

THE INTERGALACTIC EMPIRE OF WAKANDA

TWO THOUSAND YEARS AGO, A DETACHMENT OF WAKANDANS ESTABLISHED A SMALL, DESOLATE COLONY ON THE OUTER EDGES OF THE COSMOS.



SEPARATED FROM THEIR HOMELAND AND BESIEGED BY THE WHIMS OF DEEP SPACE, THESE WAKANDANS PUSHED THEIR COUNTRY'S TRADITIONAL NOTION OF SELF-DEFENSE TO RADICAL ENDS--TRUE SELF-DEFENSE MEANT THE CONQUEST OF ALL POTENTIAL FOES.



ON THIS BELLICOSE ETHIC, A SMALL, STARVING COLONY WAS TRANSFORMED INTO AN EMPIRE SPANNING FIVE GALAXIES. NOW THESE SPACE-FARING WAKANDANS--LED BY EMPEROR N'JADAKA--HAVE SET THEIR ACQUISITIVE EYES ON A NEW GALAXY: OUR OWN.

THIS IS THE STORY OF THE ONLY MAN WHO COULD STOP THEM--A KING WHO SOUGHT TO BE A HERO, A HERO WHO WAS REDUCED TO A SLAVE, A SLAVE WHO ADVANCED INTO LEGEND.

**THE GOLDEN CITY,
PLANET BAST.**

...AND YOU'RE SURE YOU CAN HANDLE IT?



OH PLEASE, MY DEAR. IF I CAN MANAGE FIVE GALAXIES, I THINK I CAN--

DO NOT UNDERESTIMATE HER, ERIK.



I DON'T. I KNOW SHE'S PRECOCIOUS, NAREEMA. IT MAKES ME PROUD.

MORE THAN PRECOCIOUS. SO MANY ODD QUESTIONS LATELY.

I DON'T LIKE IT. PLEASE, KEEP HER CLOSE.



OF COURSE. I'M OFF TO DO THAT RIGHT NOW.



ENJOY YOUR TRIP, MY LOVE.

I WILL. AND FORGIVE MY WORRIES. YOU ARE A GREAT MAN, AND A GREATER FATHER.



UNTIL SOON.

BUT NOT SOON ENOUGH.



GOOD EVENING, FATHER.



GOOD EVENING, BELOVED.



YOU'VE BEEN BUSY, I SEE.



YOU KNOW, THIS RECENT INTEREST IN THE EMPIRE'S AFFAIRS... WELL, I'M HAPPY TO SEE IT.



HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO GO TO THE FORTRESS WITH ME TOMORROW? YOU COULD EVEN SEE MY WORK, UP CLOSE.

YOU'D DO THAT FOR ME, FATHER?

OF COURSE, MY DEAR.



ANYTHING FOR YOU, ZENZI.

**PTAH REGION,
THE BENHAZIN
SYSTEM.**



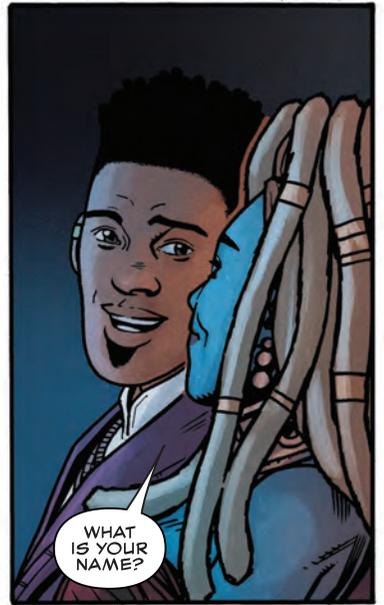
**THE PLEASURE-
SHIP OSHUN.**



NO. I
THINK I'VE
DONATED QUITE
ENOUGH THIS
EVENING.







THE MACKANDAL.

...YOU REALLY ARE IMPORTANT.

I'D SAY THAT'S A POSITIVE I.D., COMMANDER M'BAKU.



AND I'D AGREE, TAKU.

CAN THEY SEE US YET, T'CHALLA?

NO.

THE NEW CLOAK WE FORGED FROM A PIECE OF THE M'KRAAN SHARD IS WORKING PERFECTLY.



GOOD. LET'S GIVE THEM A WARM HELLO.

