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# BIGFOOT

SWORD OF THE EARTHMAN

**FIENDS**  
OF THE  
**RED PLANET!**



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## *THE PEOPLE LIVED IN FEAR OF THE NIGHT.*

*ONCE THE SUN DESCENDED, INSECT-LIKE HORDES OF MOTH-YAMPIRES SWEEP OVER THE LAND. WOMEN AND CHILDREN WERE SLAUGHTERED IN THEIR BEDS. GROWN MEN WERE STOLEN AWAY, NEVER TO RETURN. NOTHING COULD PREVENT THE COMING OF THE DARK. NOTHING COULD PREVENT THE ONSLAUGHT.*

*SO THE PEOPLE BUILT A BEACON. DESIGNED BY THE GREATEST SCIENTIFIC SCHOLARS, THE BEACON WOULD BECOME THEIR TORCH IN THE NIGHT. A SIREN'S SONG OF DIVINE FIRE BECKONING TO A LEGION OF LOCUST CREATURES THAT KNEW NO MASTER.*

*AND LIKE MOTHS TO A FLAME, THE HORDE WAS DRAWN INTO THE LIGHT ONLY TO BURN. SO THE GREAT MINDS BUILT ANOTHER... AND ANOTHER.*

*SOON, THE FEAR OF DARKNESS DIMINISHED AND AS THE YEARS BECAME DECADES AND THE DECADES TURNED INTO CENTURIES, THE PEOPLE FACED A NEW PROBLEM. FAR FROM THE NEAREST SETTLEMENT, SOMEONE WOULD NEED TO KEEP THE GREAT BEACONS ALIGHT. WITH THE GLORY OF THE BEACON SOLDIERS A DISTANT MEMORY, THE PEOPLE TURNED TO THE CRIMINALS TO FILL THE RANKS. THEY TURNED TO THE OUTCASTS THAT WANDERED THE BARREN DESERT.*

*EVENTUALLY, THEY TURNED TO...*

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NO ONE KNEW  
WHERE HE CAME FROM...



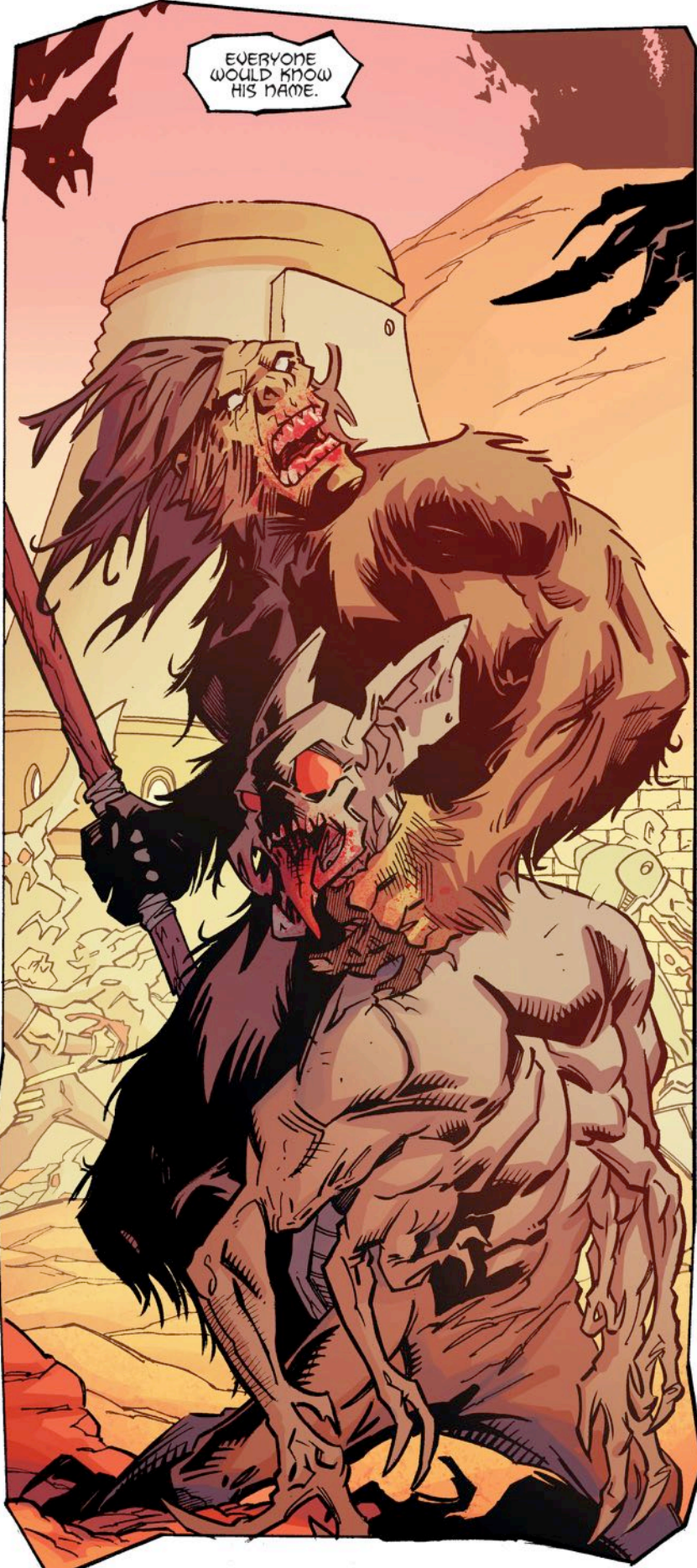
NO ONE QUESTIONED  
HOW HE GOT HERE...



# CRASH!

BUT  
AFTER TODAY...

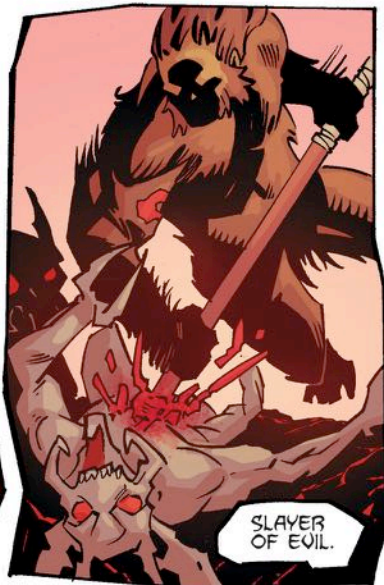
EVERYONE  
WOULD KNOW  
HIS NAME.



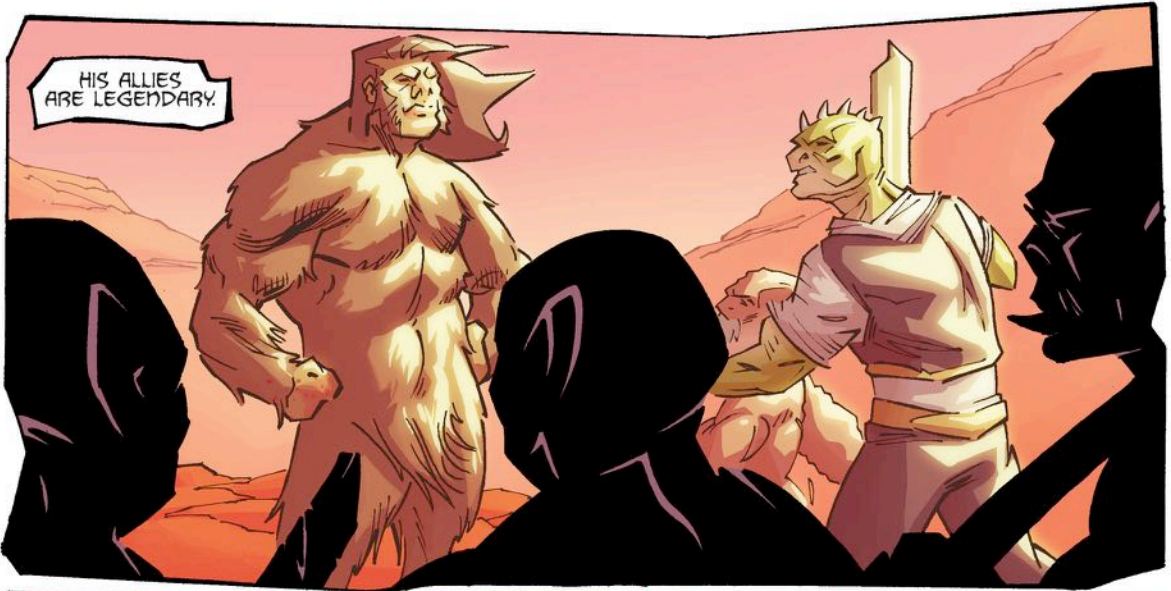
HE IS THE  
EARTHMAN.



DEFENDER  
OF THE  
PEOPLE.



SLAYER  
OF EVIL.



HIS ALLIES ARE LEGENDARY.



HIS CONQUESTS MIGHTY.



AND HIS TRAVELS EXTENSIVE...



VEERRRY EXTENSIVE...



HE KNOWS NO MASTER. HE KNOWS NO ALLEGIANCE...



BUT WHEN THE CALL COMES FORTH...



AND THE NEED FOR A HERO RISES...



WHEN DARKNESS SPEWS HELLSPAWN FROM ITS GAPING MAW...

THE MIGHTY EARTHMAN WILL NOT REST...



...UNTIL THE MEEK ARE PROTECTED.



...THE OLD AVENGED.

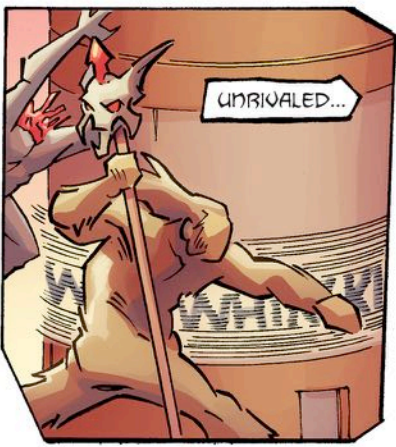


...AND THE NUBILE...  
➤ COUGH <  
ATTENDED TO.

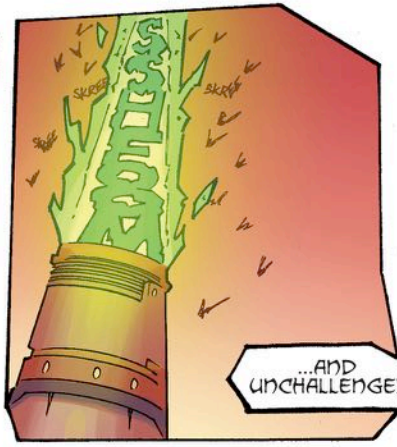


FOR HE IS LEGENDARY.

A WARRIOR,  
A POET,  
PROTECTOR  
AND LOVER...



UNRIVALED...



...AND UNCHALLENGED.



AND THE LAND SHALL TREMBLE WHEN IT HEARS MY NAME!

THUS SPOKE THE EARTHMAN!

# "SOLDIERS AT THE HEART OF THE SUN"

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