

I'M SORRY, FOLKS, WE'RE NOT OPEN YET.

PRIVATE AUDITION. VERY SORRY.



SAMMY, HAVE A HEART. I MEAN, I KNOW SHE'S YOUR GIRLFRIEND...

BACKING OUT ALREADY, THERE, LENNY?

I DON'T SEEM TO REMEMBER YOU DISPARAGIN' MY COMPANY THAT WAY WHEN THOSE GUYS WAS GONNA SHANK YOU AT BLACKGATE.



NOW, SUITCASE--

DON'T CALL ME THAT.

SAMMY.

THAT CHAPTER OF MY LIFE, PEOPLE DON'T KNOW ABOUT, OKAY?



I OWE YOU. I'M NOT DENYING.

BUT THIS CLUB, IT'S ALL I HAVE. IF SHE CAN'T **PERFORM--**

NOW, THAT'S A FAIR CONCERN, LENNY.

AND AIN'T I ALWAYS BEEN A FAIR MUG?



ALL I'M SAYING. YOU GIVE HER A LISTEN.

IT'S IMPORTANT TO HER, SO IT'S IMPORTANT TO ME.

YOU DON'T LIKE HER, WE SHAKE PAWS AND WALK.

HIT IT, BABE!

YOU GOT
IT, SAMMY,
SWEETIE.

HOLY
MOTHER.
GIVE
THE DOG A
BONE!

WHAT
I SAID,
RIGHT?

SHE'S GOT,
WHAT, *STAR*
QUALITY.

I USED TO LOVE YOU, BABY, I USED TO BE YOUR DOLL. AND NOW YOU'RE SAYING MAYBE, WE CAN'T REALLY HAVE IT ALL.

WOMEN WANT DIAMONDS AND CARS AND FURS, BUT I JUST WANT TO BE LOVED. WOMEN WANT ALL THAT MONEY OF YOURS, BUT I JUST WANT TO BE LOVED.

JAYSUS WORE A CODPIECE, WHAT'S THAT NOISE?

WOMEN WANT TRIPS TO PARIS AND ROME, BUT I JUST WANT TO BE LOVED.

ARRROOOO!

WOMEN WANT FLOWERS TO FILL UP THEIR HOME, BUT I JUST WANT TO BE LOOOOOVED!

NO. NO. SHOOT ME IF YOU MUST, SAMMY.

BUT THAT CATERWALLING CRUMPET IS NEVER SINGING IN MY JOINT. NEVER.

SHE NEEDS A CORK, PALLY. I'M SORRY.

MAYBE IF SHE HAD A GIMMICK.

I'M SORRY.

WAIT, LEN. WAIT.

SHE JUST NEEDS GUIDANCE!





IS **THIS**
WHAT IT
TAKES TO GET
NOTICED?

IS **THIS**
WHAT IT
TAKES TO BE
HEARD?

I JUST
WANT TO BE
LOVED!

UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS

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AM I NOT SEXY AND ADORABLE?
YOU.

DO I NOT GIVE YOU AT LEAST A LITTLE BIT OF A BAT-ON?

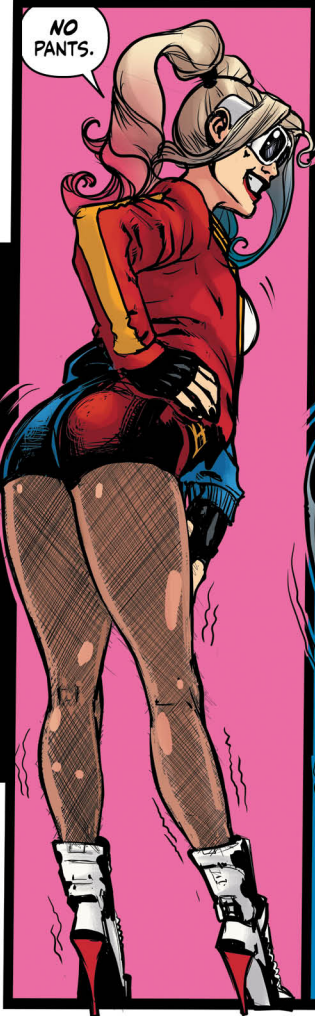


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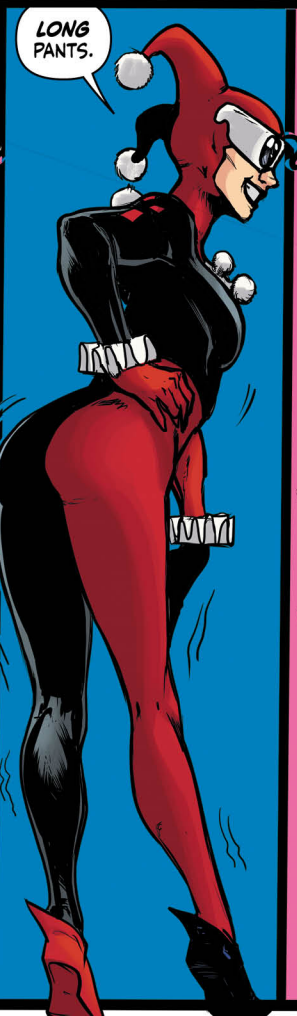
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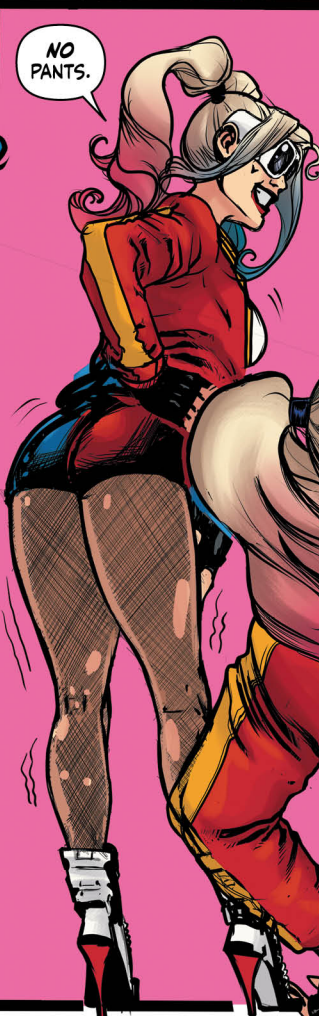
LONG PANTS.



NO PANTS.



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NO PANTS.



NOTHING?

THIS STUFF IS HUGE AT COMIC CONS.