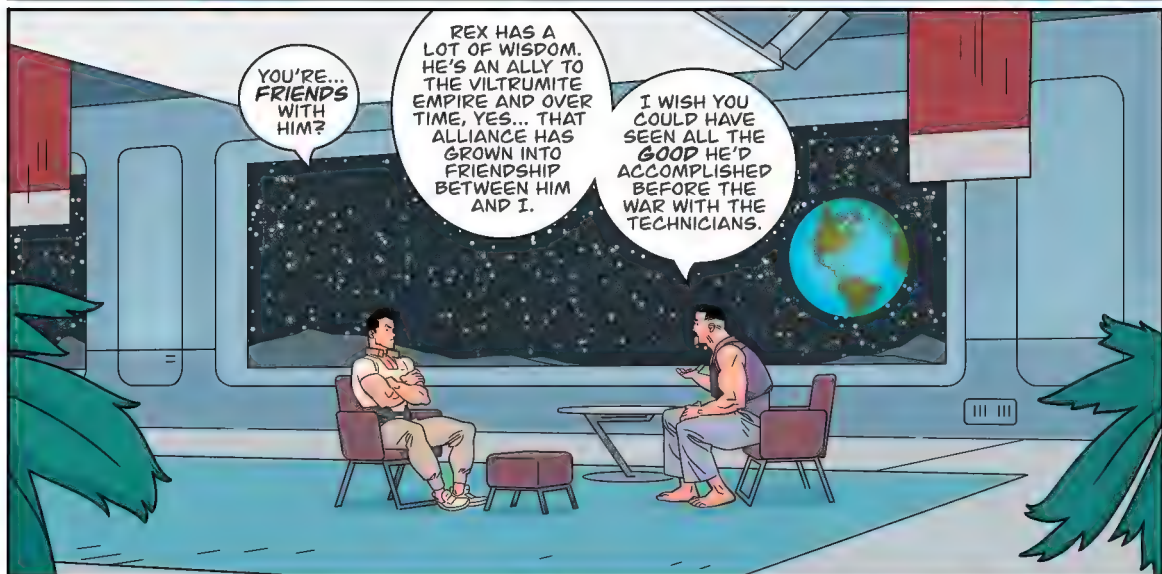
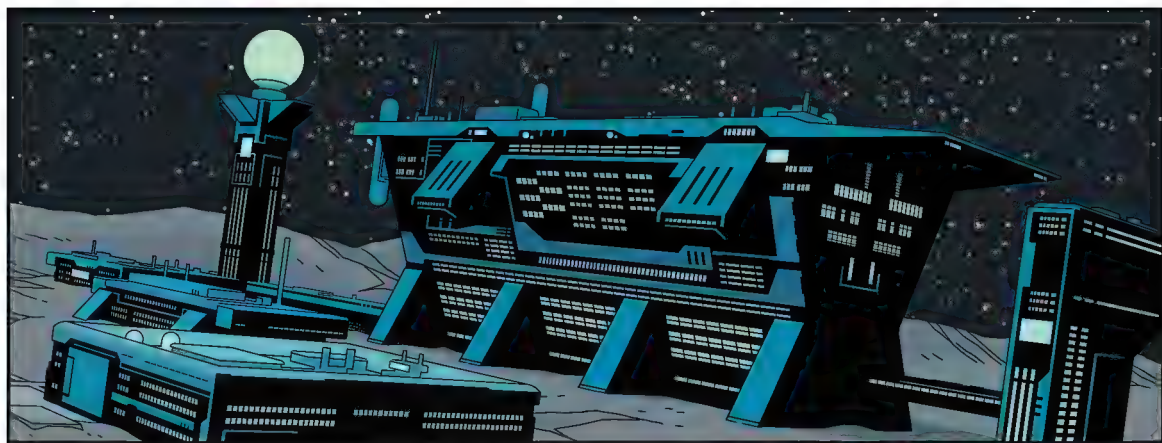
OH, NOW I'M
JEALOUS.

YOU FLY TOO
FAST. YOU
SCARE
ME!



I WANT YOU TO BE **STRONG**, PEANUT.
I SCARE YOU SO THAT YOU CAN
LEARN TO OVERCOME THAT FEAR. IF
YOU DO EVERYTHING SLOWLY...
YOU'LL ALWAYS BE
SCARED.

NOT
NOW,
NOLAN.



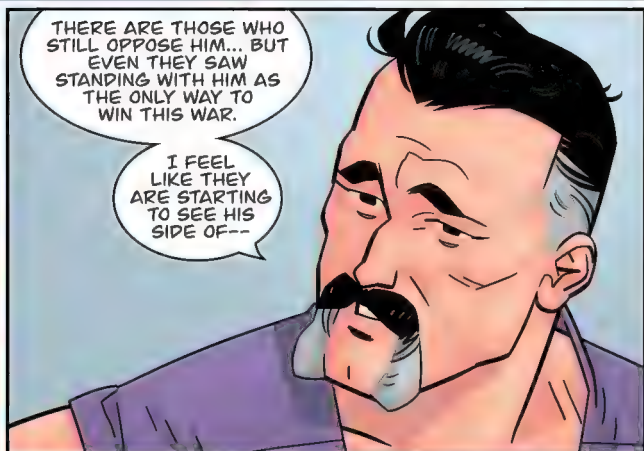
YOU'RE...
FRIENDS
WITH HIM?

REX HAS A
LOT OF WISDOM.
HE'S AN ALLY TO
THE VILTRUMITE
EMPIRE AND OVER
TIME, YES... THAT
ALLIANCE HAS
GROWN INTO
FRIENDSHIP
BETWEEN HIM
AND I.

I WISH YOU
COULD HAVE
SEEN ALL THE
GOOD HE'D
ACCOMPLISHED
BEFORE THE
WAR WITH THE
TECHNICIANS.



I DON'T **CARE**
WHAT HE'S
ACCOMPLISHED.
NOT AFTER
EVERYTHING HE
DID. HAS
EVERYONE
BOUGHT INTO
HIS CRAP?



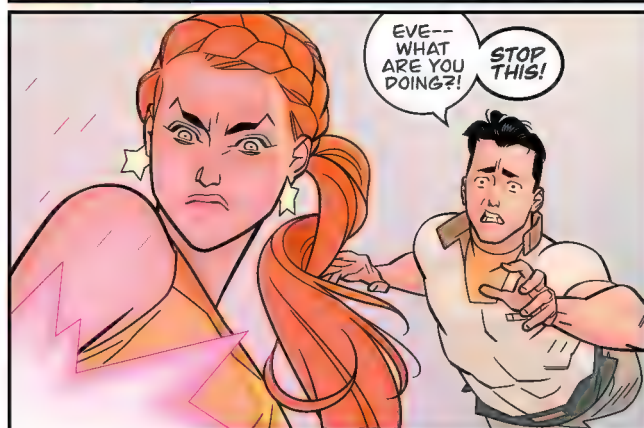
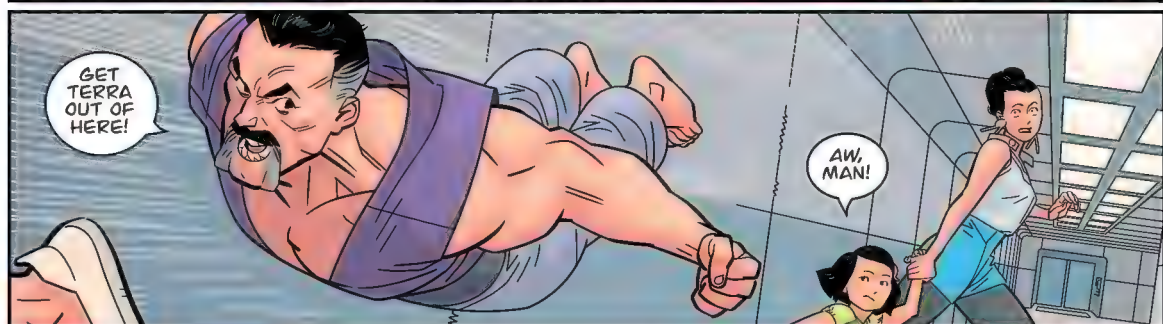
THERE ARE THOSE WHO
STILL OPPOSE HIM... BUT
EVEN THEY SAW
STANDING WITH HIM AS
THE ONLY WAY TO
WIN THIS WAR.

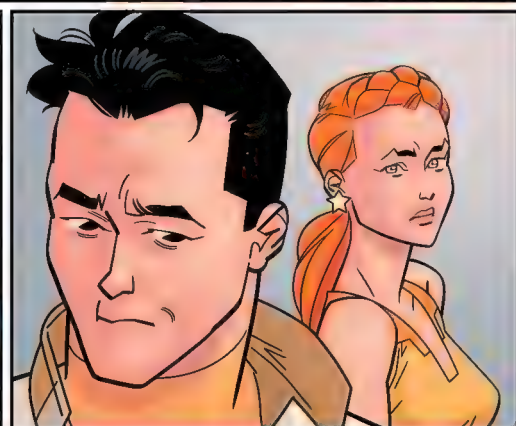
I FEEL
LIKE THEY
ARE STARTING
TO SEE HIS
SIDE OF--



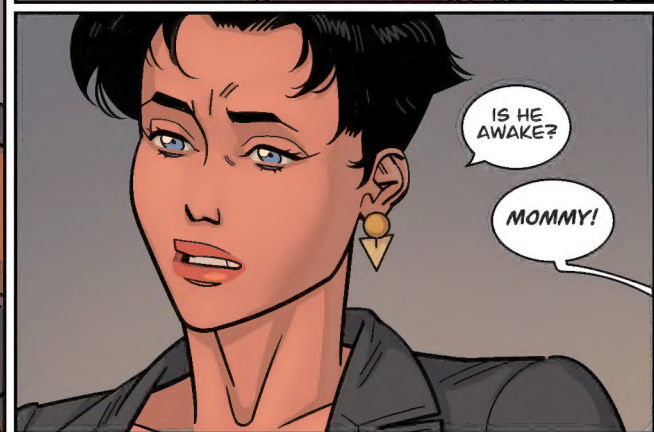
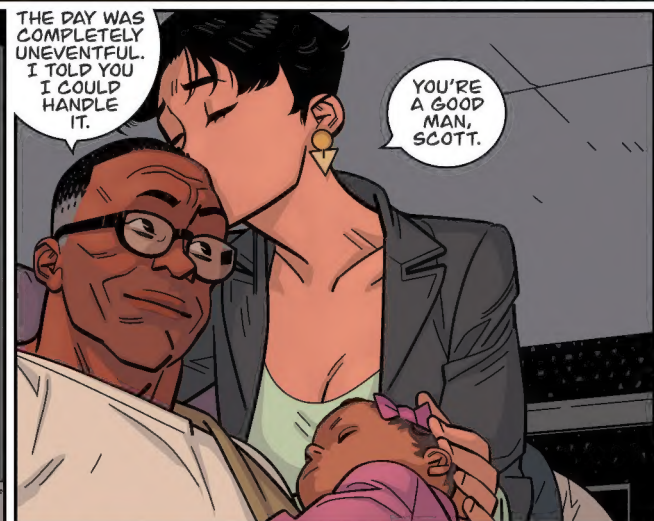
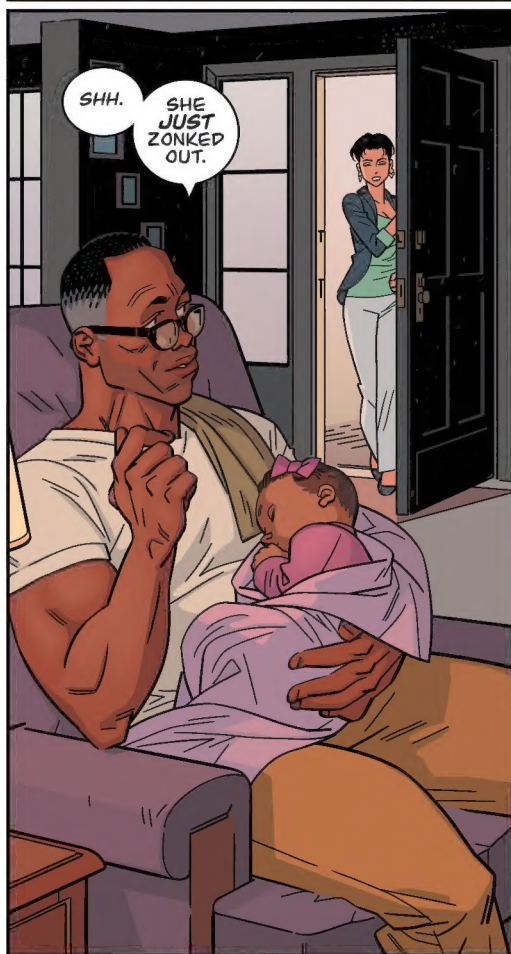
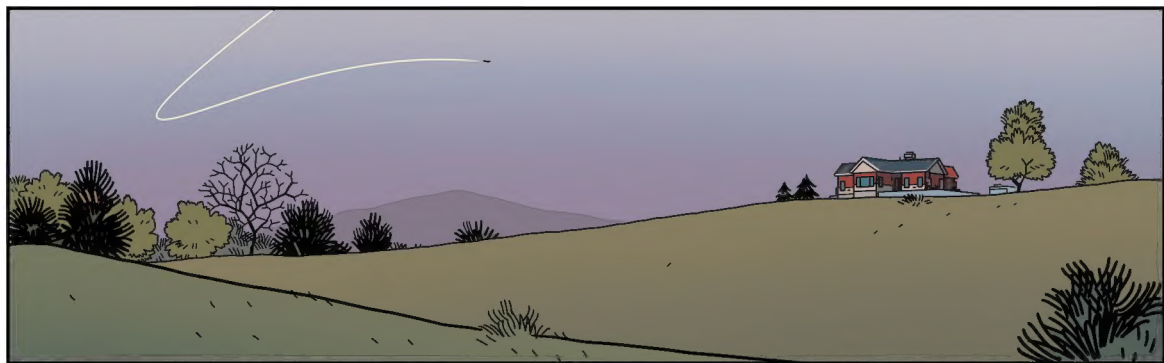
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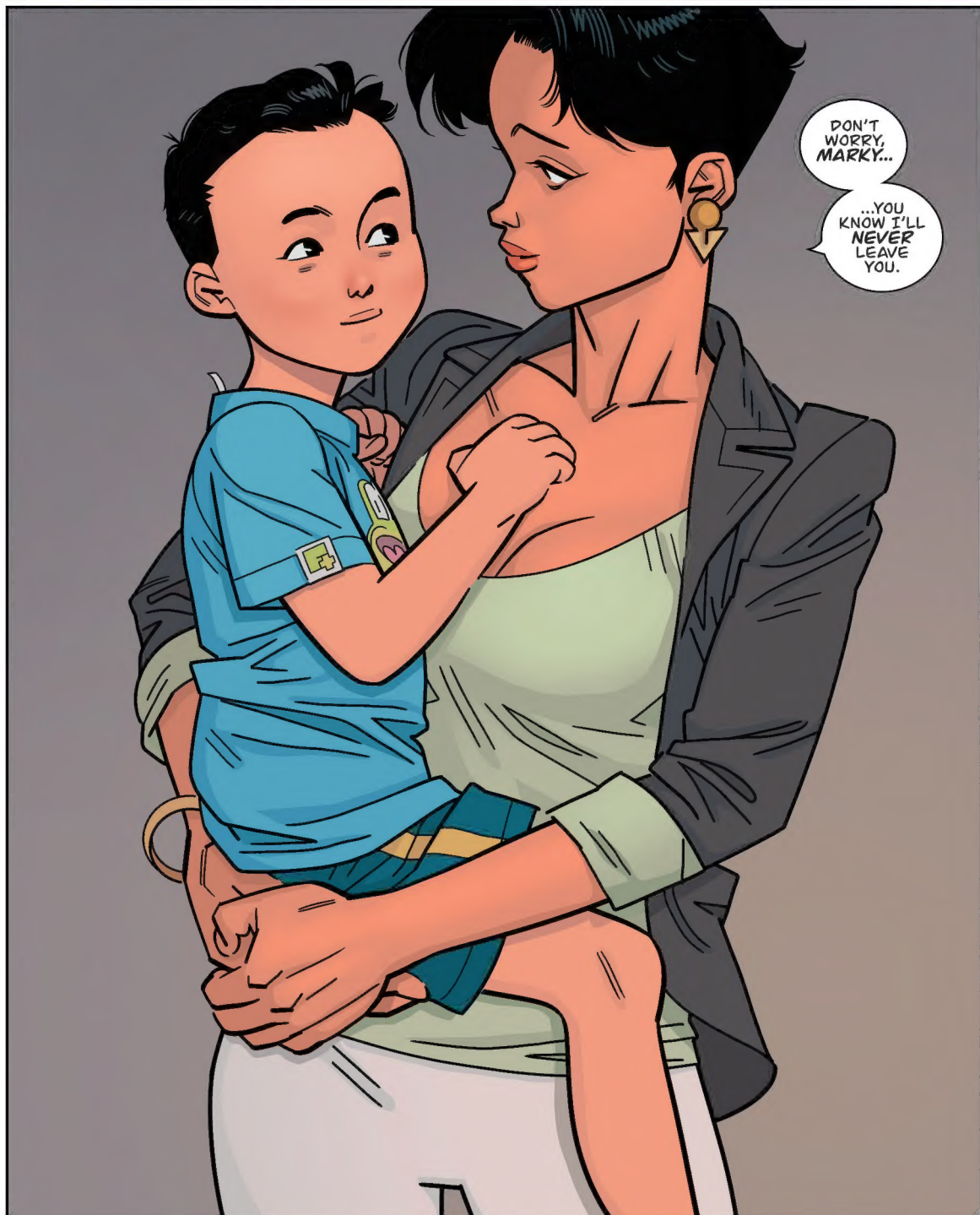
WHAT
IN--











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Heynong, man! As much as I'd love to discuss what that final page means, there's a far more important issue to discuss: the return of Cory Walker. Though the majority of you had very nice things to say about the return of INVINCIBLE's co-creator, some disrespect was tossed his way....

Some people have eyes that work properly and it appears some people don't. Let's dive in!

I have to suffer through six issues of this garbage?!?!? Sorry, but compared to Ottley, Cory Walker's art is complete dogshit. I was so excited to finally have Invincible back after the break, then super disappointed when I saw the first page (and the rest of the issue). Not stoked for the next 5 months of Invincible - hope I'm not alone in this, but I would rather Ottley take off as much time as he needs than have to look at this ugly ugly art in the meantime. I suppose the silver lining is that this 6 issue arc seems like it's gonna be super depressing and painful to read too, so it will be easy to skip entirely whenever I re-read the series for the 4th time.

Marcus
Spokane, WA

I have to be completely honest here. I value everyone's opinion, but I have to say this one just baffles me. Every professional in comics loves Cory. I practically have to beat other writers back with a stick in order to be able to keep working with Cory. Ed Brubaker, I'm looking at you! I wouldn't normally print a letter like this, but there are many letters singing the praises of Mr. Walker... and I feel like there's a thing at work here that demands a response: Ryan Ottley is "our guy." He's the guy who's been doing this book month in and month out and maybe you feel like he needs this kind of defense to make sure we know we love him, but I assure you, he doesn't. Honestly, Ryan loves Cory's art, too. And is happy to see him back on the book for a short while. So don't trash Cory on Ryan's account.

There are THREE more issues of greatness coming after this one!

hi,

big fan since long. i'm just catching up on issue #127, and one little negative feedback: too much crying... too much crying.

i know it was hard on him, gone for so long, but honestly no-one would start crying out on his brothers shoulder, that's way above being 'a giant pussy'. that's being just super awkward.

but hey! i'm happy that cory is back!!! and cant wait for the next issues!!!

keep it up (just dial down a bit on the tears)
-stefan

I hate to sound defensive but--NO! Not enough crying! I think Mark is dealing with something SO heartbreaking and SO sad that he would be on the verge of tears at all times. Seeing his brother would easily break his tenuous hold on his emotions. Think about it... EVERY SINGLE THING HE SEES reminds him of what he lost. Everything is different, everyone has changed. Personally, I'd be a mess, but I'll be the first person to admit I'm a giant wimp.

Invincible creative team,

First let me just start out by saying that I love Invincible. It's one of the first comics I ever read in the 7th grade and I've followed it ever since (I'm 22 now for reference). It's totally shaped my view on superhero comics, and has been incredibly inspirational for me creatively. I've never written to a comic before, but after reading #127, I had to say something. Easily one of my favorite issue's in the series, if not my favorite. I've always been a huge fan of Cory Walker's art, and it was great to see him back and bringing series A-game stuff. I love seeing when Mark's superhero adventures have realistic consequences. You could see something like this happening to Hal Jordan, but when he returns home to Coast City he'd only be missing an hour or something. That dramatic approach to classic superhero tropes is my favorite part of Invincible, and I just wanted to say that I think you guys did a really good job with that (and everything else) in the issue.

Also Thragg's Viltrumite-Youth look super dope and scary. You've made him the coolest villain in the series by having him wear Battle-Beast's pelt.

Mack
Los Angeles

Glad you dug it! I have to admit, it's been extra special having Cory back for these issues. Glad to know so many of you are just as excited as I am.

We'll be back in August, with a trip to Earth and the return of some global guardians.

-Sean Mackiewicz

It's going to be sweet!

-Robert Kirkman

NEXT ISSUE



Mark didn't want to ever return to Earth... but now he finds himself face to face with Robot, and no matter how hard he tries he just can't forget all the evil he has done. This could get ugly.