

"ALL THAT IS NECESSARY FOR THE TRIUMPH OF EVIL IS FOR GOOD MEN TO DO NOTHING."

I LIVE AND BREATHE THAT QUOTE WITH ALL MY HEART.

I BET YOU DID, TOO.

FOR SO MANY YEARS I TRIED TO HELP FROM THE SHADOWS WHILE STILL KEEPING MY FAMILY SAFE AND THEIR EXISTENCE ON YOUR WORLD A SECRET.

BUT EVIL FOUND US...

...AND NO MATTER WHAT THE PERSONAL COST, I WASN'T ABOUT TO STAND BY AND WATCH THIS EARTH LOSE ITS SUPERMAN AT THE HANDS OF THAT BURNING MADMAN.

I TRIED TO SAVE YOU...

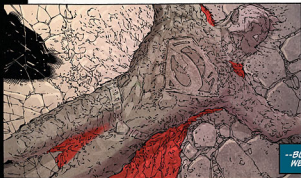


...BUT OF COURSE YOU WERE BUSY SAVING OTHERS.

WE DIDN'T GET MUCH OF A CHANCE TO TALK-- ONLY A FEW WORDS PASSED BETWEEN US--



--THERE WAS SO MUCH I WANTED TO SAY--SO MUCH I WANTED TO HEAR--



--BUT THEN YOU WERE GONE...

...AND BURIED  
HERE IN  
METROPOLIS.



KIND OF FITTING  
THIS MEMORIAL TO  
YOU IS A WORK IN  
PROGRESS--



--THE COMMISSIONED  
STATUE STILL BEING  
CRAFTED TO FIT ON  
THIS BASE--



--WILL BE ONE LESS THING  
FOR YOU TO WORRY ABOUT  
BREAKING WHEN YOU--



Hmm?

UNDERGROUND ACCESS TUNNEL.

