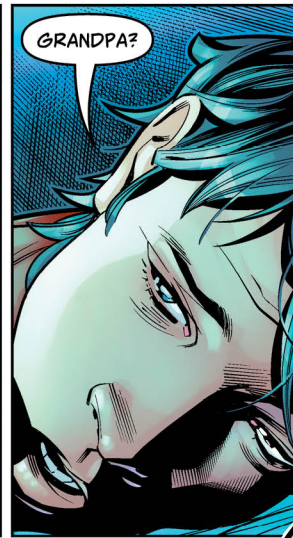
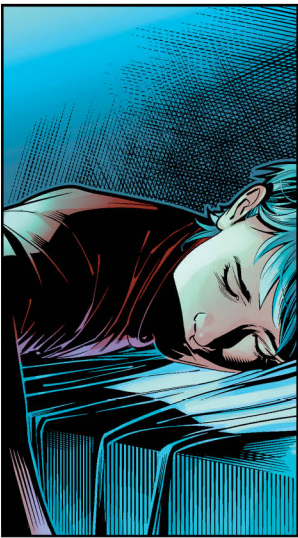
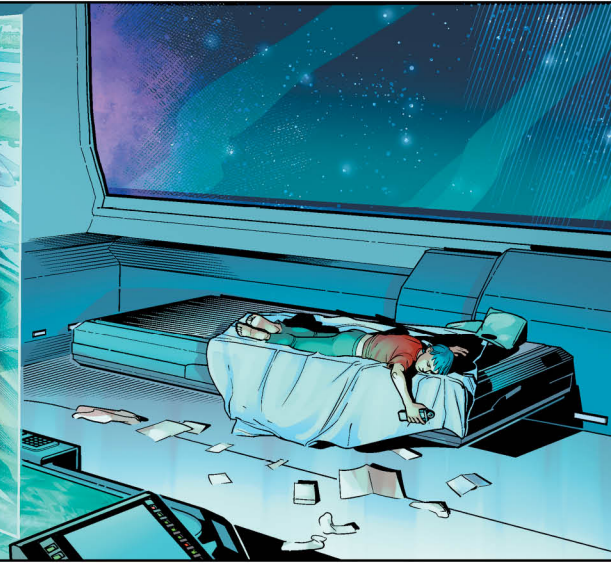
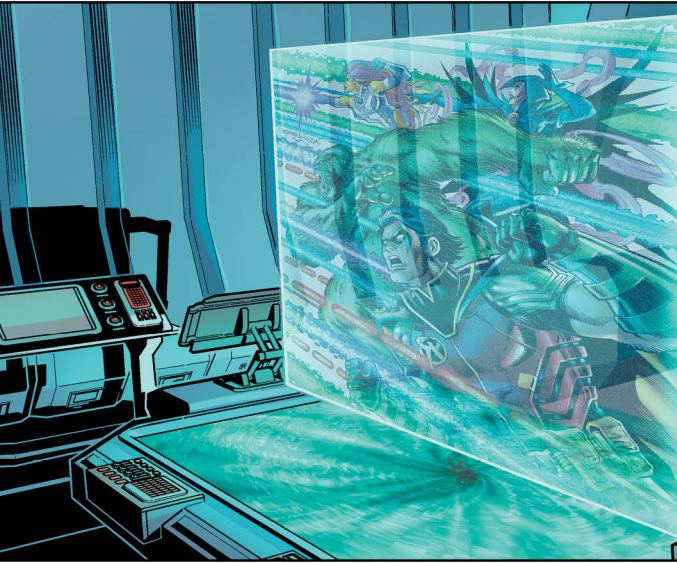
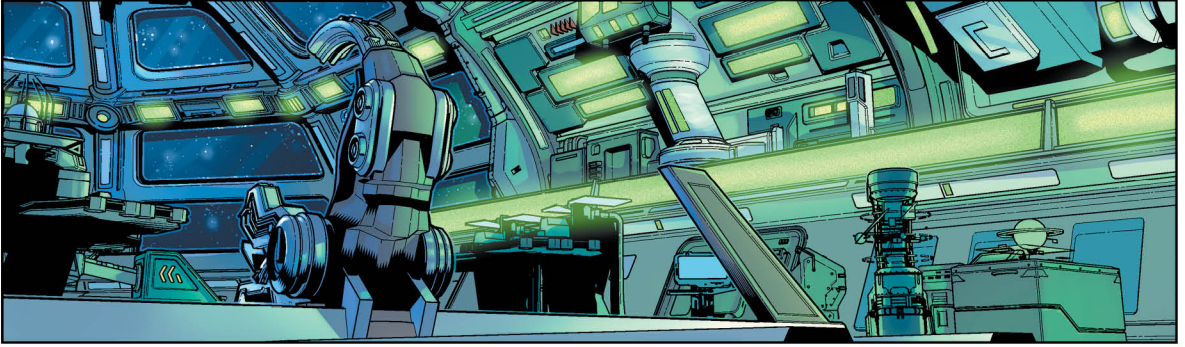
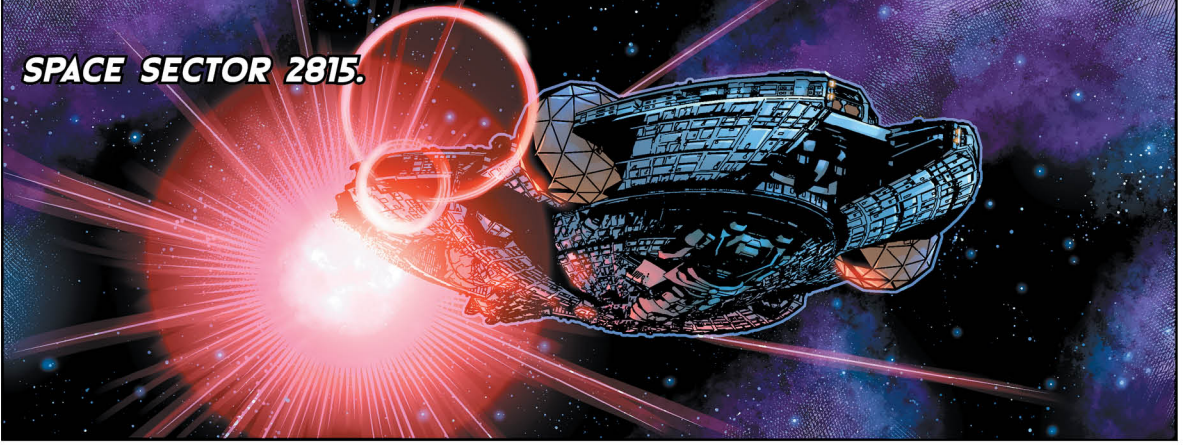


SPACE SECTOR 2815.



GRANDPA?

WHY DID YOU AGREE TO COME ON THIS TRIP WITH ME, JON?

UH, YOU OFFERED?

I KNOW I OFFERED.

I ASKED WHY YOU SAID YES.





YOU SAID
I NEEDED TO
COME OUT HERE
AND--AND SEE THINGS
FROM A DIFFERENT
PERSPECTIVE...

...I
AGREED.



THAT WAS
THE PART YOU
TOLD YOUR
PARENTS...

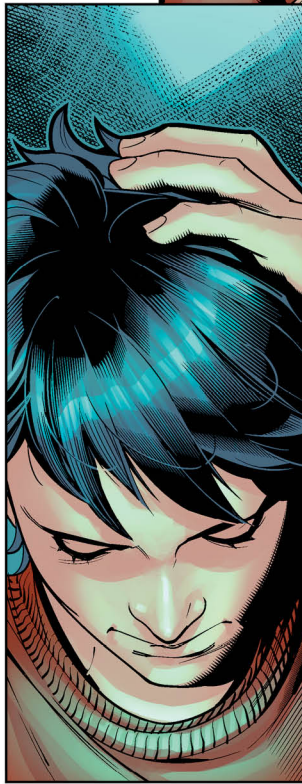
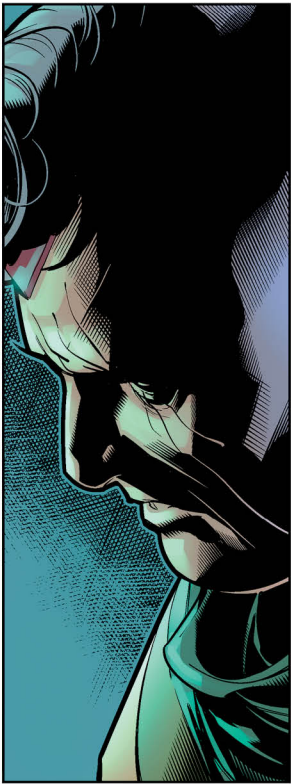
...WHAT
DROVE
YOU OUT
HERE?



FREE TRIP
INTO OUTER SPACE
WITH A GRANDPA I
DON'T KNOW?

SO FAR NO
CHORES.

NOT THE
WORST WAY
TO SPEND THE
SUMMER.



BECAUSE I DON'T GET
HOW ANY OF THIS
WORKS!

WHICH
PART?

ANY
OF IT.

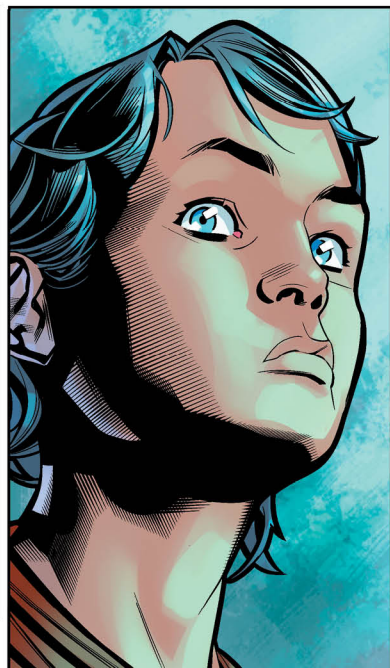
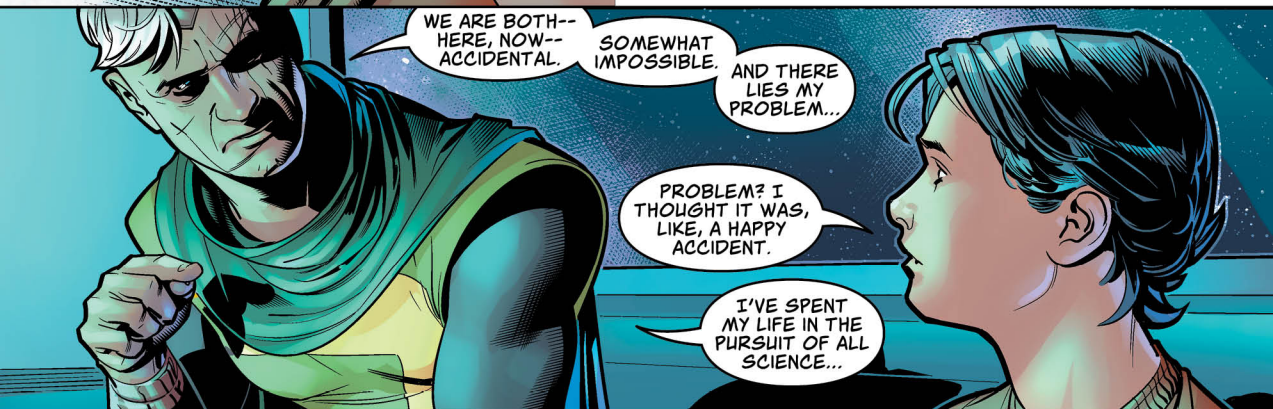
THE
WORLD.

THE
UNIVERSE.

MY
PLACE IN
IT?

NONE OF IT
MAKES ANY
SENSE!

AND MY
DAD...





IF ALL THE
UNIVERSE HAS
OFFERED IS
CHAOS...

...WHAT
DO YOU CALL
THOSE OF US WHO
HAVE DEDICATED
OUR LIVES TO
CATALOGING
IT...

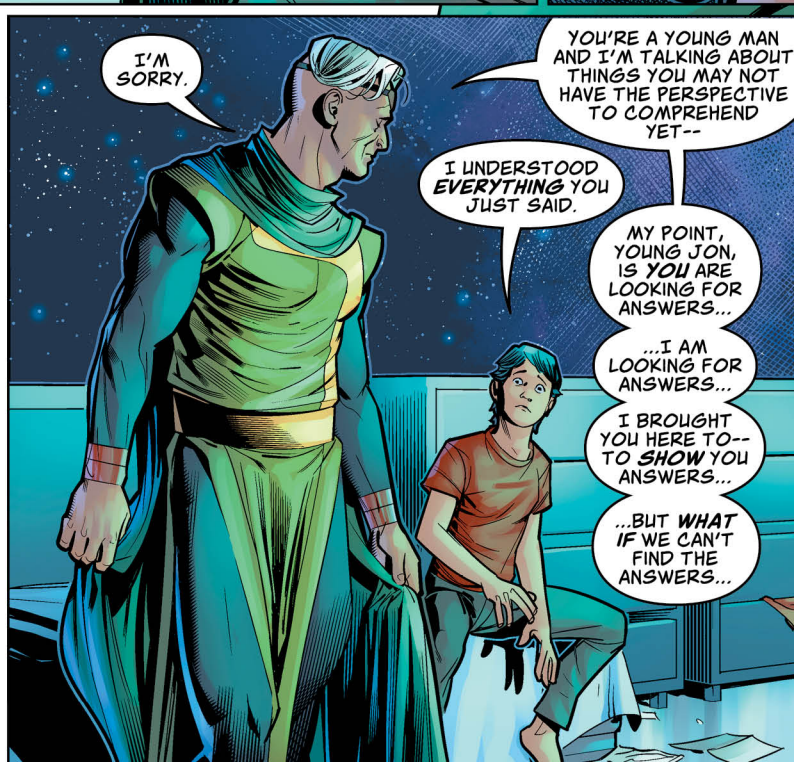
...ORGANIZING
IT...

...TRYING
TO MAKE SENSE
OF IT--



I HAVE TO
WONDER...

...DOES
ANY OF THIS
EVEN--?



I'M
SORRY.

YOU'RE A YOUNG MAN
AND I'M TALKING ABOUT
THINGS YOU MAY NOT
HAVE THE PERSPECTIVE
TO COMPREHEND
YET--

I UNDERSTOOD
EVERYTHING YOU
JUST SAID.

MY POINT,
YOUNG JON,
IS YOU ARE
LOOKING FOR
ANSWERS...

...I AM
LOOKING FOR
ANSWERS...

I BROUGHT
YOU HERE TO--
TO SHOW YOU
ANSWERS...

...BUT WHAT
IF WE CAN'T
FIND THE
ANSWERS...



...BECAUSE
THERE ARE NO
ANSWERS?

WHAT IF
THERE IS
NO HAND THAT
GUIDES
ME...?

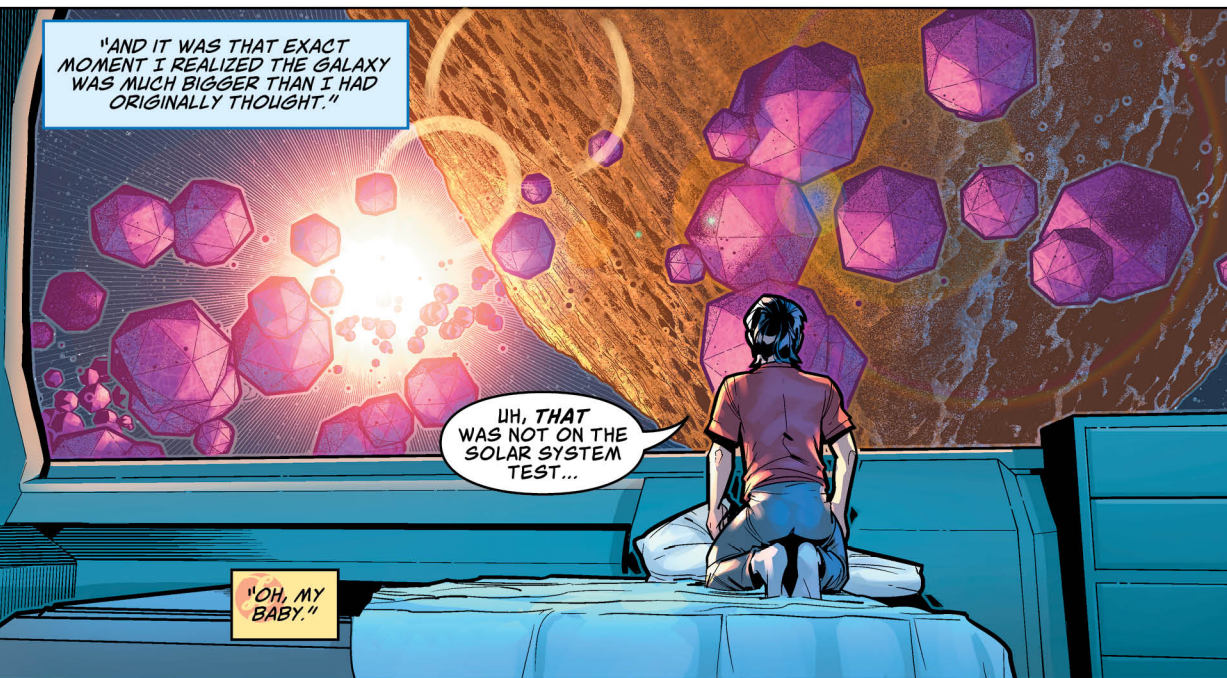


THE HELL
KINDA THING
IS THAT TO SAY
TO AN ELEVEN-
YEAR-OLD?

"THAT WAS THE EXACT
MOMENT I DECIDED TO LEAVE
GRANDPA'S SHIP AND FIND MY
WAY BACK HOME TO EARTH."



"BECAUSE, LIKE THAT, IT WENT
FROM 'COOL VACATION WITH
GRANDPA' TO 'UH-OH, I'M STUCK
IN HERE WITH A CRAZY OLD MAN.'"



"AND IT WAS THAT EXACT
MOMENT I REALIZED THE GALAXY
WAS MUCH BIGGER THAN I HAD
ORIGINALLY THOUGHT."

UH, THAT
WAS NOT ON THE
SOLAR SYSTEM
TEST...

"OH, MY
BABY."



THE
GALAXY IS
SO BIG
MOM.

LIKE,
REALLY
LORTGIN,
BIG.