



DEADPOOL VERSUS THE PUNISHER

The man who manages **DEADPOOL**'s money is known as **THE BANK**, an accountant and family man whom Wade has known for years. **THE PUNISHER** is on the trail of **THE BANK**, who coincidentally happens to be a known money launderer and financial consultant to organized crime the world over.

When **DEADPOOL** and **THE PUNISHER** came face-to-face at The Bank's home, the ensuing shootout forced his wife to flee with their young son—into a boat which was rigged to explode, killing both instantly. With Frank undeterred in his crusade to take down The Bank and Wade seeking retribution for The Bank's family, their dispute is far from over. The Punisher took the first round with a shot right between Deadpool's eyes—but it's still anyone's game.

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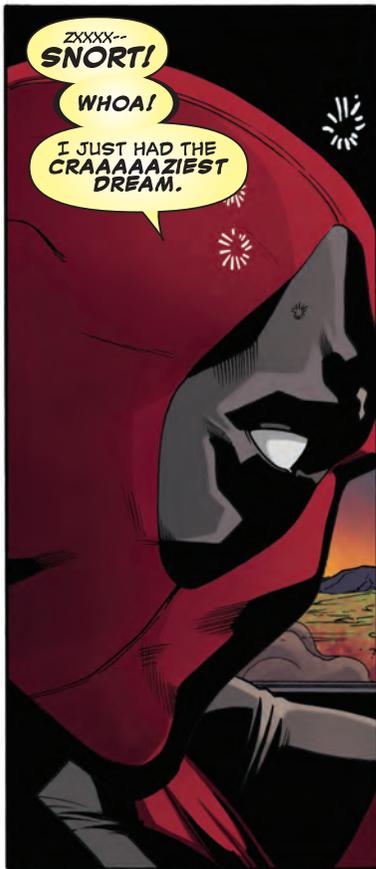
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SNORT!

WHOA!

I JUST HAD THE
CRAAAAZIEST
DREAM.



WELCOME
BACK TO
THE LAND OF
THE LIVING,
DEADPOOL.

YOU WERE
OUT FOR QUITE
A WHILE.



WHAT DO
YOU THINK THIS
MEANS:

ME AND
MY MOTHER AND
OUR HOUSEMATES
HAD THE **COOLEST**
PARTY--

--THOUGH
THAT GOOF EMMA
JANE SPIT UP FOOD
ALL OVER **BLANCHE**.
HAW, WHAT A
PIG!

BUT THEN
MAMA FELT LIKE
SHE HAD A "BUBBLE"
IN HER CHEST AND
SHE HAD TO
LIE DOWN--



--SHE WAS
AFRAID SHE WAS
HAVING A **HEART**
ATTACK, SO SHE
REALLY CONFRONTED
DEATH FOR THE
FIRST TIME--

--AND WE ALL
TALKED ABOUT
WHETHER WE WANTED
TO BE BURIED, OR
CREMATED, OR--

OH,
WAIT!



THAT
WASN'T A
DREAM.

THAT WAS
AN EPISODE OF
THE **GOLDEN**
GIRLS.

SO IT WAS
JUST LIKE
A BEAUTIFUL
DREAM...

AND THAT'S
THE LAST
THING YOU
REMEMBER?



NO, THE **LAST**
THING I REMEMBER
WAS TAKING THE LAUNCH
TO MY BUDDY BANKSY'S
PRIVATE ISLAND IN THE
HUDSON RIVER...

...MUST HAVE
BEEN **SOME**
PARTY! DIDN'T
KNOW YOU WERE
GOING TO BE
THERE, FRANK...

HEY NOW! SHUT THE BARN DOOR!

IS THIS YOUR BATTLE VAN? YOU NEVER LET ME RIDE IN YOUR BATTLE VAN!

IT'S A BATTLE VAN.

FOLLOW-UP QUESTION IF I COULD, BUDDY...

...I CAN'T HELP BUT NOTICE THAT I'M TIED UP.

WHAT'S THE BACKSTORY THERE?

WE...HAD SOME PRETTY ROUGH TERRAIN TO DRIVE OVER TO GET HERE.

DIDN'T WANT YOU TO FALL OUT OF YOUR SEAT AND HURT YOURSELF ONCE YOU DOZED OFF.

THAT MAKES PERFECT SENSE.

SO WHERE IS "HERE," ANYWAY?

IN THE UNDERWORLD THEY CALL IT "TERMINAL." WE'RE IN A STRETCH OF NOWHERE THAT'S NOT ENTIRELY THE U.S. OR MEXICO.

SMUGGLING WAYPOINT FOR CONTRABAND-- AND FUGITIVES.

I'VE TRACKED WHOEVER SANK YOUR FRIEND BANKS' WIFE AND SON'S BOAT HERE.

