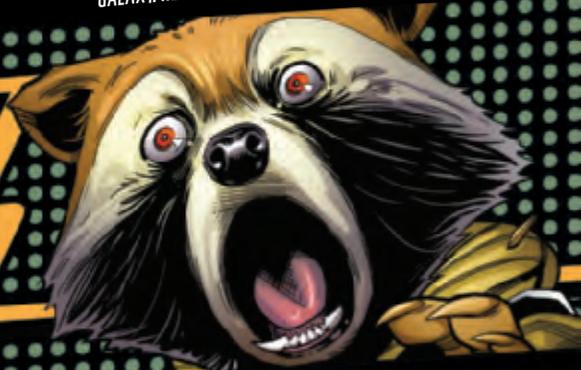




THE ONLY ONE OF HIS KIND, ROCKET IS MANY THINGS: A PILOT, AN EXPERT THIEF, A WEAPONS ENTHUSIAST, A TACTICAL GENIUS, A HERO WHO CHOSE TO USE HIS SKILLS FOR GOOD AS A GUARDIAN OF THE GALAXY. HE'S NOT A RACCOON, THOUGH.

ROCKET RACCOON



IN A CATAclysmic BATTLE ON EARTH, THE GUARDIANS OF THE GALAXY LOST THEIR SHIP WHICH ROCKET LOVED DEEPLY, IN PART FOR ITS ABILITY TO TAKE HIM FAR AWAY FROM EARTH. ROCKET BLAMED THE GUARDIANS' LEADER, PETER QUILL, FOR STRANDING THEM, AND SOME OF THE OTHERS WERE MAD ABOUT LESS IMPORTANT THINGS. SO THEY WENT THEIR SEPARATE WAYS...

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THIS
PLANET
SUCKS.



WHAT IS IT?

I THINK IT'S SQUIRREL GIRL.

YOU'RE ALL AWFUL. I WANT YOU TO KNOW THAT.



EVERYTHING ABOUT YOUR CULTURE SUCKS.



ALMOST EVERYTHING.



IS THAT HEDGEHOG GOING IN THERE?!

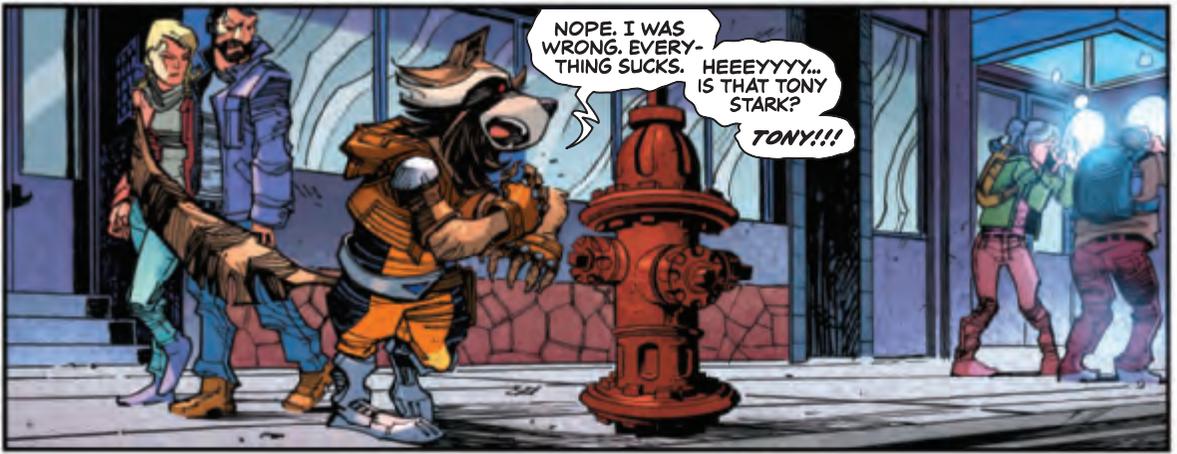


THAT IS FRIGGIN' GROSS.



DON'T COME BACK!

SO FRIGGIN' GROSS.



NOPE. I WAS WRONG. EVERYTHING SUCKS.

HEEEYYYY... IS THAT TONY STARK?

TONY!!!



YOU'RE NOT IRON MAN. IS THAT PLASTIC? ARE YOU PLASTIC--

GET OUTTA HERE, YA CHEAP MICKEY. GET YOUR OWN SPOT.



REMEMBER NEVER TO TEAM UP WITH THAT GUY.

SNIFF
SNIFF



OH, MAN. I GOTTA GET OUTTA THIS CITY.



YOU SOME KIND OF WEIRD SUPER HERO?

