

JESSICA JONES

Jessica Jones, a former costumed super hero, is now the owner and sole employee of Alias Investigations--a small private investigative firm.

Jessica recently faked a fall from grace to help Captain Marvel lure an anti-super hero group out of hiding--a fall so convincing it alienated her from the super hero community...and her husband, Luke Cage.

Maria Hill was the director of S.H.I.E.L.D., before she had a fall from grace of her own and was ousted by Captain America. Now she's on the run--and she wants Jessica to find out who's trying to kill her.

But before Jessica could start her investigation, she was attacked by a Life-Model Decoy of Maria Hill--and then arrested by Commander Carter, the new sub-director of S.H.I.E.L.D.

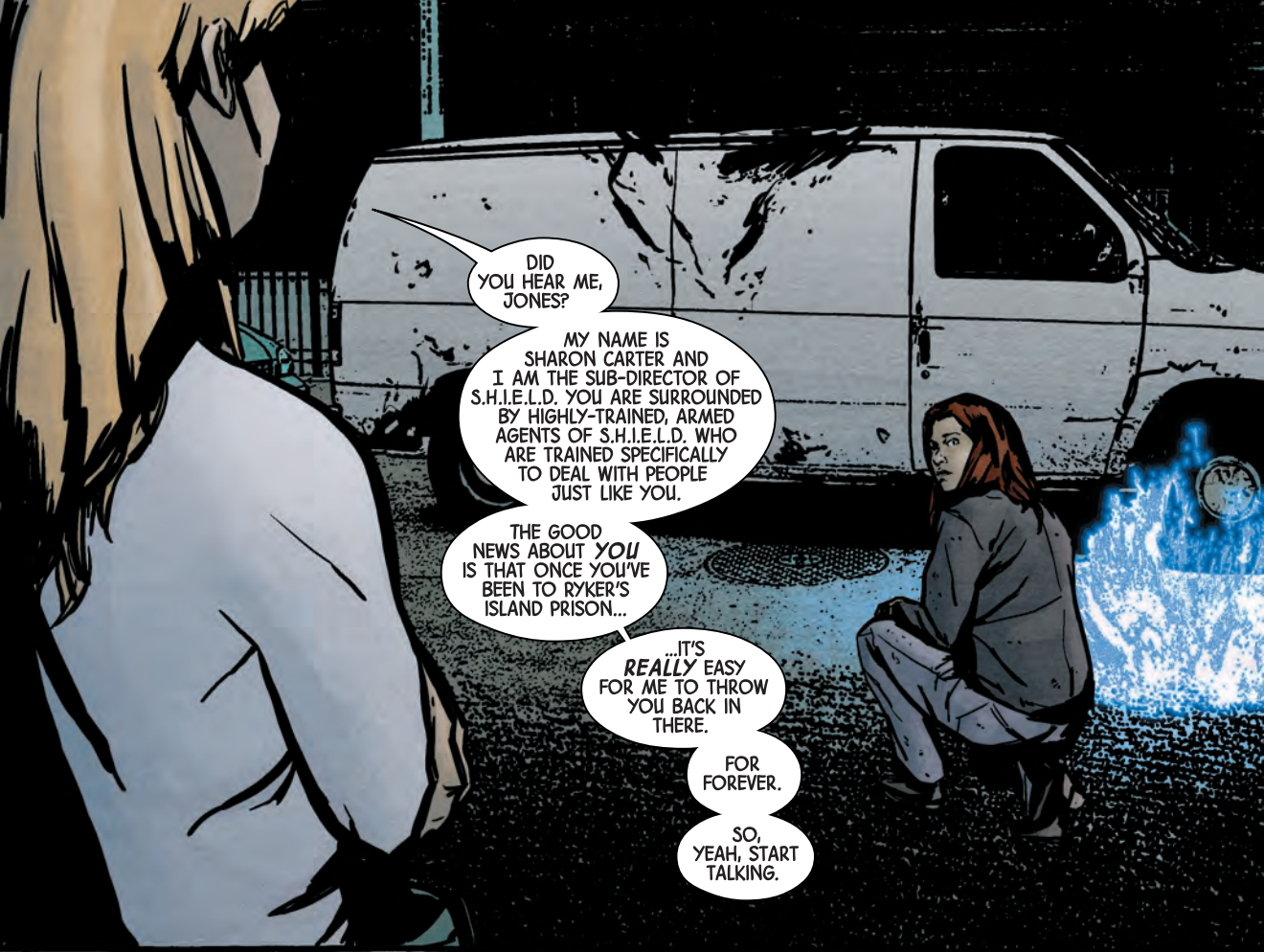
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DID YOU HEAR ME, JONES?

MY NAME IS SHARON CARTER AND I AM THE SUB-DIRECTOR OF S.H.I.E.L.D. YOU ARE SURROUNDED BY HIGHLY-TRAINED, ARMED AGENTS OF S.H.I.E.L.D. WHO ARE TRAINED SPECIFICALLY TO DEAL WITH PEOPLE JUST LIKE YOU.

THE GOOD NEWS ABOUT YOU IS THAT ONCE YOU'VE BEEN TO RYKER'S ISLAND PRISON...

...IT'S REALLY EASY FOR ME TO THROW YOU BACK IN THERE.

FOR FOREVER.

SO, YEAH, START TALKING.



NOT SURE HOW TO PLAY THIS.

DON'T KNOW THIS CARTER VERY WELL. NOT MUCH FACE TIME.

LOOK AT HER. NEW TO HER JOB AND LOOKING TO IMPRESS ALL HER ARMORED AGENTS BY GIVING ME THE BUSINESS.



WHEN YOU SUPER-POWERED-TYPES GET THAT LOOK ON YOUR FACES...

...LIKE YOU'RE NOT SCARED OF STUFF YOU SHOULD BE SCARED OF...

...THAT'S WHEN PEOPLE LIKE ME GET REALLY NERVOUS.



HOW EXACTLY CAN I HELP YOU, COMMANDER CARTER?

WHERE'S MARIA HILL?



HERE WE GO!

I DON'T KNOW.



I DON'T MEAN WHERE IS SHE RIGHT *THIS* SECOND.

WHERE *IS* SHE?



I. DON'T. KNOW.



SHE HIRE YOU?

I DON'T CONFIRM OR DENY ONGOING INVESTIGATIONS...

...AS MY CLIENT'S INFORMATION AND DISCRETION IS A HIGH PRIORITY AT ALIAS INVESTIGATIONS.

BUT...IF YOU WANT TO HIRE ME YOURSELF, YOU CAN VISIT OUR WEBSITE AND GET A LOOK AT OUR RATES.



I CAN PUT YOU IN JAIL.

I AM VERY GOOD AT FINDING PEOPLE.

IS THERE SOMEONE ELSE I CAN HELP YOU FIND?



HEH.

MAYBE THE PERSON THAT DID THAT TO YOUR HAIR?



LOOK...

...I'M WORKING A CASE.

I WAS ATTACKED.

THIS IS THE RESULT.

HONESTLY? I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT ATTACKED ME OR WHAT I'M LOOKING FOR AT THIS POINT.



BUT, HEY, NO BULLSHIT...

...IF I FIND SOMETHING THAT YOU NEED TO KNOW, I PROMISE YOU, YOU WILL KNOW IT.

FAIR?



FINE.

OKAY.



YOU NEED A DOCTOR?

WHAT?

LIKE A PSYCHIATRIST?

HEY, SERIOUSLY, I'M ASKING...



...IS MARIA HILL IN TROUBLE?

IS SHE?

I'M REALLY ASKING.

I'LL LET YOU KNOW IF I HEAR ANYTHING.

WHERE YOU GOING?

U.M... HOME.

SO WAS I.

AND I SHOULD KNOW.

