



ELEKTRA

WARRIOR. NINJA. **ASSASSIN.**

PREVIOUSLY

ELEKTRA WENT UP AGAINST THE RUTHLESS ASSASSINS' GUILD AND, IN DOING SO, DISCOVERED THAT THE GUILD HAD BEEN MEDICALLY REVIVING AND ENHANCING ITS MEMBERS TO MAKE THEM EVEN DEADLIER THAN BEFORE.

IN SEEKING THE GUILD'S MYSTERIOUS LEADER, ELEKTRA PURSUED HER OLD FOE, **BULLSEYE**, ALL THE WAY TO S.H.I.E.L.D.'S DOORSTEP. S.H.I.E.L.D. DIRECTOR MARIA HILL WAS NOT INTERESTED IN SHARING HIM. BUT WHEN THE DANGEROUS NINJA COLLECTIVE **THE HAND** CAPTURED BULLSEYE RIGHT OUT FROM UNDER THEM, HOWEVER, ELEKTRA AND HILL WERE FORCED INTO AN UNEASY DÉTENTE AND HAD NO OPTION BUT TO HUNT THEM DOWN AND **GET HIM BACK.**

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NEXUS OF ALL REALITIES, EVERGLADES, FLORIDA

YOU'RE CERTAIN
BULLSEYE WAS CARRIED
AWAY BY A DRAGON?
YOU'RE ABSOLUTELY
POSITIVE?

YES.

CAN
YOU HELP US,
JENNIFER? CAN
YOU FIND BULLSEYE
AND THE
HAND?

PROBABLY,
BUT ONLY IF IT
REALLY WAS A
DRAGON.

IF YOU'RE
MISTAKEN--IF IT
WAS A WYVERN OR A
SHAPESHIFTER OR EVEN
A DINOSAUR--THEN THE
SPELL WILL GO
HORRIBLY
WRONG.

AND WHEN
MAGIC THIS
POWERFUL HITS
YOU FULL IN
THE FACE...



IT
HURTS LIKE
HELL.

THE HAND HAS
RECRUITED A
WIZARD, SO
DIRECTOR HILL
HAS FOUND US
A WITCH.


JENNIFER KALE.
MYSTIC GUARDIAN OF
THE NEXUS OF ALL
REALITIES.

THE REST OF THE WORLD
THINKS SHE'S STILL DEAD,
KILLED BY A WARLOCK TRYING
TO WIPE OUT THE COMPETITION...



JENNIFER...
I HAD NO
IDEA...

YEAH, WELL,
THIS IS THE PRICE I PAY
FOR ASKING DARK MAGIC
TO BRING ME BACK FROM
THE DEAD, I GUESS.



BUT DEATH
IS NOWHERE
NEAR AS BAD AS
WHAT I'M ABOUT
TO PUT YOU
THROUGH,
ELEKTRA.



WHAT IS IT?

THE KEY TO LOCATING THE HAND AND THEIR DRAGON.



A DRAGON'S HEART?

YES. MY MENTOR RETRIEVED IT FROM ANCIENT ATLANTIS. IT'S SEVERAL CENTURIES OLD, BUT I DON'T THINK IT HAS TURNED... YET.



SO I HOPE YOU'RE HUNGRY.

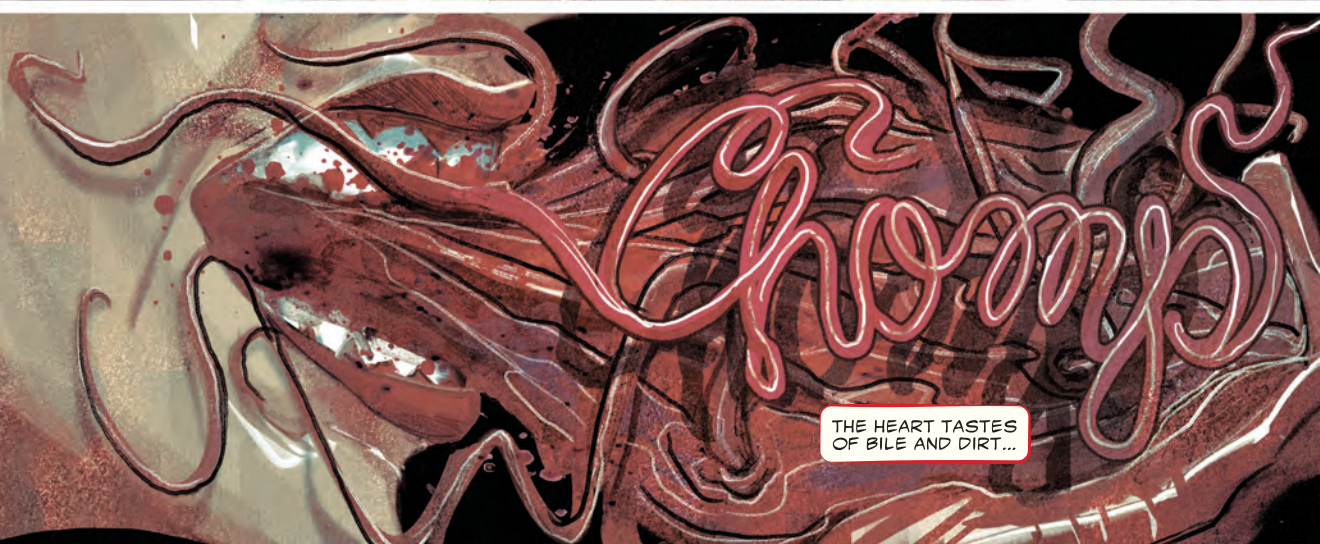


YOU WANT ME TO EAT IT.

Seummy

LIKE I SAID, DARK MAGIC HAS ITS DOWNSIDES.

SOMEWHERE, BLOODY LIPS IS LAUGHING AT ME.



THE HEART TASTES OF BILE AND DIRT...

AND THE DRAGON'S BLOOD SMELLS OF SMOG AND ROTTING GARBAGE.

MANHATTAN?

THE HAND CAME BACK TO NEW YORK?

NO. THINK OF THIS AS A PHANTOM TOLL BOOTH.

HERE'S WHERE YOU REALLY PAY FOR PASSAGE TO WHEREVER THE HAND IS HIDING.

THANKS FOR COMING.

ELEKTRA.

THEN PLAY YOUR PART IN IT.

THIS IS JUST A MEMORY...

I DON'T KNOW WHERE TO START...

HOW TO TELL YOU THIS...

I CAN'T PRACTICE LAW IN NEW YORK ANY LONGER, THE FIRM HAS COLLAPSED...

SO YOU ARE LEAVING?

IN MY HEAD, I WAS...

I AM SCREAMING FOR HIM TO STAY.

YES.

MOVING BACK TO SAN FRANCISCO.

I NEED A PLACE TO START OVER.

SCREAMING FOR HIM NOT TO LEAVE ME AGAIN.

BUT THAT'S NOT WHAT YOU SAID, IS IT?

...NO...

THEN GO, MATTHEW!

RUN AWAY.

DAMN IT...

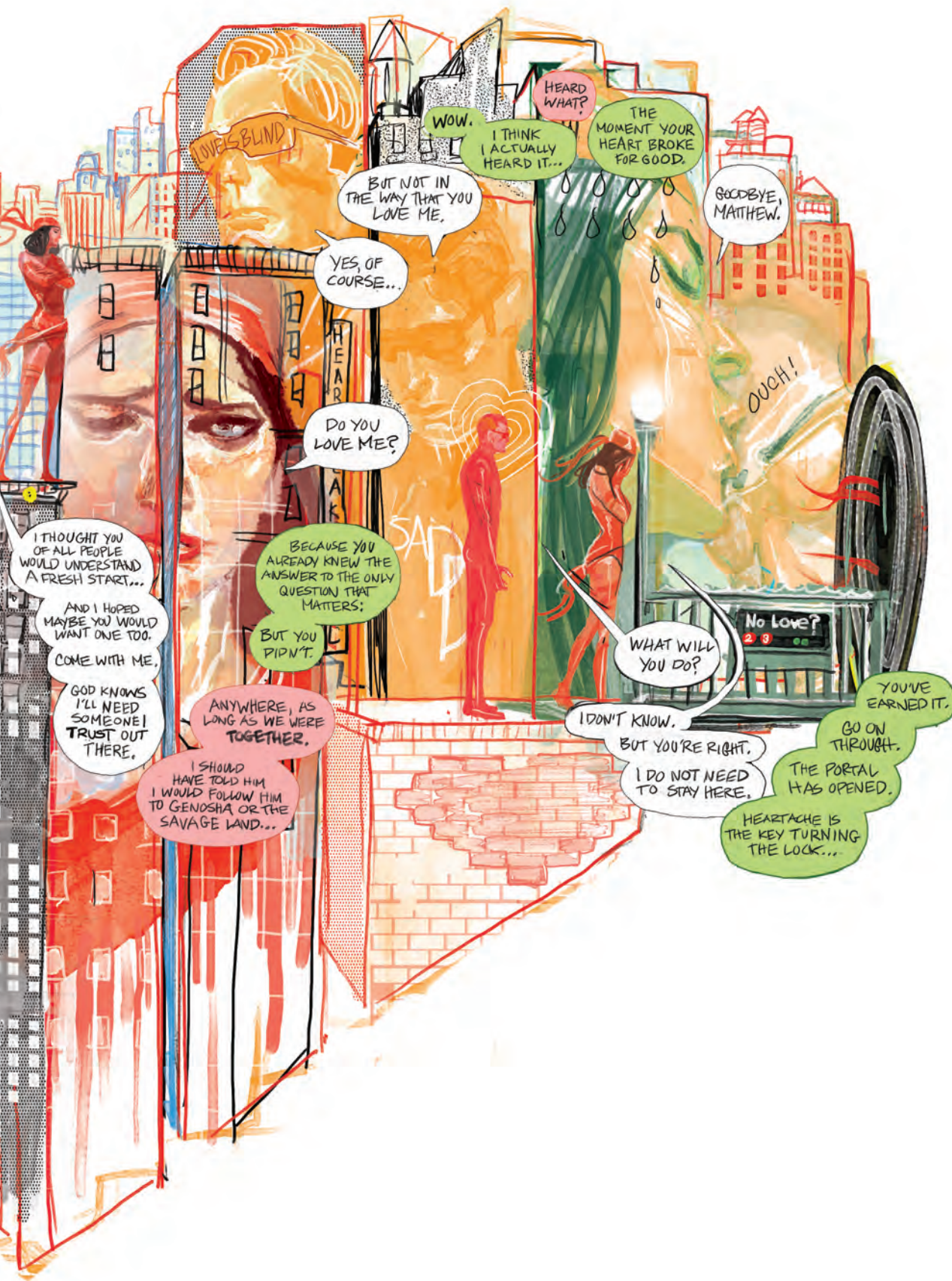
WHY DID I SAY THAT?

I SHOULD HAVE TOLD HIM TO STAY.

ASKED HIM NOT TO PUT THREE THOUSAND MILES BETWEEN US.

YOU KNOW WHAT LOVE IS IT'S GOT SOMETHING TO DO WITH US





LOVES BLIND

HEARD WHAT?

WOW.

I THINK I ACTUALLY HEARD IT...

THE MOMENT YOUR HEART BROKE FOR GOD.

BUT NOT IN THE WAY THAT YOU LOVE ME.

GOODBYE, MATTHEW.

YES, OF COURSE...

DO YOU LOVE ME?

BECAUSE YOU ALREADY KNEW THE ANSWER TO THE ONLY QUESTION THAT MATTERS: BUT YOU DIDN'T.

OUCH!

I THOUGHT YOU OF ALL PEOPLE WOULD UNDERSTAND A FRESH START...

AND I HOPED MAYBE YOU WOULD WANT ONE TOO. COME WITH ME.

GOD KNOWS I'LL NEED SOMEONE I TRUST OUT THERE.

I SHOULD HAVE TOLD HIM I WOULD FOLLOW HIM TO GENOSHA OR THE SAVAGE LAND...

ANYWHERE, AS LONG AS WE WERE TOGETHER.

WHAT WILL YOU DO?

I DON'T KNOW.

BUT YOU'RE RIGHT.

I DO NOT NEED TO STAY HERE.

YOU'VE EARNED IT.

GO ON THROUGH.

THE PORTAL HAS OPENED.

HEARTACHE IS THE KEY TURNING THE LOCK...

No Love? 2 3 00

HEAR

SAD