

--I DO HAVE
A LOT ON MY
MIND RIGHT NOW.







UNITED FRONT, PEOPLE--FOCUS ON DIRECTING THEIR FIRE AWAY FROM THE CIVILIANS! AND HOLD THE LINE--WE NEED TO KEEP THESE THINGS CONTAINED TO MIDTOWN!

CONTAINED?! THERE'S MILLIONS OF THESE BUGS.

ACTUALLY, THERE ARE 14,984 ALIEN BIOMASSES THAT HAVE EMERGED FROM THE PORTAL--



DON'T MATTER HOW MANY THERE ARE--WE'RE FIGHTIN' BLIND 'TIL WE KNOW WHAT THEY ARE. AND WHAT MAKES 'EM HURT.

WE'RE ON IT, LOGAN--BROUGHT IN AN OUTSIDE CONSULTANT. LIGHT YEARS--AWAY OUTSIDE.

AND ON THAT NOTE--QUILL, ANY LEADS?



IS IT THE DERAXI? YOU KNOW, THE HORDE THAT RAVAGED APOKITA IV?

NAH, THEY GOT THE LITTLE UPSIDE-DOWN HORNS, REMEMBER? PLUS, THOSE GUYS RETIRED. GOT A LITTLE TIMESHARE ON THE INFINITY SANDS.

NO KIDDING? GOOD FOR THEM, NICE UP THERE.

I AM GROOT.

THAT'S SO SPECIESIST.



SORRY EVERYBODY, WE'RE COMING UP BLANK HERE--DID YOU TRY GOOGLING THEM?

DID WE TRY--WILL SOMEBODY KILL THAT FEED? I CAN BARELY HEAR ANYTHING OVER THE KISS B-SIDES, ANYWAY.

WE'RE GONNA NEED MORE REINFORCEMENTS--

REINFORCEMENTS? WELL THEN, GOOD NEWS, PEOPLE--



--IT'S YOUR FRIENDLY NEIGHBORHOOD SPIDER-MAN!

PLEASE DON'T BE THROWN OFF BY THE KICKING-- STILL FRIENDLY!

AND DON'T WORRY ABOUT THE NEIGHBORHOOD STUFF EITHER, I'M LICENSED AND QUALIFIED TO SPIDER PRETTY MUCH ANYWHERE.

OUTSIDE CANADA. CANADA WENT BADLY.

UGH... YOU.

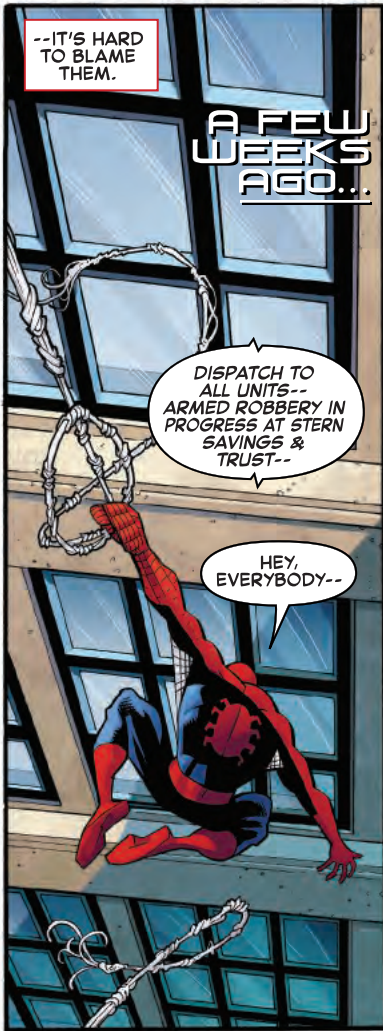


WHICH IS A DISAPPOINTING RESPONSE. I MEAN, COME ON--



--THAT LINE KILLED WHEN I WORKSHOPPED IT!

BUT, HEY, IF IT'S NOT EXACTLY THE HEROIC WELCOME I WAS HOPING FOR--



--IT'S HARD TO BLAME THEM.

A FEW WEEKS AGO...

DISPATCH TO ALL UNITS-- ARMED ROBBERY IN PROGRESS AT STERN SAVINGS & TRUST--

HEY, EVERYBODY--



--IT'S YOUR FRIENDLY NEIGHBORHOOD SPIDER-MAN! DON'T BE ALARMED BY MY SHATTERING THIS GLASS, STILL FRIENDLY--



--AND DON'T SWEAT THE "NEIGHBORHOOD" PART. TURNS OUT I'M QUALIFIED TO--

IT'S HIM! GET READY--

GET THE VAULT DOOR OPEN, QUICK!

SEE? KILLED.



TURNS OUT I DO HAVE FANS AFTER ALL--

APOLOGIES FOR THE RUSE, SPIDER-MAN.