

# THE WOLVERINE IS DEAD. HIS LEGACY REMAINS.

LOGAN MET HIS END WHILE DESTROYING A REVAMPED VERSION OF THE WEAPON X PROJECT, LOCATED IN A FACILITY KNOWN AS PARADISE.

LOGAN COULD NOT ESCAPE, BUT OTHERS DID--FIVE TEST SUBJECTS, ALL GRANTED STRANGE NEW POWERS. NONE WERE EVER INTENDED TO SURVIVE OUTSIDE THE PROGRAM, AND HAVE BEEN INFUSED WITH A TICKING CLOCK IN THEIR DNA THAT WILL KILL THEM UNLESS IT CAN BE DEACTIVATED.

THESE LOST WEAPONS KIDNAPPED A GROUP OF FIVE OF WOLVERINE'S DEADLIEST ASSOCIATES IN THE HOPE THAT THEIR HEALING FACTORS MIGHT HOLD THE ANSWER TO SAVING THE TEST SUBJECTS' LIVES. THE REFUGEES FROM PARADISE HOLD SIGNIFICANT LEVERAGE OVER THE FIVE KILLERS--SECRET "CONTROL WORDS" THAT CAN MANIPULATE, SEDATE OR EVEN KILL EACH OF THEM.

THE GROUPS HAVE TRACKED DOWN ANOTHER PARADISE TEST SUBJECT SURVIVOR, FANTOMELLE (WHO, ALONG WITH HER PSYCHICALLY-LINKED PET FOX, CULPEPPER, WAS ENGINEERED AT PARADISE TO BE THE PERFECT THIEF) TO HELP THEM BREAK INTO MR. SINISTER'S LAIR AND RECLAIM THE BODY OF WOLVERINE. BUT THEY FIND MORE THAN THEY BARGAINED FOR WHEN SIPHON, THE MONSTER WHO STOLE DAKEN'S HEALING FACTOR, CRASHES THE PARTY...

## PARADISE



SHOGUN



NEURO



ENDO



SKEL



JUNK



FANTOMELLE

## THE WOLVERINES



MYSTIQUE



SABRETOOTH



LADY  
DEATHSTRIKE



DAKEN



X-23

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**BARCELONA.  
NOW...**

**FANTOMELLE?**

**STEP AWAY  
FROM THE  
MONSTER. WE'RE  
HERE TO HELP.**





STAY  
BACK,  
X-23!

DON'T GET  
NEAR THAT THING!  
YOU WANT TO LOSE  
YOUR HEALING  
FACTOR, END UP  
LIKE DAKEN?

I  
KNOW.

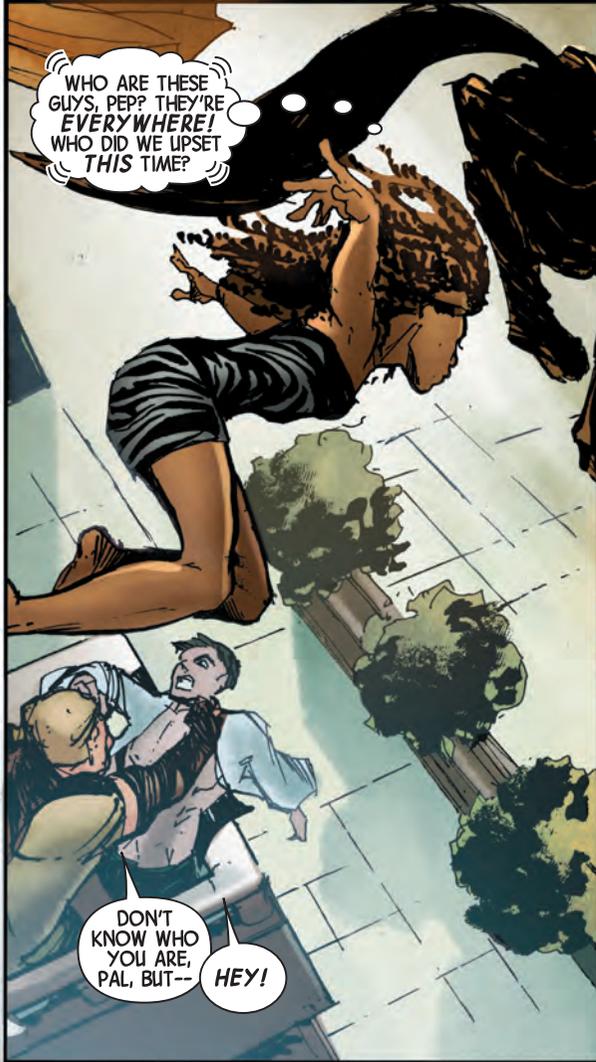
LET'S GET  
OUT OF HERE,  
FANTOMELLE!



WAIT!  
SKEL--  
NO!

GRRRR--

COME ON!  
YEAHHH!



WHO ARE THESE GUYS, PEPP? THEY'RE EVERYWHERE! WHO DID WE UPSET THIS TIME?

DON'T KNOW WHO YOU ARE, PAL, BUT-- HEY!



DON'T YOU HURT HIM!

HUH? WHAT THE--



SKEL. TURN THAT THING AROUND.

I'M TRYING, SHOGUN!

YOU HAVE NOTHING I NEED...

NAH, WE GOT EXACTLY WHAT YOU NEED!

A...NNGH...A BEATING!