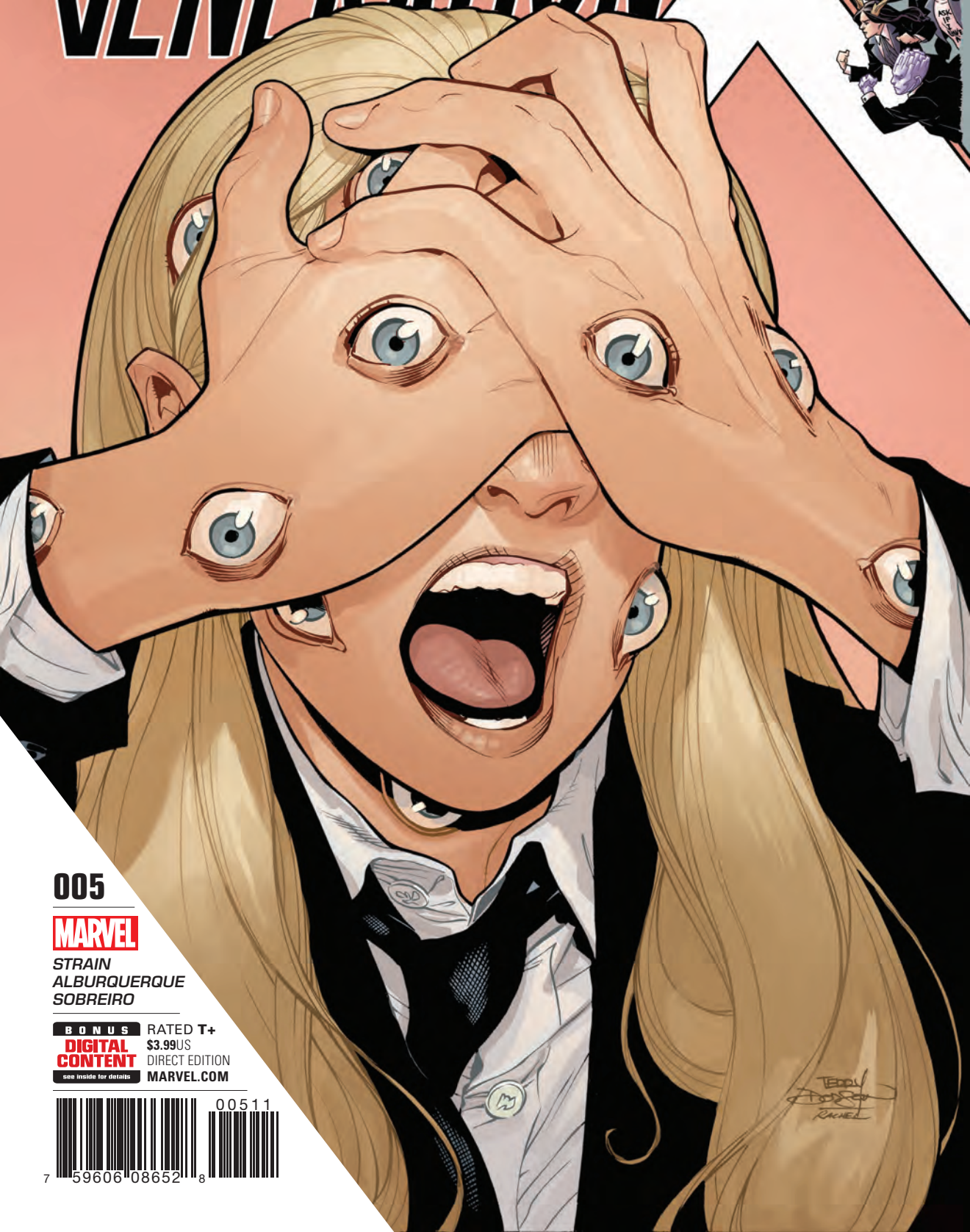


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GENERATION X

WHEN CHARLES XAVIER FOUNDED THE XAVIER SCHOOL FOR GIFTED YOUNGSTERS, HE DID IT WITH THE EXPRESS PURPOSE OF MENTORING YOUNG MUTANTS IN THE USE OF THEIR POWERS TO BETTER A WORLD THAT HATES AND FEARS THEM. NOW, AS FORMER STUDENT KITTY PRYDE TAKES CHARGE AS HEADMISTRESS, XAVIER'S DREAM LIVES ON FOR A NEW GENERATION...

PREVIOUSLY IN *GENERATION X...*

FORMER XAVIER INSTITUTE STUDENT JUBILEE RETURNED TO MENTOR A GROUP OF TEENAGE MUTANTS WHO JUST DON'T QUITE FIT IN – EVEN AMONG THE OTHER OUTCASTS. WITHIN JUBILEE'S BAND OF MISFITS IS TREVOR HAWKINS, A.K.A. EYE-BOY, WHO DOESN'T NEED HIS GIFTED SIGHT TO SEE THE WAY PEOPLE WHISPER ABOUT HIM BEHIND HIS BACK...

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SPARROW
JUST DELIVERED
BENJAMIN'S
BLUE CHIP TO LIN--

--NATHANIEL
CROSSED HIS
LEGS, WHICH SIGNALLED
TO BENJAMIN
THAT--

--ROXY'S 'BOUT
TO DEAD DROP
AT LEAST ONE RED
CHIP IN THE
TRASH...

AND QUENTIN
REALLY NEEDS TO
USE SUNSCREEN ON HIS
EARS 'CAUSE THEY'RE
TOTALLY GONNA
BURN.

FOR
REAL.

ALL
RIGHT, TREVOR,
SO WHAT'S THE
TALLY?

ROXY'S GOT
TWO RED CHIPS--
FOR NOW--LIN'S GOT
ONE BLUE, NATHANIEL'S
GOT A BLUE AND A RED,
AND BENJAMIN AND
QUENTIN BOTH GOT
NOTHIN'.

YOU'RE
ONE CHIP
SHORT.

HUH?!

THERE ARE
SIX CHIPS, REMEMBER?
THREE RED, THREE BLUE.
SO YOU'RE ONE BLUE
SHORT.

AND
NO PRESSURE,
BUT YOU'VE GOT 49
SECONDS TO
FIND IT.



BUT I'VE BEEN WATCHING EVERYONE SO CLOSELY!

NOT EVERYONE.

THERE ARE MORE PEOPLE IN THAT QUAD THAN JUST YOUR CLASSMATES.



I WAS SUPPOSED TO BE WATCHING THE WHOLE QUAD?! HOW'S THAT FAIR?!

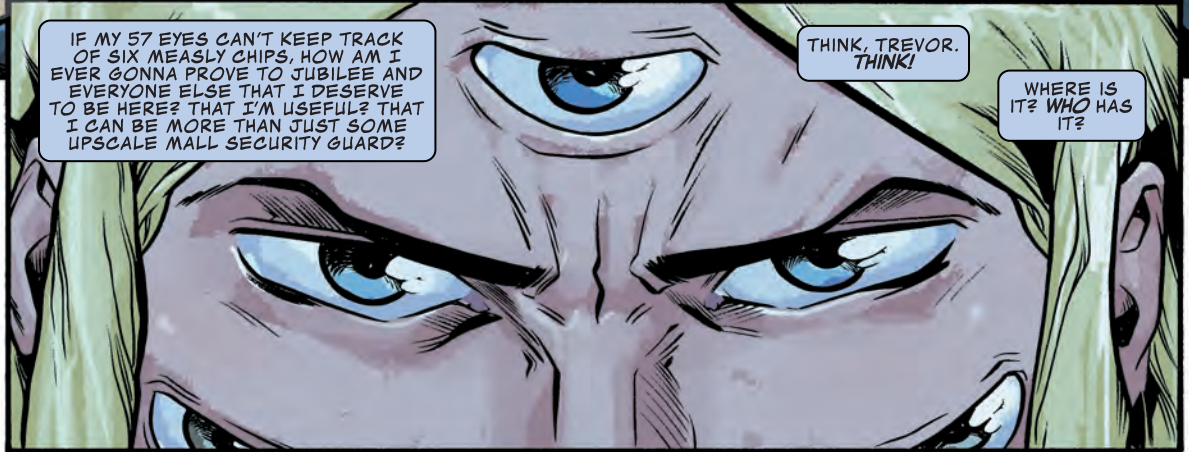
NOT A LOT ABOUT LIFE IS, TREVOR.

YOU'RE TOO FOCUSED ON WHAT AND WHO YOU THINK YOU KNOW. TAKE A DEEP BREATH AND LOOK AT THE WHOLE PICTURE.



YOU'VE GOT 36 SECONDS TO TELL ME--

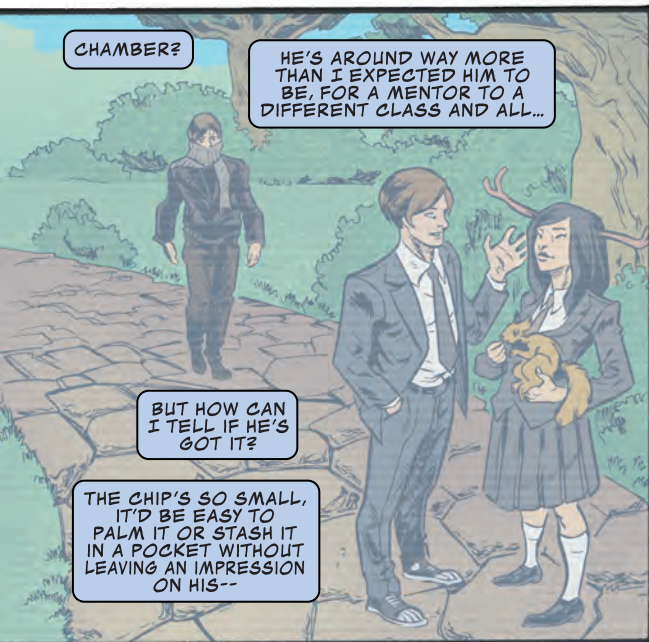
--WHO'S GOT THE BLUE CHIP?



IF MY 57 EYES CAN'T KEEP TRACK OF SIX MEASLY CHIPS, HOW AM I EVER GONNA PROVE TO JUBILEE AND EVERYONE ELSE THAT I DESERVE TO BE HERE? THAT I'M USEFUL? THAT I CAN BE MORE THAN JUST SOME UPSCALE MALL SECURITY GUARD?

THINK, TREVOR. THINK!

WHERE IS IT? WHO HAS IT?

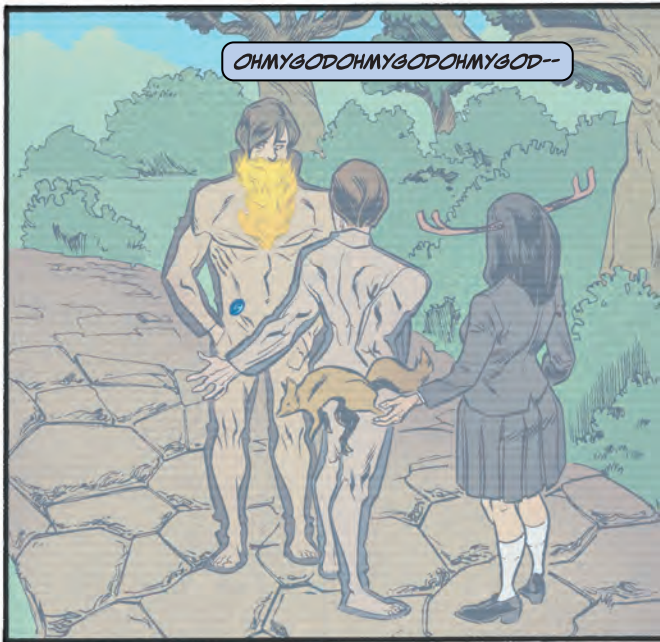


CHAMBER?

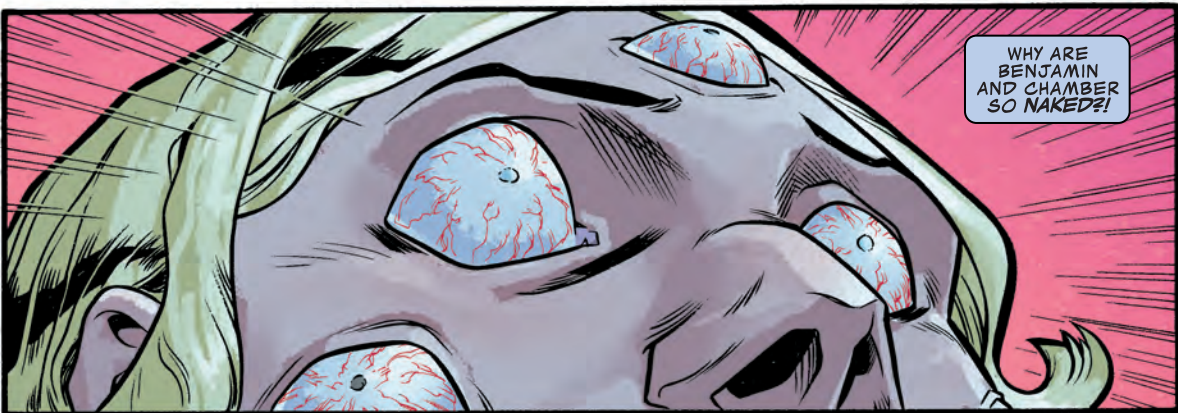
HE'S AROUND WAY MORE THAN I EXPECTED HIM TO BE, FOR A MENTOR TO A DIFFERENT CLASS AND ALL...

BUT HOW CAN I TELL IF HE'S GOT IT?

THE CHIP'S SO SMALL, IT'D BE EASY TO PALM IT OR STASH IT IN A POCKET WITHOUT LEAVING AN IMPRESSION ON HIS--



OHMYGODOHMYGODOHMYGOD--



WHY ARE BENJAMIN AND CHAMBER SO NAKED?!



BEEP BEEP BEEP

IT'S CHAMBER! IT'S TOTALLY CHAMBER! HE'S GOT THE BLUE CHIP!

IS THAT YOUR FINAL GUES--

YES! POSITIVE!



BEEP BEEP BEEP

YOU'RE RIGHT, NICE JOB, TREVOR.

COOL! THANKS! BYE!

I GUESS I'LL SEE YOU TOMORROW...?

THAT'S THE PLAN, MA'AM!

SURE, I FOUND THE LAST CHIP.

BUT HOLY NUGGETS, I NEARLY BROKE MY EYES IN THE PROCESS, SO...