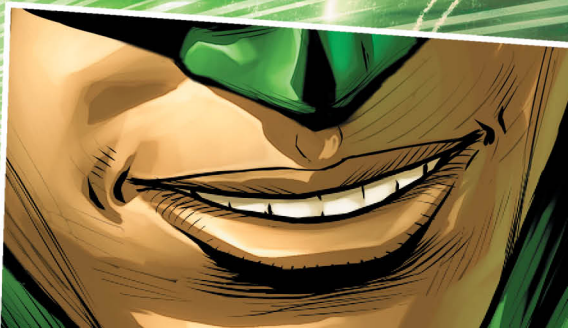


SPACE SECTOR 2814.

ONE OF 3600 SECTORS THAT
COMPRISE THE KNOWN UNIVERSE.



FOR SOME, IT IS SIMPLY CALLED...



...HOME.

HELLO,
BEAUTIFUL.

MIND GAMES

PART ONE *RUDE AWAKENING*

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SPACE SECTOR ZERO.
THE CENTER OF OUR UNIVERSE.
THE SENTIENT PLANET MOGO.
HEADQUARTERS OF THE
**GREEN LANTERN
CORPS.**

INSIDE THE COMMAND CENTER. BEFORE.

THE JUSTICE LEAGUE THOUGHT YOU SHOULD KNOW, JOHN. EVERYTHING OUTSIDE EARTH'S SOLAR SYSTEM IS YOUR TURF.

THANKS FOR THE ALERT, CYBORG. I'LL SEND A LANTERN YOUR WAY ASAP.



A MISSION TO EARTH JUST CAME UP ON THE BOARD.

DIBS.
THIS ONE NEEDS A THOROUGH LOOKING-INTO.
A PRIORITY ONE THREAT MAY HAVE POPPED UP ON THE RADAR.
STILL DIBS. I'VE GOT TO MAKE A BEER RUN.



WE DRAW STRAWS FOR IT. IT'S THE ONLY FAIR CONTEST.

NOT WITH YOU DRAWING THE STRAWS, RAYNER. AMIRIGHT, JORDAN?

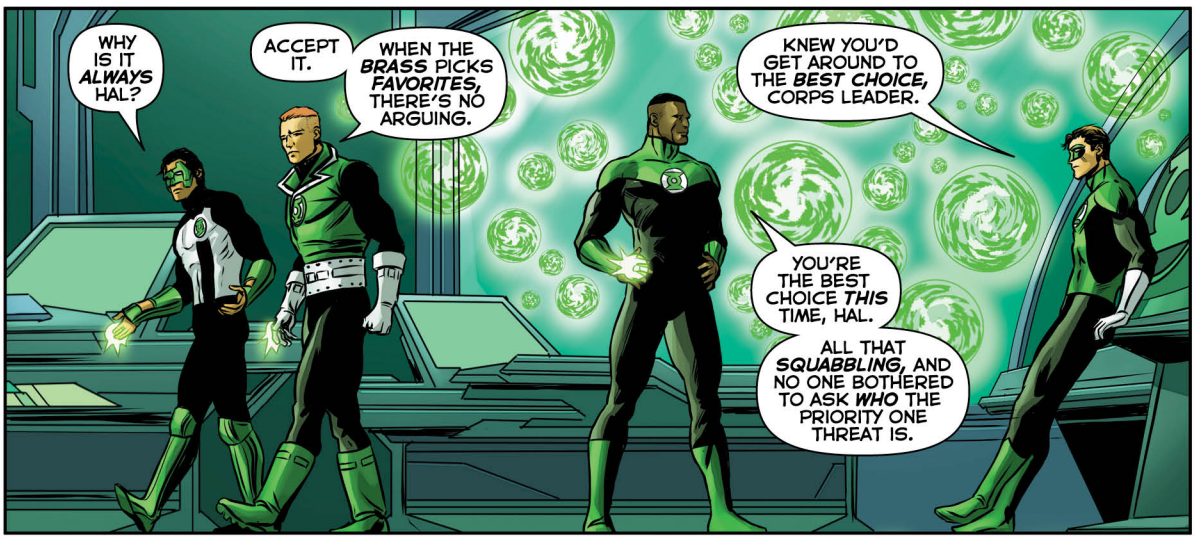
DEFINITELY SUSPECT.

AND ANYWAY, YOU'RE FRESH OUT OF THE INFIRMARY, KYLE.

THAT'S NO TIME TO GO CHASING HEAVY HITTERS.







WHY IS IT ALWAYS HAL?

ACCEPT IT.

WHEN THE BRASS PICKS FAVORITES, THERE'S NO ARGUING.

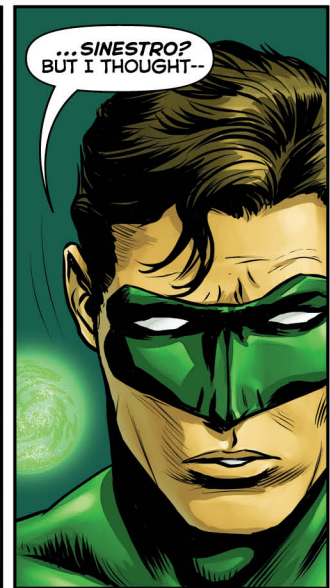
KNEW YOU'D GET AROUND TO THE BEST CHOICE, CORPS LEADER.

YOU'RE THE BEST CHOICE THIS TIME, HAL.

ALL THAT SQUABBLING, AND NO ONE BOTHERED TO ASK WHO THE PRIORITY ONE THREAT IS.



SINESTRO.



... SINESTRO? BUT I THOUGHT--



HE WAS K.I.A. WHEN YOU WENT FULL-WILL AND DETONATED WARWORLD?

THAT'S WHAT WE ALL THOUGHT.

YOU UNDERSTAND WHY THIS IS SO URGENT.

IF SINESTRO REALLY IS BACK IN PLAY, WE NEED TO KNOW HOW AND-- MORE IMPORTANTLY-- WHAT HE'S UP TO.



TELL ME WHERE.

THAT'S THE SECOND REASON THIS IS YOUR MISSION.

YOU HAVE THE MOST HISTORY WITH THE WITNESS.