



KEEP IT STEADY, THADDEUS! KEEP IT STEADY!

OF COURSE I'M GOING TO KEEP IT STEADY, TALBOT.

AND NEED I REMIND YOU, WE AREN'T ON A FIRST NAME BASIS.

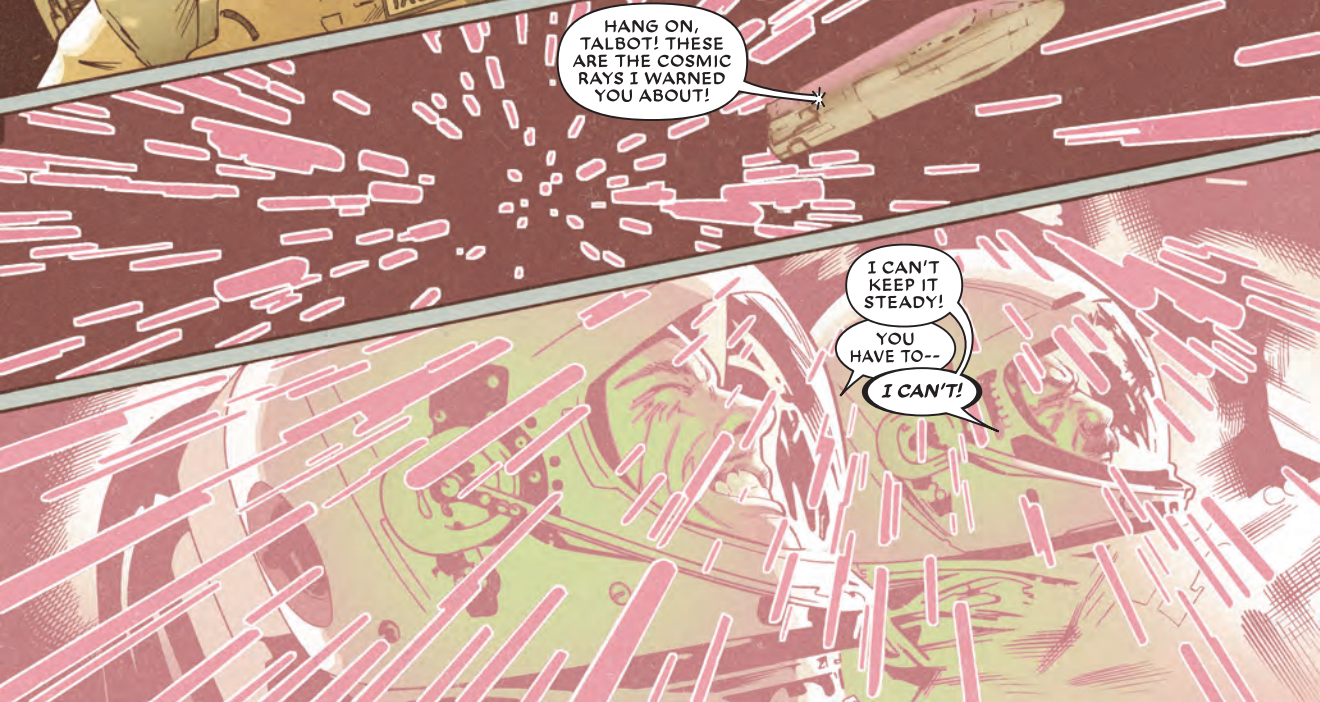
THAT'S "MAJOR" ROSS.



DIDN'T MEAN TO OFFEND, MAJOR.

NO OFFENSE TAKEN. BOTTOM LINE IS, THE ONLY THING I CARE ABOUT IS BEATING THE RUSSKIES TO SPACE.

AND IF YOU'RE GOING TO GET IT DONE BEFORE THE AIR FORCE, THAT'S ALL THAT MATTERS.

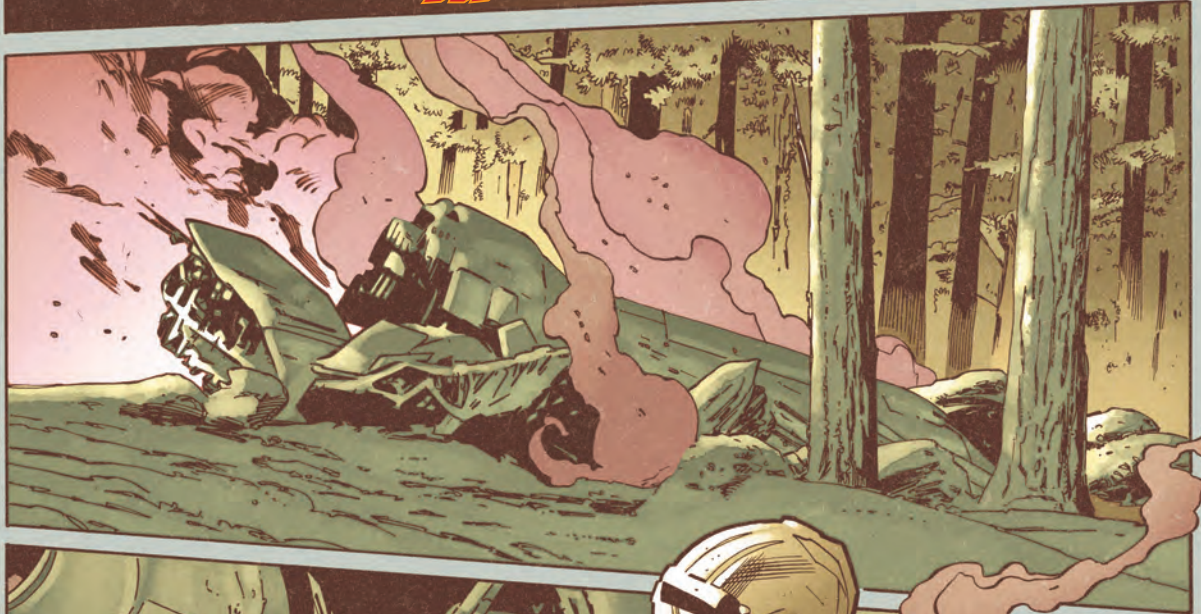
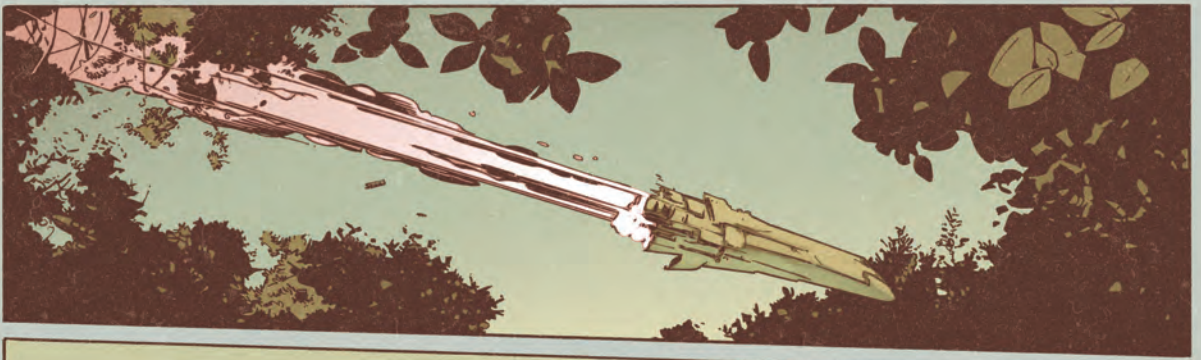


HANG ON, TALBOT! THESE ARE THE COSMIC RAYS I WARNED YOU ABOUT!

I CAN'T KEEP IT STEADY!

YOU HAVE TO--

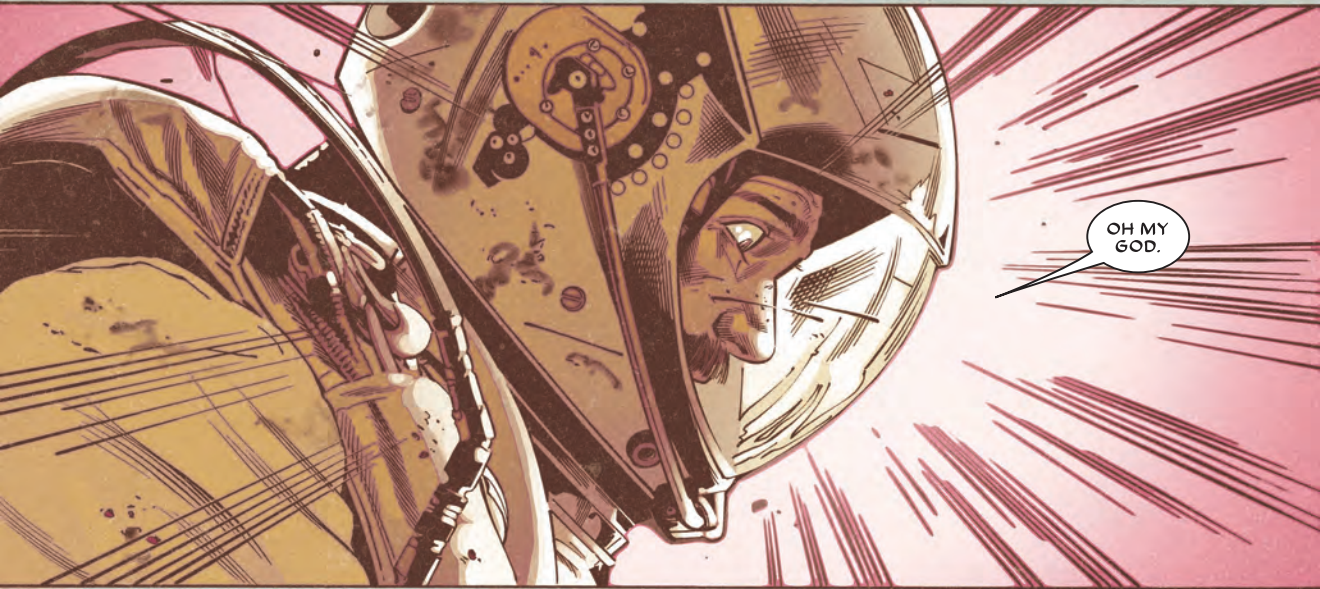
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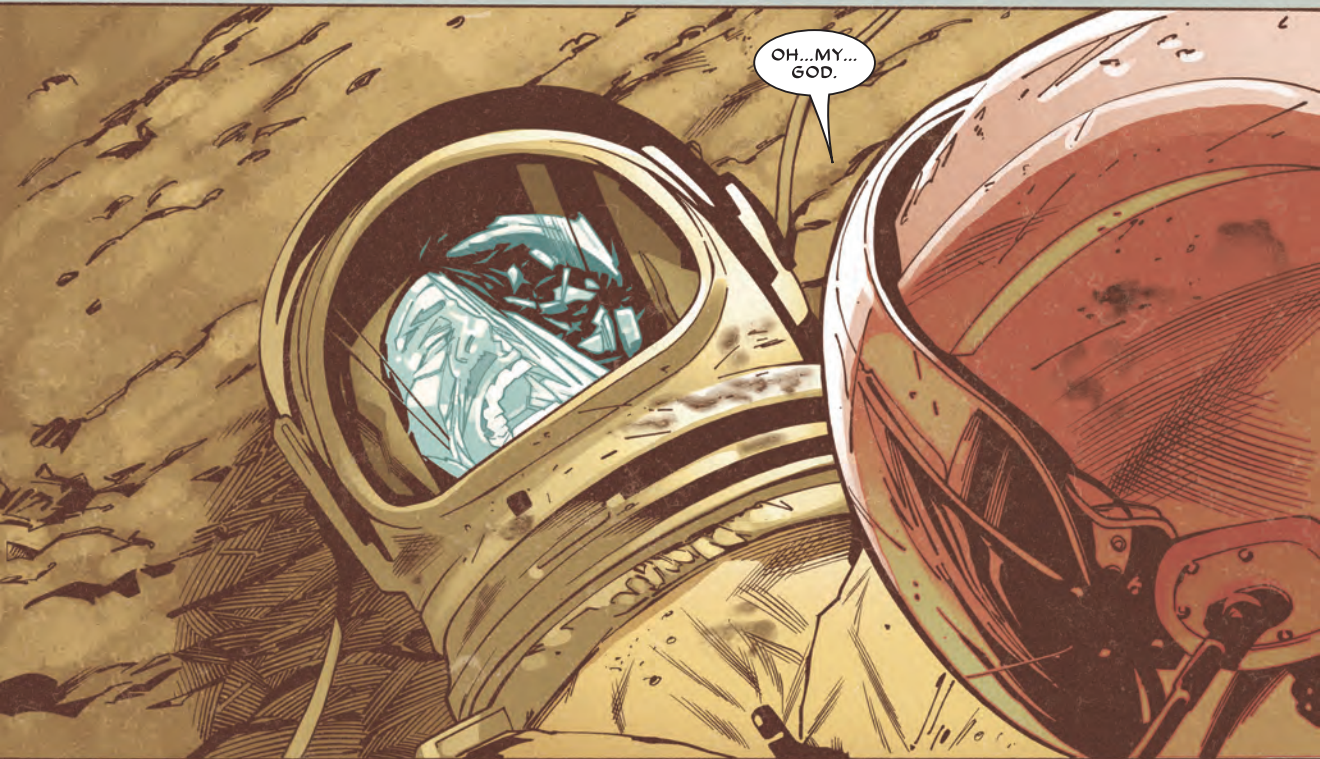


TALBOT!
ARE YOU
OKAY?!

I TRIED
TO BRING
IT
DOWN BEST
I COULD! I
TRIED TO--



OH MY
GOD.



OH...MY...
GOD.

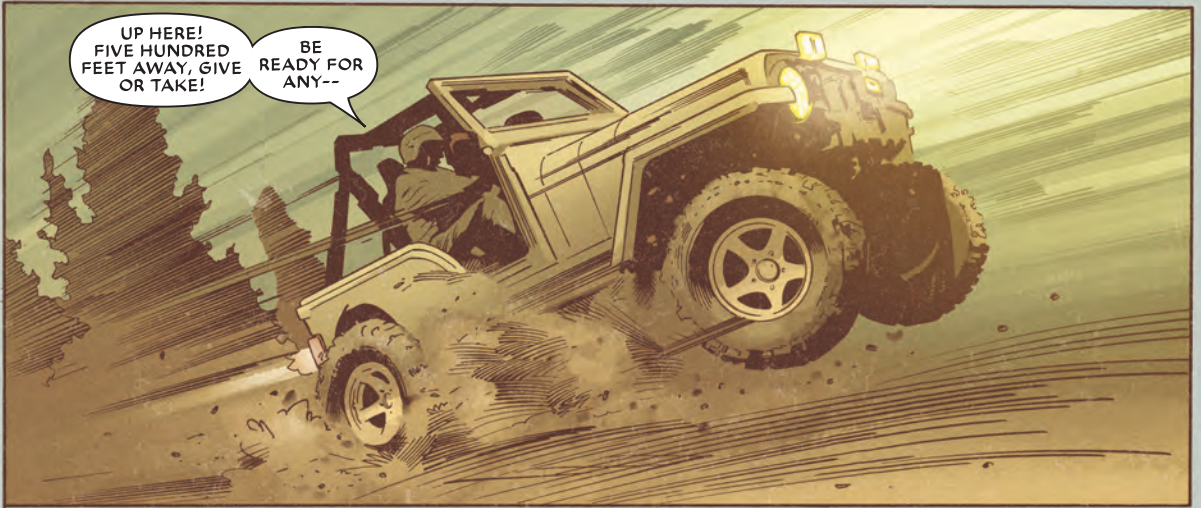
NYAAARRHHH!!

WHAT'S...WHAT'S
HAPPENING...?

WHAT...

...THE
HELL...

...*IS*
HAPPENING?!



UP HERE!
FIVE HUNDRED
FEET AWAY, GIVE
OR TAKE!

BE
READY FOR ANY--



THING?!

HOLY
CRAP!!!



IT'S AN ALIEN!
SOME SORT OF
ALIEN THING!

HUH?