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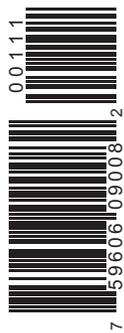
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INFINITY COUNTDOWN DARK HAWK



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Shi'ar Outpost IV.

WE SHOULD NOT BE HERE. THIS IS FORBIDDEN TERRITORY.

SHI'AR HIGH COMMAND RESTRICTS--

THOSE LAWS NO LONGER APPLY TO US. NOT TO THE FRATERNITY OF RAPTORS...

OOF!

THUD

NOT EVEN TO THE ONCE MIGHTY TALON-R!

DID YOU KNOW?!

DID ALL OF YOU KNOW HE WAS ALIVE?! THAT MY BROTHER WAS STILL OUT THERE?!

WHY DIDN'T YOU TELL ME?!

WOULD IT HAVE MADE A DIFFERENCE, TALON-R?

DOES KNOWING CHANGE THE FACT THAT BOTH HE AND THE NOVA CORPS LEFT YOU TO DIE? DO YOU NOW WISH TO TURN YOUR BACK ON US...

...AS THEY DID YOU?

I...NO. YOU'RE RIGHT.

TRUTH DISCOVERED ON YOUR OWN IS OFTEN PAINFUL...

...BUT ALWAYS THE MOST CLEAR.

THIS IS A SACRED PLACE. THE BARRIER BETWEEN OUR WORLD AND THEIRS IS WEAKER HERE.

I CAN DO THIS. THE NEGA-BANDS--



YES!
THE NEGA-
BANDS,
THEY'RE
WORKING!
THEY'RE--
THEY'RE
SINGING!

IT'S THE
DATASONG!
I...I CAN HEAR
IT! CAN YOU
HEAR IT?

HE'S
DOING
IT!

HE'S
RIPPED OPEN
A DOORWAY
INTO NULL
SPACE.



DON'T SOUND
SO SURPRISED,
BOYS.

THIS IS WHY
YOU BROUGHT ME
HERE, ISN'T IT?



THIS IS WHAT
I WAS ALWAYS
MEANT FOR!

TO BRING THE
FRATERNITY OF
RAPTORS TO A
NEW AGE
OF--



WAIT--SOMETHING'S WRONG.
THERE'S SOMEONE ON THE
OTHER SIDE...

IMPOSSIBLE.
IT'S...

IT'S
THEM--



RAPTORS!
PICK A
TARGET--

THE REAL
RAPTORS.
THEY'RE
AWAKE!

AAAAHHH!

--AND
END THIS
MOCKERY.

AAAAHHH!

AAHH--

WAIT--NO!
STOP!

WHAT
ARE YOU
DOING?!

COMMANDER
GYRE, A
SURVIVOR.

SHRRZZZ

THIS POWER...
NOT STOLEN
FROM US.

THE ONLY
THING THEY'VE
NOT STOLEN
FROM US, IT
WOULD SEEM.

INFINITY

COUNTDOWN

CHRIS POWELL DIDN'T KNOW WHERE THE AMULET CAME FROM. ALL HE KNEW WAS THAT WHEN HE GRASPED IT, HE TRANSFORMED INTO A BEING OF GREAT POWER. WHEN HE WAS YOUNG, HE USED THAT POWER TO DEFEAT CRIME, BUT NOW HE KEEPS THE STREETS CLEAN AS A POLICE OFFICER. IT HAS BEEN A LONG TIME SINCE CHRIS WAS . . .

DARKHAWK

THE INFINITY STONES WERE REBORN AND SCATTERED, PASSING FROM HAND TO HAND ACROSS THE UNIVERSE AND THROUGH TIME, TRANSGRESSING THE BOUNDARIES BETWEEN WORLDS . . .

THE FRATERNITY OF RAPTORS RECENTLY FACED A MAJOR DEFEAT IN THEIR QUEST FOR THE STONES.

MEANWHILE, CHRIS HAD AN ENCOUNTER THAT NOT ONLY REAWAKENED HIS ABILITY TO TRANSFORM . . . IT CONNECTED CHRIS TO THE DARKHAWK ARMOR LIKE NEVER BEFORE!

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