

DECOMPILATION

BRAZIL

"HOW'S HE DOING?"

"DON'T DISTRACT ME, ARCANÉ."

"JUST BECAUSE I'M THE MACHINE'S AVATAR DOESN'T MEAN THIS IS EASY."

"IT'S ALL DIFFERENT."

"THESE THINGS... THEY'RE NOT *PLANTS*. HARD TO PUT MY MIND INTO THEM. HARD TO MAKE THEM DO WHAT I WANT."

"AND SAY WHAT YOU WILL ABOUT ALEC HOLLAND AND YOUR DAUGHTER..."

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"...THEY ARE VERY, VERY GOOD."

CHILE.

"I ACTUALLY LEARNED THIS TACTIC FROM SOMEONE I USED TO WORK WITH. HE CALLED HIMSELF A WOLF."

VIETNAM.

"MORE OF A PUPPY. MORE OF A TOAD."

"BUT HE HAD THE OCCASIONAL WORTHWHILE IDEA."

"I SENT MY... MINIONS... ALL OVER THE WORLD. HAD THEM HIT THE PLANTS."

BENEATH.

"I EVEN SENT A FEW AFTER HIS WOMAN."

THREE MILES OFF COAST CITY.

"THE WOLF TRIED TO BEAT HIM THIS WAY."

"THAT WAS FOOLISH. YOU WON'T BEAT ALEC HOLLAND IN A STRAIGHT-UP FIGHT. NEVER."

"AFTER ALL, I TAUGHT HIM EVERYTHING HE KNOWS."

METROPOLIS.

"YOU CAN'T BEAT HIM IN A FIGHT. BUT YOU CAN KEEP HIM BUSY."

"AND TODAY, THAT SHOULD BE ALL WE NEED."

IT'S DONE, ARCANÉ. THE GREEN AND ROT AVATARS ARE AS DISTRACTED AS THEY'LL EVER BE.

SO IT'S TIME?

YES. GIVE THEM TO ME.

OF COURSE, MY QUEEN.

DO NOT PATRONIZE ME, *BEAST*. I AM THE MACHINE QUEEN. YOU OWE ME NO FEALTY.

BUT I DO OWE YOU RESPECT. YOU RAISED ME UP FROM MY DISGRACE.

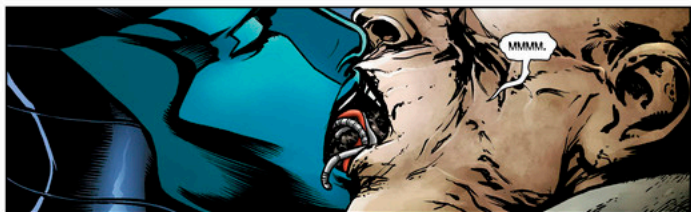
IN ANY CASE, HERE, THE BONES OF ALEC HOLLAND.

LOVELY.

IT'S...BEEN A VERY LONG TIME.

FOR ME AS WELL.

COME, THEN.





OH... HE'S BEAUTIFUL.

YES, BUT WE NEED TO TAKE HIM AND GO. THERE'S VERY LITTLE TIME.

ALEC HOLLAND WILL KNOW WHAT WE DID.