

Book II, Part II
SHADOWS AND SECRETS

Chaos disrupts the galaxy. After the destruction of the Death Star by a mysterious Force-strong rebel pilot, the Sith Lord DARTH VADER was deemed responsible by his master, Emperor Palpatine. Now pursuing his own agenda, Vader enlisted the assistance of the bounty hunter BOBA FETT and archaeologist DOCTOR APHRA.

In an attempt to find the boy who destroyed the Death Star, Vader returned to the desert planet of Tatooine only to find an empty husk of a hut, scorched with blaster marks where the boy battled the infamous bounty hunter.

Elsewhere on the Outer Rim planet Son-Tuul, a gathering of bounty hunters and mercenaries are greeted by Aphra, who offers them the chance to steal the sum of a lifetime from an Imperial ship....

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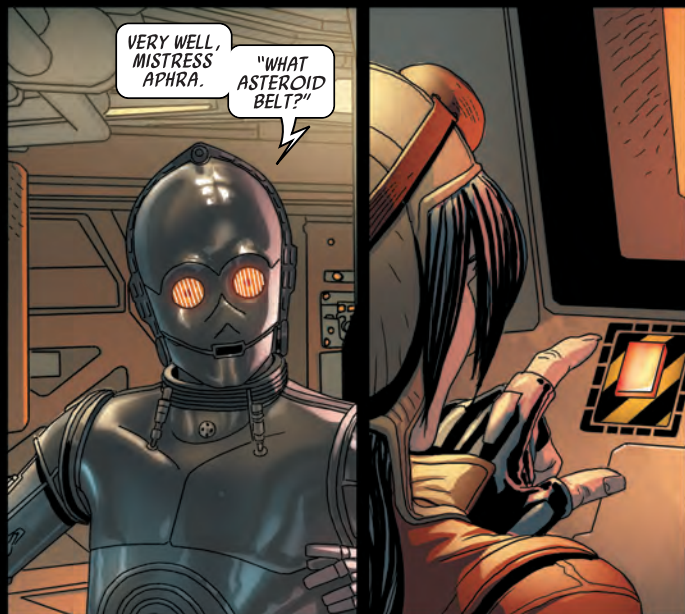
"RIGHT.
HERE THEY
COME."



WHEN THEY
ENTER THE
ASTEROID BELT,
WE MOVE...



...
C'MON.
SOMEONE
SAY IT!



VERY WELL,
MISTRESS
APHRA.

"WHAT
ASTEROID
BELT?"

