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WITH THE POWER OF THE DARK SIDE OF THE FORCE AND THE MIGHT OF THE EMPIRE, DARTH VADER IS THE MOST DANGEROUS BEING IN THE GALAXY. BUT HE IS NOT WITHOUT HIS CHALLENGERS.

THE CYBORG BEILERT VALANCE, ALONG WITH FELLOW BOUNTY HUNTERS HONNAH, URRR'K, CHIO FAIN AND DENGAR, HAVE BEEN CONTRACTED BY THE MYSTERIOUS ORGANIZATION THE HIDDEN HAND TO ACHIEVE ONE GOAL: KILL VADER.

BUT VADER'S ALSO ON THE HUNT FOR THE HIDDEN HAND. AND HE'S PICKED UP THE BOUNTY HUNTERS' TRAIL. . . .

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Before.

FATHER?

YES, MY BOY.

GRANDFATHER WAS A MINER ALL HIS DAYS.

AND YOU'VE BEEN ONE YOUR WHOLE LIFE.



WILL I BE A MINER MY WHOLE LIFE TOO?



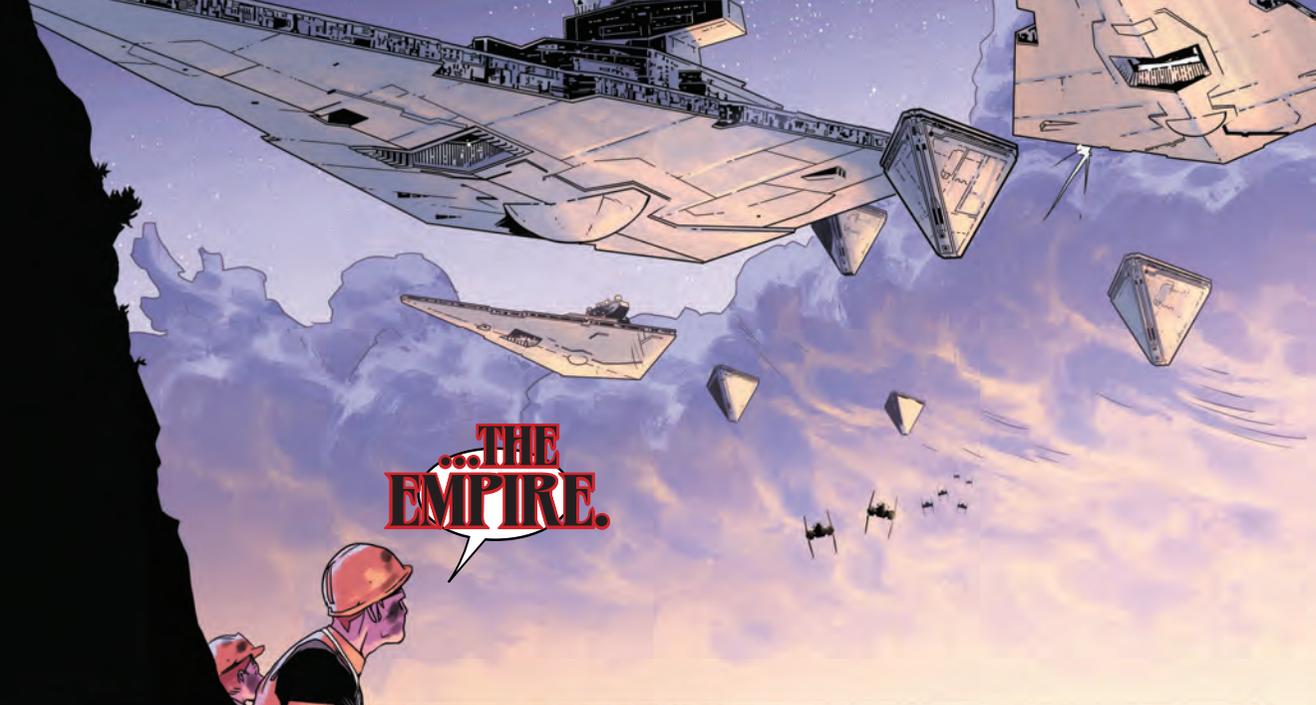
I...I'M PROUD TO BE ONE, OF COURSE, BUT--

OUR PEOPLE MINED THESE HILLS FOR GENERATIONS...

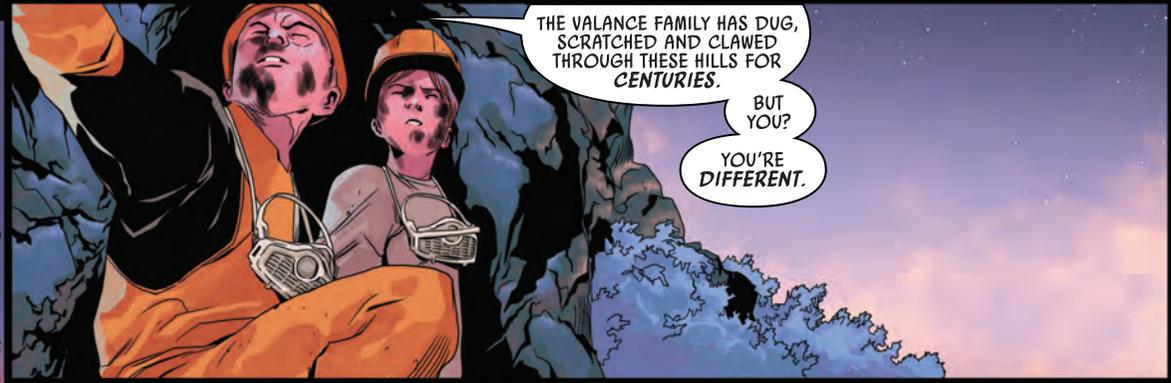


...AS SLAVES.

BUT NOW WE MINE FOR PROFIT. AS FREE MEN AND WOMEN. THANKS TO OUR LIBERATORS. THANKS TO...



**...THE
EMPIRE.**



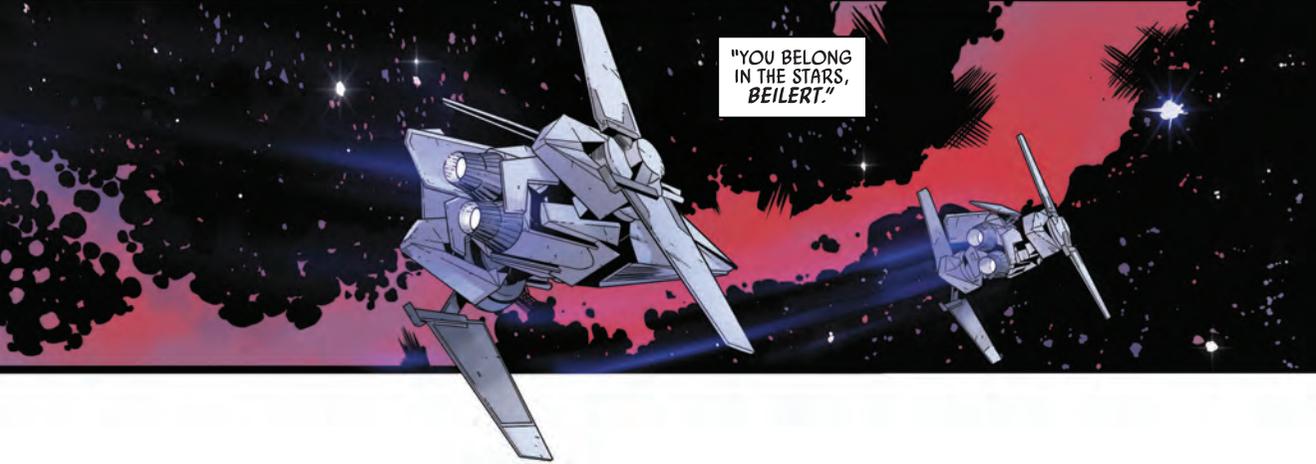
THE VALANCE FAMILY HAS DUG,
SCRATCHED AND CLAWED
THROUGH THESE HILLS FOR
CENTURIES.

BUT
YOU?

YOU'RE
DIFFERENT.



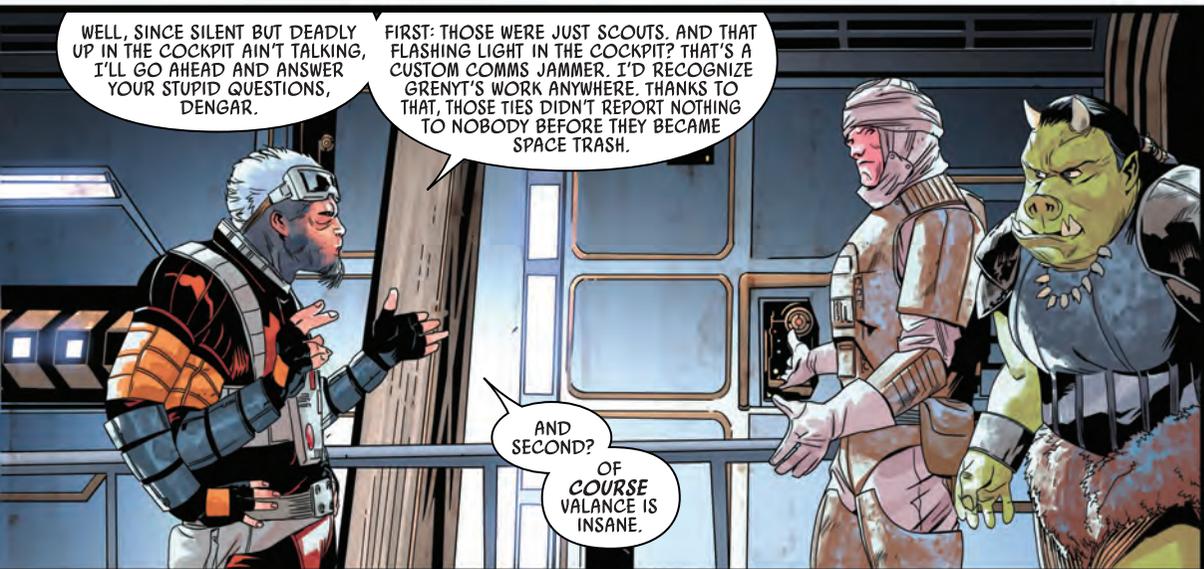
YOU
WERE BORN
FREE.



"YOU BELONG
IN THE STARS,
BEILERT."

Now.





WELL, SINCE SILENT BUT DEADLY UP IN THE COCKPIT AIN'T TALKING, I'LL GO AHEAD AND ANSWER YOUR STUPID QUESTIONS, DENGAR.

FIRST: THOSE WERE JUST SCOUTS. AND THAT FLASHING LIGHT IN THE COCKPIT? THAT'S A CUSTOM COMMS JAMMER. I'D RECOGNIZE GRENYT'S WORK ANYWHERE. THANKS TO THAT, THOSE TIES DIDN'T REPORT NOTHING TO NOBODY BEFORE THEY BECAME SPACE TRASH.

AND SECOND?
OF COURSE VALANCE IS INSANE.



PERSONALLY, I LIKE THAT IN A CAPTAIN.



FIRST, HE'S NOT MY CAPTAIN.

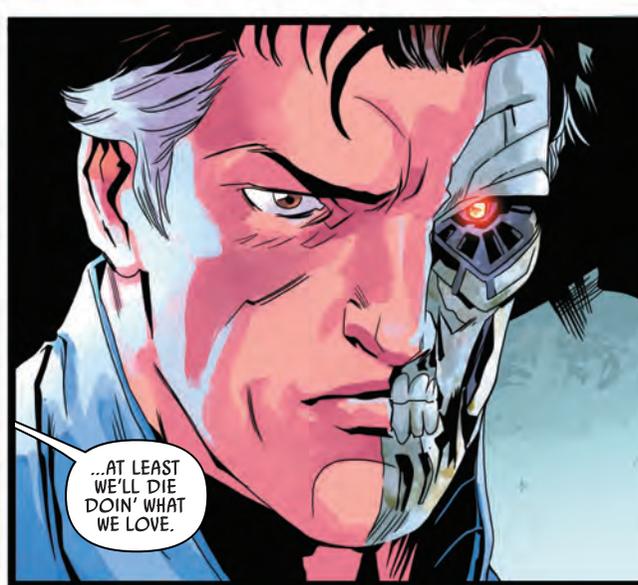
SECOND, SCOUTS AREN'T USUALLY FAR FROM A DESTROYER.

HONNAH, WHAT DO YOU THINK OF ALL THIS--



**OINK!
SQUEE!**

YOU'RE RIGHT, HONNAH. THIS IS A CRAZY PLAN. BUT HEY...



...AT LEAST WE'LL DIE DOIN' WHAT WE LOVE.