

Somewhen, back then.

EVERYTHING
HAS A CYCLE.

WE ARE
BORN.

WE WITHER.

THEN
WE DIE.

MOTHER
EARTH...

...SHE ALWAYS
FINDS A WAY
TO SURVIVE.

EVEN IF IT'S IN ANOTHER WORLD.

MY NAME IS PAMELA ISLEY, BUT I PREFER TO BE CALLED **POISON IVY.**

I AM A CHOSEN PROTECTOR FOR SOMETHING CALLED THE GREEN. IT'S AN ELEMENTAL FORCE WHICH CONNECTS ALL PLANT LIFE...

...AND RECENTLY IT'S GIVEN ME THE GIFT TO CONSCIOUSLY ENTER MY OWN DREAMS.

UP UNTIL NOW, I WAS THE ONLY NON-PLANT LIFE-FORM IN THIS PLACE...

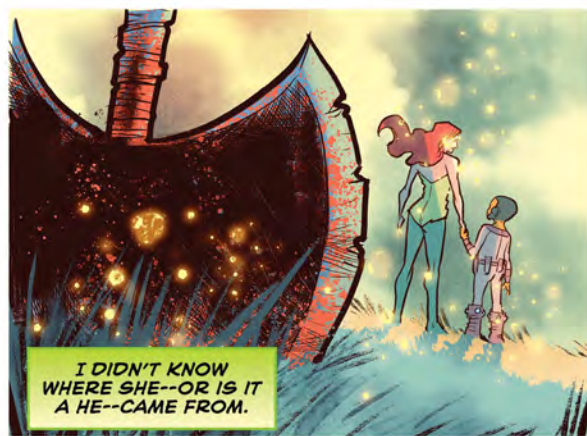
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...THEN EVERYTHING CHANGED.



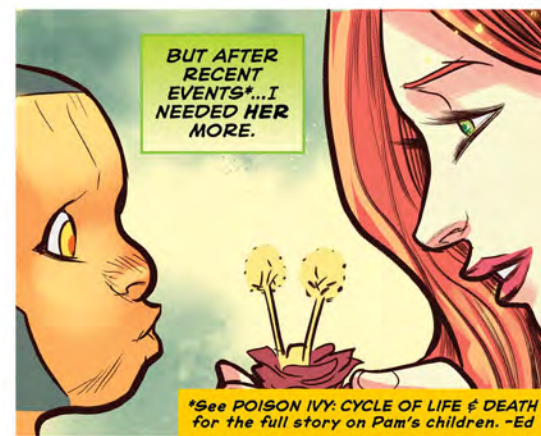
THIS WAR-BORN CHILD LOOKED AT ME WITH SURPRISING INNOCENCE.



I DIDN'T KNOW WHERE SHE--OR IS IT A HE--CAME FROM.



ALL I KNEW IS THAT SHE NEEDED ME.



BUT AFTER RECENT EVENTS*...I NEEDED HER MORE.

*See POISON IVY: CYCLE OF LIFE & DEATH for the full story on Pam's children. -Ed



I TAUGHT HER HOW TO CREATE LIFE.



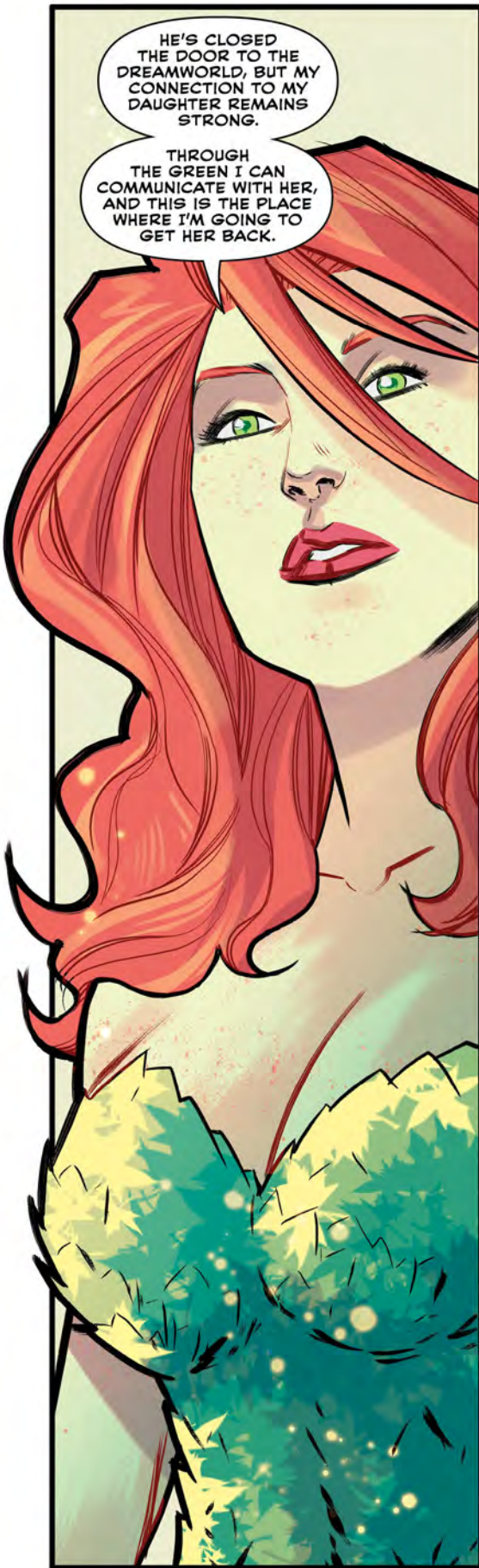
HOW TO LOVE.



THEN I WAS TAKEN AWAY.

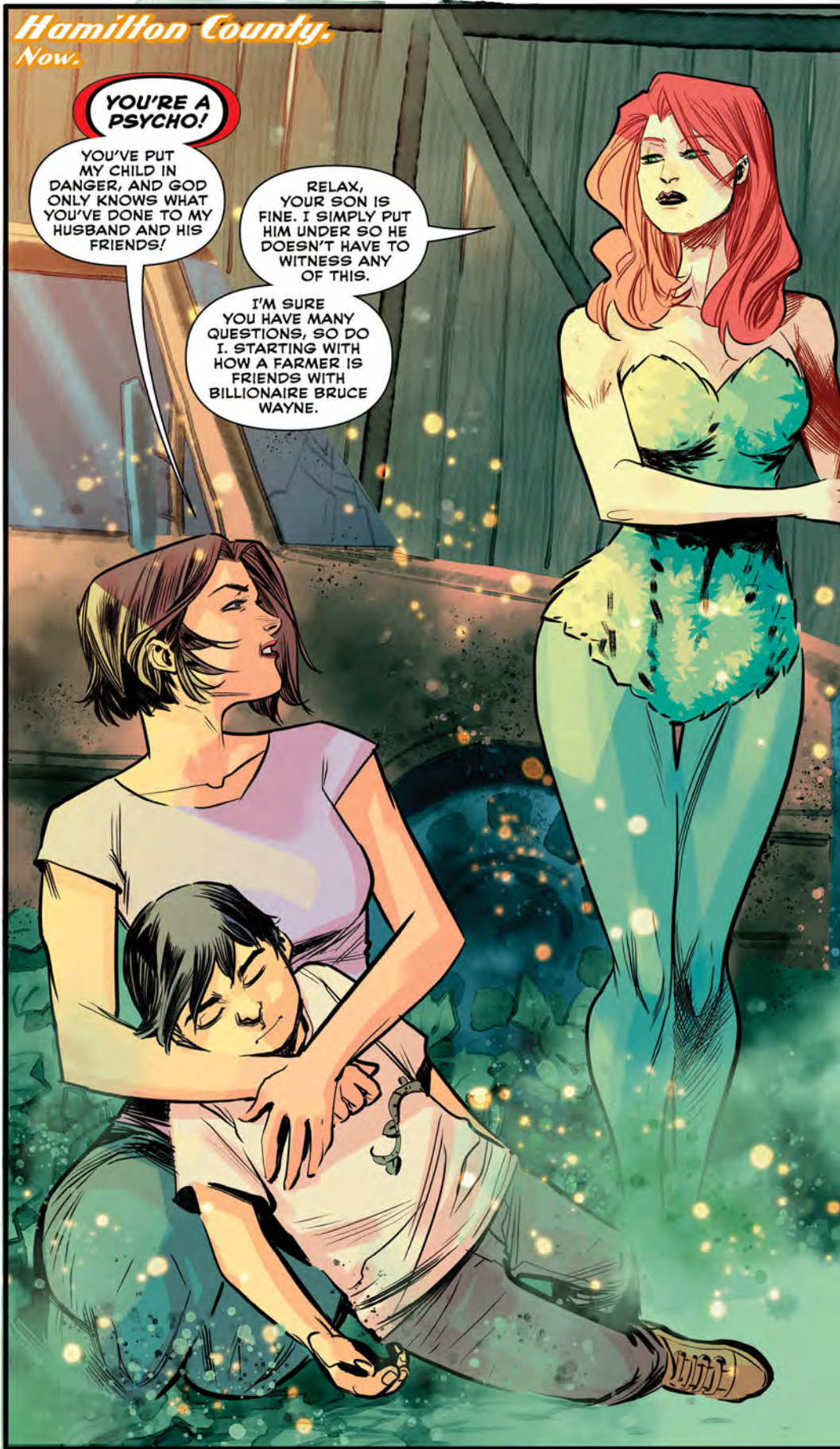


AWAKENED FROM MY PERFECT WORLD.



HE'S CLOSED THE DOOR TO THE DREAMWORLD, BUT MY CONNECTION TO MY DAUGHTER REMAINS STRONG.

THROUGH THE GREEN I CAN COMMUNICATE WITH HER, AND THIS IS THE PLACE WHERE I'M GOING TO GET HER BACK.



Hamilton County.
Now.

YOU'RE A PSYCHO!

YOU'VE PUT MY CHILD IN DANGER, AND GOD ONLY KNOWS WHAT YOU'VE DONE TO MY HUSBAND AND HIS FRIENDS!

RELAX, YOUR SON IS FINE. I SIMPLY PUT HIM UNDER SO HE DOESN'T HAVE TO WITNESS ANY OF THIS.

I'M SURE YOU HAVE MANY QUESTIONS, SO DO I. STARTING WITH HOW A FARMER IS FRIENDS WITH BILLIONAIRE BRUCE WAYNE.



BUT THAT'S NOT WHY I'M HERE. SOMETHING ON THIS FARM HOLDS ENOUGH SOLAR ENERGY FROM THE SUN TO BE USED AS A GATEWAY TO BOTH WORLDS.



WHY DON'T YOU JUST GO BACK TO SLEEP IF THEY'RE ALL IN YOUR DREAMS?



NO. NO MORE DREAMING.