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SPIDER-MAN

WHY IS IT
THERE'S NEVER
A JAILBREAK ON
NICE, PLEASANT,
WARM NIGHTS IN
NEW YORK?

WHY IS IT
YOU NEVER
SHUT UP?

NEW YORK CITY.
MEAT-PACKING DISTRICT.
MIDNIGHT.

WOLVERINE

RED HULK

LOCK
AND UNLOAD,
AVENGERS!

IRON MAN

CAP, DO WE HAVE
ANY INTEL ON WHAT
HAPPENED HERE?

NEGATIVE,
IRON MAN.

JUST A "MAYDAY"
DISTRESS SIGNAL FROM
THE PRISON TRANSPORT
JET HEADING TO
THE RAFT.

FALCON

THAT LED
TO THESE GUYS
DROPPIN' OUT
OF THE SKY.

CAPTAIN
AMERICA

AND THERE CAME A DAY
UNLIKE ANY OTHER, WHEN
EARTH'S MIGHTIEST HEROES
FOUND THEMSELVES UNITED
AGAINST A COMMON THREAT...

...TO FIGHT THE FOES
NO SINGLE SUPER HERO
COULD WITHSTAND.
ON THAT DAY,

THE AVENGERS

WERE BORN!

THE MISSION'S
PRETTY CLEAR,
PEOPLE.

WE ROUND UP
THE LETHAL LEGION
AND WE CALL IT
A NIGHT.

CUTTING THIS
SHORT, LASER.
I'VE GOT PLANS THAT
DEFINITELY DON'T
INCLUDE YOU.

THERE'S AN
EENSY-WEENSY
SPIDER JOKE
SOMEWHERE IN
ALL THIS RAIN
AND I'M GONNA
FIND IT...

GREEN,
RADIOACTIVE,
AND YOU THINK
YOU CAN
TAKE ME?

IT'S BEEN
DONE.



~~X~~ I'M A SOLDIER...

THERE ARE DAYS...
YEARS...WHEN ALL
I'VE KNOWN IS WAR.

AND LIKE IN ANY WAR,
THERE ARE SACRIFICES
THAT HAVE TO BE MADE.



FALCON!
STAY HIGH!
I DON'T WANT YOU
CAUGHT UP IN
WHIRLWIND'S
GALE FORCE.



YOU WATCH
YOUR OWN BACK, STEVE.
I'VE FLOWN IN MUCH
WORSE THAN THIS.



ISN'T
THAT RIGHT,
RED--



--WING--
ARRRGH!



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