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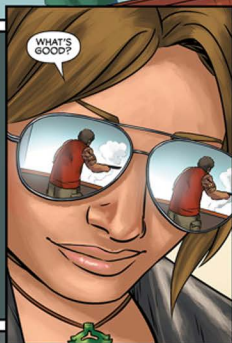
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LIVE AND LET FRY!  
A NEIGHBORHOOD CHIPPERS!



ding!



WHAT'S GOOD?

WHAT'S NOT?

WE GOT FRIED Haddock, FRIED COD, FRIED SHRIMP, NORMAL CHIPS, SALTY CHIPS, SPICY CHIPS, PICKLE CHIPS, BLOOMIN' ONIONS, NORMAL ONIONS, AND A WORLDWIDE ASSORTMENT OF FRIED SAUSAGES.



OR IF YOU'VE GOT A SWEET TOOTH, I'LL FRY UP A CRUNCHIE. YOU JUST GOTTA BUY IT DOWN AT THE ESSO--

JONAH.



OH.

HI THERE, LITTLE BIRD.



GOD,  
IT'S GOOD TO  
SEE YOU!

MY  
FLIGHT GOT  
IN TO HEATHROW  
AN HOUR AGO AND  
I CAME DIRECTLY.  
I MISSED YOU  
FERCELY, YOU  
KNOW THAT?



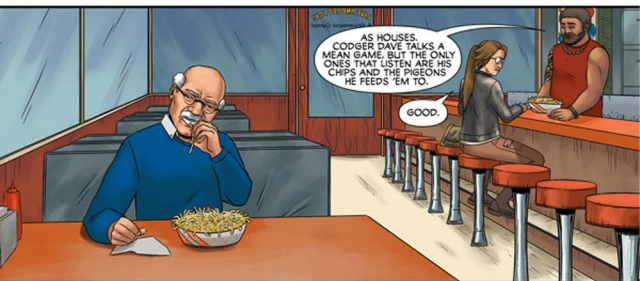
I...

YOU  
LOOK  
LIKE HELL,  
LARA.

THAT'S  
BECAUSE I'VE  
BEEN THROUGH  
IT, JONAH. BUT  
I'VE NOT COME  
AWAY EMPTY-  
HANDED.



IS IT  
SAFE TO TALK  
HERE?



AS HOUSES.  
CODGER DAVE TALKS A  
MEAN GAME, BUT THE ONLY  
ONES THAT LISTEN ARE HIS  
CHIPS AND THE PIGEONS  
HE FEEDS 'EM TO.

GOOD.



YOU  
WON'T BELIEVE  
THIS, JONAH.





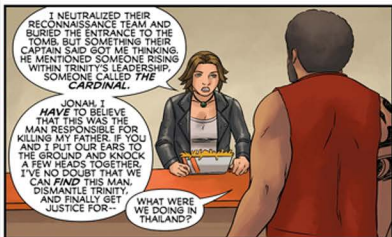
TRINITY.

I FOUND THEM IN CINQUE TERRE.

THEY WERE LOOKING FOR SOMETHING CALLED THE **CROSS OF STARS**.

I KNOW IT SOUNDS PRETENTIOUS, BUT MY FATHER USED TO TELL ME STORIES ABOUT THE CROSS WHEN I WAS LITTLE: A LONG-LOST ARTIFACT THAT COULD WHISPER THE LOCATION OF GOD.

SUPPOSE IT SHOULD COME AS NO SURPRISE THAT IT'S NO MYTH, NO MORE THAN YAMATAI OR THE TOMB OF THE LOST PROPHET--IT'S **REAL**. I **HELD** IT, AND TRINITY WANTED IT, BADLY.



I NEUTRALIZED THEIR RECONNAISSANCE TEAM AND BURIED THE ENTRANCE TO THE TOMB, BUT SOMETHING THEIR CAPTAIN SAID GOT ME THINKING. HE MENTIONED SOMEONE RISING WITHIN TRINITY'S LEADERSHIP, SOMEONE CALLED **THE CARDINAL**.

JONAH, I **HAVE** TO BELIEVE THAT THIS WAS THE MAN RESPONSIBLE FOR KILLING MY FATHER. IF YOU AND I PUT OUR EARS TO THE GROUND AND KNOCK A FEW HEADS TOGETHER, I'VE NO DOUBT THAT WE CAN **FIND** THIS MAN, DISMANTLE TRINITY, AND FINALLY GET JUSTICE FOR--

WHAT WERE WE DOING IN THAILAND?

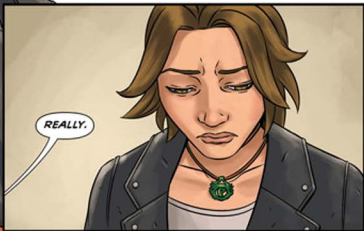


WHAT?



LARA, YOU HEARD ME, TELL ME THE TRUTH.

WHAT WERE WE DOING IN THAILAND?



REALLY.

## THAILAND

Twenty uncharted kilometers  
outside Chiang Mai  
One Month Ago

I'VE  
GOTTA SAY,  
LARA, I THOUGHT  
I'D HAD MY FILL OF  
ADVENTURE AFTER  
SIBERIA, BUT THIS  
IS AN INCREDIBLE  
SPOT!



WHAT, JUST  
'CAUSE I ALMOST  
DIED AT THE HANDS OF A  
BUNCH OF INSANE MILITARY  
FANATICS, ONLY TO BE  
SAVED BY AN **ACTUAL**  
**IMMORTAL**?

WHO  
**DOESN'T**  
GO THROUGH  
SOMETHING LIKE  
THAT, TIME TO  
TIME?

JONAH,  
I'M SERIOUS.  
TRINITY IS STILL  
**OUT** THERE. I  
WOULDN'T BLAME  
YOU FOR BEING--

LARA.



I GOT  
SHOT. NOW  
I'M NOT SAYING  
IT'S **A NORMAL**  
**THING** TO GET  
SHOT, BUT...

...BUT YOU  
WERE BETRAYED  
BY YOUR OWN  
FAMILY. HAD TO  
SURVIVE ALONE  
IN THE SIBERIAN  
MOUNTAINS.





GLAD I COULD GET YOU OUT OF THE FLAT. I HOPE YOU WON'T TAKE THIS THE WRONG WAY, BUT I'VE BEEN WORRIED ABOUT YOU.



LARA, THE THINGS YOU HAD TO DO...



IT'S *ME* THAT SHOULD BE WORRIED ABOUT *YOU*.

WHEN YOU TOLD ME YOU WERE HEADING OUT HERE, I COULDN'T HAVE BEEN HAPPIER. AFTER ALL THAT TRINITY BUNK...



IT'S DAMN GOOD TO SEE YOU ADVENTURING JUST FOR THE HELL OF IT.

JONAH, LOOK, THERE IT IS.