

NO.

"NO"?

JUST "NO"?

FURY, WE--

I'M SORRY.

WHAT THE FOUR OF YOU ARE PROPOSING IS FAR TOO DANGEROUS.

NO.

MAYBE IT'S NOT UP TO YOU TO DECIDE.

OH, LET'S GO DOWN THAT ROUTE, SHALL WE, "BATMAN"?





WHOA,
WHOA!
EVERYONE
BE COOL.

BATMAN,
TRUST
ME...

...YOU DO
NOT WANT TO
TANGLE WITH HER
MAJESTY.

IS
THAT RIGHT,
HAWKGIRL?

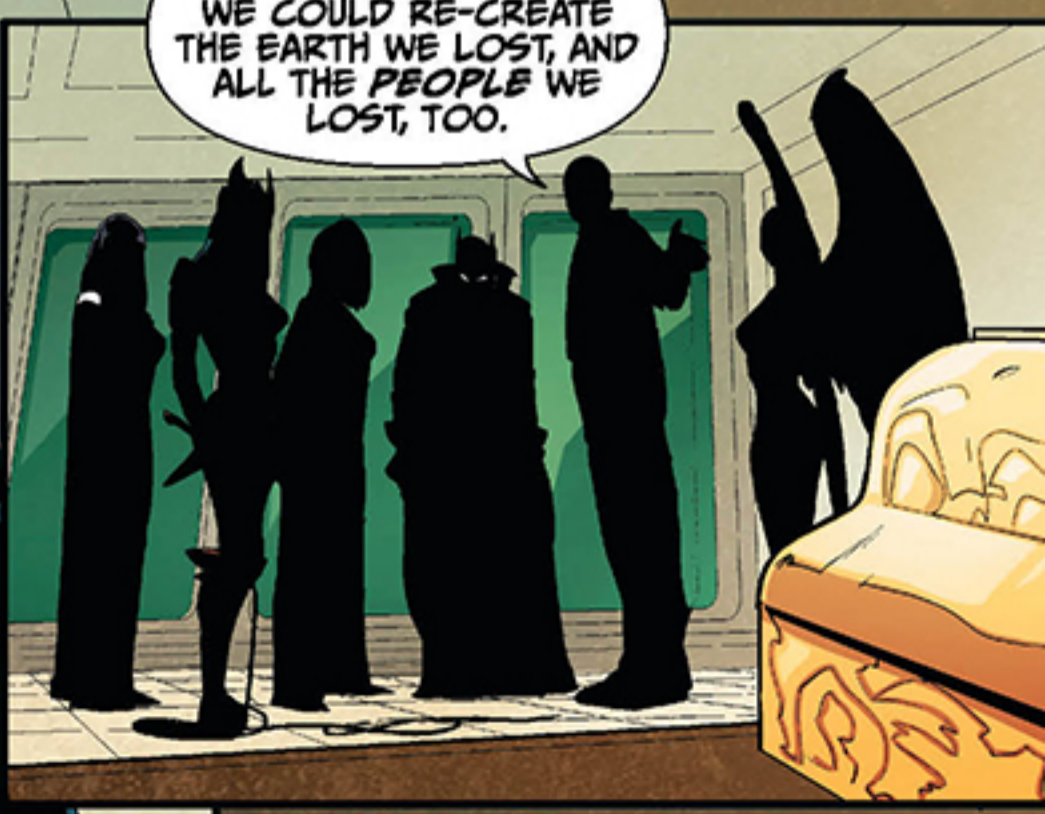
AND HOW
DO YOU RATE HER
MAJESTY'S CHANCES
AGAINST BATMAN,
HUNTRESS AND
POWER GIRL?

RICHARD,
NO.

WE DIDN'T
COME IN HERE
FOR A FIGHT.



YOUR MAJESTY, IF
THE PROPERTIES
OF THE PANDORA
CASKET ARE AS
YOU DESCRIBE
THEM...



...WE COULD
SAVE THIS WORLD.
WE COULD RE-CREATE
THE EARTH WE LOST, AND
ALL THE PEOPLE WE
LOST, TOO.

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YOU DON'T
THINK I HAVE
THOUGHT OF
THAT, KHALID?

YOU DON'T
THINK I HAVE
CONSIDERED THE
VERY SAME
IDEA?

THE
CASSET
HAS NEVER
BEEN USED
ON SUCH A
SCALE.

THANKS TO THE
FRAGMENTS OF THE
HELMET OF FATE, I
HAVE HAD VISIONS,
YOUR MAJESTY.

OF A WORLD
RESURRECTED.
OF LIVES
REDEEMED.

OF
HOPE.

THE
VISIONS HAVE
NOT LIED
BEFORE.



THEN PERHAPS THEY ARE VISIONS OF SOMETHING ELSE, KHALID.

IT WAS A **DESPERATE RISK** USING THE CASKET TO REMAKE THE AMAZON PEOPLE AND SAVE THE LIVES ABOARD THE ARK SHIP.

TO ATTEMPT THE RECREATION OF A **WHOLE WORLD...** THE POSSIBILITIES OF **DISASTROUS FAILURE** ARE TOO GREAT.

WE COULD--

WE COULD LOSE EVERYTHING, POWER GIRL.

THIS WORLD IS A **WRECK.** WE'RE BARELY HANGING ON.



YET IT IS **STILL** A WORLD. IT IS ALL WE HAVE.

SHOULD WE RISK LOSING THAT, TOO?



WE HAVE TO CONSIDER IT AS AN OPTION.

YOU ARE **ESPECIALLY** INTENT, BATMAN.

I SENSE YOU HAVE A PARTICULARLY **PERSONAL** STAKE.



OUR WORLD DIED. THAT'S **PERSONAL** TO ALL OF US.

NO. IT'S MORE THAN THAT FOR YOU.

A WIFE? FAMILY? WHAT ARE YOU SO DETERMINED TO SAVE?

I AM CONSIDERING THE COMMON NEED--

NO, YOU'RE NOT, DICK. AND THAT'S FORGIVABLE.

BUT IN TERMS OF THE COMMON NEED, AS YOU PUT IT, I THINK WE SHOULD DISCUSS THIS AS AN OPTION.

ANYTHING CAN BE DISCUSSED. WHO MAKES THE DECISION?

THE WONDERS? THE WORLD ARMY LEADERS?

WHO HAS THE FINAL SAY?

MY PRESENCE HERE IS... TOLERATED.

FEW TRUST ME. I WANT TO NURTURE TRUST SO THAT THE AMAZON NATION IS ALLOWED TO MAKE A VALUABLE CONTRIBUTION TO THE STABILITY OF THIS WORLD.

A RECKLESS ACT ON MY PART WILL NOT EARN ME TRUST.

EVEN IF IT MEANS SAVING THE WORLD?

MAYBE IT IS BETTER TO SAVE THIS WORLD THE HARD WAY, KHALID...THE LABORIOUS, DIFFICULT WAY...