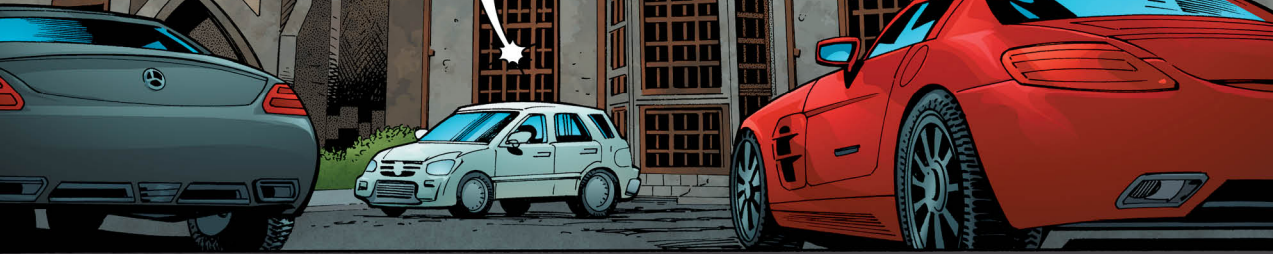


**ST. HADRIAN'S SCHOOL FOR GIRLS:  
THE SECRET HEADQUARTERS OF SPYRAL.  
NOW!**

YOU SHOULD HAVE SIMPLY KILLED ME, DICK.



BRINGING YOUR ENEMY INTO YOUR HOME, **SURELY** THE BATMAN TAUGHT YOU BETTER THAN THAT.

OR...

MAYBE HE'D ALREADY **GIVEN UP** ON YOU BEFORE HE'D HAD A CHANCE TO TEACH YOU. **HMMMM?**



AT A CERTAIN POINT, IT ONLY MAKES SENSE TO CUT YOUR LOSSES. SEPARATE THE WEAK FROM THE HERD, LET THEM DRAG YOU DOWN.

AND BATMAN DID NOT WANT TO BE DRAGGED DOWN, NOT BY YOU--

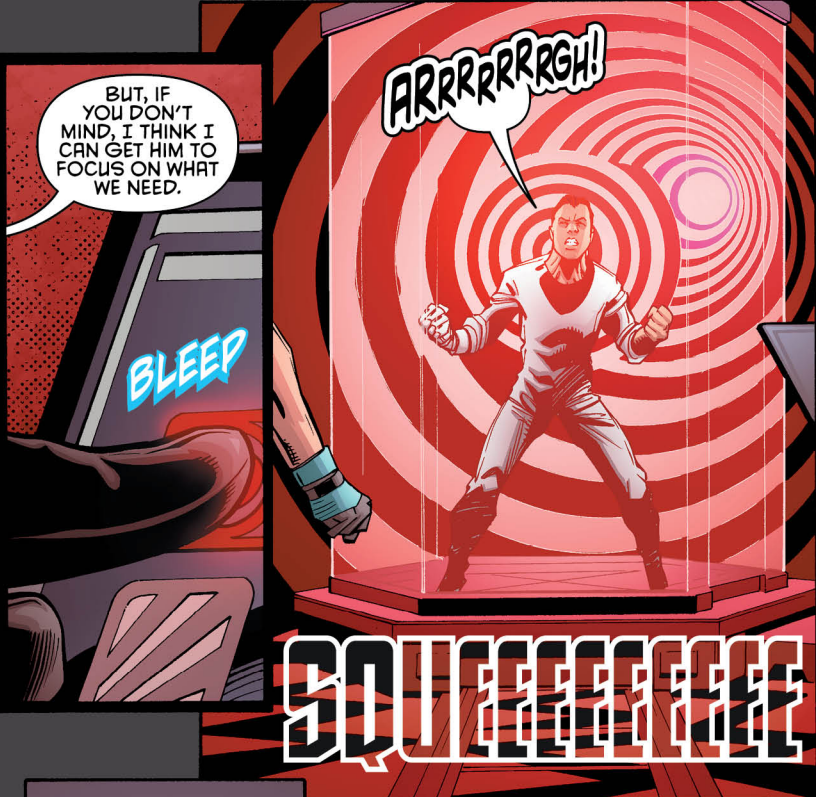
YOU **DONE**, ORPHAN?





IT'S BEEN LIKE THIS SINCE CAPTURING HIM.

IF HE REALLY WANTED TO PLAY ON YOUR INSECURITIES, I CAN HAVE HIM TAKE A LOOK AT YOUR EMPLOYEE RECORD.



BUT, IF YOU DON'T MIND, I THINK I CAN GET HIM TO FOCUS ON WHAT WE NEED.

BEEP

ARRRRRRGH!

SQUAAAAA

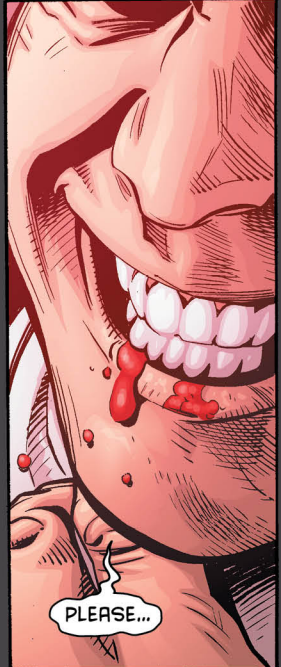


WHOA! HELENA, THAT HYPNOSIS BLAST IS TOO STRONG-- YOU'LL KILL HIM!

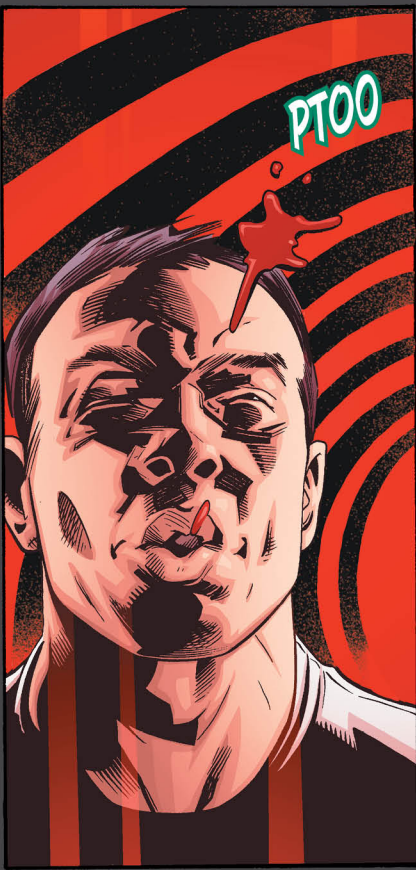
IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS, YOU BETTER ASK THEM NOW.



WHAT WAS BATMAN DOING IN CAIRO? WHAT DID HE DO FOR MOTH--



PLEASE...



PTOO

DID YOU **REALLY** BELIEVE YOU COULD USE YOUR **MIND CONTROL** ON ME? THAT I WOULD BREAK SO **EASILY?**

SON OF A BITCH.

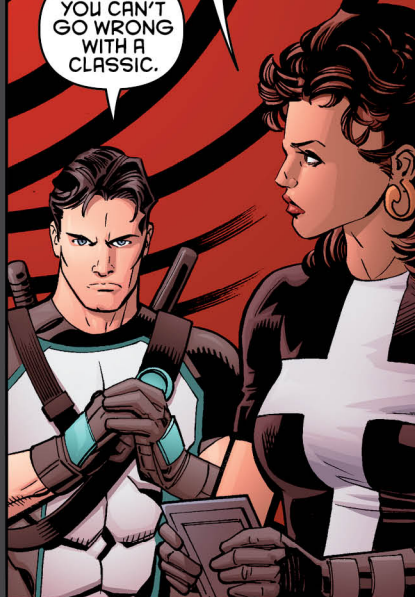
...BUT WITH ENOUGH PRACTICE AND DISCIPLINE, NOT IMPOSSIBLE TO OVERCOME.

OKAY, HYPNOS IS A NO-GO. YOU GOT A PLAN B?

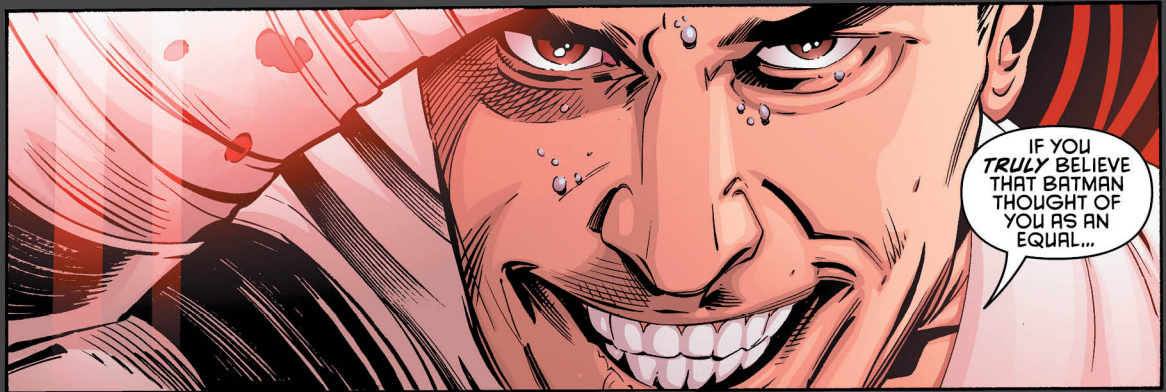
FISTS? YOU CAN'T GO WRONG WITH A CLASSIC.



POPPY ASHMORE TOLD US ALL ABOUT THIS INVASIVE TECH OF SPYRAL'S. PRETTY IMPRESSIVE...



MY QUESTION FOR YOU... "ROBIN"...



IF YOU **TRULY** BELIEVE THAT BATMAN THOUGHT OF YOU AS AN EQUAL...



...THEN WHY ARE YOU ASKING ME QUESTIONS THAT YOU SHOULD **ALREADY** KNOW THE ANSWER TO?

THE **BIGGER** QUESTION MIGHT BE...



"...WHY DIDN'T BATMAN TRUST YOU ENOUGH TO TELL YOU HIMSELF?"

IT'S ME. IT'S DONE...

THE CHILD IS READY FOR ACQUISITION, THEN?

...YES, MOTHER.

EVERY-THING WENT ACCORDING TO PLAN.

CAIRO, EGYPT.  
SEVERAL YEARS AGO.

# BATMAN & ROBIN ETERNAL

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