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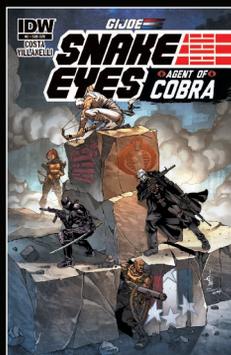
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Snake Eyes, now an Agent of Cobra, is sent on a new mission by Destro to find the former Cobra Commander's son. His first lead finds him in Jakarta, where he confronts the exiled G.I. Joe agent Chameleon...



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BERLIN. FOURTEEN MONTHS AGO.

IT'S NOT GETTING ANY BETTER.

FOUR YEARS OUT, AND I STILL CAN'T SLEEP THROUGH THE NIGHT. NOT REALLY.

I GIVE MY LIFE OVER TO SIMPLE PLEASURES. TRY TO LIVE LIKE A *HUMAN BEING*.

GOOD FOOD. GRASS BETWEEN MY TOES.

I TRY TO STAY AWAY FROM THE WINE AS A SOLUTION. I KNOW IT WOULD ONLY MAKE THINGS WORSE. BUT STILL. FOUR YEARS.



SNAKE EYES, AGENT OF COBRA PART TWO: THE DARK SISTER

AND THE FEAR THAT THEY'LL
FIND ME NEVER GOES AWAY.

ERIKA,
RIGHT?





YOU'RE NOT MY TINDER DATE.

I DON'T KNOW WHAT THAT IS.



THE AMAZING THING ABOUT BERLIN? IT'S SUCH A PEACEFUL CITY NOW, BUT EVERYWHERE YOU GO, THERE'S SOME RELIC OF WAR.

YOU KNOW THIS PARK USED TO BE AN AIRPORT?

WHEN THE SOVIETS CUT OFF ALL GROUND AND MATERIAL ACCESS TO WEST BERLIN, THE UK AND THE STATES DECIDED TO CALL THEIR BLUFF AND SEND IN CARGO PLANES.

MILK. COAL. GRAINS. MEDICINE. **EVERYTHING** A CITY NEEDS TO LIVE. IT WAS ALL FLOWN IN. PLANES WERE LANDING HERE EVERY THREE MINUTES FOR A YEAR.



IT WAS ONE OF THE GREATEST FEATS IN **AVIATION** HISTORY. ONE OF THE BIGGEST STARE-DOWNS IN **MILITARY** HISTORY. AND NOW, LOOK, KIDS RIDING BIKES OVER THERE.



JUST A PARK.



SO, YOU'RE A TOUR GUIDE, OR...

JUST A GUY INTERESTED IN *HISTORY*. THE WAY PLACES CAN MOVE ON, LEAVE BEHIND THE FACT THAT THEY WERE INVOLVED IN WAR AND TERROR. BECOME SOMETHING PEACEFUL.



HARDER FOR PEOPLE TO DO THAT.

SO HOW DID YOU FIND ME?



BRANDENBURGER TOR. THEY SET UP EXTRA SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS FOR THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE WALL COMING DOWN. IT'S CLEAR ON THE VIDEO THAT YOU'RE KEEPING OUTSIDE THE FOOTPRINT OF THE OLDER CAMERAS. YOU CLEARLY DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT THE NEW ONES.

STUPID.



STUPID. *OR*: NOT STUPID AT ALL. YOU'VE JUST HAD ENOUGH HIDING. LOOK AT YOU, READING INTELLIGENCE FILES OUT IN THE PARK. YOU CAN'T STAY AWAY.

TOUR GUIDE AND A SHRINK?

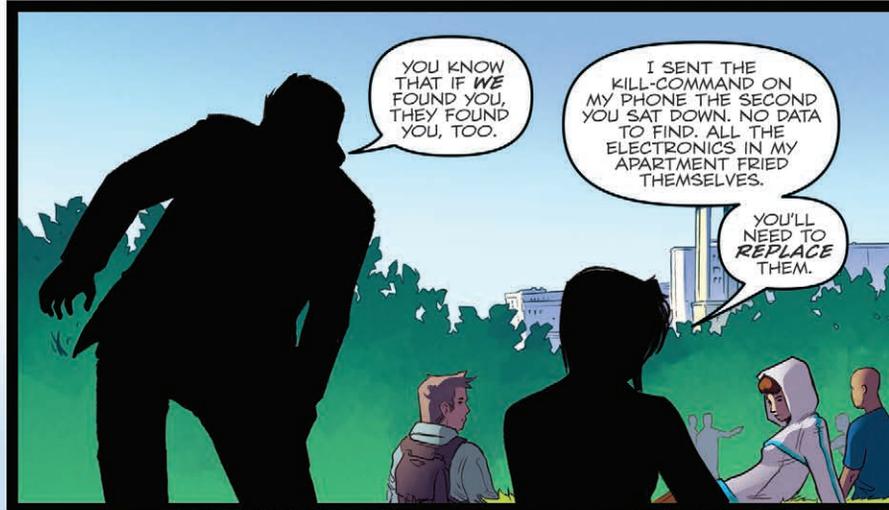


JUST A GUY INTERESTED IN HISTORY, SPECIFICALLY THE PEOPLE DOWN IN THE MUD WHO HELP CHANGE IT. LIKE *EX-COBRA*, *EX-G.I. JOE* MEMBERS OF THE SPOOK COMMUNITY WITH MORE SECRETS IN THEIR HEAD THAN IN J. EDGAR HOOVER'S FILEBOX.

WE COULD PUT A *BULLET* IN THAT HEAD, OR WE COULD PUT IT TO USE.



YOU'RE HIRED. BE AT THAT MEET IN BUDAPEST IN TWO DAYS.



YOU KNOW THAT IF *WE* FOUND YOU, THEY FOUND YOU, TOO.

I SENT THE KILL-COMMAND ON MY PHONE THE SECOND YOU SAT DOWN. NO DATA TO FIND. ALL THE ELECTRONICS IN MY APARTMENT FRIED THEMSELVES.

YOU'LL NEED TO *REPLACE* THEM.



OBVIOUSLY, AND THANK YOU FOR NOT SHOOTING ME WITH THE PISTOL IN YOUR SACHEL.

LIKE YOU DON'T HAVE SOME SNIPER SOMEWHERE WHO WOULD HAVE IMMEDIATELY TAKEN ME OUT.

OH, OF COURSE.



BUT A LOT OF PEOPLE GET BACK INTO THE LIFE JUST TO *DIE*.



"AND THAT WAS HOW I STARTED WORKING FOR THE *YAKUZA*."