



When you've been in the crime-fighting business as long as I have, you learn that the time of day affects cities in different ways.



In Metropolis, crime always seems to happen at high noon.



In Gotham, evil has a habit of striking at midnight.



Here in Blüdhaven?

Twilight is the witching hour.

Yep. Right on cue.



HELP! SOMEBODY HELP ME!

I TOLD YOU TO STAY QUIET!

THIS CITY IS FULL OF GHOSTS. YOU WANT TO BE THE NEXT ONE?

I WOULDN'T BE AFRAID OF GHOSTS.



GAH!

KLAK



IT'S THE BIRDS YOU NEED TO WORRY ABOUT.

KRAK



POK

NICE HOOK. YOU'RE QUICK.

KRAK

UGH!

BUT I'M QUICKER.



PHYSICS!
ALWAYS WAS
MY FAVORITE
SUBJECT.



JUDGING FROM YOUR SIZE,
SPEED AND THAT *RIGHT*
HOOK, I'M GUESSING...
FORMER BOXER? DON'T
TELL ME--YOU LOST ALL
YOUR MONEY.

MY GUESS
TO THE *MOB*, BUT
YOU STILL WANT TO
SHOW WHAT A MAN
YOU ARE BY *PICKING*
ON A HELPLESS
WOMAN.



NOT
HELPLESS.

JUST CAUGHT OFF GUARD.
NOT THAT I *SHOULD* HAVE BEEN.
WHEN I GOT TRANSFERRED TO
BLUDHAVEN, MY PARENTS
BEGGED ME TO QUIT MY JOB.
"THAT TOWN IS A SEWER," THEY
SAID. "ITS HEROES HAVE
ABANDONED IT."

MA'AM,
PLEASE. YOU
DON'T WANT
TO SHOOT THIS
GUY. HE'S NOT
WORTH IT.



WANT
TO MAKE
A BET?

BLAM

It all happens
so fast.



I dive to take
the bullet...

...but this isn't
like jumping for a
swinging trapeze.

I know as soon as I leap that I won't make it.

HEY, BUDDY!

NIGHTWING AND The FLASH IN

ROUGH NIGHT?

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LATER.

IT'S GOOD TO SEE YOU, WALLY. IF YOU HADN'T SHOWN UP WHEN YOU DID, THEY'D BE TAKING THIS GUY AWAY IN A **BODY BAG**.

EVEN IF HE IS A **CROOK**, HE DIDN'T DESERVE TO BE **EXECUTED**. AND THE VICTIM DIDN'T DESERVE TO BECOME A **MURDERER**.

I WASN'T **FAST** ENOUGH.

DON'T BEAT YOURSELF UP, DICK. WE CAN'T ALL BE **DIMENSIONALLY DISPLACED SUPER-SPEEDSTERS**.

YOU'VE GOT **HEART**. THAT'S WHAT **COUNTS**.

NO. I WAS **COCKY**. AND TOO SLOW.

WE'RE **TEAMMATES!** YOU DROP THE BALL, I PICK IT UP AND **VICE VERSA**.

THAT'S HOW WE WIN, RIGHT?

I APPRECIATE THE SAVE, WALLY. I REALLY DO. HEY--WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU DOING IN **BLUDHAVEN** ANYWAY? **TITANS TOWER** IS **SHANGRI-LA** COMPARED TO THIS TOWN.

YEAH, WELL **SHANGRI-LA** IS **OVERRATED**. I'M **BORED**, DICK. IF I DIDN'T GET OUT I WAS GOING TO GO **INSANE**.

NOW THAT I HAVE MY LIFE BACK, I'M LEARNING THAT THERE'S NOT MUCH TO IT!