

THREATENED B' **PERILS (MORTA** OR IMMORTAL)

IN ANCIENT DAYS, HERCULES WAS THE GREATEST HERO OF ALL. THROUGH HIS DEEDS AND COURAGE, HE BECAME FAMOUS AND BELOVED ACROSS THE KNOWN WORLD. HE WAS THE WORLD'S FIRST SUPER HERO, AND SET THE STANDARD FOR ALL HEROES THAT CAME AFTER HIM.

JRS **TAKEN**

BUT IN THE MODERN WORLD, IMMORTAL HERCULES HAS DONE LITTLE BUT ENJOY HIS FAME AND CELEBRITY. HE HAS BECOME NOTORIOUS FOR HIS DRUNKEN ANTICS, HIS UNRULY BEHAVIOR AND HIS DEBAUCHED LIFESTYLE. THE SUBJECT OF GOSSIP AND SCANDAL, HE HAS BECOME AN IRRELEVANCE.

HERCULES BEGAN TO CLEAN UP HIS ACT AND RESTORE HIS REPUTATION, BUT A MYSTERIOUS THREAT CALLED THE UPRISING STORM IS DESCENDING ON HIS CITY. HERCULES'S OLD FRIEND, THE BLIND SEER TIRESIAS, HAS FORESEEN THAT THE STORM REPRESENTS THE EXTINCTION OF THE OLD WAYS OF ANTIQUITY AND THE DEATH OF ALL CREATURES OF MYTH. AS HERCULES PREPARES TO TAKE A STAND AGAINST THE STORM, HE ENCOUNTERS OTHER OLD WARRIORS THAT HAVE EMERGED INTO THE MODERN WORLD IN RESPONSE TO THE STORM: THE FEARSOME CENTAURS, OLD AND BITTER FOES OF THE PRINCE OF POWER...

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