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FORWARD, MY FAITHFUL! OUR ENEMIES ARE WEAKENED, PINNED DOWN! NOW IS THE TIME!

FOR THE GLORY OF WRAITHKIND, AS SACRIFICES TO OUR GREAT GODDESS'S AWAKENING... ANNIHILATE THEM!

THAT'S IT. THE LAST OF OUR AMMUNITION.

THERE ARE TOO MANY OF THEM. AND THEIR SORCERERS' MAGICKS SAP OUR STRENGTH, EVEN AT THIS DISTANCE.

LIVIA! I SHALL MOUNT A COUNTERSTRIKE. TAKE CAMILLA AND DARBY. FLEE THIS PLACE.

COMMANDER ORPHION, WITH ALL DUE RESPECT, I WILL NOT LET YOU SACRIFICE YOURSELF.

IT'S EITHER ONE OF US, OR ALL OF US.

THEN LET ME—

AW, I HATE WHEN METAL MOM AND DAD FIGHT.

I'M ABOUT MAKING PEACE.

SO I'LL JUST KILL YOU ALL.

YOU, TOO, ARE A VICTIM OF THE WRAITHS, ONCE-HUMAN!

YOU SHOULD FIGHT AT OUR SIDE!

"VICTIM?" THEY GAVE ME THIS AWESOME BODY!

PART ORGANIC, PART MACHINE, LIKE YOU!

OH, GOD, IT'S **AXIOM!**

DON'T TELL ME YOU'RE ONE OF THOSE *SELF-HATING* SOLSTAR KNIGHTS. THAT'S JUST SAD.

DON'T WORRY, THOUGH. I'LL PUT YOU OUT OF YOUR MISERY.

DO NOT TOY WITH THEM, AXIOM. OUR MAGICKS WILL ONLY IMMOBILIZE THEM FOR A FEW MOMENTS.

SLAY THEM. **NOW.**



YOU MAGIC  
JOCKEYS NEED  
TO TAKE MORE  
**ENJOYMENT** IN  
YOUR WORK.



**FIGHT,  
LIVIA!**  
THOUGH THE  
MAGICKS HOLD US  
IMMOBILE, WE MUST  
OVERCOME...  
OR DIE!



YOUR EFFORTS  
ARE USELESS,  
FOOL—



**WIVITVIT**

—UKK—

**SHZAAK**

WHO THE  
HELL—?

**ROM?!**

THEY ALWAYS  
FORGET THE  
*MICRONAUTS.*

UNTIL  
WE KILL  
THEM.



THE BARON'S GONNA WANT TO HEAR ABOUT THIS.

FLAP FLAP

THAT WIND—



FOR THE DARK GODDESS!

I'VE GOTTA REPORT BACK! YOU GUYS TAKE 'EM OUT, YOU GOT THIS!

MORONS.

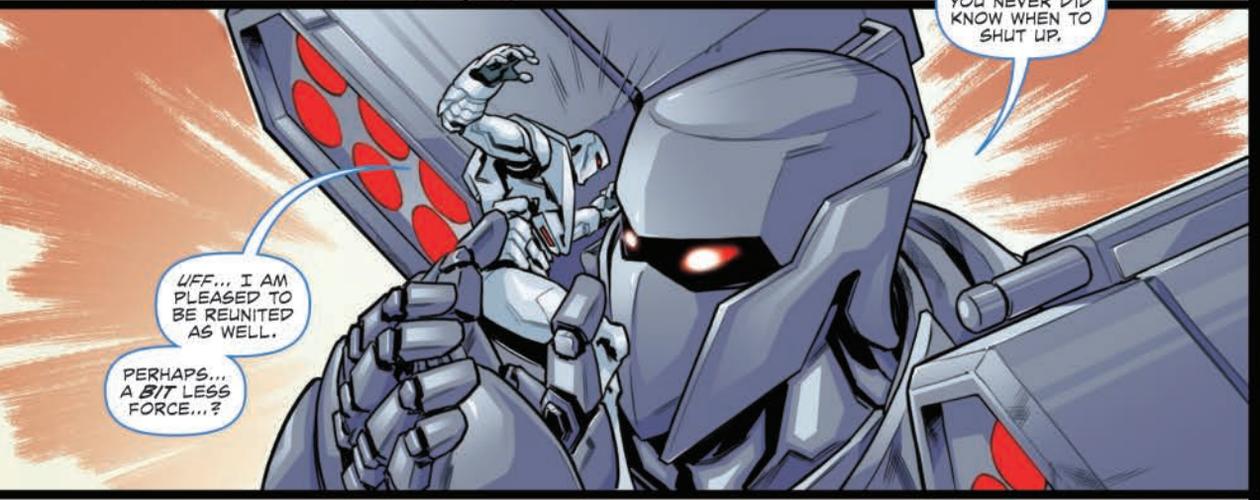


ROM? CAN IT TRULY BE—?

IT IS I, LIVIA. I WAS DISPLACED TO THE MICRONAUTS' HOME DIMENSION.

THEY BROUGHT ME BACK, THOUGH I REMAIN AT THEIR SCALE—

IT'S YOU, ALL RIGHT. YOU NEVER DID KNOW WHEN TO SHUT UP.



UFF... I AM PLEASED TO BE REUNITED AS WELL.

PERHAPS... A BIT LESS FORCE...?