



WHO ARE YOU?

THE WORLD ABOVE KNOWS YOU AS...

...THE AQUAMAN.

# Mother Shark Part One

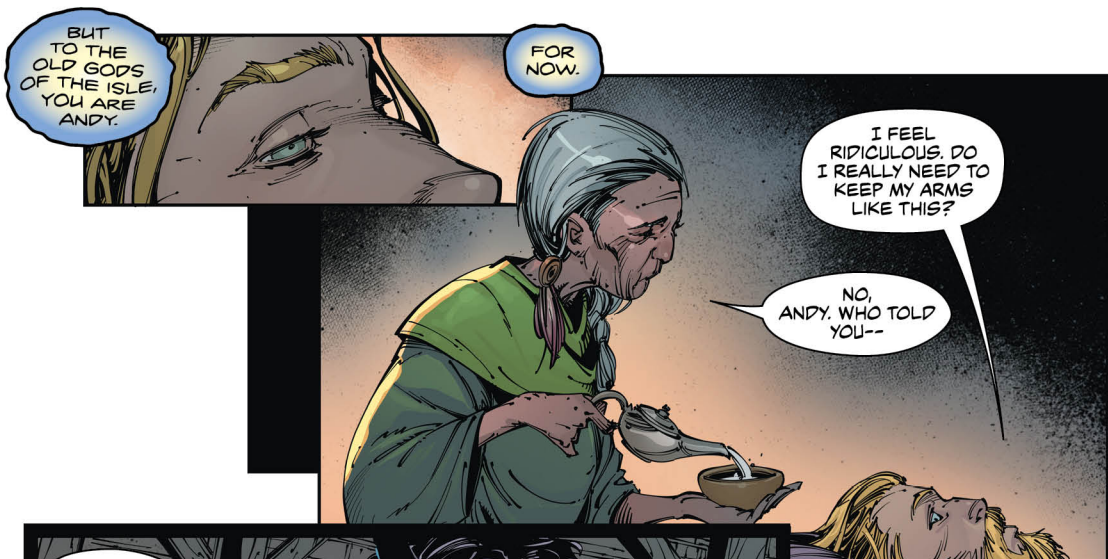
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BUT TO THE OLD GODS OF THE ISLE, YOU ARE ANDY.

FOR NOW.

I FEEL RIDICULOUS. DO I REALLY NEED TO KEEP MY ARMS LIKE THIS?

NO, ANDY. WHO TOLD YOU--



CAILLE!

WHAT? IT WAS FUNNY.

TO ME.

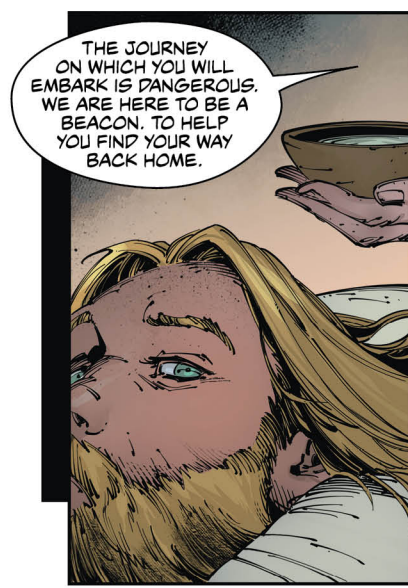
IN THE LAST 24 HOURS I'VE GROWN WINGS AND HORNS AND TURNED **BLUE**. NOW YOUR STINKY FEET ARE IN MY FACE. I'VE EARNED A CHUCKLE.



IS THE REST OF THIS NECESSARY?

I'M AFRAID SO. JUST IN CASE.

IN CASE OF WHAT?



THE JOURNEY ON WHICH YOU WILL EMBARK IS DANGEROUS. WE ARE HERE TO BE A BEACON. TO HELP YOU FIND YOUR WAY BACK HOME.



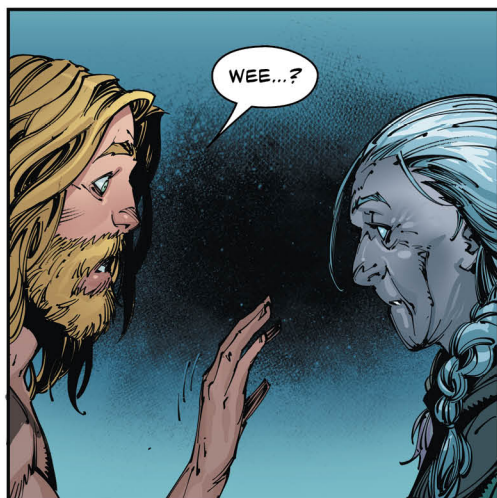
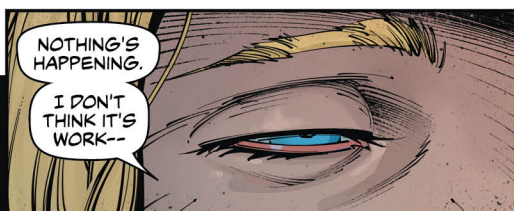
ARE YOU SURE THIS IS WHAT YOU WANT?

I NEED TO KNOW WHO I AM, WEE. WHERE I CAME FROM. I NEED TO FIND MY PEOPLE.



THEN DRINK.







YOU ARE  
THE CHILD OF  
ELEMENTAL  
FORCES...

I'VE GOT  
YOU! COME ON, I'VE  
GOT YOU!

TOM!

...AND  
IMPOSSIBLE  
LOVE.

YOUR  
PARENTS  
PROVED WORTHY  
OF THE GIFT  
THEY WERE  
GIVEN.

AND WHEN  
POLITICAL FORCES  
COLLIDED WITH THE WILL  
OF THE ELEMENTAL  
ONES...

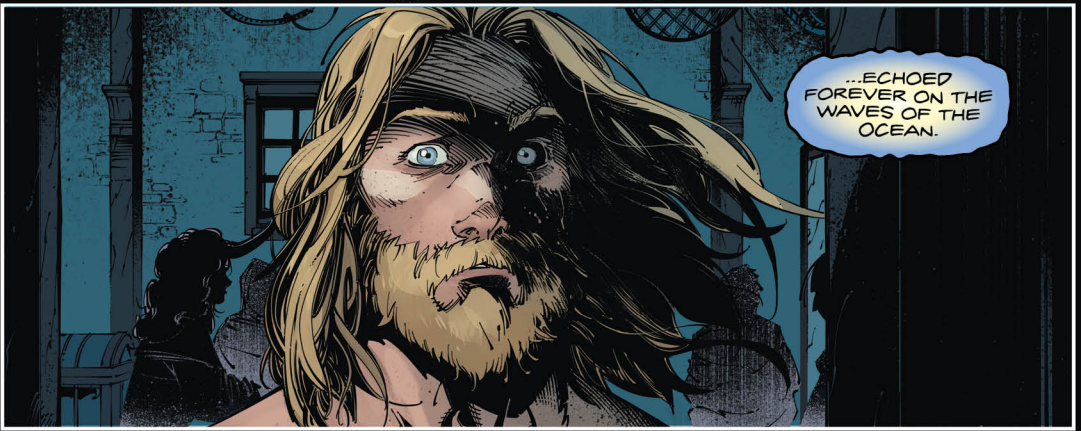
...SACRIFICES  
WERE MADE TO  
ENSURE YOUR  
SAFETY.

THIS IS  
WHO YOU  
ARE.

EVEN YOUR  
DEEPEST PAIN  
IS BORN OF  
LOVE.

THE LOVE OF  
A MOTHER FOR  
HER SON...

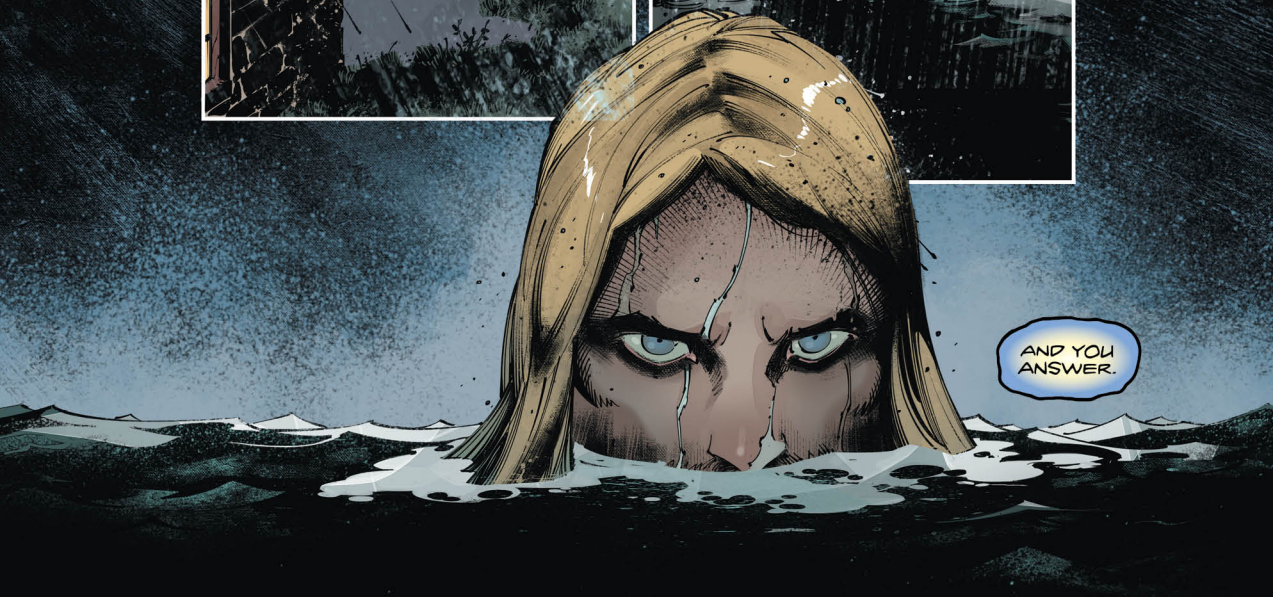




...ECHOED  
FOREVER ON THE  
WAVES OF THE  
OCEAN.



IT  
SPEAKS TO  
YOU.



AND YOU  
ANSWER.