

THE PROBLEM WITH A CITY LIKE METROPOLIS?

IT PRETTY MUCH HAS THE ONE DEFENDER.

SO HE HAS TO STICK HIS *SUPER-POWERED NOSE* EVERYWHERE.

HE CAN'T AFFORD TO BE WRONG. NOT ONCE.

BUT *GOTHAM*?

YOUR *FLYING RODENT SOCIETY* IS PRACTICALLY ITS OWN DEMOGRAPHIC.

YOU'VE GOT SO MANY BAT-PEOPLE YOU'RE ALL BUT TRIPPING OVER EACH OTHER.

THAT MAKES IT EASY FOR A GIRL LIKE ME TO SLIP BETWEEN THE CRACKS...

...AND TAKE THIS CITY APART BRICK BY BRICK.

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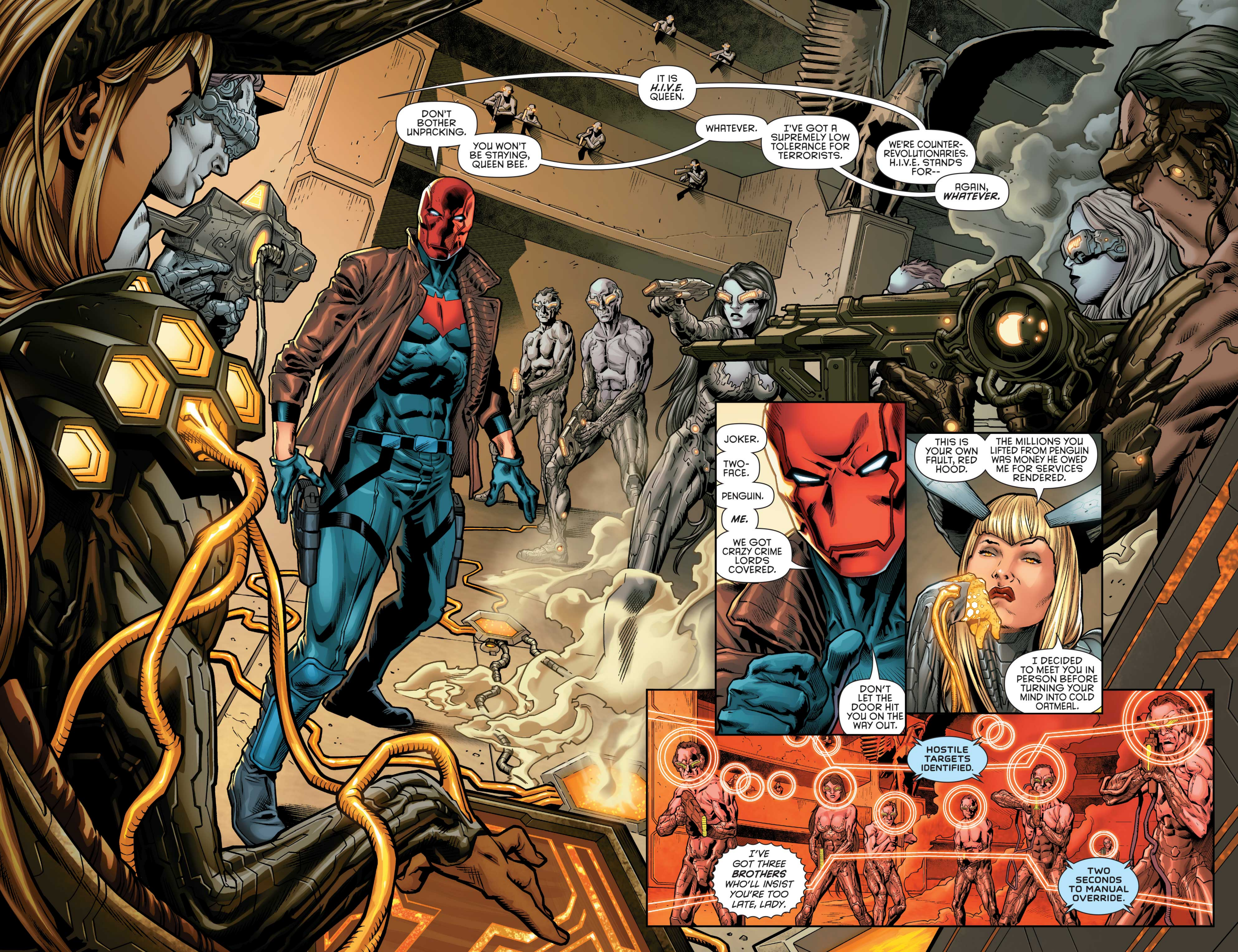
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DON'T BOTHER UNPACKING.

YOU WON'T BE STAYING, QUEEN BEE.

IT IS H.I.V.E. QUEEN.

WHATEVER.

I'VE GOT A SUPREMELY LOW TOLERANCE FOR TERRORISTS.

WE'RE COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARIES. H.I.V.E. STANDS FOR--

AGAIN, *WHATEVER.*

JOKER.
TWO-FACE.
PENGUIN.
ME.
WE GOT CRAZY CRIME LORDS COVERED.

THIS IS YOUR OWN FAULT, RED HOOD.

THE MILLIONS YOU LIFTED FROM PENGUIN WAS MONEY HE OWED ME FOR SERVICES RENDERED.

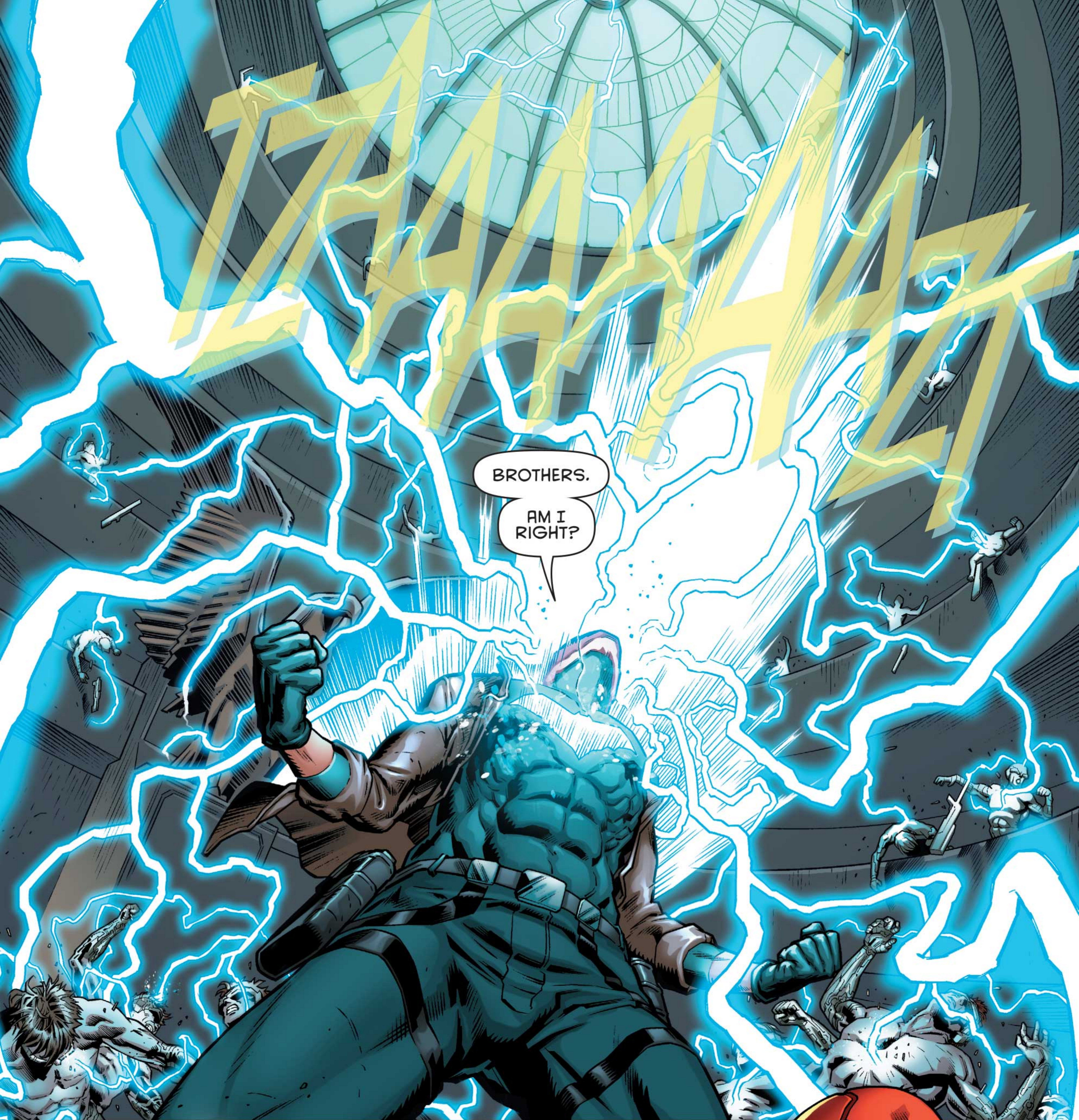
DON'T LET THE DOOR HIT YOU ON THE WAY OUT.

I DECIDED TO MEET YOU IN PERSON BEFORE TURNING YOUR MIND INTO COLD OATMEAL.

HOSTILE TARGETS IDENTIFIED.

I'VE GOT THREE BROTHERS WHO'LL INSIST YOU'RE TOO LATE, LADY.

TWO SECONDS TO MANUAL OVERRIDE.



BROTHERS.

AM I
RIGHT?



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HOW DID YOU DO THAT WITHOUT ME *READING* IT IN YOUR THOUGHTS?

IT'S CALLED AN OMNI-DIRECTIONAL AUTO-DEFENSE SYSTEM.

A FRIEND OF MINE TOLD ME THAT WOULD WORK.

BUT YOU KNOW--UNTIL YOU ACTUALLY SEE IT...

THAT'S ME.

HIS FRIEND.