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## PREVIOUSLY...

To gain media attention for her missing friend, Petra Gomez puts together a group of young heroes inspired by the world's most infamous super-team, Youngblood.

Believing they'll only remind the world of the original team's controversial past, President Diehard deploys Badrock and Shaft to stop the troublemakers. But his plan backfires when they join the reborn Youngblood to take down a superhuman trafficking ring run by BryneTEC, the masterminds behind the country's most popular app, HELP!

In the wake of the incident, President Diehard finds himself in a complicated position: does he retaliate against the young lawbreakers or embrace the legacy he's spent years trying to forget?

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## MAN OF THE YEAR

CHAD BOWERS story

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WHICH  
ONE ARE  
YOU?

HANS OR  
RUDOLF?

YOU KNOW  
WHAT? IT  
DOESN'T  
MATTER.

I DON'T CARE WHO YOU ARE, OR  
WHAT YOU ARE... I JUST WANT TO  
KNOW WHAT HAPPENED TONIGHT.  
THIS NEW **YOUNGBLOOD**, WHAT  
DO YOU KNOW ABOUT  
THEM? WHY WERE  
THEY HERE?

KNOW...  
THEY SAVED  
YOU... FROM  
DISASTER

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BEFORE  
I/WE GO, A  
QUESTION...  
FOR YOU...

HOW  
DOES IT  
FEEL... TO  
BE SO  
WRONG...

SO WRONG  
ABOUT  
EVERYTHING?

**RAAAARRGGH!**



Washington, DC.  
November.



DIEHARD?



DID I WAKE YOU?



NO, OF COURSE NOT. I ALWAYS SLEEP WITH MY EYES OPEN. IT'S THE FIRST THING THEY TEACH YOU HOW TO DO IN SPETSNAZ.

RIGHT. SILLY QUESTION.

I'LL TAKE A WALK OUTSIDE.

GO BACK TO SLEEP.





