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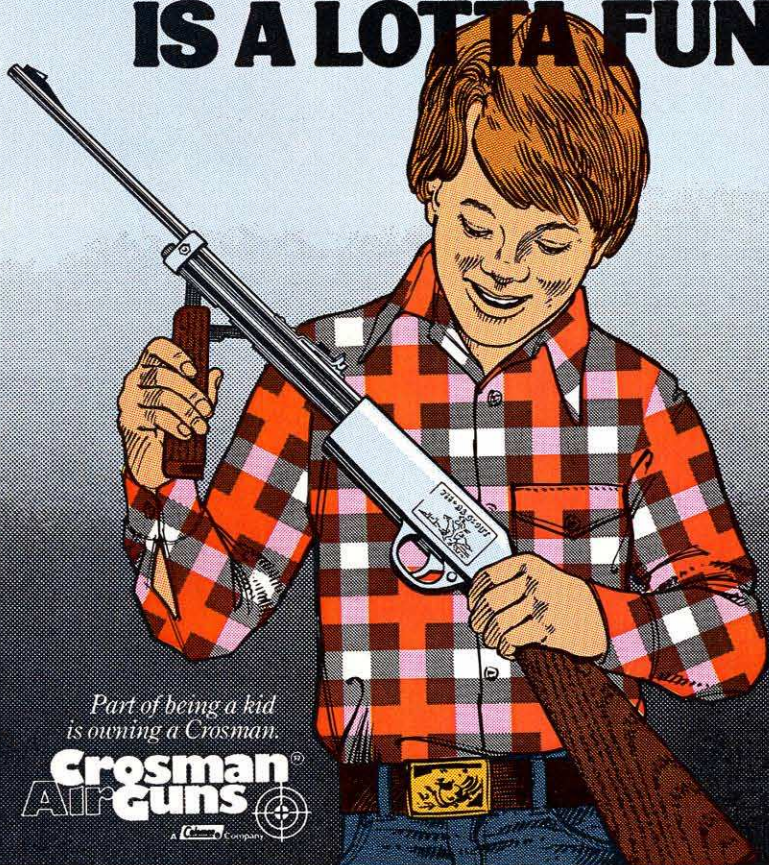
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PRESENTS

# THE SPIDER and THE BURGLAR

...A SEQUEL

***LAST MONTH: THE ARCH-VILLAIN MYSTERIO INJECTED OUR FAVORITE WALL-CRAWLER WITH ENOUGH CHEMICAL DEPRESSANT TO WASTE A HERD OF RAMPAGING ELEPHANTS. BUT WHAT IT DOES TO SPIDEY IS SOMETHING ELSE ALTOGETHER!***

I--I DON'T  
BELIEVE IT! I'VE  
LOST MY SPIDER-  
POWERS!

AND JUST  
WHEN I NEED  
THEM THE  
MOST!

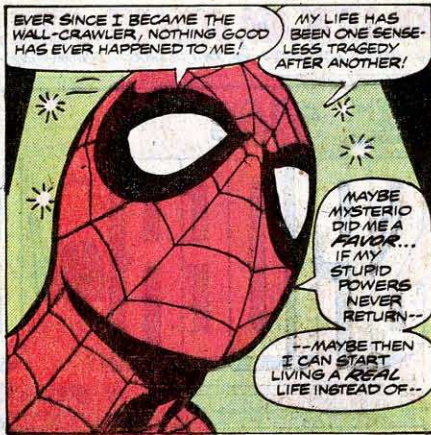
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A TURBULENT RAIN SCRATCHES THE NIGHT SKY AS A SAD AND TROUBLED PETER PARKER TRUDGES HIS WAY HOME...



TOO LATE FOR THE BUSES... AND NO CAB'S STOPPING FOR ME, SO IT'S A TEN MILE WALK THROUGH THE RAIN. TYPICAL, PARKER... JUST TYPICAL!

THIS JUST ABOUT COMPLETES AN ALTOGETHER LOUSY DAY!

BUT I DESERVE IT. IF I HAD KEPT MY WITS ABOUT ME, I'D'VE REMEMBERED THAT MYSTERIO ONCE CALLED HIMSELF LUDWIG RINEHART.

TROUBLE IS, WHEN HE DID, HE WORE A MASK. I NEVER ASSOCIATED HIS REAL FACE WITH THAT NAME.



AND BECAUSE I DIDN'T, AUNT MAY DIED!

JUST LIKE UNCLE BEN DIED BECAUSE I DIDN'T STOP THAT BURGLAR!

HOW MANY MORE PEOPLE ARE GOING TO DIE BECAUSE OF THE CURSE OF SPIDER-MAN?



SPIDER-MAN? LORD, HOW I'M BEGINNING TO HATE THAT NAME!

BUT, WHILE A TUMULTUOUS PETER PARKER BERATES HIS SOMBER SOBRIQUET, BACK IN THE BASEMENT OF THE RESTWELL NURSING HOME, A CERTAIN BURGLAR IS IN A SOMEWHAT DIFFERENT MOOD...



DID IT! CUT THE LAST ROPE WITH THAT MIRROR I BUSTED.

NOW IT WON'T TAKE TOO LONG TA GET FREE.

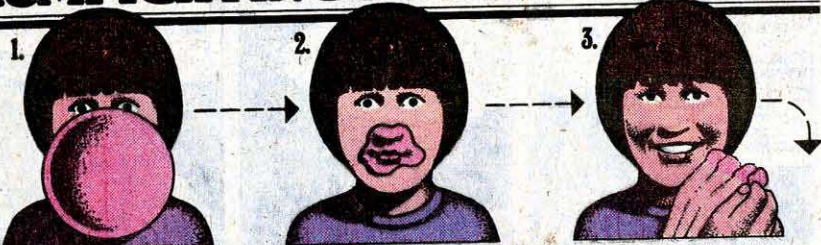


THAT RINEHART CREEP IS GONE-- CHASED AWAY BY SPIDER-MAN. BUT I'M STILL HERE...

AN' BELIEVE ME-- I AIN'T LEAVIN' TILL I GET WHAT'S COMIN' TO ME!

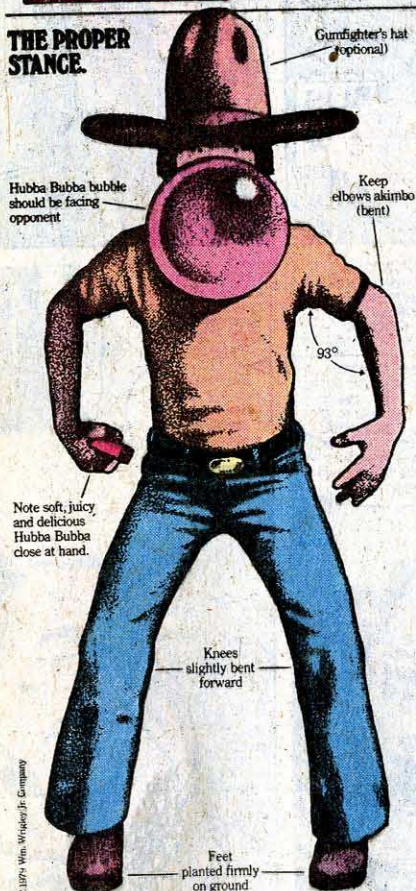


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HOT ENOUGH TO  
MELT MY HEART  
OF ICE, FLAME-  
FACE.



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HIS POWER IS  
NOT JUST ICE--  
IT'S LIFE-  
STEALING COLD.



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ME COLD,  
HOT SHOT?

GETTING SOME-  
THING THAT WILL  
WARM YOU FROM  
THE INSIDE OUT,  
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APPLE  
AND  
CHERRY.

WHAT CRUST! SO  
LIGHT, SO TENDER.  
AND I'M WARMING  
UP TO THE REAL  
FRUIT FILLING.



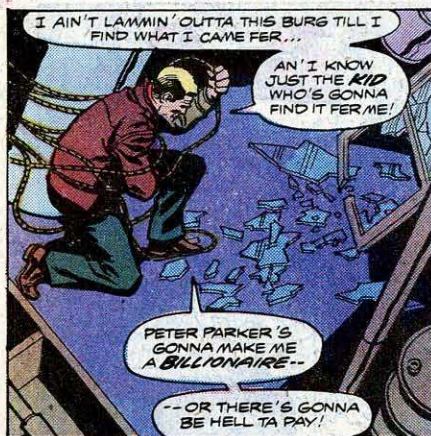
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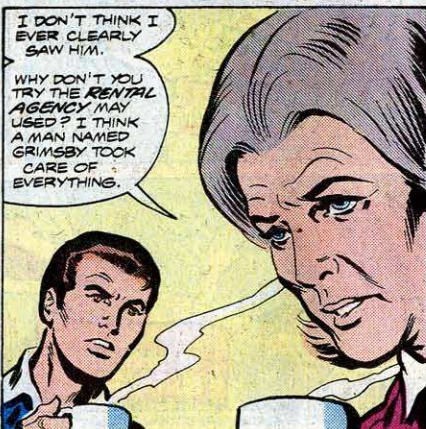




FOREST HILLS, AND THE HOME WHERE THAT PREVIOUSLY MENTIONED 'KID' WAS RAISED...



NEXT DOOR: THE HOME OF ANNA MAY WATSON, MAY PARKER'S BEST FRIEND...





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AH, YES, LET ME SEE, M' BOY...  
AH, YES. I REMEMBER HIM NOW.



YOU KNOW WE CAN'T VOUCH FOR EVERYONE WHO WALKS IN HERE. NOW, CAN WE, SON?



AH, YES, HIS NAME. SURE, M' BOY. HERE IT IS.



AND, A MOMENT LATER...

TAKE CARE, M' BOY--AND COME BACK WHENEVER YOU WANT... ESPECIALLY IF YOU NEED AN APARTMENT.



IT'S NOT AN APARTMENT: CHOKER! I NEED, GRIMSBY.

CHOKER!... AFTER TWO MINUTES WITH YOU, I NEED A NEW SET OF LUNGS!



CIGARETTES--SNEESH!

I CAN HARDLY BELIEVE IT... HE'S BACK--THE ONE CREEP I HADN'T SUSPECTED!

BUT NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT, IT MAKES SENSE... DEADLY SENSE!





MEMORIES ARE REKINDLED IN PETER PARKER'S MIND. MEMORIES TRACING BACK TO THE DAY THAT SPIDER-MAN WAS BORN...

PETE REMEMBERS  
THE LONELINESS...

...AND THE TRAGIC EXPERIMENT  
IN RADIOACTIVE RESEARCH!

HE REMEMBERS THAT SEARING,  
FIERY MOMENT...

SCIENCE  
EXHIBIT  
EXPERIMENTS  
RADIO-ACTIVE  
OPEN  
TO THE  
PUBLIC

...AND ITS  
FATEFUL  
AFTER-  
EFFECTS!

A POWER WAS BORN THAT DAY...  
BUT IT WAS POWER WITHOUT  
COMPASSION.

HE REFUSED TO  
ESCAPE  
THE ESCAPE  
OF A COMMON BURGLAR...

...AND THAT ONE DEED WOULD  
RETURN TO HAUNT HIS NIGHT-  
MARES FOR MANY YEARS TO COME.

HE BITTERLY  
REMEMBERS  
THE DEATH  
OF HIS UNCLE  
BEN...

HE REMEMBERS HIS  
GRIM SEARCH FOR  
THE KILLER...

... AND THE TRAGIC TRUTH WHEN  
THE FIEND WAS CAUGHT: THE  
BURGLAR HE LET ESCAPE WAS  
HIS UNCLE'S MURDERER!

AND SO SPIDER-MAN LEARNED  
HIS FIRST IMPORTANT LESSON:

WITH GREAT POWER COMES GREAT RESPONSIBILITY!







**CHAPTER TWO**

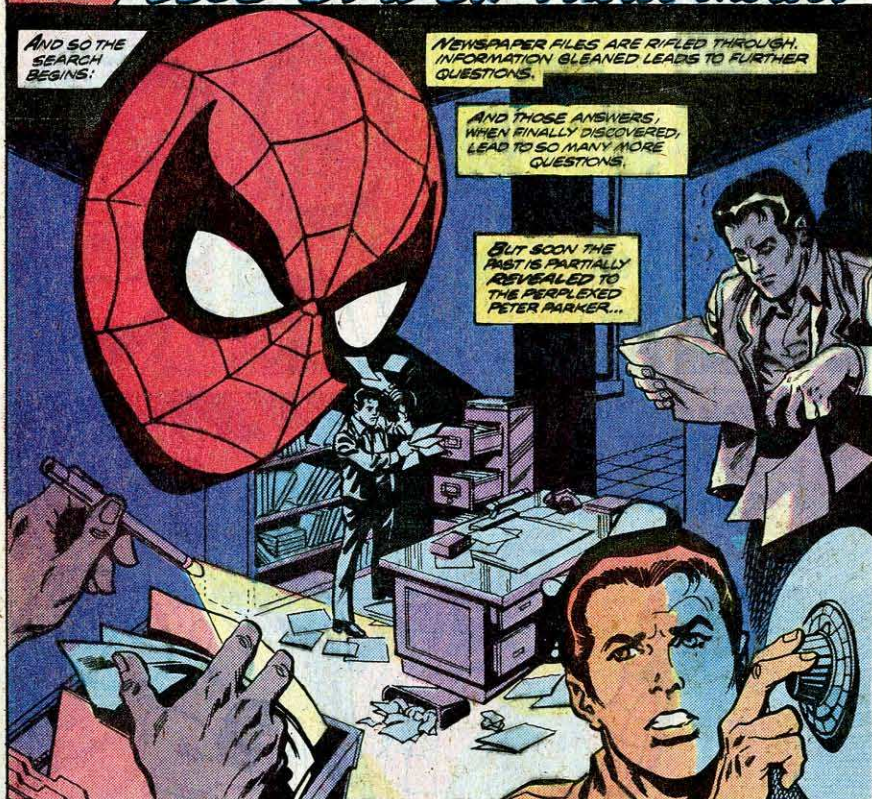
# LESS SPIDER THAN MAN!

AND SO THE SEARCH BEGINS:

NEWSPAPER FILES ARE RIFLED THROUGH. INFORMATION GLEANED LEADS TO FURTHER QUESTIONS.

AND THOSE ANSWERS, WHEN FINALLY DISCOVERED, LEAD TO SO MANY MORE QUESTIONS.

BUT SOON THE PAST IS PARTIALLY REVEALED TO THE PERPLEXED PETER PARKER...



THIS IS ALL SO AMAZING! BUT I'M STARTING TO UNDERSTAND ALL ABOUT UNCLE BEN'S MURDER!



BUT I STILL GOTTA CHECK OUT ONE LAST PLACE BEFORE THE JIGSAW PUZZLE NEATLY FITS TOGETHER!

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...LIKE TO CHECK OUT THE FILES, FOR THAT STORY I'M WORKING ON...

GOT AN APPOINTMENT, SON?

WELL, NOT REALLY BUT--

SORRY, NO APPOINTMENT, NO ADMITTANCE! IT'S POLICY!



THEN WE'LL JUST HAVE TO SEE ABOUT GETTING AROUND THAT POLICY, WON'T WE NOW?





MINUTES LATER, ON THE ROOF  
OF AN ADJACENT SKYSCRAPER...

SOMETHING TELLS ME I'VE  
REALLY LET MYSELF IN FOR  
IT THIS TIME!

BUT, IF I WANNA GET  
INTO THEIR VIDEO-TAPE  
RECORDS, I GOTTA  
RESORT TO A LITTLE  
ILLEGAL BREAKING  
AND ENTERING!

AND, SINCE I CAN'T  
DO THIS AS PUNY  
PETER PARKER, IT'S  
UP TO SPIDER-MAN  
TO SAVE THE DAY!



IT ALWAYS SEEMS TO  
COME DOWN TO THIS, DOESN'T  
IT? OUT GOES PARKER, IN  
COMES THE WONDERFUL  
WALL-CRAWLER!





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## STAN'S SOAPBOX

Okay, movie and tv fans, fasten your seat belts! Stan's going Hollywood, and I'm bustin' to tell you about it, just as I promised last ish!

Even as you read these wondrous words, we're all quakin' with excitement because the Silver Surfer seems destined to become a big, bombshell Star Wars type of movie! It'll take a year or so to film, so you should be seeing it sometime in 1982. But, that's not all! Daredevil, Thor, Spider-Man, Captain America - to name just a few - will soon be starring at your favorite neighborhood movie theatre, on your tv screen, or on the stage of a Broadway show - and we mean live, with flesh-and-blood stars!

Meanwhile, right now Spidey's female counterpart, Spider-Woman, begins her new Saturday morning animated series on ABC-TV. While the ever-lovin' Thing is starring in his own Saturday morning cartoon comedy on NBC-TV! Give 'em a gender, hear? You'll get a real kick outta the kid show versions!

Anyway, mighty Marvel is getting so wrapped up in show biz that I've moved to Los Angeles for a while to set up our own West Coast film production headquarters! It's been a real blast meeting and getting to know so many actors, screen writers, and directors; but best of all has been the fun of introducing them to the wonderment of Marvel!

And, speaking of wonderment, I've just gotta tell you about my latest assault on the sanity of mankind. It's a new book called "The Best of the Worst" - a cataclysmic compendium of the rottenest things on earth! It's lavishly illustrated, fantastically funny, published by Harper & Row, and on sale at book stores everywhere for the ridiculous price of \$4.95! After all, even us big Hollywood tycoons gotta eat!

Well, that's enough incredible info for now, 'cause we don't wanna spoil you! So, till we meet again next ish, always remember - nobody's perfect; even the Silver Surfer flunked his audition for "Hair"!

Excelsior!

*Stan*

**SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT! EPIC ILLUSTRATED DEBUTS JANUARY 24th.** Yes, we know you've all been waiting for a long time, faithful ones, but imagine how we feel! No one could be more excited than we are about the dazzling artwork, the startling stories, and the sheer science fiction/fantasy wonderment wrapped up in EPIC - because we know how terrific it is! Things take time, though, and we're leaving nothing about EPIC to chance. We want everything to be perfect, and if that means we've got to wait until January, then (sigh!) so be it. Anyway next month, in this space, we'll be making a special, limited *Charter Subscription Offer* so that you, our faithful followers, can get in on the ground floor. Stay tuned!

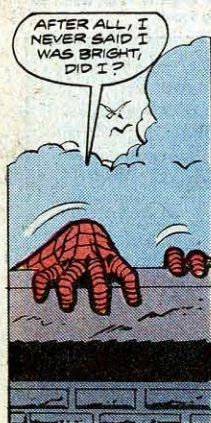
**ITEM!** Every week, it seems, we get a kaboodle of letters from culture lovers coast to coast complaining about how tough it is to find all of our Marvelous Masterpieces at the local drugstore or newsstand each month. Some titles, it seems, sell out almost overnight, and others apparently never even arrive from the distributor! Many fans have suggested that Marvel open up a chain of Comics Stores across the country which would specialize in Marvel's magnificent magazines, comics, merchandise, and hard-to-get back issues so that serious collectors and fans would have easy access to their favorite Marvel masterworks. That, friends, is a *terrific* idea - which is probably why someone beat us to it! The fact is that there are currently *hundreds* of comics shops scattered across this great land, owned and operated by scores

of independent dealers. Virtually every major city has at least one shop, and new ones are popping up all the time, often in smaller towns and hamlets where frustrated frantic fans abound. Most of these shops carry all the latest comics (even our competition!) and many of them handle back issues, posters, books, T-shirts, and lots of other great stuff as well! There's probably a comics shop or two in your very area, so if you want to keep up with the latest, don't sit there like a lump, look in the phone book, ask around, and find out where the nearest comics shop is. If you can't locate one, check the *classified ads* in this very comic book. Many dealers advertise in the comics and do business by mail! And keep watching those ad pages for a *listing* of comicbook specialty shops which we hear is coming soon!

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- ☐ **SHOGUN WARRIORS #12** - The Warriors go to the moon to find the mystery menace that threatens Earth.
- ☐ **SPIDER-WOMAN #22** - Spider-Woman faces the Killer Clown!
- ☐ **DAREDEVIL #162** - "Requiem for a Pug!" Matt Murdock relives his tragic past.
- ☐ **MARVEL SUPERHEROES #86** - A classic tale from yesteryear! The Hulk faces the mighty Golem!
- ☐ **SPIDEY SUPER STORIES #44** - Spidey tangles with Dr. Time and Dr. Godtopus with the Vision at his side.
- ☐ **AMAZING SPIDER-MAN #200** - The one you've been waiting for! It's double-sized dynamite as Spider-Man battles the burglar!
- ☐ **CAPTAIN AMERICA #241** - The Punisher guest stars in a tale called "Fear Grows in Brooklyn!"
- ☐ **THOR #281** - It's Thor versus Odin And Zeus in the land of the Eternals!
- ☐ **MICRONAUTS #13** - Bug returns to his native planet to settle an old score!
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LATER...

"HALLELUJAH!  
EVEN US HUMAN-TYPE  
ARACHNIDS CAN HAVE A  
LUCKY DAY!"



NOW TO SETTLE BACK  
AND SEE WHAT I CAN  
LEARN!

THIS MIGHT CLEAR  
UP JUST WHY  
UNCLE BEN'S KILLER  
FIRST CAME TO THE  
PARKER HOUSE  
WAY BACK WHEN!



WHOA... BETTER SWITCH  
TO PARKER FIRST-- DON'T  
WANNA GET CAUGHT HERE  
AS A POWERLESS  
SPIDER-MAN...

IT MIGHT PROVE TOO  
EMBARRASSING IF THEY  
DECIDE TO PEEK  
UNDER MY MASK!



FOR MORE THAN TWENTY  
MINUTES THE VIDEO TAPE  
UNREELS AN ASTONISH-  
ING STORY. BUT THEN,  
SUDDENLY FROM THE  
OUTSIDE HALLWAY...



**STOP! THIEF!**

HUH?  
NOISES?  
WHAT'S  
GOIN' ON?



**STOP HIM! PLEASE  
DON'T LET HIM ESCAPE!**

THAT MAN  
RUNNING...  
THE GUARD  
BOWLED  
OVER--!



DON'T WORRY IT,  
OLD TIMER-- THIS  
CREEP ISN'T GOING  
ANYWHERE!

ARE YOU  
NOW, PRETTY  
BOY?

HEY!  
WHATTAYA  
DOIN'?



JUST EXERCISING  
A LITTLE CIVIC  
RESPONSIBILITY,  
PAL!

**WHACKO!**

YOU STOPPED HIM!  
HE'S BEEN SNATCHING  
PURSES HERE FOR  
MONTHS!

NOT ANY  
LONGER  
HE ISN'T!



THANK YOU, SON.  
THESE  
DAYS NOBODY  
WANTS TO GET  
INVOLVED!

DON'T MENTION  
IT... IT WAS--



WAITASEC--  
HIS  
FACE!

OH, MY  
GOODNESS!  
IT'S HIM  
AGAIN!



AN EMBARRASSED  
PETER PARKER  
MAKES A HASTY  
RETREAT. AND THEN...

HE WAS THE  
SAME GUARD  
WHOSE PLEA  
FOR HELP I  
ONCE IGNORED!

IF I HAD  
HELPED HIM  
THEN, UNCLE  
BEN MIGHT  
NOT HAVE  
DIED.

NOW... THIS  
TIME WHEN  
HE NEEDED  
ME I DIDN'T  
THINK TWICE!

I GUESS I  
REALLY HAVE  
GROWN UP  
THESE PAST  
FEW YEARS!

ONCE I WAS ONLY  
CONCERNED WITH WHAT  
WAS IN IT FOR ME.  
BUT NOW--

HUH? MY DOOR'S  
BEEN JIMMIED  
OPEN!

YOU GOT  
IT RIGHT,  
PUNK.  
C'MON IN!

**YOU?**

YEAH, CREEPO--  
ME! I CAME  
BACK--AN--  
GUESS WHAT?

YOU'RE GONNA  
HELP ME, OR I'M  
GONNA DO TO YOU  
WHAT I DID TO YOUR  
INTERFERIN'  
UNCLE!

GET MY  
DRIFT...  
CREEP.



# CHAPTER THREE

# LET THE BURGLAR BEWARE!

HATED BURNS IN PETER PARKER'S EYES. A QUIVERING LUMP GROWS WITHIN HIS THROBBING THROAT. HIS SINEVY MUSCLES BUNCH AND TENSE...

THEN, LIKE A TIGHTLY WOUND COIL, HE SPRINGS FORWARD IN ONE SAVAGE LEAP...

YOU KILLER!  
YOU FILTHY,  
MURDERING  
KILLER!

I'M GONNA  
MAKE YOU  
PAY FOR WHAT  
YOU'VE DONE!

WHAA!?!

SO SUDDEN AND FEROCIOUS IS PARKER'S ATTACK THAT THE STARTLED BURGLAR HAS NO TIME TO REACT.

THE YOUTH IS A WILD ANIMAL WHO THRASHES HIS HAPLESS VICTIM WITHOUT MERCY...

TO PETER, THIS IS THE MAN WHO INSTIGATED ALL THE TRIALS AND TEARS THAT HE HAS SUFFERED ALL THESE MANY YEARS...

YOU  
KILLED  
MY UNCLE  
BEN!

YOU  
MURDERED  
MY AUNT  
MAY!

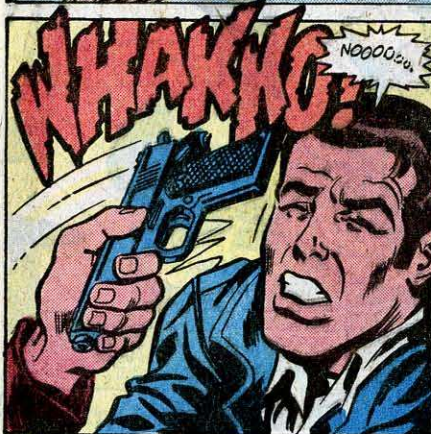
AND  
NOW YOU'RE  
AFTER ME!

BUT THIS TIME,  
MISTER--YOU'RE  
NOT TAKING ON  
SOME HELPLESS  
SENIOR CITIZEN!

THIS TIME, CREEP,  
YOU'RE OUTTA  
YOUR LEAGUE!







FOR PETER PARKER, ALL IS BLACK. BUT THEN THE DARKNESS TURNS TO HAZY GRAY AND FINALLY TO BRIGHT COLOR. IT IS THEN THAT PARKER REALIZES HE IS NO LONGER IN HIS CHELSEA STREET APARTMENT...







"YEAH, DUTCH MALLONE... I REMEMBER BEIN' A KID IN THE SLAMMER WHEN THEY BROUGHT HIM IN.



"MALLONE LIVED IN THAT OLD HOUSE BACK IN THE THIRTIES... THAT JOINT REALLY HOPPED IN THEM DAYS.



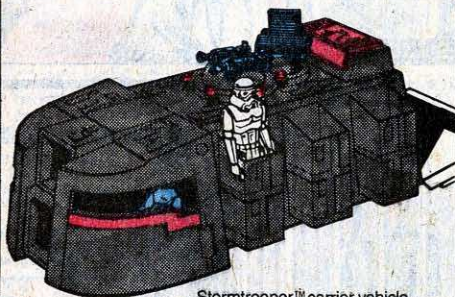




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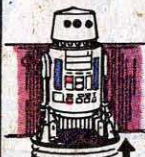
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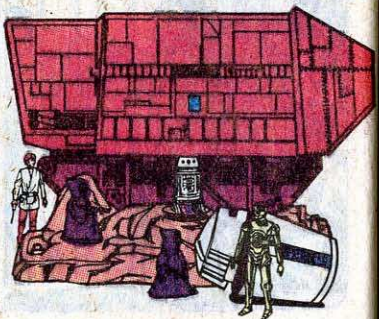


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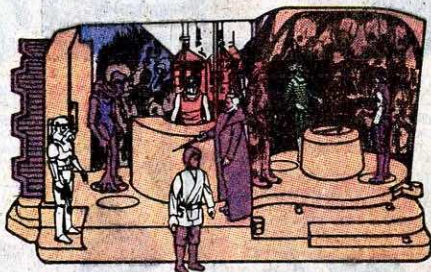
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ONE OF HIS STEPPIN' STONES YAKKED TO THE FEDS!

"THE NEXT THING DUTCH KNEW, HE WAS SURROUNDED BY TREASURY AGENTS LED BY THAT BOOZE-BUSTER, ELIOT NESS!"



NESS GOT MALLONE ON A **TAX RAP**, JUST LIKE CAPONE... BUT **NOBODY** EVER FOUND THE BUCKS MALLONE WAS SUPPOSED TO HAVE STASHED!

DUTCH, HE GOT KICKED FROM SLAMMER TO SLAMMER, AN' JUST BEFORE HE FINALLY CROAKED A FEW YEARS BACK, HE WAS PUT IN **MY** CELL.



I GOT THIS **PROBLEM**, KID... **INSOMNIA!** I CAN'T SLEEP, SO HALF THE NIGHT I'M AWAKE... AN' I WAS LISTENIN' TO MALLONE **TALK** IN HIS SLEEP.

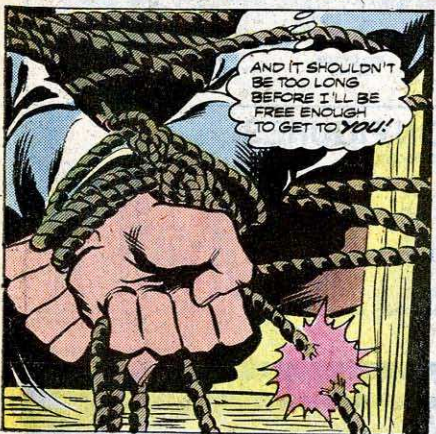


FRANKLY, JERK, I DOUBT IF HE WAS AS **BORING** AS YOU ARE...

IF THERE'S A **POINT** TO YOUR FAIRY TALE, GET TO IT!



AND IT SHOULDN'T BE TOO LONG BEFORE I'LL BE FREE ENOUGH TO GET TO **YOU!**



THE POINT IS, PUNK--RIGHT AFTER DUTCH DROPPED DEAD, I GOT OUT OF THE SLAMMER.

JUST IN TIME TO SEE THIS TV SHOW ON MALLONE'S LIFE... IT SHOWED A PIC OF THE HOUSE HE WAS CAUGHT IN...

THE HOUSE HE KEPT MUMBLIN' IN HIS SLEEP ABOUT-- 'CAUSE **THAT** WAS WHERE HE **HID** HIS TREASURE!





SO THE POINT, PUNK--IS AFTER I FOUND OUT WHERE THAT HOUSE WAS, I BROKE INTO 'IT LOOKIN' FOR THE TREASURE.



THE POINT, PUNK, IS THAT YOUR STUPID UNCLE GOT IN MY WAY.



AND THE POINT, PUNK, IS THAT I **KILLED** 'IM, JUST LIKE I'LL KILL YOU IF YOU DON'T TELL ME WHERE DUTCH MALLONE'S TREASURE IS HIDDEN.



JUST LIKE YOU KILLED MY **UNCLE** FOR NOT TELLING YOU?



THAT OLD BROAD? **NAH!** I DIDN'T DO NOthin' TO HER... THAT WAS RINE-HART, OR MYSTERIO'S, DOIN'...



DON'T KNOW HOW HE PULLED OFF THAT TRICK.

NOT THAT IT MATTERS NONE.

YOU JUST BETTER TALK, AND NOW!



LIKE HELL I WILL!



ALL RIGHT, KID...IF THAT'S THE WAY YOU WANT IT-- FINE WITH ME.

TWO MORE HITS AREN'T GONNA BOTHER ME NONE.



EXCEPT... I JUST GOT THIS IDEA.

I KNOW WHAT'S GONNA MAKE YOU TALK.

SNAP!



SO YOU STAY HERE NICE AND COMFY-- 'CAUSE I'LL BE BACK--

AN' WHEN I DO, CREEP--



--IT'LL BE ALL OVER FOR YOU!!



AS HEAVY  
FOOTSTEPS  
MERGE WITH  
THE OUTSIDE  
CITY SOUNDS...

WHERE IS HE GOING?  
WHAT IS HE UP TO?

HOW DOES HE  
EXPECT TO MAKE  
ME TALK?

NOT THAT I KNOW  
WHERE THE TREASURE IS--  
I WAS JUST FISHING  
FOR MORE INFO...

AND RIGHT ABOUT  
NOW, I'VE GOT  
ALL THAT I  
NEED!

I'VE WORKED THESE  
FRAYED ROPES  
LONG ENOUGH!

I'M FED UP WITH  
BEING TIED DOWN!

FRANKLY,  
I'M JUST  
ABOUT FED  
UP WITH  
MOST EVERY-  
THING!

SO BELIEVE ME,  
BROTHER--WHEN  
SPIDER-MAN  
GETS MAD--

NOTHING  
GETS IN  
MY WAY!



CHAPTER  
FOUR

# MURDER MOST FOUL!

SPIDER-MAN IS A GRIM SHADOW SLIDING SMOOTHLY THROUGH THE NIGHT; HIS DARK, ANGRY EYES NEVER LEAVE THE STUCKY FIGURE DARTING FROM ALLEYWAY TO ALLEYWAY...

WHATEVER WINDING PATH HIS HATED PREY TAKES, SPIDER-MAN FOLLOWS.

UH-OH... HE'S HEADING ACROSS THE STREET... NO TIME TO CLAMBER DOWN FROM THIS ROOFTOP BEFORE HE DISAPPEARS.



ONLY CHANCE IS TO LEAP THIS **SPAN!**

IF I STILL HAD MY SPIDER-POWERS, THIS'D BE A **CINCH!**

--AS IT IS, I'M SCARED **HALF TO DEATH!**

**NUTS!** HE'S BOARDING THE CROSSTOWN BUS! I CAN'T POSSIBLY TAIL HIM NOW!



I COULD FIRE A **WEBLINE...** BUT I DON'T HAVE THE **STRENGTH** TO SWING ALL THIS DISTANCE. I'VE LOST-- **KEY!**









FOR AS LONG AS I CAN REMEMBER, THOSE TWO WERE MY MOTHER AND FATHER...

THEY RAISED ME, TAUGHT ME EVERYTHING I KNOW... EVERYTHING I AM I OWE TO THEM!



"MAYBE MY REAL PARENTS WERE DEAD, BUT NEVER ONCE DID I FEEL LONELY OR THAT I WAS MISSING ANYTHING."



"THEY GAVE ME ALL THE LOVE ANY REAL PARENTS COULD GIVE... HECK, THEY WERE MY PARENTS--"



BUT, BECAUSE OF ONE SELFISH MOMENT, BECAUSE I REFUSED TO STOP THAT MURDERING BURGLAR WHEN HE RAN PAST ME--



UNCLE BEN WAS KILLED... AND NOW...



HOLD IT... HE'S GETTING OFF THE BUS...

AND WHATTAYA KNOW... THE CRIMINAL RETURNS TO THE SCENE OF THE CRIME.

RESTWELL NURSING HOME... WHERE AUNT MAY WAS RECOVERING BEFORE-- BEFORE...



WHY CAN'T I SAY IT? WHY CAN'T I ACCEPT THAT SHE'S DEAD? WHY?

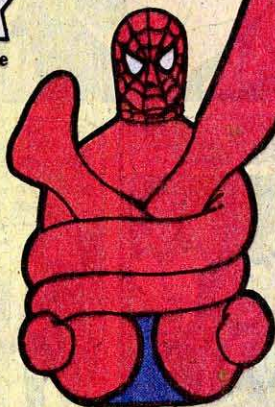
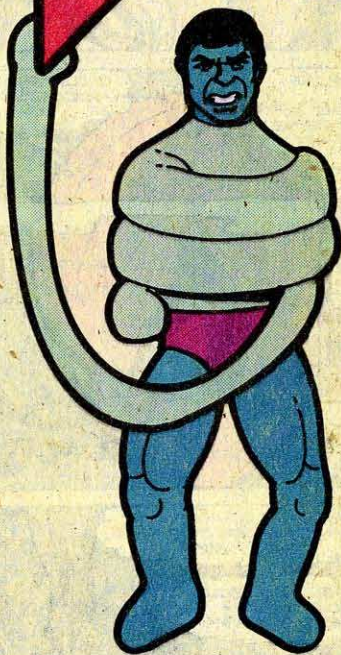
WELL, I'M ABOUT TO FIND OUT-- RIGHT NOW!



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CHAPTER  
FIVE

# THE FINAL CONFRONTATION!

THE WAREHOUSE DISTRICT  
ALONG JAMAICA BAY.

A LONG  
STRETCH OF  
BLACK THAT  
SWALLONS  
EVEN THE  
FAINTEST  
GLIMMER OF  
LIGHT...

... OR  
HOPE...

PARKER!  
YOU AWAKE,  
CRUMB?

I GOT A  
SURPRISE  
FOR YOU,  
PLUNK!

LOOK HERE, KID--  
I GOT SOMEONE  
WHO'S JUST  
DYIN' TO SEE  
YOU!



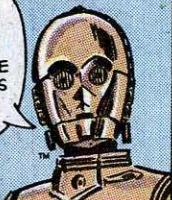
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KITS...



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MY X-WING  
FIGHTER...

AND ME—



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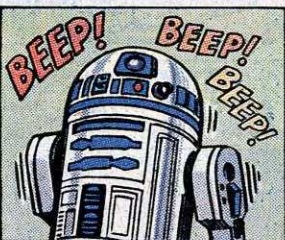
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AT  
PARTICIPATING  
STORES.



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KITS TO BE  
WON.



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MAIL IN YOUR  
ENTRY FORM  
AND  
YOU COULD WIN  
\$5,000!



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FORCE  
BE WITH  
YOU.™

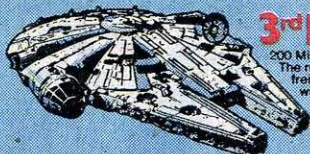


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MAY PARKER'S EYES SNAP WIDE WITH FEAR. SHE REMEMBERS THE FIRST TIME SHE HAD SEEN THIS KILLER...



MAY PARKER CAN STILL REMEMBER THAT SUDDEN MOMENT OF HORROR AS BEN REACHED TOWARD THE FRIGHTENED BURGLAR...







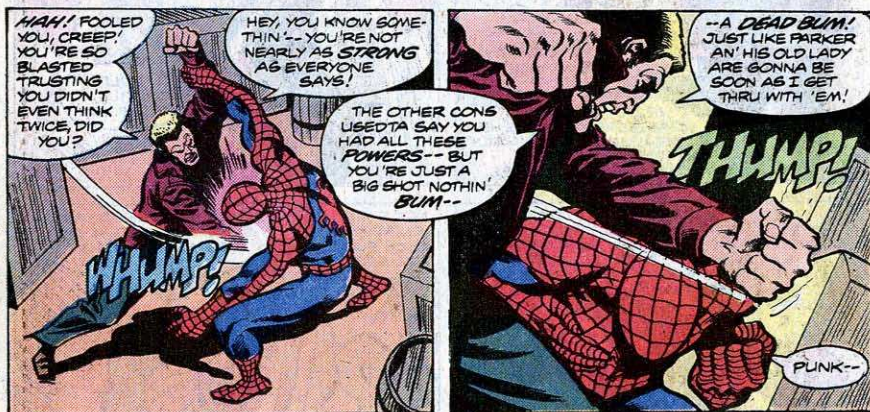
















I'VE **BLAMED**  
MYSELF EVER  
SINCE YOU  
KILLED BEN  
PARKER.

I COULD HAVE  
STOPPED YOU  
COLD WHEN I  
FIRST SAW YOU.

SINCE THAT  
DAY I'VE BEEN  
**HAUNTED**  
BY THE MEMORY  
OF MY FAILURE--

SINCE THAT  
DAY I'VE BEEN  
**STRIVING**  
TO MAKE UP FOR  
MY MISTAKE!

WELL,  
MISTER--  
MAYBE THIS  
IS MY SECOND  
CHANCE!

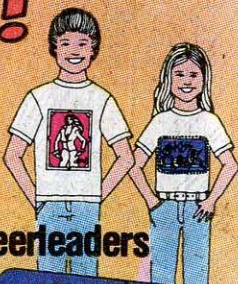
MAYBE THIS  
IS THE DAY I  
**ATONE** FOR ALL  
OF SPIDER-MAN'S  
**SINS!**



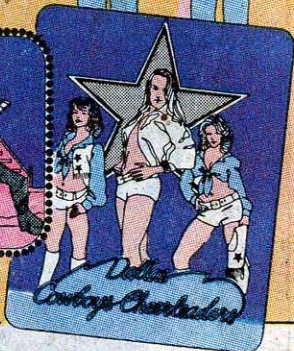
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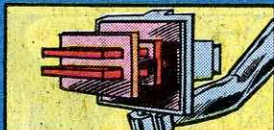
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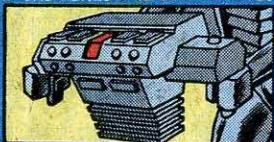


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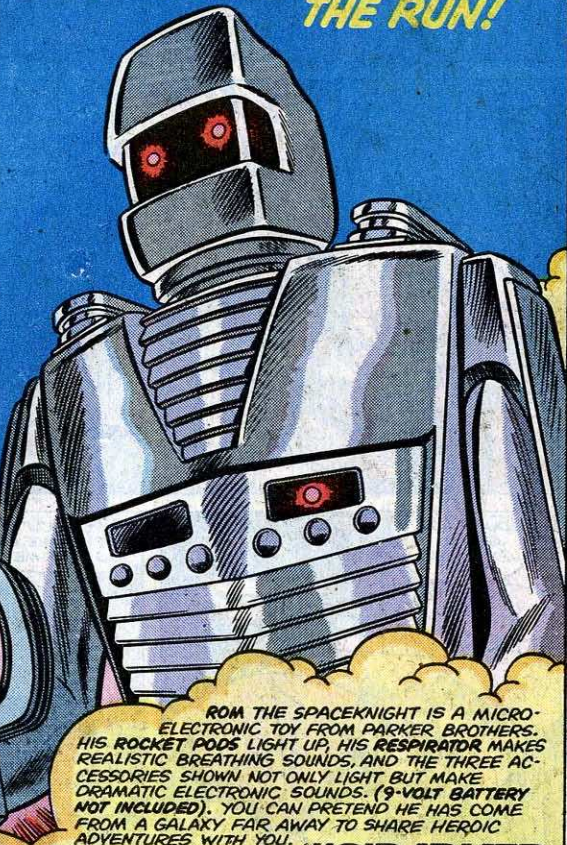
**HAS COME...EVIL IS ON  
THE RUN!**



ROM'S ENERGY ANALYZER LIGHTS  
UP BRIGHT RED AND MAKES  
STRANGE ELECTRONIC SOUNDS.  
PRETEND IT ALLOWS ROM TO SEE  
IF CREATURES ARE GOOD OR EVIL.



ROM'S TRANSLATOR MAKES EERY  
ELECTRONIC SOUNDS AND LIGHTS  
UP. IMAGINE ROM HAS THE ABILITY  
TO COMMUNICATE WITH ANY INTEL-  
LIGENT BEING IN THE UNIVERSE.



ROM'S WEAPON IS  
THE NEUTRALIZER.  
IT FLASHES AND  
MAKES ELECTRONIC  
ZAPPING SOUNDS.  
PRETEND IT SENDS  
EVIL CREATURES TO  
THE SHADOW ZONE.

ROM THE SPACEKNIGHT IS A MICRO-  
ELECTRONIC TOY FROM PARKER BROTHERS.  
HIS ROCKET PODS LIGHT UP, HIS RESPIRATOR MAKES  
REALISTIC BREATHING SOUNDS, AND THE THREE AC-  
CESSORIES SHOWN NOT ONLY LIGHT BUT MAKE  
DRAMATIC ELECTRONIC SOUNDS. (9-VOLT BATTERY  
NOT INCLUDED). YOU CAN PRETEND HE HAS COME  
FROM A GALAXY FAR AWAY TO SHARE HEROIC  
ADVENTURES WITH YOU.

**ROM THE SPACEKNIGHT**

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THE DOOR!  
GOTTA MAKE IT  
TO THE DOOR.  
IT'S DARK  
OUTSIDE...

HE'LL  
NEVER FIND  
ME IF I  
MAKE IT  
OUTSIDE!



NO! NO! NO! NO! NO!  
NO! NO!

HE'S WEBBED  
UP THE DOOR.  
I--I CAN'T  
PULL IT OPEN!

THERE'S  
NO WAY  
OUT!



IT'S ALL  
OVER,  
PUNK.



I HATED YOU FOR  
SO MANY YEARS...  
HATED YOU IN SUCH  
AN UNHOLY WAY  
I'M ASHAMED TO  
THINK ABOUT IT--



THEN, WHEN I THOUGHT YOU  
KILLED MY AUNT MAY, I WAS  
READY TO RIP YOU APART,  
LIMB BY LIMB. BUT WHEN I  
SAW HER ALIVE... THE HATE...  
EVERYTHING I FELT ABOUT  
YOU JUST DISAPPEARED!



THIS MIGHT BE THE END  
OF SPIDER-MAN... BUT I'M  
NOT GOING TO PULL YOU  
APART... I'M JUST GOING  
TO HAND YOU OVER TO  
THE POLICE.

YOU SEE, IF  
I USED MY  
POWER TO KILL  
YOU--I'D BE  
NO BETTER THAN  
THE SCUM YOU  
ARE.

AND IF I'VE LEARN-  
ED ANYTHING--IT'S  
THAT WITH GREAT  
POWER THERE  
ALSO COMES GREAT  
RESPONSIBILITY!



N-NO! YOU'RE  
LYIN'! I'D KILL YOU...  
YOU GOTTA WANT  
TO KILL ME!

YOU  
WILL  
KILL  
ME!



I KNOW  
YOU WILL!!







LATER, AT NEWHOPE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL...

I DIDN'T UNDERSTAND WHAT WAS HAPPENING, PETER, BUT I KEPT REMEMBERING WHAT DEAR BEN TOLD ME...

HE SAID YOU'VE GOT TO BE STRONG, MAY-- FOR YOURSELF... FOR PETER.

AND I WAS... I WOULDN'T LET THOSE EVIL MEN FRIGHTEN ME... I KEPT THINKING OF YOU...

YOU GAVE ME STRENGTH AND COMFORT... BECAUSE OF THE KIND OF **MAN** YOU HAVE BECOME... I HAD THE STRENGTH AND THE WILL TO LIVE.

OH, AUNT MAY, YOU'LL NEVER KNOW HOW MANY TIMES, WHEN LIFE SEEMED ITS CRUELEST TO SPIDER-MAN--

--THAT THINKING OF YOU GAVE ME THE WILL TO GO ON.

WE LIVE BECAUSE OF OUR **LOVE** FOR EACH OTHER --AND THAT IS A LOVE THAT WILL NEVER BE STILLED.

I-I'M JUST SO HAPPY YOU'RE WELL... I DIDN'T KNOW WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU... WHAT THEY DID TO YOU, AND ALL FOR-- **SAYYY...**

DID YOU **EVER** FIND WHATEVER IT IS THEY WERE LOOKING FOR?

PETER, DARLING, ALL THE WHILE I WAS TIED UP I TRIED TO REMEMBER-- YES... BEN AND I DID FIND A BOX WHEN WE WERE PULLING DOWN SOME **WALLBOARDS--**

--WE HAD SO MANY **TERMITES** IN THOSE **EARLY DAYS...**

WE FOUND A LARGE BOX... IT HAD BEEN PARTIALLY CORRODED.

BUT, PETER-- WHEN HE OPENED IT--WHATEVER HAD BEEN INSIDE IT--

--IT HAD LONG AGO BEEN EATEN AWAY-- **BY SILVERFISH!**

THEN... ALL THAT HORROR... ALL THAT ANGUISH... IT WAS ALL FOR **NOTHING!**

NOT FOR NOTHING, PETER... IT MADE ME **STRONGER...** IT BROUGHT US TOGETHER EVEN MORE THAN BEFORE--

--IT PROVED THAT **LOVE** IS STRONGER THAN ALL THE DOCTORS AND ALL THE HOSPITALS IN THE WORLD. LOVE IS THE **STRONGEST MEDICINE** OF ALL.

EXCUSE ME, THERE'S SOME **FRIENDS** WAITING TO SEE YOU-- OH-HH, I'LL TELL THEM TO WAIT.



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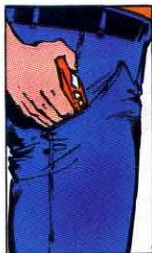
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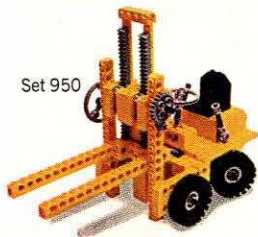


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