

BEAST BOY AND BUNKER'S TINY APARTMENT.

LOWER MANHATTAN.

BEAST BOY,
a.k.a. Gar Logan

S.T.A.R.
LABS WANTS
TO WORK
WITH US?

I GOTTA
TELL YOU, BOSS,
I'VE LET IT SINK INTO
THIS BRAIN OF MINE
FOR A DAY OR SO, AND
NO MATTER HOW HIGH
UP I AM ON THE
EVOLUTIONARY SCALE,
I'M STILL NOT
SEEING IT.

I'M
WITH GAR. SURE,
THEY HAVE MONEY,
INFLUENCE AND SOME
VERY DESIRABLE
MANHATTAN
LOCATIONS.

BUT WHY
THE TITANS?
S.T.A.R.'S NOT
EXACTLY IN THE
SUPERHERO
BUSINESS.

RAVEN.
No a.k.a.
Just Raven.

BUT THEY
WANT TO BE,
MIGUEL. AND
THEY WANT TO
START WITH
US.

RED ROBIN,
a.k.a. Tim Drake

BUNKER,
a.k.a. Miguel
Barragan

HUMAN RESOURCES PART 1

SCRIPT: **WILL PFEIFER** ART: **SCOTT HEPBURN**

COLORS: **DAN BROWN** LETTERS: **JOHN J. HILL** COVER: **KENNETH ROGAFORT** VARIANT COVER: **DARWYN COOKE**

ASSOC. EDITOR: **RICKEY PURDIN** EDITOR: **MIKE COTTON** GROUP EDITOR: **EDDIE BERGANZA**

SUPERMAN CREATED BY JERRY SEIGEL & JOE SHUSTER. BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE JERRY SEIGEL FAMILY.

THE GUY I SPOKE TO, MANCHESTER BLACK? HE MAKES A VERY CONVINCING CASE. FINANCIAL SUPPORT, MARKETING ASSISTANCE...

PLUS, HE GOT MY TOOTH FIXED, DIDN'T HE? PEOPLE IN OUR LINE OF WORK, A MEDICAL PLAN SEEMS LIKE IT'D COME IN MORE THAN HANDY.

AND WE'D HAVE A BASE OF OPERATIONS AGAIN AT THEIR FACILITY ON GOVERNORS ISLAND. SOMETHING SECURE. SOMETHING PRIVATE. SOMETHING...

SOMETHING, WELL, A LITTLE MORE... PROFESSIONAL.

SAYS THE MAN IN THE BIRD COSTUME.

POINT TAKEN.

AND RAVEN, KNOWING HOW YOU VALUE YOUR PRIVACY, I'LL BET YOU'D LIKE A LITTLE PROTECTION FROM ALL THIS NOTORIETY WE'VE BEEN GETTING LATELY.

ACTUALLY, I DO NOT MIND. IT'S SORT OF...

...FUN.

REALLY?

YES. REALLY.

I GUESS THINGS ARE CHANGING, BUT I STILL THINK WE'D BE BETTER OFF IF WE COULD CONTROL OUR ACCESS A LITTLE BIT MORE.

OKAY, OKAY, BOSS MAN. IF YOU'RE GOOD WITH THE IDEA, WE'RE GOOD WITH THE IDEA. SO WHAT'S THE PLAN?

I MEAN, YOU'RE OBVIOUSLY CONVINCED, RIGHT?

RIGHT?

SEE, GAR, THAT'S THE THING. I AM CONVINCED. TOO CONVINCED, IN FACT.

IT SEEMS LIKE SUCH A GOOD FIT FOR US, SUCH A PERFECT OPPORTUNITY AT SUCH A PERFECT TIME...

...THAT SOMETHING'S GOT TO BE WRONG.

TYPICAL.

HEH HEH.

AND THAT, MY FINE FURRY FRIEND, IS WHERE YOU COME IN.

ME?

YES, YOU. WITH THE TECH S.T.A.R. LABS HAS IN ITS ARSENAL, THEY COULD BE DOING ALL SORTS OF THINGS TO INFLUENCE THIS DECISION.

I'D LIKE YOU TO SNEAK IN AND DO A LITTLE RECON. MAYBE AS SOMETHING A LITTLE LESS CONSPICUOUS THAN A HOWLER MONKEY, THOUGH.

NO PROBLEMO, CHIEF. I'VE BEEN TRYING OUT SOME NEW FORMS LATELY FROM SOME ALTERNATE BRANCHES OF THE ANIMAL KINGDOM...

HOW ABOUT PEDICULUS HUMANUS CAPITIS?

PERFECT.

WHAT'S THAT?

YOU DON'T WANT TO KNOW.

OKAY, I'M OFF TO S.T.A.R. LABS. LATER, KIDS!

THANKS, GAR.

YOU KNOW, EVEN IF THIS DOES ALL CHECK OUT, THIS HAS TO BE A TEAM DECISION. MEANING EVERY ONE OF US.

MEANING?

MEANING...

...WHERE IS WONDER GIRL?

CLEARLY, YOU CAN SEE THAT THIS... WHATEVER "THIS" IS...

CASSIE, YOU'RE MY DAUGHTER. YOU'RE A BRIGHT GIRL.

IT'S NOT EXACTLY SETTING YOU UP FOR A SECURE FUTURE.

MOM...



WONDER GIRL a.k.a. Cassie Sandsmark

I MEAN, FORGET ABOUT THE OBVIOUS. FORGET ABOUT THE SUPERHEROICS. FORGET ABOUT THE DANGER. THAT'S, WELL, THAT'S JUST TOO BIG TO EVEN THINK ABOUT RIGHT NOW.

JUST THINK ABOUT THE SMALLER THINGS. AN INCOME. A JOB. YOUR PRIVACY. IT'S NOT LIKE YOU'RE TRYING TO HIDE YOUR IDENTITY BEHIND ANY SORT OF A MASK...

MOM, I KNOW, I KNOW...



AND ANOTHER THING...

I'M A LITTLE CONCERNED ABOUT THE COMPANY YOU'VE BEEN KEEPING.

MOM, I--



Wonder Girl's own personal fanclub.



ACTUALLY, MOM... YOU MIGHT BE RIGHT ABOUT THAT LAST ONE.