
A large comic book panel showing Red Sonja in the center, wearing her signature chainmail bikini and holding a sword. She has a determined, shouting expression. To her left, a large, muscular, purple-skinned monster with a horned helmet is attacking. To her right, another similar monster is engaged in combat. In the background, other warriors are visible. The scene is set in a rocky, outdoor environment with a sunset or sunrise sky.

KNOW, O QUEEN, THAT JUST
AS EVERY LEGEND SEES THE
GLORIOUS LIGHT OF ITS FIRST
DAWN...

...IT SHALL SOMEDAY GLIMPSE
THE FINAL CLOSING OF NIGHT'S
CURTAIN UPON THE STAGE.


BUT WHERE A
LEGEND ENDS...

A horizontal comic book panel showing Red Sonja in the center, fighting two purple-skinned monsters. She is using her sword and a dagger. One monster is on the left, and another is on the right. The background is a dark, rocky landscape with a sunset sky.

...SO MAY A
LEGACY BEGIN.

A close-up comic book panel of Red Sonja's face. She has a determined, shouting expression. Her red hair is flowing. A speech bubble contains the text "RED SONJA!".

**RED
SONJA!**

A comic book panel showing Kulan Gath, a dark sorcerer, casting a spell. He is wearing a red robe and has a long, flowing red cape. He is holding a glowing green orb in his right hand. In the foreground, there is a large, glowing green cross-like symbol. The background is a dark, rocky landscape with a sunset sky.

OTHERS STILL WOULD HAVE YOU BELIEVE THAT
RED SONJA WAS KILLED IN BATTLE ON THE NOMAD
PLAINS BY THE DARK SORCERER KULAN GATH.

SOME SAY SHE
DROWNED AT SEA.

BLESSED
SCATHACH.
HEAR MY
PRAYER. TAKE
MY BODY, IF
YOU WISH
IT...

...CLAIM
MY BLOOD, MY
HEART, MY
BONES...

SOME SAY SHE DREW HER
FINAL BREATH QUIETLY,
SUCCEUMING TO THE GENTLE
DEATH OF THE AGED.



...BUT
DO NOT
LET MY
WAR...



"...BE LOST."



KNOW TOO, O QUEEN, THAT THERE
ARE MANY OF US WHO BELIEVE
THAT THE SHE-DEVIL LIVES TO THIS
DAY, AND THRIVES IN A PEACEFUL
EXISTENCE OF HER OWN CHOOSING.



WHATEVER THE TRUTH MAY
BE, RED SONJA'S LEGEND--
AND HER LEGACY--SHALL
LIVE ON, FOREVERMORE.



I THINK
WE'VE GOT
SOMETHING
HERE!

CAREFUL
WITH THE
BRUSHES,
LAD. IS THAT
STONE OR
METAL?

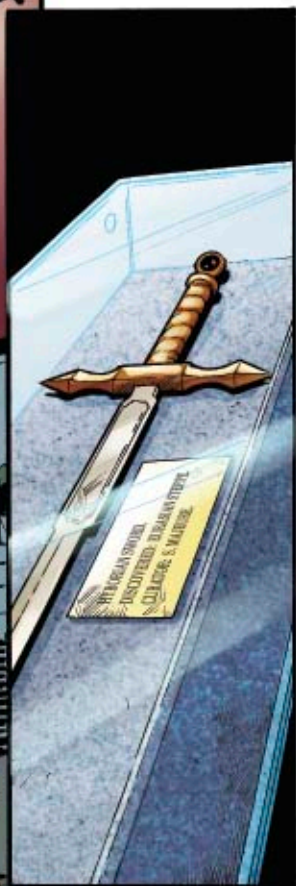
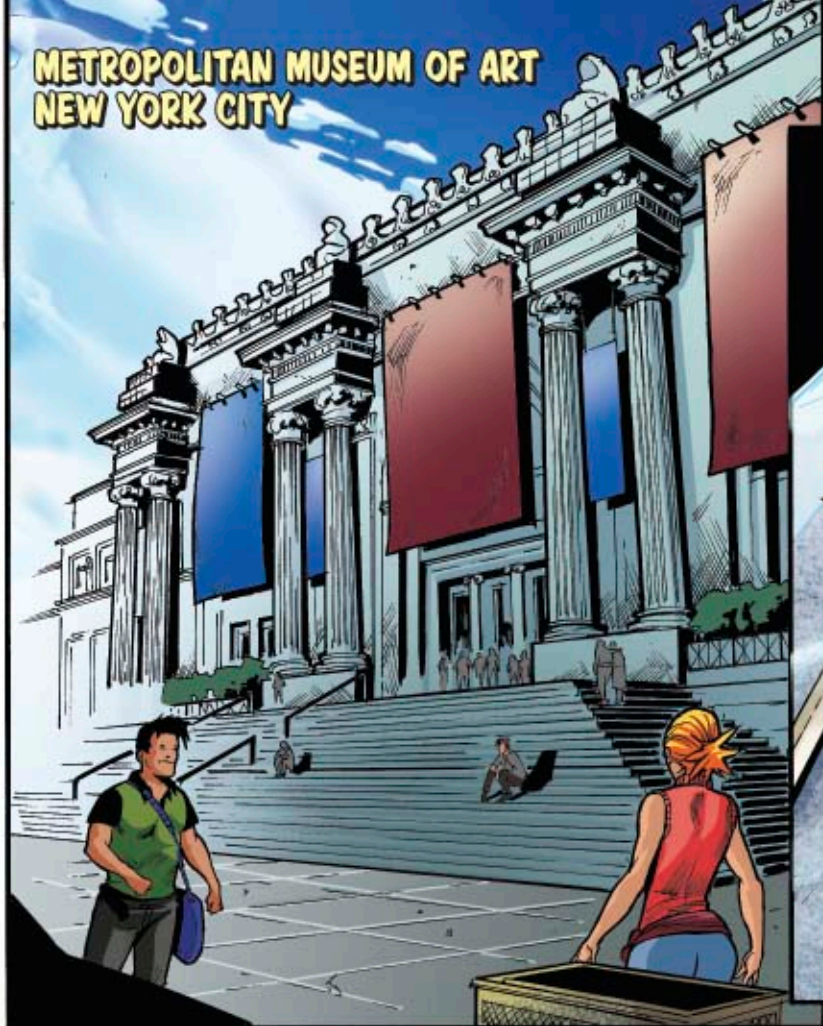


OH, IT'S
DEFINITELY
METAL...

...AND IT'S
BEAUTIFUL.

**SIBERIA
PRESENT DAY**

**METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART
NEW YORK CITY**



**SONJA MAJEURE
SPECIAL EXHIBITS CURATOR /
RELIQUARY ACQUISITIONS LIAISON
26 YEARS OLD**



SONJA!
WHAT IS
BEST IN
LIFE?



THIS
IS WHAT'S
BEST IN LIFE.
THIS. RIGHT
HERE.

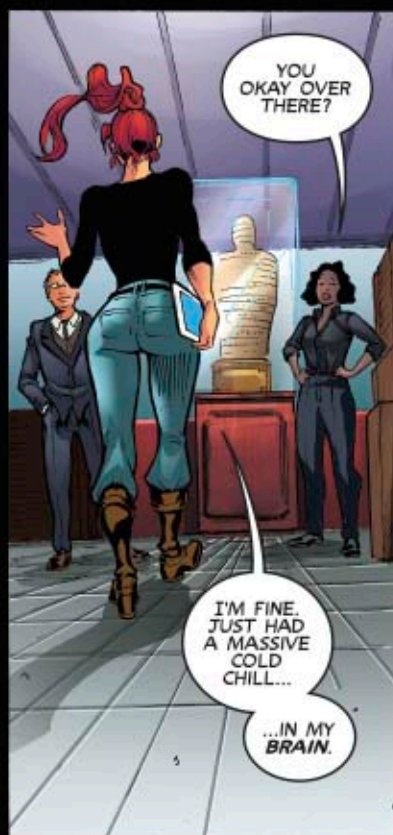


SORRY,
CAN YOU
SAY THAT
AGAIN?
THERE'S A
WEIRD
BUZZ--

HE'S HERE?
ALREADY?

NO,
NO. ARE YOU
KIDDING? I'M
THRILLED.

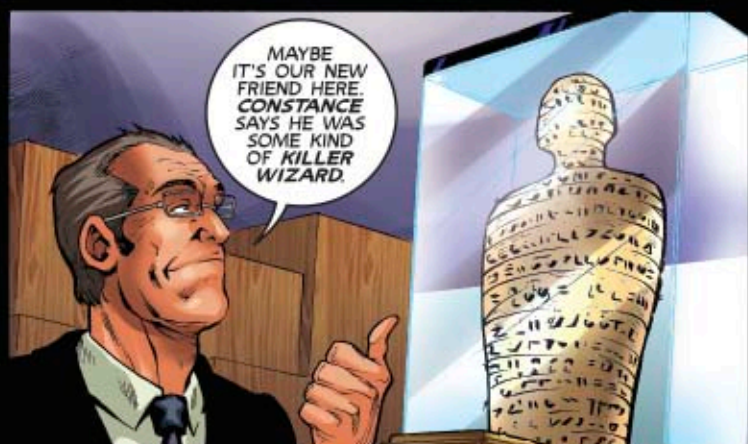
I'LL
BE RIGHT
THERE!



YOU
OKAY OVER
THERE?

I'M FINE.
JUST HAD
A MASSIVE
COLD
CHILL...

...IN MY
BRAIN.



MAYBE
IT'S OUR NEW
FRIEND HERE.
CONSTANCE
SAYS HE WAS
SOME KIND
OF **KILLER
WIZARD.**



HIS
NAME IS
**KULAN
GATH.**

IF KILLER WIZARDS
HAD A CONVENTION,
THIS GUY WOULD
BE THE KEYNOTE
SPEAKER.

YOU'RE
GONNA
LOVE THIS,
SONJA. TAKE
A LOOK.

OUR
GUYS IN RUSSIA
THINK IT'S A
SPELLBOOK.

WE'RE
SENDING THIS
OVER TO **REVEREND
GRADENKO** AT
ST. MARK'S, ALONG WITH
PHOTOS OF THE WEIRD
WRITING ON **KULAN
GATH'S** WRAPPINGS.
HE SAYS HE CAN
TRANSLATE IT.



GRADENKO
IS GREAT WITH
THE **HYBORIAN**
STUFF, LIKE I
ALWAYS SAY: IF YOU
WANT TO LEARN
THE **SECRETS**, FIND
SOMEONE WHO
SPEAKS THE
LANGUAGE.