

Book V, Part II

THE LAST FLIGHT OF THE HARBINGER

It is a time of renewed hope for the Rebel Alliance as heroic Rebel soldiers strive to undermine Imperial forces throughout the galaxy. The Galactic Empire continues to hold their domination and has doubled its efforts to eliminate and crush any who would stand against its rule.

The fighting is as fierce as ever, as the Rebellion is forced to contend with the ruthless might of the Empire and its elite stormtrooper squad led by the unrelenting Sargent Kreel.

Even in face of such overwhelming power, the rebel spirit refuses to be broken. The Alliance puts its trust in its own heroes, pilot Luke Skywalker, Princess Leia, and smuggler-turned-soldier Han Solo, believing that they can lead the way to victory....

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RED
SQUADRON, THIS
IS THE *FALCON*. I'M
MAKING ANOTHER
RUN AT IT.

SOMEBODY
GET THESE
TIES OFF MY
TAIL.





COPY THAT, FALCON, I SEE THEM.



NICE SHOOTING, LUKE.



YOU MIGHT MAKE A DECENT PILOT AFTER ALL, RED FIVE.

YOU'RE CLEAR FOR ANOTHER GO AT IT, FALCON. JUST WATCH THOSE TURBO-LASERS.

GIVE 'EM HELL, HAN.

YEAH...



...WE'RE TRYING.

THOSE PROTON BOMBS LOADED, CHEWIE?

WWHRRRRRRGGHH!

THEN LET'S MAKE 'EM COUNT.

WE'D BETTER MAKE THEM COUNT. THEY'RE THE ONLY ONES WE'VE GOT LEFT.

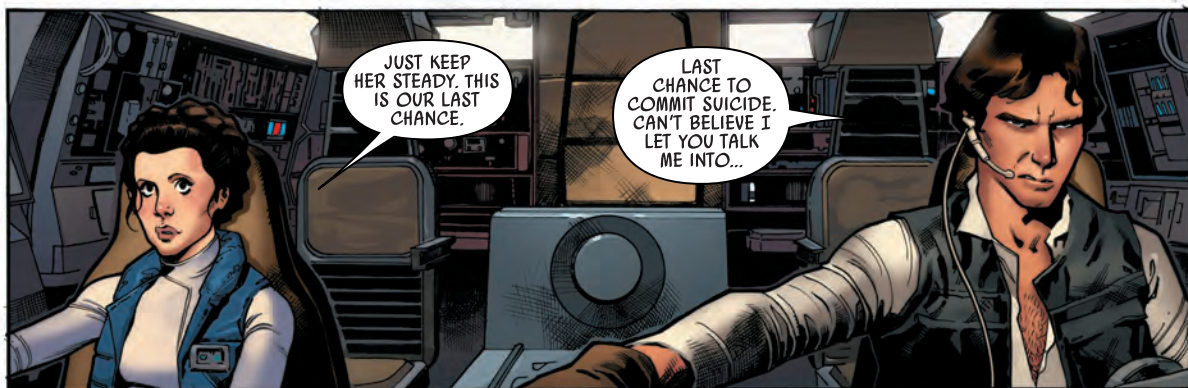


HEY, YOU'RE THE ONE ON BOMB-DROPPING DUTY, PRINCESS. I'M JUST TRYING TO KEEP US FROM GETTING KILLED.

MY AIM WAS SPOT-ON. YOU DIDN'T HOLD THE SHIP STEADY.

OH, I'M SORRY, YOUR HIGHNESS, BUT THERE'S ONLY A SIXTEEN-HUNDRED-METER *STAR DESTROYER* COVERED WITH ION CANNONS AND TURBO-LASERS THAT'S TRYING TO BLAST US INTO STARDUST!

NOT TO MENTION EVERY TIE FIGHTER IN THE GALAXY ON OUR--



JUST KEEP HER STEADY. THIS IS OUR LAST CHANCE.

LAST CHANCE TO COMMIT SUICIDE. CAN'T BELIEVE I LET YOU TALK ME INTO...



THAT CORELLIAN FREIGHTER APPEARS TO BE MAKING ANOTHER BOMBING RUN, SIR.

FOOLS.



THEY'RE NOT EVEN ATTEMPTING TO ATTACK OUR FORWARD SHIELD GENERATORS.

WHAT KIND OF IDIOTS AMBUSH AN IMPERIAL STAR DESTROYER?

REBEL IDIOTS. FOCUS ALL FIRE ON THE FREIGHTER.