

NEW YORK IS NO MORE! IN ITS PLACE STANDS NUEVA YORK, A TOWERING METROPOLIS FILLED WITH NEW INCARNATIONS OF THE HEROES OF THE PAST! TAKING ON THE MANTLES OF SUCH HEROES AS CAPTAIN AMERICA, IRON MAN, AND HAWKEYE, THESE NEW AVENGERS FIGHT FOR TRUTH, JUSTICE, AND MEGACORPORATIONS LIKE ALCHEMAX. THIS IS

SECRET WARS 2099

THE MULTIVERSE WAS DESTROYED! THE HEROES OF EARTH-616 AND EARTH-1610 WERE POWERLESS TO SAVE IT! NOW ALL THAT REMAINS IS BATTLEWORLD: A MASSIVE PATCHWORK PLANET COMPOSED OF THE FRAGMENTS OF WORLDS THAT NO LONGER EXIST, MAINTAINED BY THE IRON WILL OF ITS GOD AND MASTER, VICTOR VON DOOM! EACH REGION IS A DOMAIN UNTO ITSELF!

IN ONE SUCH DOMAIN, IN A FUTURISTIC METROPOLIS CALLED NUEVA YORK, THE AVENGERS ARE OWNED AND OPERATED BY ALCHEMAX, A MASSIVE CORPORATION THAT CONTROLS SUPERHUMAN ACTIVITY.

ONE GROUP, CALLED THE DEFENDERS, OPERATE WITHOUT ALCHEMAX'S PERMISSION AND WERE BRANDED AS OUTLAWS. CAPTAIN AMERICA AND HERCULES DISAGREED WITH LABELING THEM AS CRIMINALS AND STAGED A PRISON BREAK.

THINGS ARE ABOUT TO GET A BIT MORE COMPLICATED, HOWEVER.

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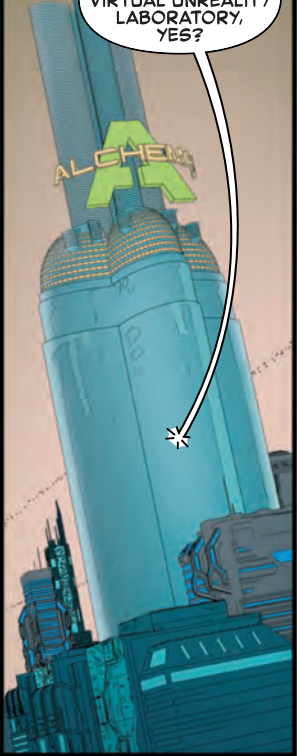
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THE YEAR 2099.**

EXCUSE ME. THIS IS THE VIRTUAL UNREALITY LABORATORY, YES?



WHAT ARE YOU DOING...? YOU'RE NOT PERMITTED IN HERE!

AND YET HERE I AM. APPARENTLY SOMEONE SHUT DOWN THE POWER TO THE DEVICE THAT WAS HOLDING ME IN PLACE.

AND I THOUGHT I WOULD USE MY PROXIMITY TO THIS DEVICE TO GOOD EFFECT.

WHO ARE YOU?!



MY NAME IS MARTIN HARGOOD. BUT I BELIEVE I SHALL HENCEFORTH GO BY THE NAME OF MY ANCESTOR...

BARON MORDO.

AND THIS GATEWAY WILL PROVIDE ME ACCESS TO THE BEING THAT I HAVE BEEN ENDEAVORING TO BRING HERE.



DOWN ON YOUR KNEES, GENTLEMEN! BE PREPARED TO GREET HIM!

AND THEN BE DEVOURD BY HIM!



THE SANCTUM OF STRANGE...



JUST... JUST LET ME GO! I'M BEGGING YOU!

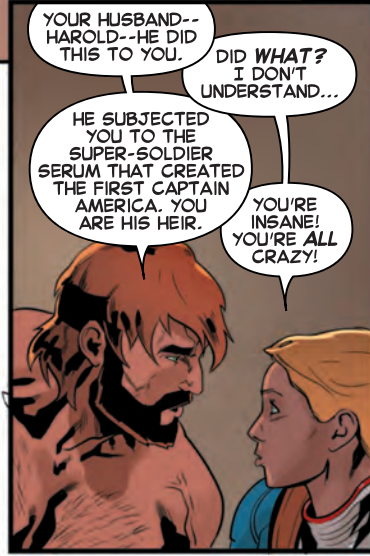
SHE'S BEEN LIKE THIS EVER SINCE I BROUGHT HER HERE. I HAVE NO IDEA WHAT'S HAPPENED TO HER...



I CAN TELL YOU. SHE HAS BEEN TRANSFORMED TO HER OTHER IDENTITY.

MY OTHER WHAT? WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?! I'M JUST... I'M ROBERTA MENDEZ!

NAY. YOU ARE FAR MORE.



YOUR HUSBAND-- HAROLD--HE DID THIS TO YOU.

DID WHAT? I DON'T UNDERSTAND...

HE SUBJECTED YOU TO THE SUPER-SOLDIER SERUM THAT CREATED THE FIRST CAPTAIN AMERICA. YOU ARE HIS HEIR.

YOU'RE INSANE! YOU'RE ALL CRAZY!



WHY DID YOU STICK ME INTO THIS COSTUME?!

IT IS YOURS. ALL OF THE AVENGERS KNOW THIS. BUT WE ARE UNDER STRICT ORDERS NOT TO DISCUSS IT WITH YOU.



JUST TAKE ME HOME! I'M NOT SOME...SOME SUPER HERO! I'M A NORMAL WOMAN!

YOU ARE ANYTHING BUT.

STOP SAYING THAT! JUST STOP SAYING TH--!

