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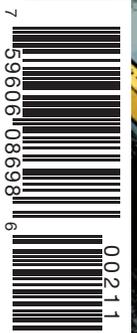
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A WEEK AGO.

(BE COOL. I'LL DO THE TALKING.)

UH, WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE IN THIS DILAPIDATED, CREEPY WAREHOUSE WITH AN OPEN DIMENSIONAL PORTAL INTO ANOTHER WORLD, TASKMASTER?

TELL YA WHAT, SPIDER-BOYS, PISS ON OUT OF HERE AND I WON'T KILL YA.



OH! A DEAL!

CAN WE DISCUSS IT AMONGST OURSELVES?

IS THERE A TIME LIMIT?

LIKE, CAN WE COME BACK HERE TOMORROW AND TELL YOU WHAT WE DECIDED?

OH MY GOD, TWO OF THEM!

HEY! SWORD DOWN, FIFTH PLACE AT THE CRAPPY DOCTOR DOOM COSPLAY CONTEST!

THAT'S IT.

SHOULD'A DONE THIS YEARS AGO!



WAIT, WHO IS HE?

THWIP

THWIP

THWIP

AND WHEN I SAY "SWORD DOWN," I MEAN ON THE GROUND AND NOT IN ME.

OR HIM.

AW, THANKS DUDE.



WHEN PETER PARKER WAS BITTEN BY A RADIOACTIVE SPIDER, HE GAINED THE PROPORTIONAL SPEED, STRENGTH AND AGILITY OF A SPIDER; ADHESIVE FINGERTIPS AND TOES; AND THE UNIQUE PRECOGNITIVE AWARENESS OF DANGER CALLED "SPIDER-SENSE"! AFTER LEARNING THAT WITH GREAT POWER THERE MUST ALSO COME GREAT RESPONSIBILITY, HE BECAME THE CRIMEFIGHTING SUPER HERO CALLED...



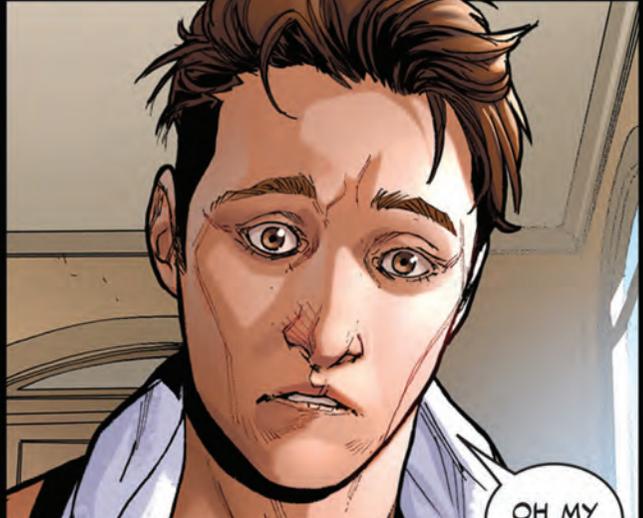
The AMAZING SPIDER-MAN

SPIDER

PART TWO

BOTH SPIDER-MEN FIRST MET WHEN A VILLAIN BROKE THROUGH THE WALL BETWEEN THEIR DIMENSIONS. AT THE TIME, PETER WONDERED IF THERE WERE A MILES MORALES IN HIS WORLD. SINCE THEN, MILES AND MANY OF THE PEOPLE HE LOVES HAVE BEEN BROUGHT INTO PETER'S UNIVERSE, WHERE HE'S CONTINUED FIGHTING CRIME AS SPIDER-MAN WITH PETER'S BLESSING.

NOW, THE REAPPEARANCE OF A DIMENSIONAL RIFT BROUGHT PETER AND MILES TO INVESTIGATE A WAREHOUSE IN NEW YORK CITY, WHERE THEY RAN INTO THE ASSASSIN TASKMASTER. THE SPIDER-MEN ARE UNAWARE THIS CONFRONTATION WILL END WITH THEM ARGUING ON A BURNING AIRFIELD, WHILE THEIR EVERY MOVE IS WATCHED...BY A MAN WITH A SCARRED FACE WHO ANSWERS TO "MISTER MORALES."



OH MY GOD.

IN A DIMENSION VERY MUCH LIKE OURS, MILES MORALES WAS BITTEN BY A STOLEN, GENETICALLY ALTERED SPIDER THAT GRANTED HIM INCREDIBLE ARACHNID-LIKE POWERS. WHEN THAT DIMENSION'S PETER PARKER WAS KILLED BY THE GREEN GOBLIN, MILES CHOSE TO DEDICATE HIS LIFE TO THE LEGACY OF SPIDER-MAN AND BECAME...

SPIDER-MAN

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JEEZ!

I TOLD YOU.



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YOU DO NOT MESS WITH TASKMASTER.

"DON'T MESS WITH TASKMASTER." GOT IT.

YOU SHOULD WRITE SOME OF THESE DOWN. GOT A PEN?

TWMP

TWMP



OH! HEY! HOW ABOUT YOU GO FIGHT HIM--?

AND YOU GO BACK TO CLASS?

I GO STEALTH.

BACK TO CLASS?

I'M NOT LEAVING THE FIGHT.



I KNOW. I KNOW.

HEY, TRY TO SNEAK UP ON HIM BEFORE HE KILLS ME.

NO PROMISES.



"STEALTH."

HE HAS CAMOUFLAGE POWERS AND I HAVE A SWOLLEN--UH-OH.

OF COURSE
TASKMASTER'S
GONE.

OR HE'S
HIDING.

READY TO
POUNCE.

I SO HATE
BEING
POUNCED ON!



NO SPIDER-SENSE
TINGLING MEANS
NO ONE IS SNEAKING
UP ON ME.

WHAT WAS HE
DOING HERE?

AND WHERE'D
HE GET ALL
POWERED UP
LIKE THAT?

TASKMASTER IS A MASTER-
FIGHTER PERSON, NOT A
GLOWING-POWER PERSON.

HE TOOK THE
DIMENSIONAL
PORTAL WITH HIM?
IT'S PORTABLE?

OR DID IT
JUST CLOSE?



MAYBE HE
HAS IT ON
A TIMER?

OH YEAH.
THAT'S DIRTY
OLD FLOOR
SMELL.



TASKMASTER.

HOPE THE KID FOUND
TASKMASTER AND
ALREADY WEBBED HIM
TO THE FLOOR.

"THE KID..."

I'M THREE
YEARS OLDER
THAN HIM.

KIND OF.

