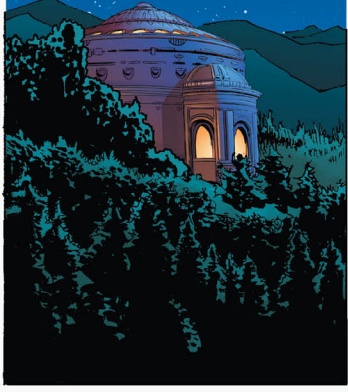


**PROLOGUE.
THE PAST.**



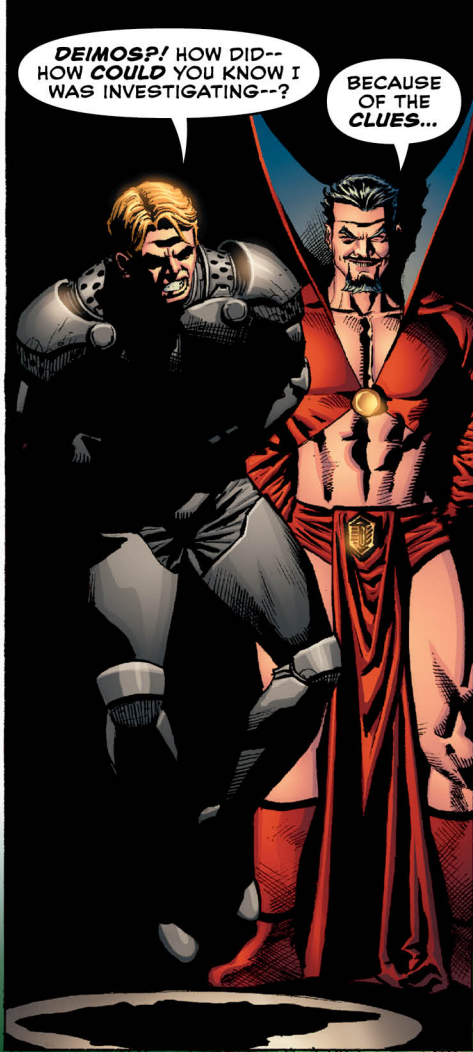
**THE JUNGLES
OF PAPUA
NEW GUINEA**



I'M
DISAPPOINTED, **STEVE
TREVOR...**

...I WAS
EXPECTING YOU
SOONER.





DEIMOSP! HOW DID-- HOW COULD YOU KNOW I WAS INVESTIGATING--?

BECAUSE OF THE CLUES...

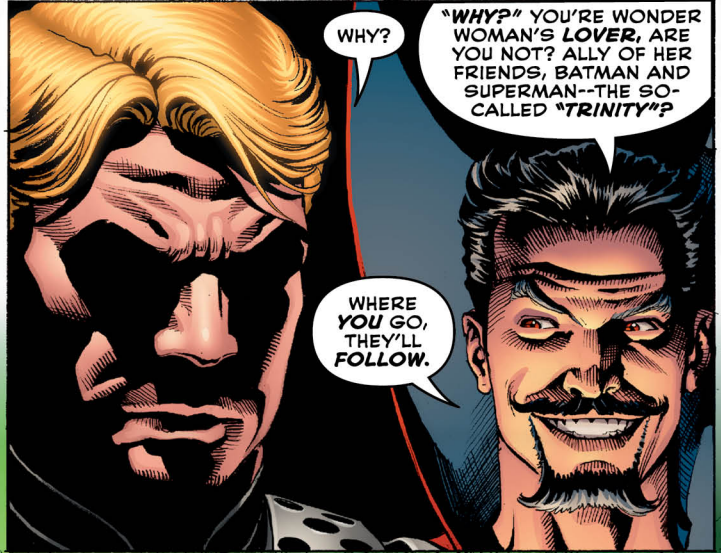


...THAT I MADE SURE REACHED YOU, AND YOU ALONE...

...ABOUT THIS FACILITY AND WHAT IT MIGHT HOLD.

DID YOU THINK YOURSELF SOME GREAT DETECTIVE?

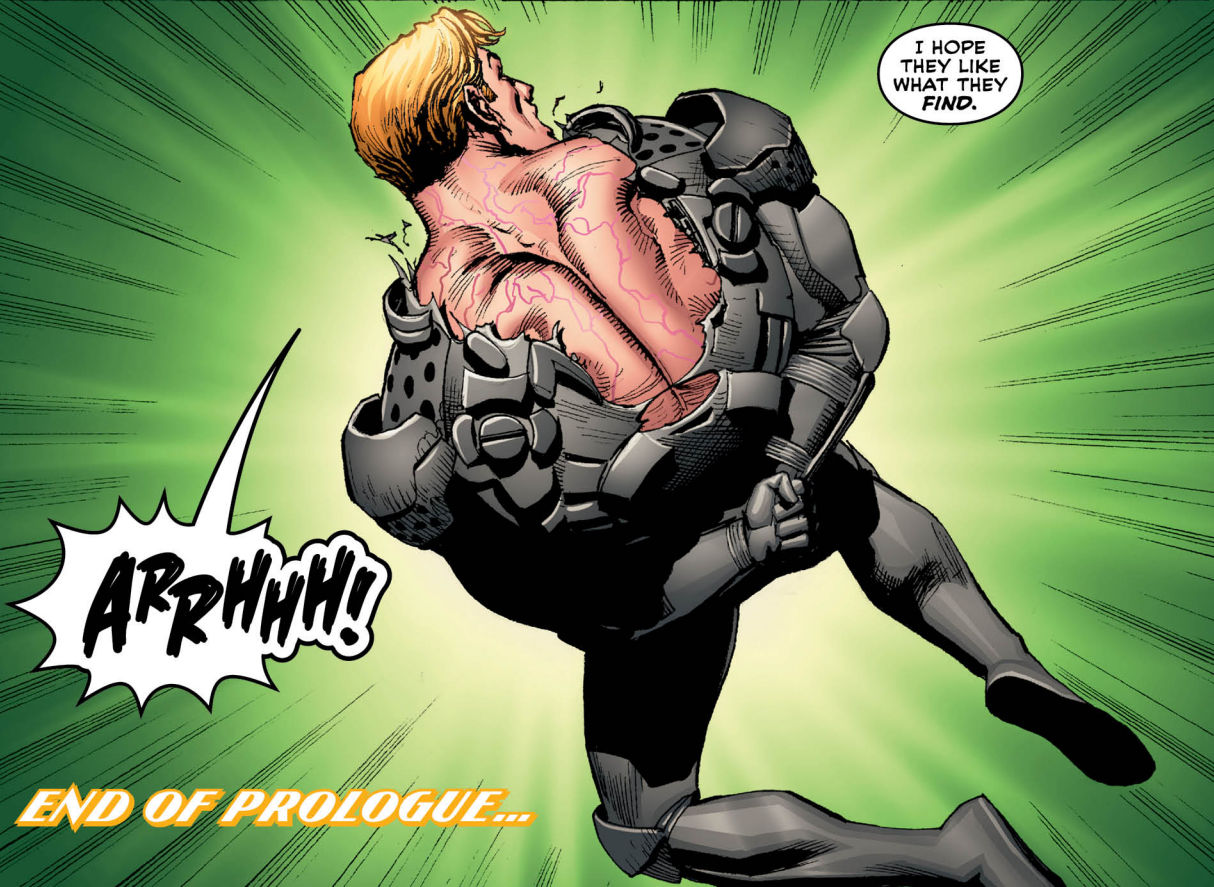
NO, YOU FOLLOWED THE TRAIL OF CRUMBS I LEFT FOR YOU.



WHY?

"WHY?" YOU'RE WONDER WOMAN'S LOVER, ARE YOU NOT? ALLY OF HER FRIENDS, BATMAN AND SUPERMAN--THE SO-CALLED "TRINITY"?

WHERE YOU GO, THEY'LL FOLLOW.



I HOPE THEY LIKE WHAT THEY FIND.

ARRHHH!

END OF PROLOGUE...

THANK YOU, CLARK.

HELPING. HELPING ME FIND STEVE.

...STEVE TREVOR'S A FRIEND.

THANKS? FOR WHAT?

WELL, APART FROM THE FACT THAT HE'S BEEN KIDNAPPED, DIANA, WHICH IS ENOUGH REASON IN ITSELF...

QUIET, BOTH OF YOU. FOCUS...

...ARE YOU IN PLACE?

I'M WHERE YOU SAID I NEEDED TO BE...

...IF THAT'S WHAT YOU'RE ASKING, BRUCE.

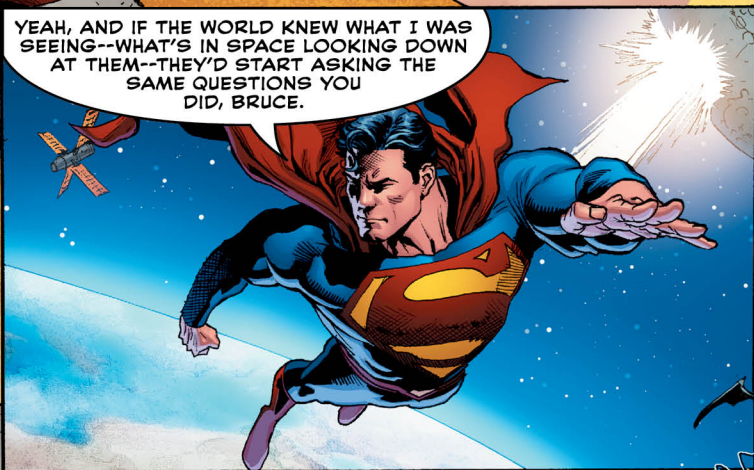
ME, TOO.
HELL OF A VIEW.

THE BUILDING HERE IS QUITE A SIGHT AS WELL. A MIXTURE OF OLD AND NEW.

IT SEEMS TOO SPECIAL TO HIDE IN SUCH A REMOTE PART OF THE SAHARA, BUT YOU DID SAY THESE PEOPLE OPERATED OFF THE GRID.



YEAH, AND IF THE WORLD KNEW WHAT I WAS SEEING--WHAT'S IN SPACE LOOKING DOWN AT THEM--THEY'D START ASKING THE SAME QUESTIONS YOU DID, BRUCE.



I'VE BARELY SCRATCHED THE SURFACE, HONESTLY--THIS COMPANY, **BLUE STRIKE SECURITY**--



--THEY'VE DONE A BRILLIANT JOB OF STAYING OFF EVERYONE'S RADAR...



...EVEN HERE
IN DALLAS AT
THE ONE LOCATION
THAT'S A MATTER
OF PUBLIC
RECORD.

I DOUBT
ANYONE LOOKING
ON WOULD GUESS
WHAT THEY'RE
INVOLVED IN.

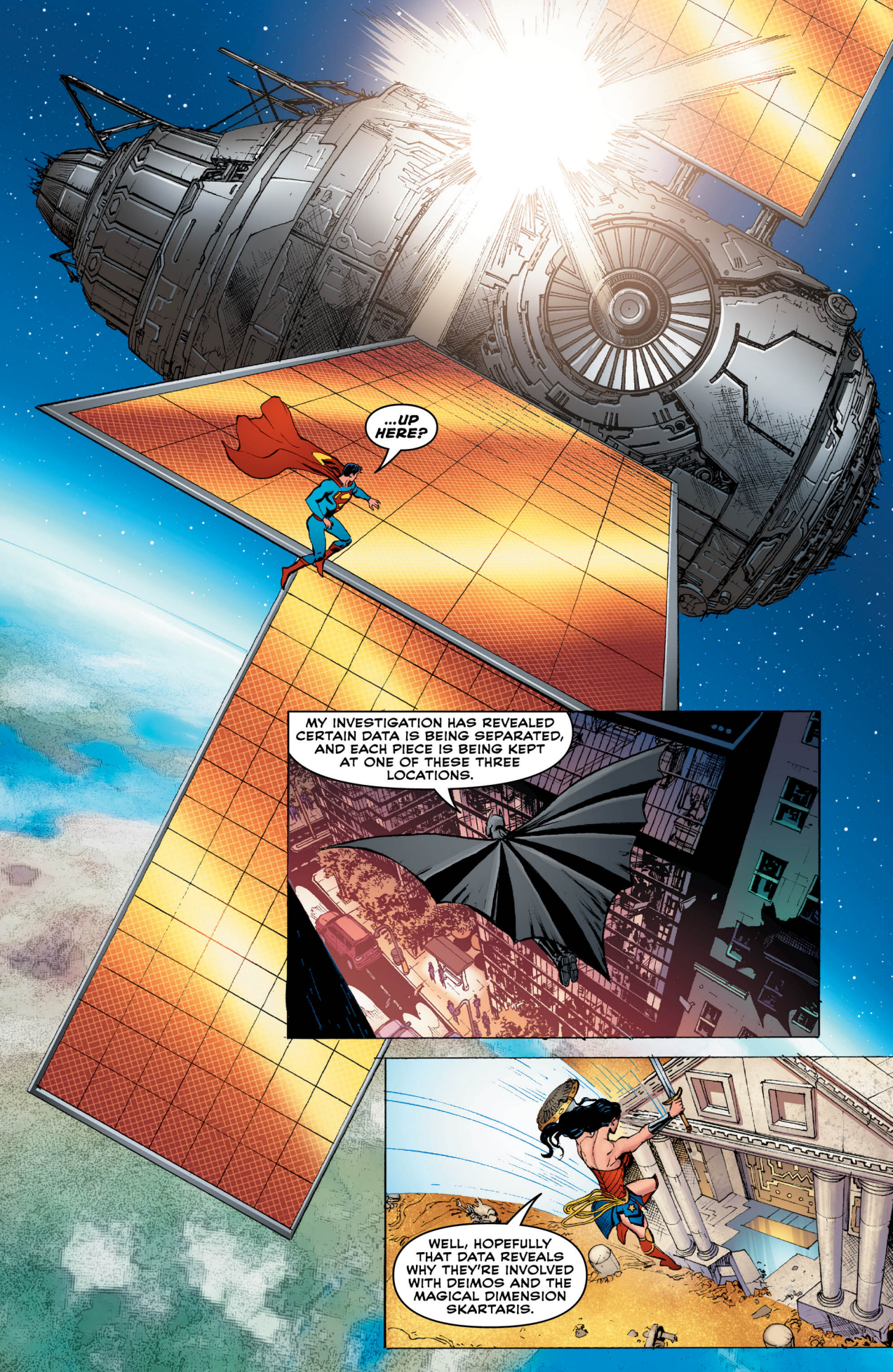


SO WHAT'S
THE *PLAN*,
BRUCE?

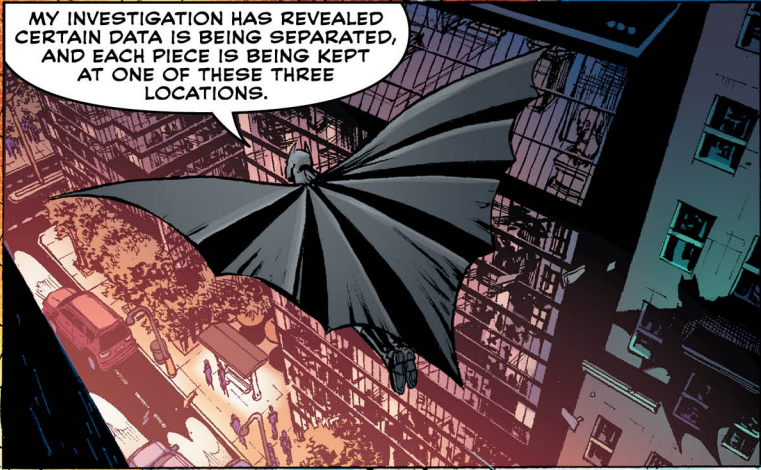
I'VE NEVER
KNOWN YOU
TO NOT HAVE
ONE.



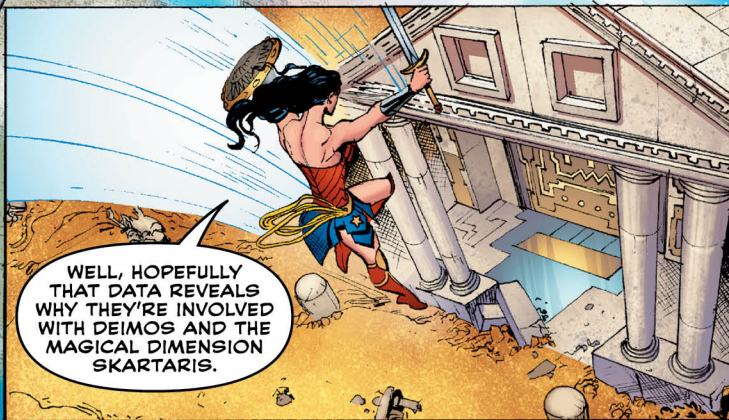
YES,
WHY DALLAS,
THE DESERT
OR...



...UP
HERE?



MY INVESTIGATION HAS REVEALED
CERTAIN DATA IS BEING SEPARATED,
AND EACH PIECE IS BEING KEPT
AT ONE OF THESE THREE
LOCATIONS.



WELL, HOPEFULLY
THAT DATA REVEALS
WHY THEY'RE INVOLVED
WITH DEIMOS AND THE
MAGICAL DIMENSION
SKARTARIS.