

*They used to be Avengers. They weren't very good at it and a bunch of them died. But maybe the world is finally ready for...*

# The Great Lakes Avengers

Okay, listen!!! A lot of stuff happened to the Great Lakes Avengers after Connie Ferrari, lawyer at law, revealed that they owned the Avengers trademark and could work as a team again, but the only thing you REALLY need to know is that a whackjob named Dr. Nod totally yonked Bertha's size-changing powers for his Good Bod diet supplements...then ate a whole bunch of them and turned into a giant monster. And since the only way to beat a giant monster is with another giant monster...well...

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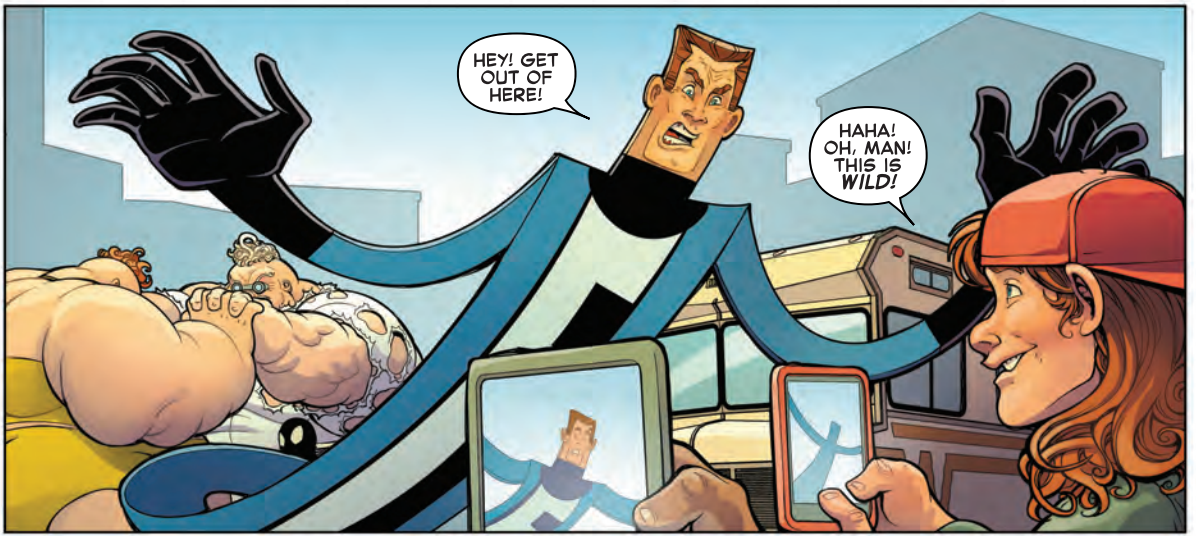
YOU, UH, NOTICE ANYTHING DIFFERENT ABOUT BERTHA, FLATMAN?

MAYBE. I DON'T KNOW. NEW HAIRCUT?

COULD BE. COULD BE.

OR IT COULD BE THAT SHE'S SEVERAL FEET TALLER AND AN ADDITIONAL SEVERAL HUNDRED POUNDS?

I'M GOING TO STICK WITH THE HAIRCUT THING.





YOU KNOW WHAT I DON'T LIKE ABOUT YOU, DR. NOD?



EVERYTHING, BASICALLY.

YOU TAKE ME PRISONER. YOU STEAL MY DNA WITHOUT MY PERMISSION.

AND WORSE YET, YOU PLAN TO MARKET IT AS A DANGEROUS MIRACLE WEIGHT-LOSS CURE TO DESPERATE PEOPLE. PEOPLE WHO YOU SHAME AND LIE TO, ANYTHING TO MAKE A BUCK.

BUT WHAT REALLY GETS MY GOAT...



...IS THAT NOW I HAVE TO FIRE MY AGENT.

DO YOU KNOW HOW HARD IT IS TO FIND A COMPETENT MODELING AGENT IN THE MIDWEST?



SKREEEEEEEEEEE!

SPEAK OF THE DEVIL, JEN.



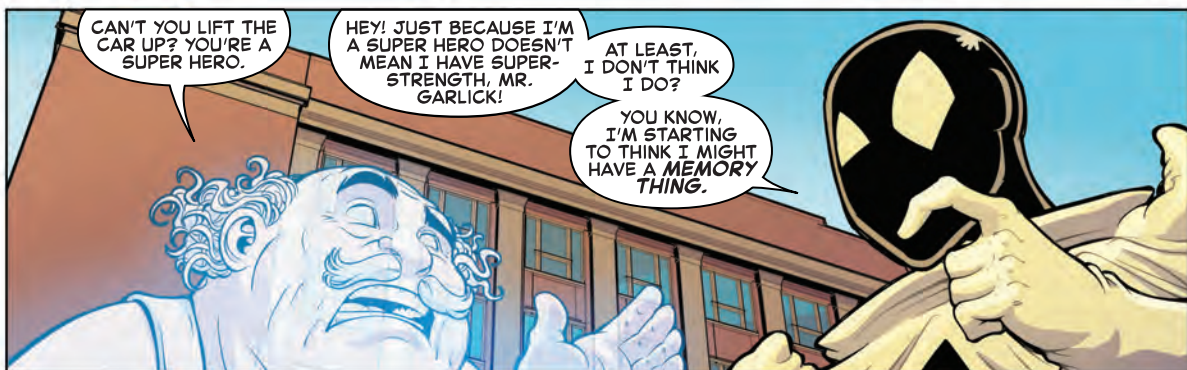
HOW DARE YOU FIRE ME?! YOU STILL HAVEN'T PAID MY COMMISSION!



YOO-HOO! FLATMAN! YOU ALIVE?

THE FIGHT'S HEATING UP, YOU MIGHT WANT TO GET OUT HERE!

I'M FINE, BUT I'M STUCK!



CAN'T YOU LIFT THE CAR UP? YOU'RE A SUPER HERO.

HEY! JUST BECAUSE I'M A SUPER HERO DOESN'T MEAN I HAVE SUPER-STRENGTH, MR. GARLICK!

AT LEAST, I DON'T THINK I DO?

YOU KNOW, I'M STARTING TO THINK I MIGHT HAVE A MEMORY THING.