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“If I wished to shake this tree with my hands, I would not be able to do so. But the wind, which we see not, can twist it and bend it as it pleases. We are most bent and tormented by

INVISIBLE HANDS.”

Friedrich Nietzsche: Thus Spoke Zarathustra,
The Tree on the Hill

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"DAVID WASP IS NOT THE PERSON HE'S PRETENDING TO BE."



"HE IS, TECHNICALLY SPEAKING, NOT EVEN DAVID WASP ANYMORE."

"IT ALL GOES BACK TO THE FIRST TIME WE USED HIM AS A TEST SUBJECT."



"I THINK THAT'S ENOUGH EXCITEMENT FOR ONE DAY."
"HOW ARE YOU FEELING?"



"A SEGMENT OF HIS SUBCONSCIOUS BECAME SELF-AWARE AND TOOK CONTROL OF HIS BODY..."

"I FEEL GREAT."



"...BASICALLY, HE WAS HI-JACKED FROM WITHIN."



WE'VE BEEN OVER THIS BEFORE, DR. ROSENBERG. IT'S NOT THAT I DON'T BELIEVE YOU.

YOU WERE HIS LAB ASSISTANT FOR NEARLY TWO YEARS.



IT'S FITTING THAT YOU WOULD BE THE ONE TO RECOGNIZE THESE CHANGES.

IF THAT'S TRUE, THEN WHY DID YOU LET HIM RETRIEVE THE EQUIPMENT?



IT WAS OUT OF OUR HANDS. OUR THIRD PARTY FINANCIERS TOOK AN INTEREST IN THIS PARTICULAR PROJECT.



I THOUGHT WE WORKED FOR BARTOK. I DIDN'T EVEN KNOW WE HAD OUTSIDE INVESTORS.

YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE TO KNOW. WE'VE NEVER HAD A SILENT PARTNER INTERFERE BEFORE...



UNFORTUNATELY, IN THIS CASE, THEY WERE ADAMANT THAT WE LET MR. WASP CONTINUE HIS WORK.

IT SEEMS LIKE WE STEPPED ON SOME VERY IMPORTANT TOES.



HE'S NOT THE PERSON THEY THINK HE IS!

IF WE DON'T STOP HIM NOW WE MIGHT NEVER GET HIM BACK...

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WE TRIED IT YOUR WAY. MY MEN ATTEMPTED TO DELIVER AN EMERGENCY SHOT OF ATOM-RELAXANT...



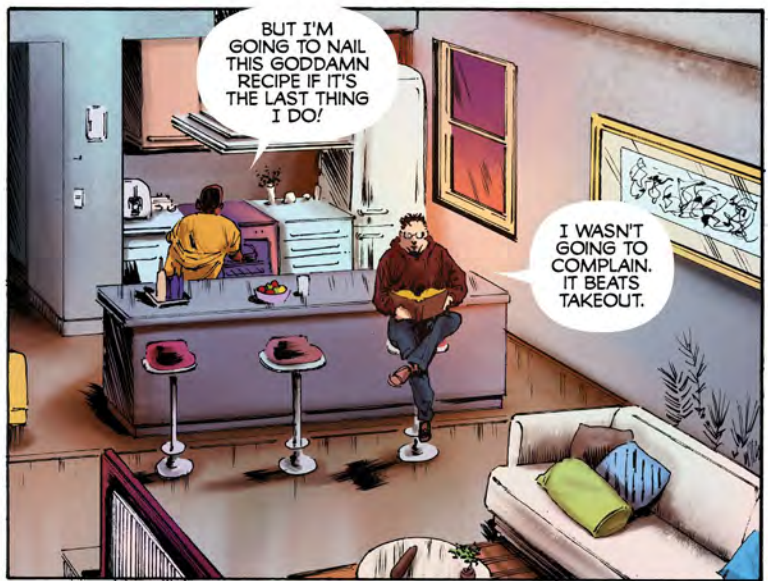
...AND I'M SURE YOU REMEMBER WHAT A DISASTER **THAT** TURNED OUT TO BE.



I THINK IT'S BETTER IF WE JUST LET THIS ONE GO.



SAME DISH
THREE FRIDAYS
IN A ROW. YOU
PROBABLY THINK
I'M CRAZY.



BUT I'M
GOING TO NAIL
THIS GODDAMN
RECIPE IF IT'S
THE LAST THING
I DO!

I WASN'T
GOING TO
COMPLAIN.
IT BEATS
TAKEOUT.



THAT'S THE
SPIRIT.

IT'S DONE,
JUST NEEDS
TO COOL
OFF.

HERE. I
FOUND
IT.



THIS PAGE
CAUGHT MY EYE
THIS MORNING. I
DIDN'T WANT TO
BRING IT UP IN
FRONT OF DAVID,
BUT...



TELL ME IF YOU
SEE SOMETHING
ODD.

I'M IN WAY
OVER MY HEAD.
I'M NOT SURE
WHAT ANY OF
THIS MEANS.

