

KAL...

...AND...?

IT'S ME!
JON! I KNOW, I'M
OLDER THAN YOU
REMEMBER. IT'S
A LONG STORY,
BUT I CAN
EXPLAIN!

UM,
PROBABLY
A STUPID
QUESTION,
BUT HOW CAN
I HEAR
YOU?

IT'S MY SUIT.
GRANDPA MADE IT
SO IT CAN PROJECT
AN ATMOSPHERE A
SHORT DISTANCE
AROUND ME.
PRETTY COOL,
HUH?

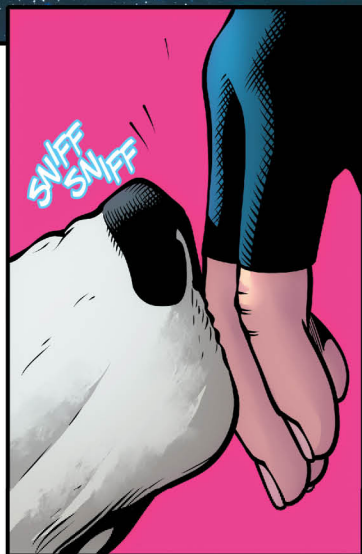
I KNOW
IT'S A LOT, BUT
I CAN EXPLAIN
EVERYTHING IN
SUPER-SPEED.
JOIN ME?



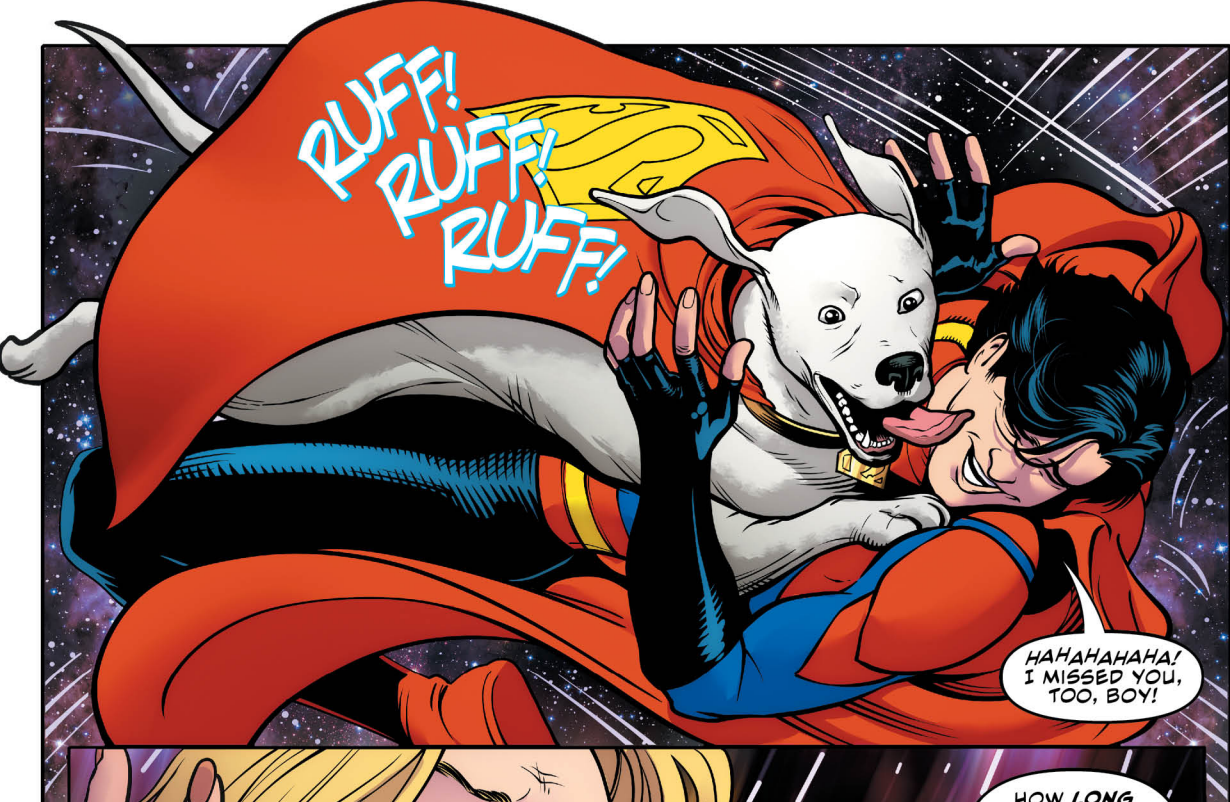
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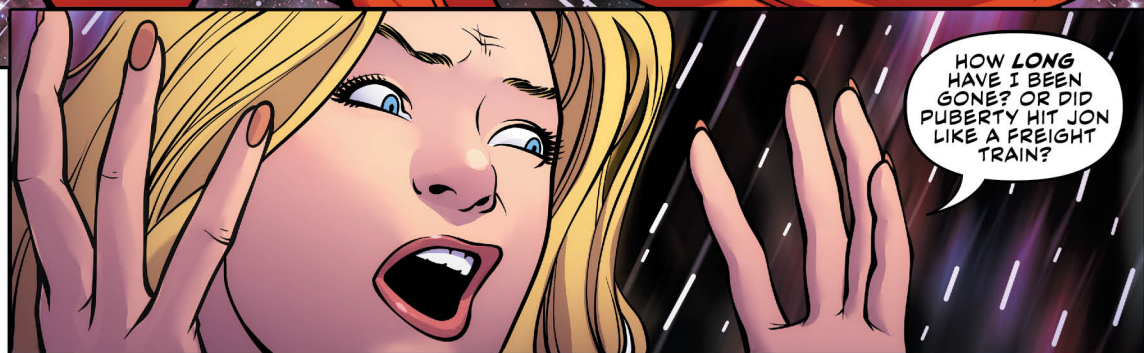
HEY,
BOY! HOW'VE
YOU BEEN?
IT'S ME, I
SWEAR!



SNIFF
SNIFF



HAHAHAHAHA!
I MISSED YOU,
TOO, BOY!



HOW LONG
HAVE I BEEN
GONE? OR DID
PUBERTY HIT JON
LIKE A FREIGHT
TRAIN?

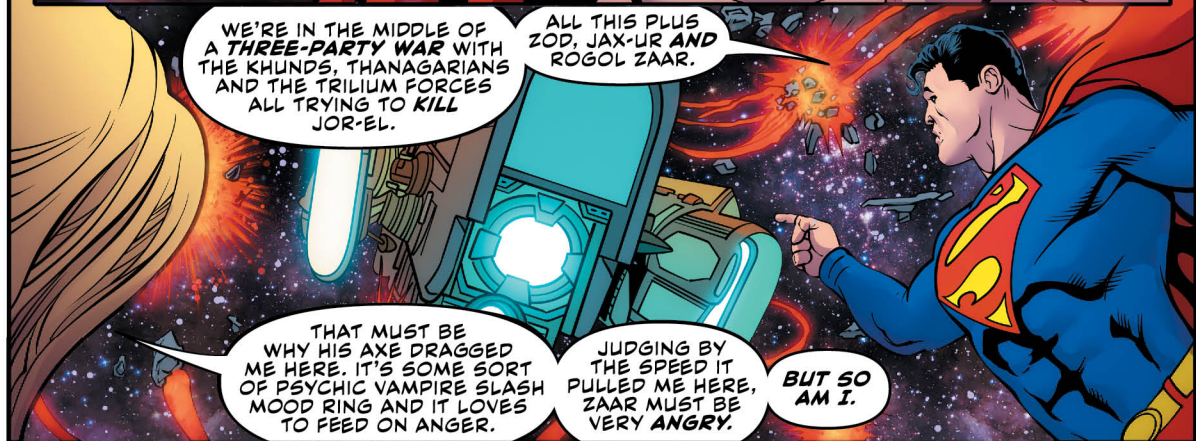


THE QUICK VERSION--JOR-EL TOOK HIM
ON A TOUR OF THE GALAXY, JON WENT
THROUGH A WORMHOLE,* GOT TRAPPED
WITH THE CRIME SYNDICATE...FOR YEARS.
TIME FLOWS DIFFERENTLY THERE,
JON CAME BACK, BOOM!
SEVENTEEN.

IN OTHER
WORDS,
THE USUAL
FOR US.

BUT...WE
HAVE A MORE
PRESSING
ISSUE GOING
ON.

*A TIME FLUX
GENERATOR ON TOP
OF A TEAR IN THE
DIMENSIONAL SLIDE.
ACTUALLY...SEE
SUPERMAN #10!
--JESS



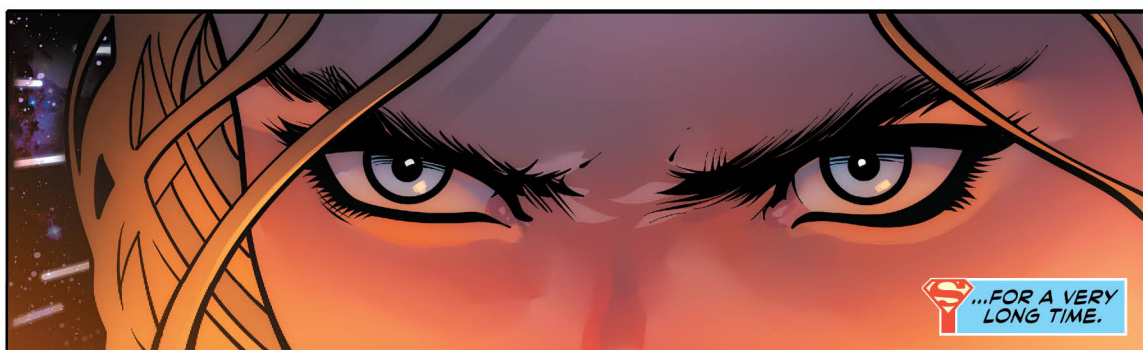
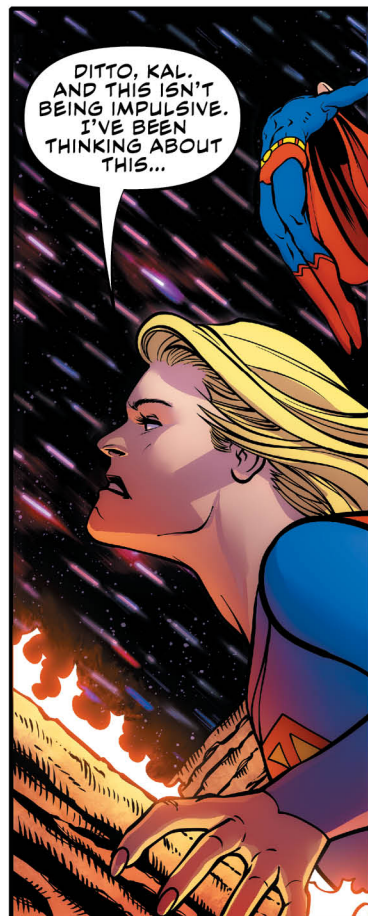
WE'RE IN THE MIDDLE OF
A **THREE-PARTY** WAR WITH
THE KHUNDS, THANAGARIANS
AND THE TRILIUM FORCES
ALL TRYING TO KILL
JOR-EL.

ALL THIS PLUS
ZOD, JAX-UR AND
ROGOL ZAAR.

THAT MUST BE
WHY HIS AXE DRAGGED
ME HERE. IT'S SOME SORT
OF PSYCHIC VAMPIRE SLASH
MOOD RING AND IT LOVES
TO FEED ON ANGER.

JUDGING BY
THE SPEED IT
PULLED ME HERE,
ZAAR MUST BE
VERY ANGRY.

BUT SO
AM I.



**I FINALLY KNOW WHAT
REALLY HAPPENED TO
KRYPTON AND EVERYONE
WHO WAS INVOLVED.**

**GANDELO, THE
CIRCLE...AND ZAAR.**

IS IT AWFUL OF ME
TO ADMIT I'M GONNA
ENJOY KICKING THE
CRAP OUT OF HIM?

THAT
WHELP DARES?
WITH MY OWN
WEAPON?!

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