

# STAR WARS

## Annual II

**It is a pivotal moment in the galaxy. As the Empire continues to exert its oppressive force, the Rebel Alliance stands strong against their tyranny for the good of all.**

**While heroic Rebellion agents like Princess Leia of Alderaan strive to undermine Imperial strongholds, the Galactic Empire continues to dominate and has doubled its efforts to eliminate any who would stand against its rule.**

**Some choose to fight against waves of Imperial stormtroopers, while others choose the relative safety and security of obedience—and then there are those who refuse to take a side at all...**

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# Skorii-Lei.

NOT MUCH DIFFERENCE  
BETWEEN THE EMPIRE  
AND THE REBELLION,  
YOU ASK ME.

TWO SIDES OF THE SAME  
COIN. A COIN FULL OF  
PEOPLE THAT THINK  
THEY'RE HEROES TO THEIR  
RESPECTIVE CAUSE.

YOU KNOW WHAT  
HEROES ARE GOOD  
FOR? GETTING A LOT  
OF *OTHER* PEOPLE  
KILLED.

AND LEAVING A MESS FOR  
EVERYONE ELSE TO CLEAN  
UP. I'M AN "EVERYONE ELSE."  
MOST OF US ARE. NOBODY  
WRITES STORIES ABOUT US.





WE'RE THE JANITORS OF THE GALAXY, WHICH IS ANNOYING, BECAUSE I USED TO BE AN ENGINEER.

THE REBELLION DESTROYED THE PRIMARY INDUSTRY HERE ON SKORII-LEI. I WAS AN UNDERWATER ENGINEER, I LOVED MY JOB.



NOW I LIFT CRATES.



OH, GREAT. STORMTROOPERS. WHAT DO THEY WANT NOW? HAVEN'T THEY DONE ENOUGH?



OH, NO.



I KNOW EXACTLY WHAT THEY WANT.



YOU JUST KNOW THEY'RE GOING TO MAKE A MESS.

THEY ALWAYS DO.



YOU DONE FOR THE DAY, BASH?

MET MY QUOTA.

WISH I HAD THOSE BASH ARMS.



BASH ISN'T MY NAME.



IT'S PASH. PASH DAVANE. BUT YOU BASH ONE GUY IN THE HEAD WITH A ROCK AND, WELL, NICKNAMES STICK.



SO I'M A JANITOR...NOT A HERO. I'VE BEEN THINKING ABOUT THIS A LOT.



IN FACT, I'VE BEEN THINKING ABOUT NOTHING BUT THIS...

...PROBABLY  
BECAUSE I'VE GOT  
THE LEADER OF THE  
REBELLION DYING  
IN MY ROOM.

HOW MANY PEOPLE WILL DIE IF  
PRINCESS LEIA DIES? HOW MANY  
PEOPLE WILL DIE IF SHE LIVES?  
IT'S A KIND OF MATH I DON'T  
UNDERSTAND, OR PERHAPS DON'T  
WANT TO UNDERSTAND.

SHE STILL  
ALIVE?

BREEP BOOP  
BOOP.

