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COSMIC GHOST RIDER



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FRANK CASTLE WAS A DECORATED MARINE AND AN UPSTANDING CITIZEN WHEN HIS FAMILY WAS KILLED IN A MOB HIT. FROM THAT DAY, HE WAS A FORCE OF RETRIBUTION...IN LIFE AND IN HIS ROLES AFTER DEATH — AS GHOST RIDER, AS HERALD OF GALACTUS, AND AS THANOS' RIGHT-HAND MAN.

THEN FRANK DIED FOR REAL — BUT WAS UNABLE TO REST KNOWING THERE WAS JUSTICE LEFT TO SERVE AGAINST THE WORST OF THE WORST: THANOS HIMSELF.

TRAVELING BACK IN TIME, FRANK PLANNED TO KILL THANOS IN HIS CRIB. BUT FRANK COULDN'T DO IT, DECIDING INSTEAD TO TAKE THANOS ON THE LAM TO TRY TO RAISE HIM RIGHT. OF COURSE, THERE ARE PLENTY OF FOLKS WHO AREN'T TOO HAPPY WITH THAT PLAN...

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A full-page illustration of Uatu the Watcher, a bald, blue-skinned being with large, white, almond-shaped eyes. He wears a blue and black robe with a gold circular emblem on his chest and a flowing blue cape. He stands in a cosmic space filled with stars, galaxies, and planets. Several speech bubbles are scattered around him, containing his dialogue.

I
AM UATU THE
WATCHER!

SWORN TO
NEVER INTERFERE, IT
IS MY DUTY TO OBSERVE
AND CHRONICLE EVENTS
OF GREAT COSMIC
IMPORTANCE!

BEHOLD,
AS I HAVE BEEN
TASKED WITH OBSERVING
A TIME-DISPLACED FRANK
CASTLE WHO HAS INEXPLICABLY
BEEN INFUSED WITH THE
COSMIC POWERS BEFITTING
A HERALD OF
GALACTUS!

AS WELL
AS THE DEMONIC
FUEL THAT DRIVES ALL
THOSE KNOWN AS
GHOST RIDERS!

AND, AS IF THAT
WEREN'T ENOUGH, THIS
BRAZEN LOON HAS NOW
TRAVELED BACK IN TIME
AND HAS TAKEN THE INFANT
THANOS UNDER HIS BONY
WING IN AN ATTEMPT TO
CHANGE THE COURSE
OF HISTORY.

IT IS,
OF COURSE, A
LITERAL FOOL'S
ERRAND.

BUT EVEN
ONE SUCH
AS I MUST
ADMIT...

"...IT IS QUITE A LOT OF FUN TO WATCH."

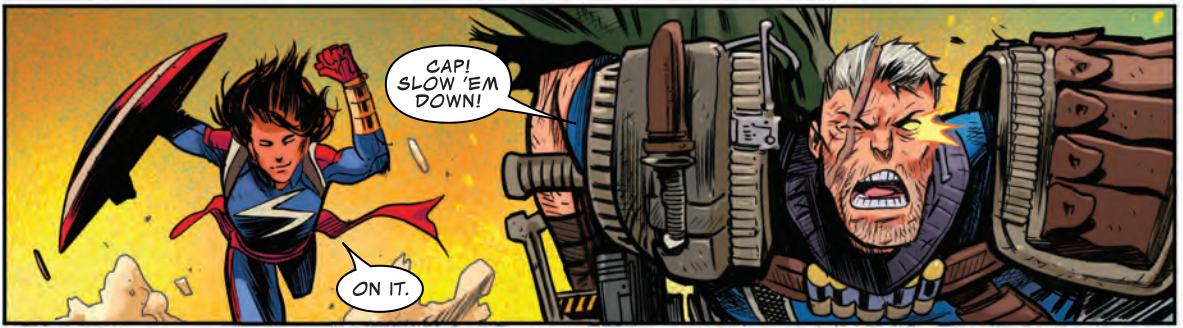


WHY DO YOU RUN? CAN YOU NOT KILL THESE PEOPLE?



NO!
I MEAN... YES, I COULD KILL ALL OF THEM JUST...SO, SO EASILY.

I HAVE COSMIC HELLFIRE POWERS. IT WOULDN'T EVEN BE CLOSE.



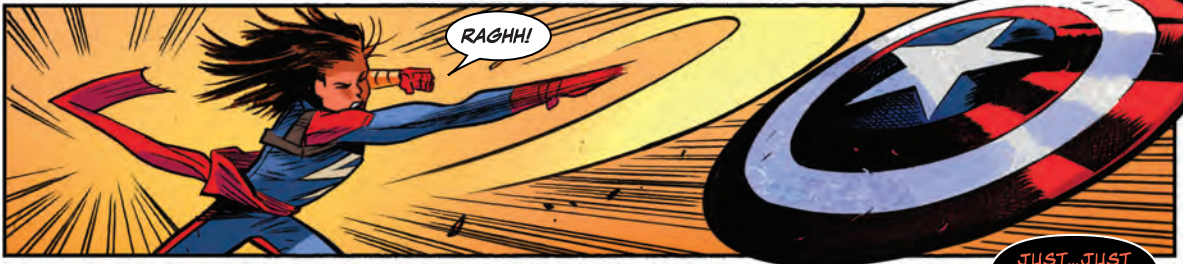
CAP!
SLOW 'EM
DOWN!

ON IT.



THEN WHY
RUN?

BECAUSE,
DAMMIT! I'M TRYING
REAL HARD TO NOT DO
VIOLENCE STUFF IN
FRONT OF YOU!



RAGHH!



JUST...JUST
LET ME THINK!
GOTTA BE A
WAY TO--

AGH!



CRASH!



NO ONE
TAKE ANOTHER
STEP! YOU THINK
I'M AFRAID OF
SOME...

...
WHO
ARE YOU GUYS
AGAIN?

WE TOLD
YOU WHO WE ARE,
FRANK...

JIGGERDUCK. A DUCK NAMED HOWARD IN POSSESSION OF THE GEM OF CYTORRAK. DUCKING UNSTOPPABLE.

WE'RE THE
**GUARDIANS
OF THE GALAXY.**

JUBILEE.
'NUFF SAID.

CAPTAIN MARVEL.
KAMALA KHAN. BUT IN
THE FUTURE AND ALL
GROWN UP. NOW WITH
ADDED SHIELD!

IRON GROOT. ROCKET
PILOTING A MECH-SUIT
MADE OUT OF HIS
TREE BUDDY. SHUT UP,
YOU LIKE IT.

WE COME
FROM THE FUTURE.
A FUTURE YOU CREATED
WHEN YOU RAISED THAT
MONSTROSITY.

WE
CAME TO STOP
YOU.

OLDER MAN CABLE. TIME-
TRAVELING LEADER. TOO
OLD FOR THIS @#\$\$%.

NOW
GIVE US THE
BABY.

OH, OKAY.
COOL.

LISTEN,
I WOULD LOVE TO
GIVE YOU THIS BABY,
EXCEPT... I DON'T WANT
TO, AND I DON'T CARE
ABOUT YOUR DUMB
FUTURE.