



STEPHEN STRANGE was a preeminent surgeon until a car accident damaged the nerves in his hands. His ego drove him to scour the globe for a miracle cure, but instead he found a mysterious wizard called the ANCIENT ONE who taught him magic and that there are things in this world bigger than himself. These lessons led Stephen to become the Sorcerer Supreme, Earth's first defense against all manner of magical threats. His patients call him...

DOCTOR STRANGE

Doctor Strange's friend and assistant WONG has been assimilated by MR. MISERY (a monster made up of Doctor Strange's own misery, pain, and suffering) and the Sorcerer Supreme must separate the two before it's too late.

Now, with the help of librarian Zelma Stanton, Doctor Strange must perform an exorcism to extract Mr. Misery from Wong, or risk losing his best friend forever...

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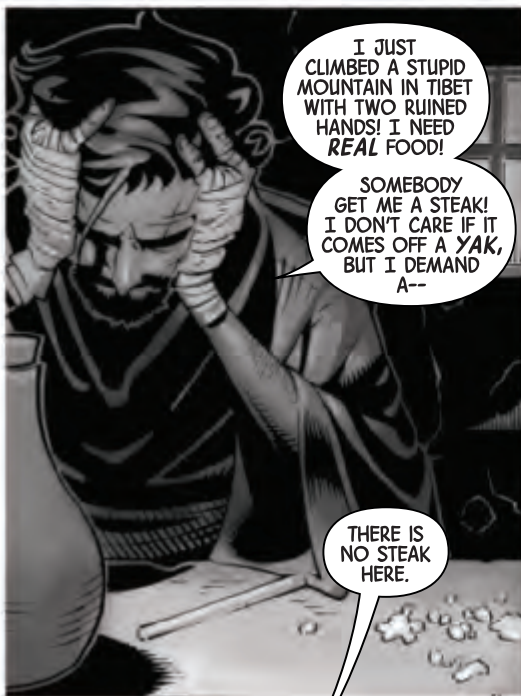
YEARS AGO.

WHAT
THE HELL IS
THIS?



GAGGH,
I CAN'T EAT
THIS CRAP!

SMELLS LIKE
HOT GARBAGE!
BOILED IN OTHER,
HOTTER
GARBAGE!



I JUST
CLIMBED A STUPID
MOUNTAIN IN TIBET
WITH TWO RUINED
HANDS! I NEED
REAL FOOD!

SOMEBODY
GET ME A STEAK!
I DON'T CARE IF IT
COMES OFF A **YAK**,
BUT I DEMAND
A--

THERE IS
NO STEAK
HERE.



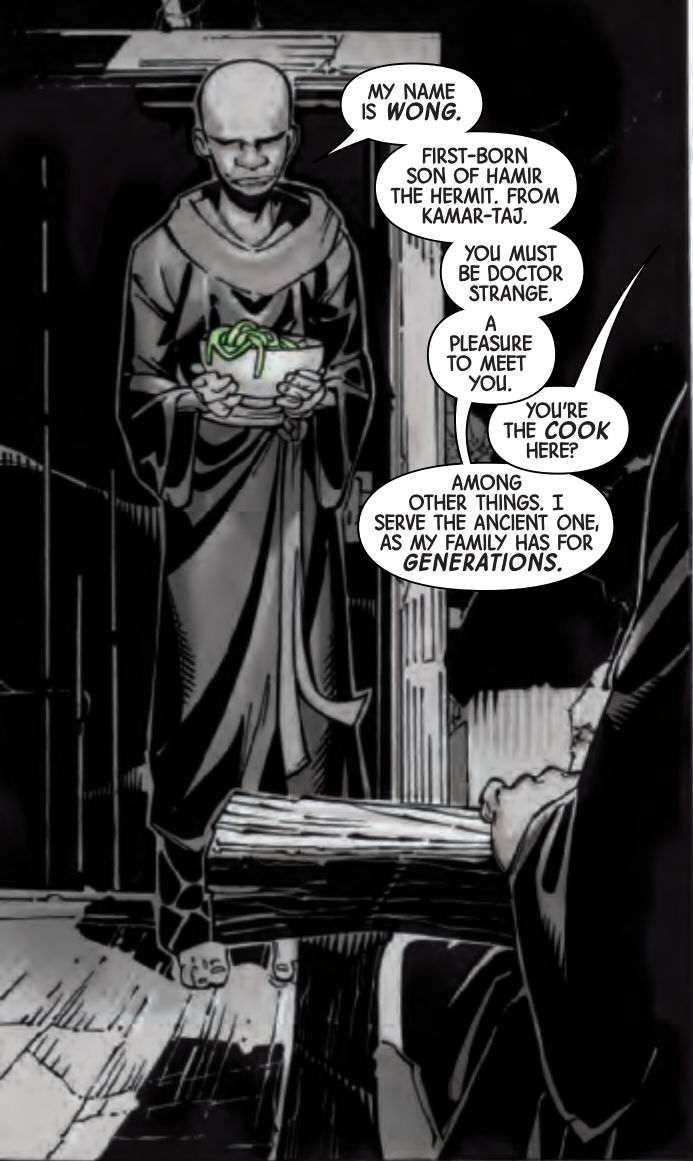
NO
RED MEAT AT
ALL.
THERE
ARE ALSO NO
DEMANDS.

WHAT? WHO
THE CRAP ARE
YOU?



I AM
THE ONE
WHO MADE
THIS... "HOT
GARBAGE," AS
YOU CALL
IT.

I AM A
DISCIPLE OF THE
ANCIENT ONE,
JUST AS YOU
WISH TO BE.



MY NAME IS **WONG**.

FIRST-BORN SON OF HAMIR THE HERMIT. FROM KAMAR-TAJ.

YOU MUST BE DOCTOR STRANGE.

A PLEASURE TO MEET YOU.

YOU'RE THE **COOK** HERE?

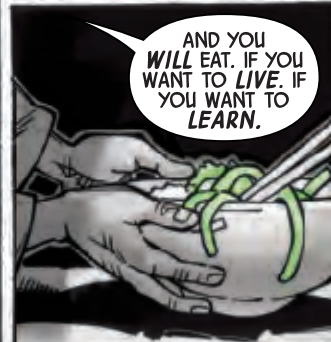
AMONG OTHER THINGS. I SERVE THE ANCIENT ONE, AS MY FAMILY HAS FOR GENERATIONS.



IF YOU REALLY WANNA HELP HIM, YOU SHOULD TAKE TWO WEEKS OFF, THEN QUIT. YOU'RE A TERRIBLE COOK.



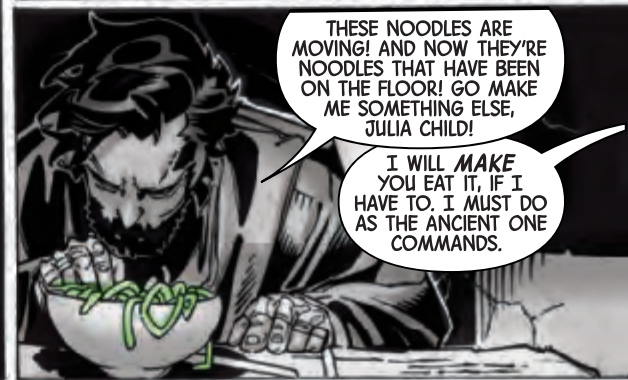
BE THAT AS IT MAY, I AM STILL THE ONLY COOK ON THIS MOUNTAIN.



AND YOU **WILL** EAT. IF YOU WANT TO **LIVE**. IF YOU WANT TO **LEARN**.



WHAT, YOU THINK I'M GONNA EAT THAT **NOW**, AFTER IT'S BEEN ON THE FLOOR?

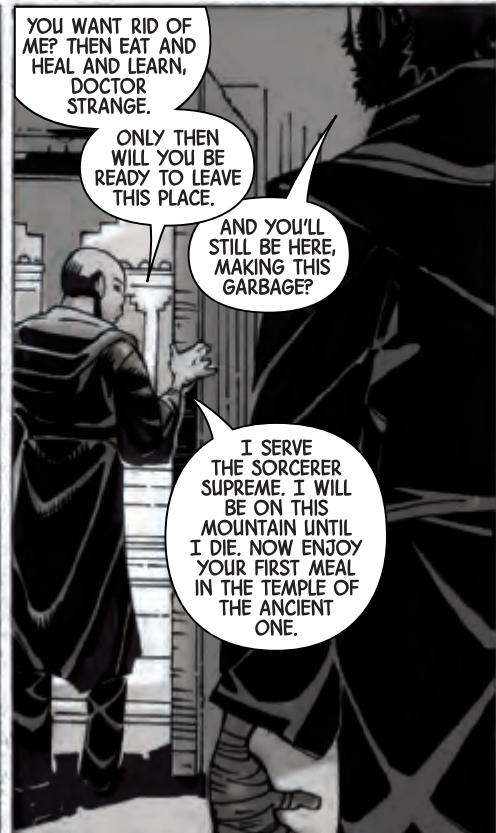


THESE NOODLES ARE MOVING! AND NOW THEY'RE NOODLES THAT HAVE BEEN ON THE FLOOR! GO MAKE ME SOMETHING ELSE, JULIA CHILD!

I **WILL MAKE** YOU EAT IT, IF I HAVE TO. I MUST DO AS THE ANCIENT ONE COMMANDS.



ARE YOU **THREATENING** ME? WHAT, DO YOU KNOW KUNG FU OR SOMETHING? YOU NEED TO GET THE CRAPPING HELL AWAY FROM ME, IS WHAT YOU NEED TO DO, GRASS-HOPPER.



YOU WANT RID OF ME? THEN EAT AND HEAL AND LEARN, DOCTOR STRANGE.

ONLY THEN WILL YOU BE READY TO LEAVE THIS PLACE.

AND YOU'LL STILL BE HERE, MAKING THIS GARBAGE?

I SERVE THE SORCERER SUPREME. I WILL BE ON THIS MOUNTAIN UNTIL I DIE. NOW ENJOY YOUR FIRST MEAL IN THE TEMPLE OF THE ANCIENT ONE.



IF YOU'RE GOING TO BE A SORCERER, THE FIRST THING WE'RE GOING TO HAVE TO DO...

OH GOD, IT TASTES LIKE SNAIL VOMIT. I'M GONNA--

BLAUURRGGGH!

...IS
TOUGHEN YOUR
STOMACH.

DID HE
TOUGHEN YOUR
STOMACH?

ALL THOSE
YEARS, ALL THOSE
HORRIBLE MEALS.
ARE YOU SURE THEY
WORKED?

ARE YOU
SURE YOU'VE
GOT THE *GUTS*
FOR THIS?

GET
OUT OF
WONG.

NOW.

NOW.

DID HE *DO*
IT, DOCTOR?
LIKE HE SAID
HE WOULD?

OR I
WILL *DRAG*
YOU OUT OF
HIM.

AND NOT
GENTLY.





YOU CAN'T WIN THIS. WE BOTH KNOW IT.

I'VE DONE MORE EXORCISMS THAN YOU'VE GOT EYEBALLS, MISERY. AND THEY ALWAYS END THE SAME WAY.

IT'S AN EXORCISM FOR YOU, DOCTOR. FOR ME IT'S A VERY DIFFERENT SORT OF PROCEDURE.



AN AUTOPSY.
POOR LITTLE WONG... WOULD YOU LIKE TO KNOW HOW YOUR FRIEND DIED?



BY THE LIGHT OF THE VISHANTI, I COMMAND YOU--

I'M NOT SOME DEMON OF THE NETHERWORLD.

YOUR SPELLS DON'T WORK ON ME.

YOU'RE LYING! I KNOW HE'S NOT DEAD!

AH YES, YOU KNOW EVERYTHING ABOUT YOUR DEAR FRIEND WONG, DON'T YOU? TELL ME...



WHAT IS WONG'S FAVORITE FOOD?



HE'S EATEN IT EVERY MORNING FOR BREAKFAST SINCE HE WAS FIVE.



WHAT IS IT?

