



DO I
SCARE
YOU?

ONE NATION INDIVISIBLE


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NOPE.

YOU'RE **FURY**, QUEEN OF THE **AMAZONS**. YOU HAVE A **HIDDEN CITY** THAT AT THE VERY LEAST, **EQUALS** OR EVEN **EXCEEDS** THE **TECH LEVEL** OF ANY CITY ON **EARTH-2**.



AND I DON'T KNOW WHERE YOU **GOT** IT FROM, OR WHERE YOUR **AMAZONS** CAME FROM, BECAUSE LAST I KNEW THEY WERE ALL **DEAD**.

AND YOU'RE AN ALPHA-LEVEL METAHUMAN WONDER WITH HYPER POWER LEVELS AND EXTREME COMBAT TRAINING, SO NOT ONLY COULD YOU TAKE ME IN A FIGHT, BUT I'M PRETTY SURE YOU COULD GUT ME, BONE ME, BASTE ME AND SERVE ME FOR THANKSGIVING.



BUT I'M GOING WITH "NOPE".

NHHH...

I SENSE A HESITATION.

I'M
HAWKGIRL,
EXPLORER,
PIONEER,
LONER.

I DON'T
SCARE EASILY,
AND WHEN I
DO SCARE, I
DON'T CARE
TO SHOW IT.

NOT REALLY,
FURY, BUT YOU'RE AN
INTIMIDATING WOMAN,
AND THIS PLACE
IS A LOT TO
TAKE IN.

AND I'M NOT
SURE WHAT YOUR
INTENTIONS ARE
TOWARDS THE
WORLD...

...OR
ME.

CANDID,
THANK YOU,
KENDRA.

ACTUALLY, I
WAS SPEAKING
TO NADIYA.

A HESITATION, NADIYA,
IN YOUR THROAT AND SPINAL
KILLSTROKES.

AS IF YOU
ARE HOLDING
BACK.

EXCUSE
MY FAILING,
MAJESTY.

THE
BORROWING IS STILL FRESH
AND I AM NOT
USED TO MY
STRENGTH. I FEAR I MIGHT
HARM YOU.

CONTINUE TO SPAR WITH PHAED
AND LIOPE. PHAED SEEMS TO BE
MASTERING THE RIPOSTE WE
WERE STUDYING.

THANK YOU,
MAJESTY.



I LIKE TO
KEEP FIT.

THERE'S
ALWAYS SPIN
CLASSES.

IT IS ALSO
NECESSARY
TO MAINTAIN
MARTIAL
SKILLS.



THIS IS A
TRAINING BOUT,
SISTER.

BESIDES,
YOU CANNOT
HARM ME.

YOU
EXPECTING
A WAR?

THE POTENTIALITY
OF WAR NEVER
GOES AWAY. A LESSON
TAUGHT TO US BY THE
LOSS OF OLD
EARTH.

SO YOU'RE
NOT PLANNING
TO START
ONE?



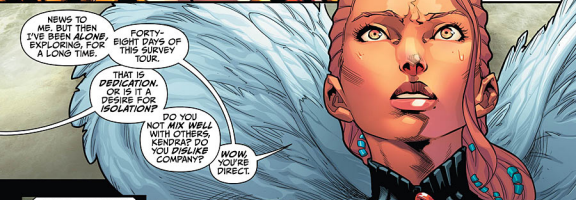


NO. BUT I WANT TO BE ABLE TO END ONE IF IT ARISES.

AMAZONIA IS MONITORING COMMUNICATION TRAFFIC BETWEEN THE OPEN CITIES.

JUST THIS MORNING, WE HEARD OF HOSTILITIES MOUNTING BETWEEN EREBUS AND ARK HOME.

THIS NEW EARTH MAY SOON HAVE ITS FIRST WAR.



NEWS TO ME. BUT THEN I'VE BEEN ALONE, EXPLORING, FOR A LONG TIME.

FORTY-EIGHT DAYS OF THIS SURVEY TOUR.

THAT IS DEDICATION. OR IS IT A DESIRE FOR ISOLATION?

DO YOU NOT MIX WELL WITH OTHERS, KENDRA? DO YOU DISLIKE COMPANY?

WOW, YOU'RE DIRECT.



YEAH, I LIKE BEING ALONE. IT SUITS ME.

BECAUSE OF SOME PAST SOCIAL TRAUMA?

MAINLY GIANT WINGS. PEOPLE DO STARE.

AND I'M LIKE "MY FACE IS DOWN HERE..."



THE BANE OF BEING A WONDER. I AM THE DAUGHTER OF STEPPENWOLF AND WONDER WOMAN. I GET THOSE STARES, TOO.

WALK WITH ME, KENDRA.



YOU ARE CLEARLY UNEASY. YOUR OFF-HAND REMARK REVEALED THAT.

ASK ME YOUR QUESTIONS.

AND YOU'LL ANSWER THEM?

I AM, AS YOU POINTED OUT, DIRECT. I HAVE NO FILTER.



OKAY. WHY IS YOUR CITY HIDDEN?