

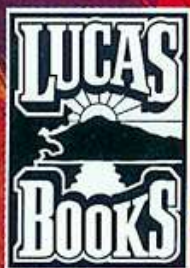


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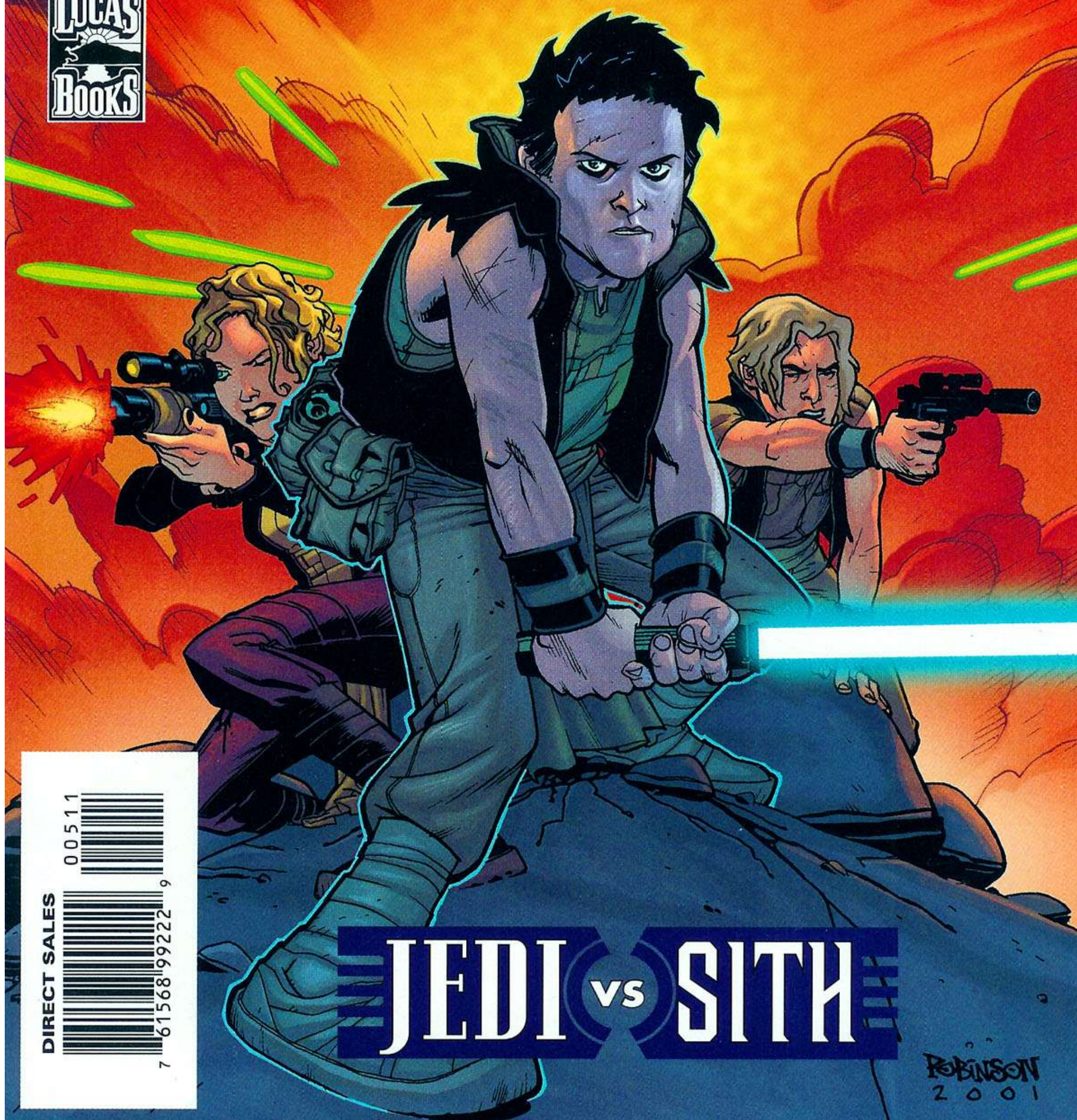
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The Story So Far...

BANE'S WORLD-CRUSHING STRATEGY ALMOST WORKED BUT LORD KAA, FEARING BANE'S POWER, BALKED AND CHOSE TO FINISH THE JEDI WITH A DIRECT ATTACK. ANGERED, BANE LEFT HIS SITH BROTHERS. EVEN WITHOUT BANE THE SITH'S TRIUMPH SEEMED CERTAIN UNTIL THE LAST-MINUTE ARRIVAL OF LORD FARFALLA'S JEDI FORCES. MEANWHILE, DEFEATED AND HAVING ALMOST DIED, TOMCAT IS PUSHED OVER THE EDGE. WHEN TOMCAT'S MENTOR, GENERAL CHARNY, FACES HIS FORMER LOVER, DARK LORD GITHANY. TOMCAT SIDES WITH THE SITH AND SLAYS CHARNY. WHILE FAR AWAY, RAIN AWAKES TO THE FORCE AND HEARS THE PROPHECY THAT PROMISES HER FUTURE AS A SITH LORD...

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death



THERE, PETJA!
THERE IS ONE!

BLAZES!

agonizing

pain



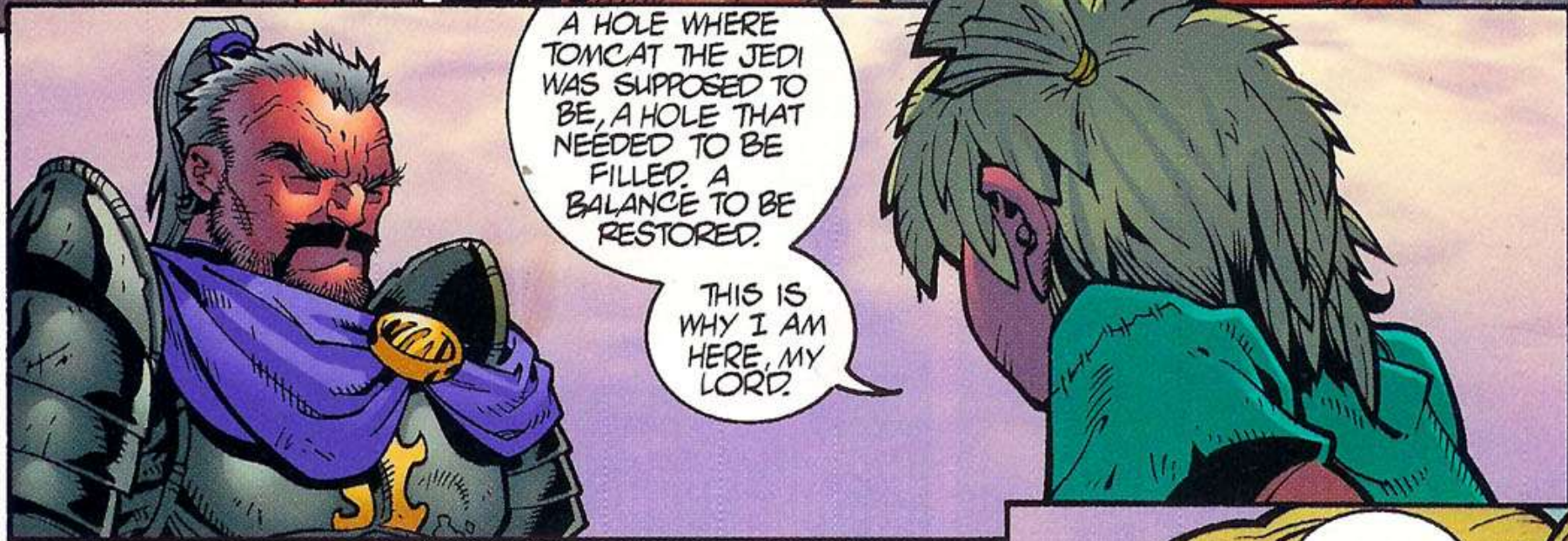
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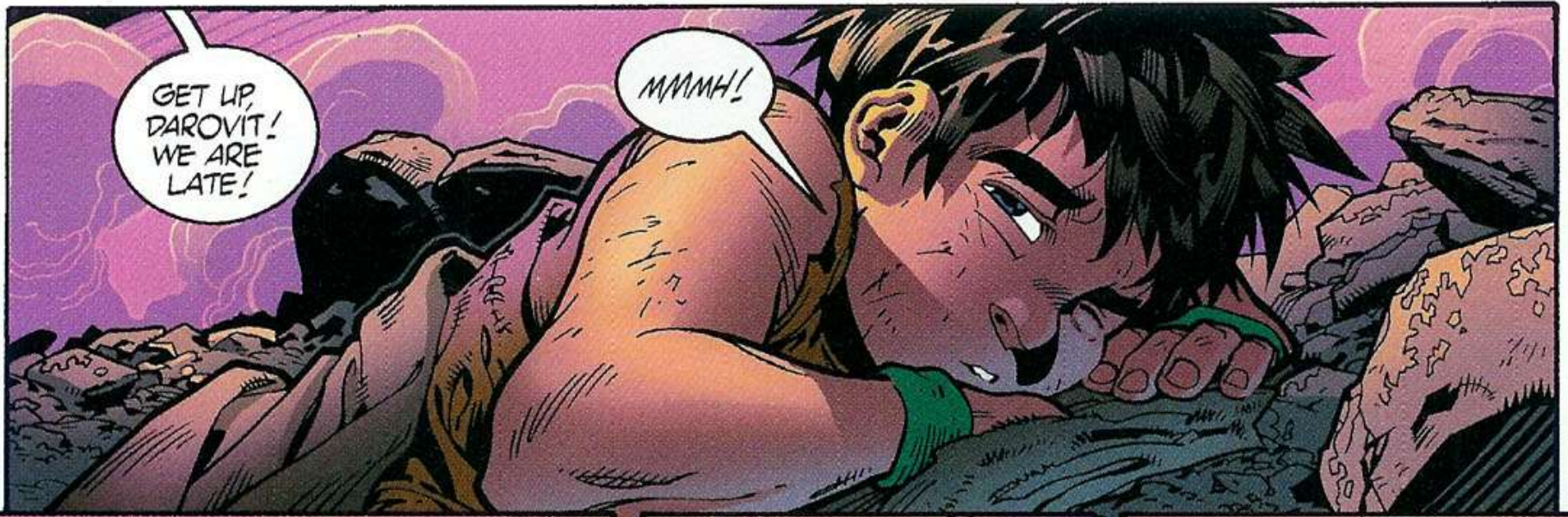


THE CATACLYSM
WAS TOO MUCH
FOR THEM! THEY'VE
ALL GONE
MAD!

NOT
JUST THEM!
HOTH'S PLANNING
TO ATTACK KAAH
IN HIS CAVES!
IF THAT'S NOT
MADNESS--







GET UP, DAROVIT!
WE ARE LATE!

MMMH!



KAAN IS EXPECTING
US ALL IN
THE GREAT
HALL.

GITHANY?

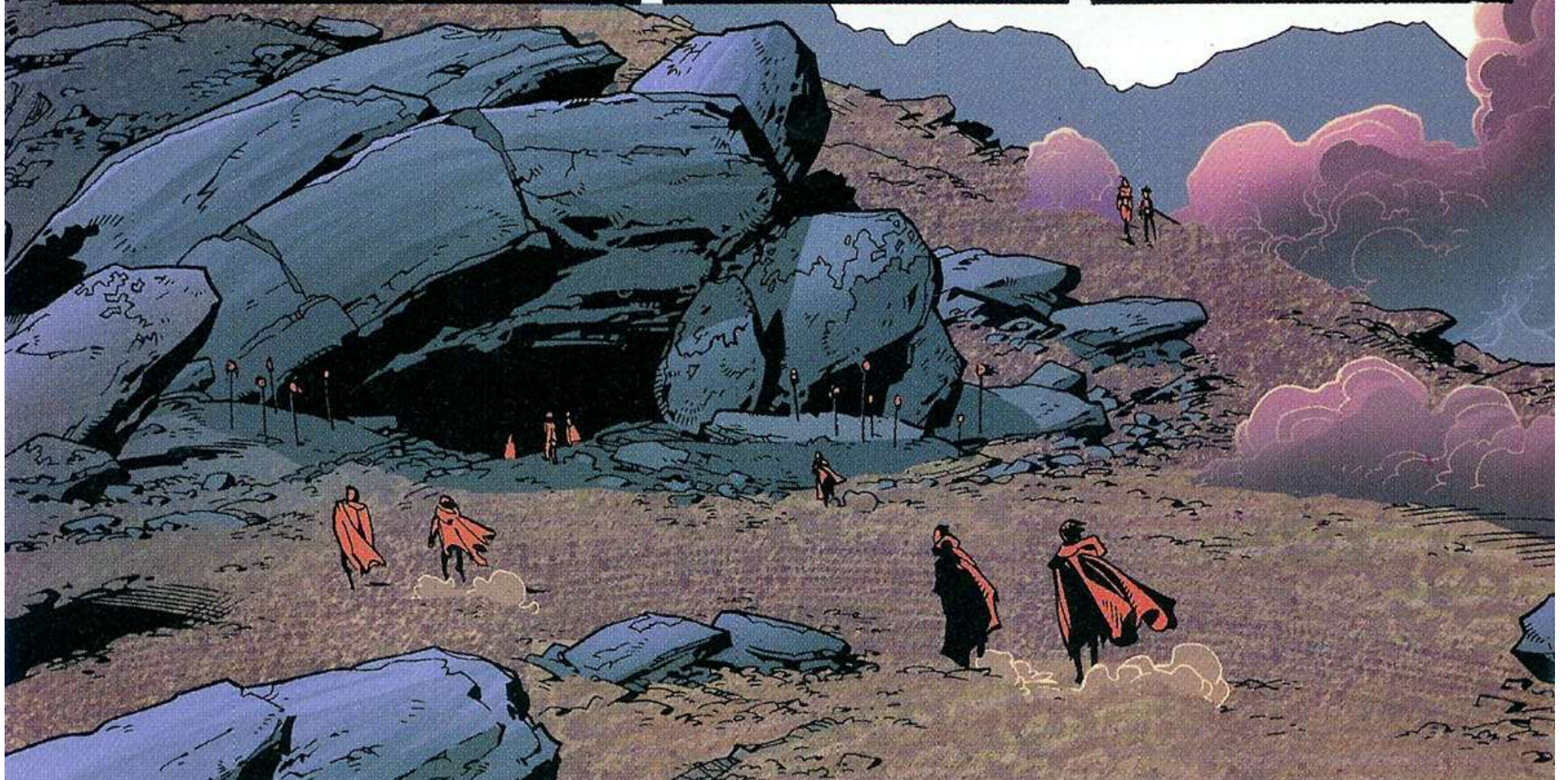


THESE
SHOULD FIT
YOU. YOU CAN'T
SHOW UP IN
THOSE RAGS
OF YOURS!



WHAT'S
THIS?
BLOOD?

WELL,
IT'S NOT
SOUP.





HEY, KOPECZ!
WHAT'S THE NEWS?

NOT GOOD.



ARE JEDI REINFORCEMENTS
HERE? WHEN IS THE
ATTACK?

WORSE,
KAAN HAD
AN IDEA.



AN IDEA?
WHAT?

THE
THOUGHT
BOMB.



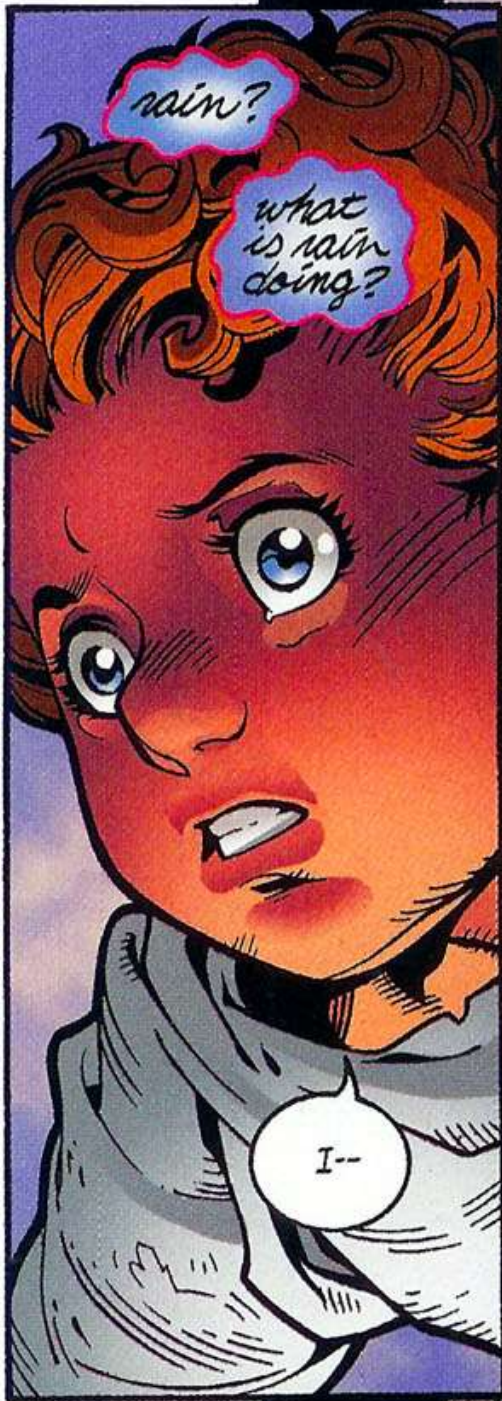
THAT
IDIOT!
THAT WEAK,
CONCEITED
IDIOT!

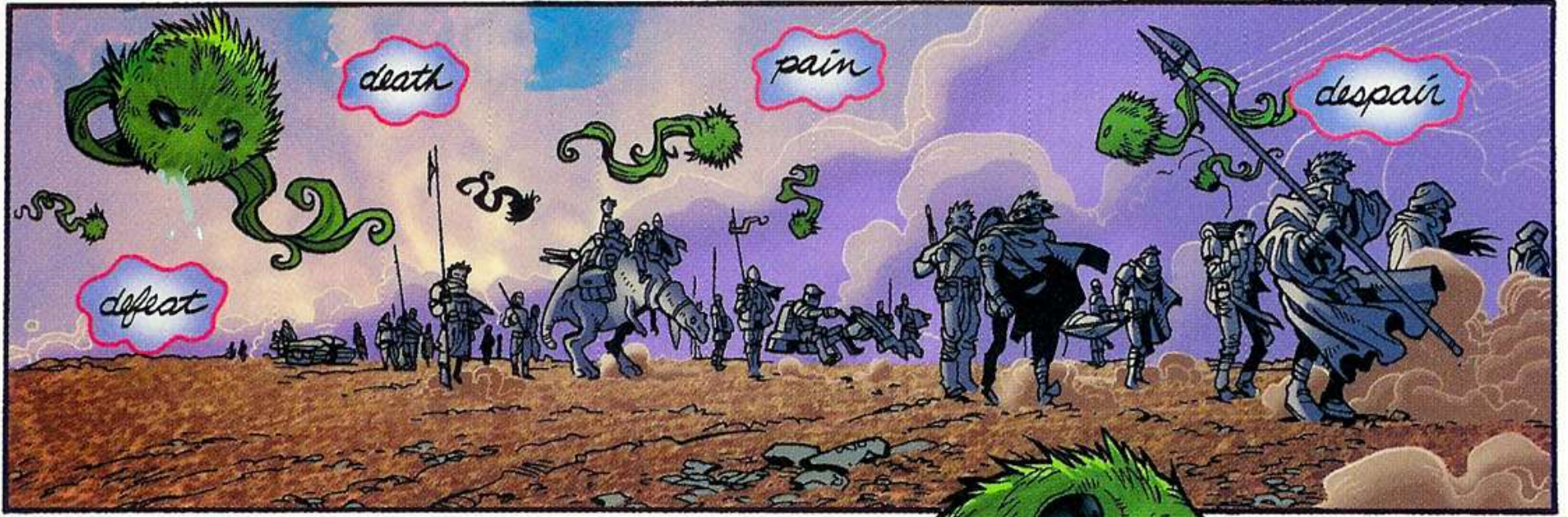
WHAT IS
THE THOUGHT
BOMB? WHAT
DOES IT
MEAN?

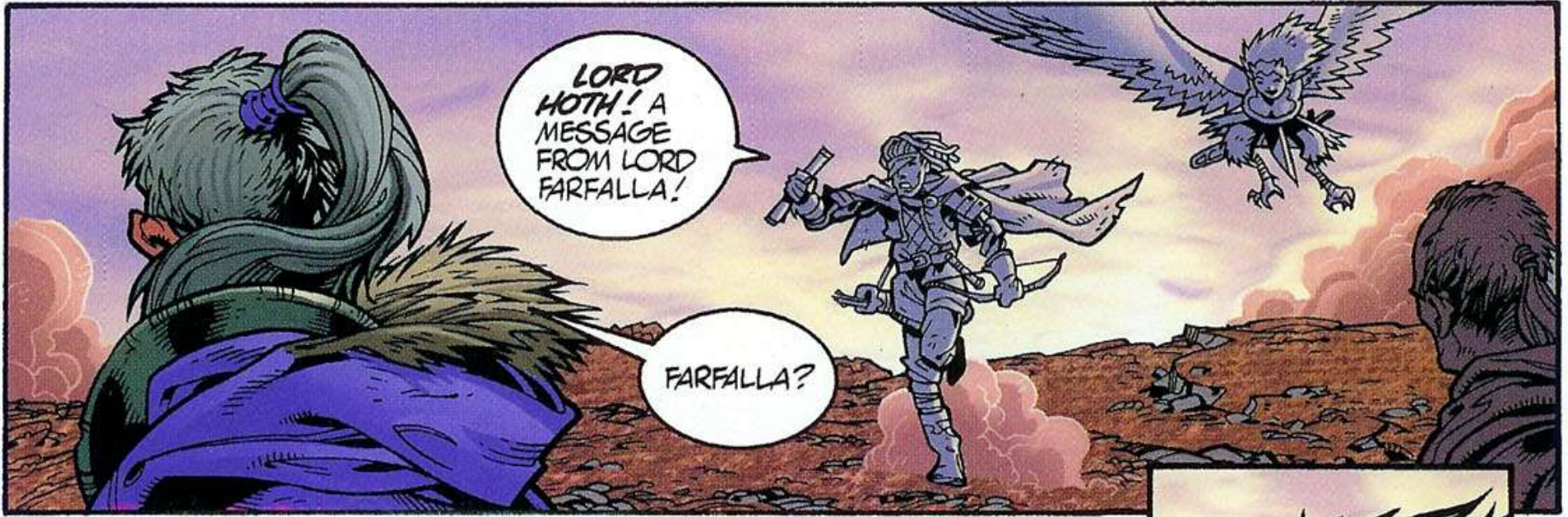


IT
MEANS--

--WE
ARE
DEAD.







LORD HOTH! A MESSAGE FROM LORD FARFALLA!

FARFALLA?



WHAT IS THIS MESSAGE?

AIR RECONNOITERING, MY LORD! MOMENTS OF KAAAN'S FORCES, AND--

AND?



AND AN APOLOGY, BOTH FOR HIS TARDINESS AND HIS TEMPERAMENT! HE IS OFFERING HIS HELP, SHOULD YOU NEED ANY!



HE IS NOT THE ONLY ONE TO BLAME. PLEASE EXTEND MY SINCEREST APOLOGIES TO YOUR LORD ALONG WITH MY HEARTFELT THANKS FOR ANY ASSISTANCE HE CHOOSES TO OFFER.

I WILL.





THE THOUGHT BOMB! THAT'S INSANE! HAS KAAN GONE MAD?

WELL...

WELL WHAT? WHAT IS THE THOUGHT BOMB?

IT IS AN OLD SITH SKILL. THE FORCE CAN BE EXTRACTED AND MENTALLY BOUND INTO A SHAPE PRIMED FOR AN EXPLOSION.



IF ACTIVATED, THE THOUGHT BOMB WILL EXPLODE AND DESTROY EVERYTHING IN ITS PATH!



EVERYTHING? EVEN JEDI AND SITH?

KAAN BELIEVES WE ARE STRONG ENOUGH TO RESIST. HE HOPES ONLY THE JEDI WILL BE DESTROYED.



KAAN IS *INSANE!* BANE WAS RIGHT! I AM NOT STAYING HERE FOR ANOTHER MOMENT!

COMING, KOPECZ?

NO.



I CHOSE MY SIDE A LONG TIME AGO.



SUIT YOUR-SELF!

TOMCAT, COME!



WELCOME, MY BROTHERS.



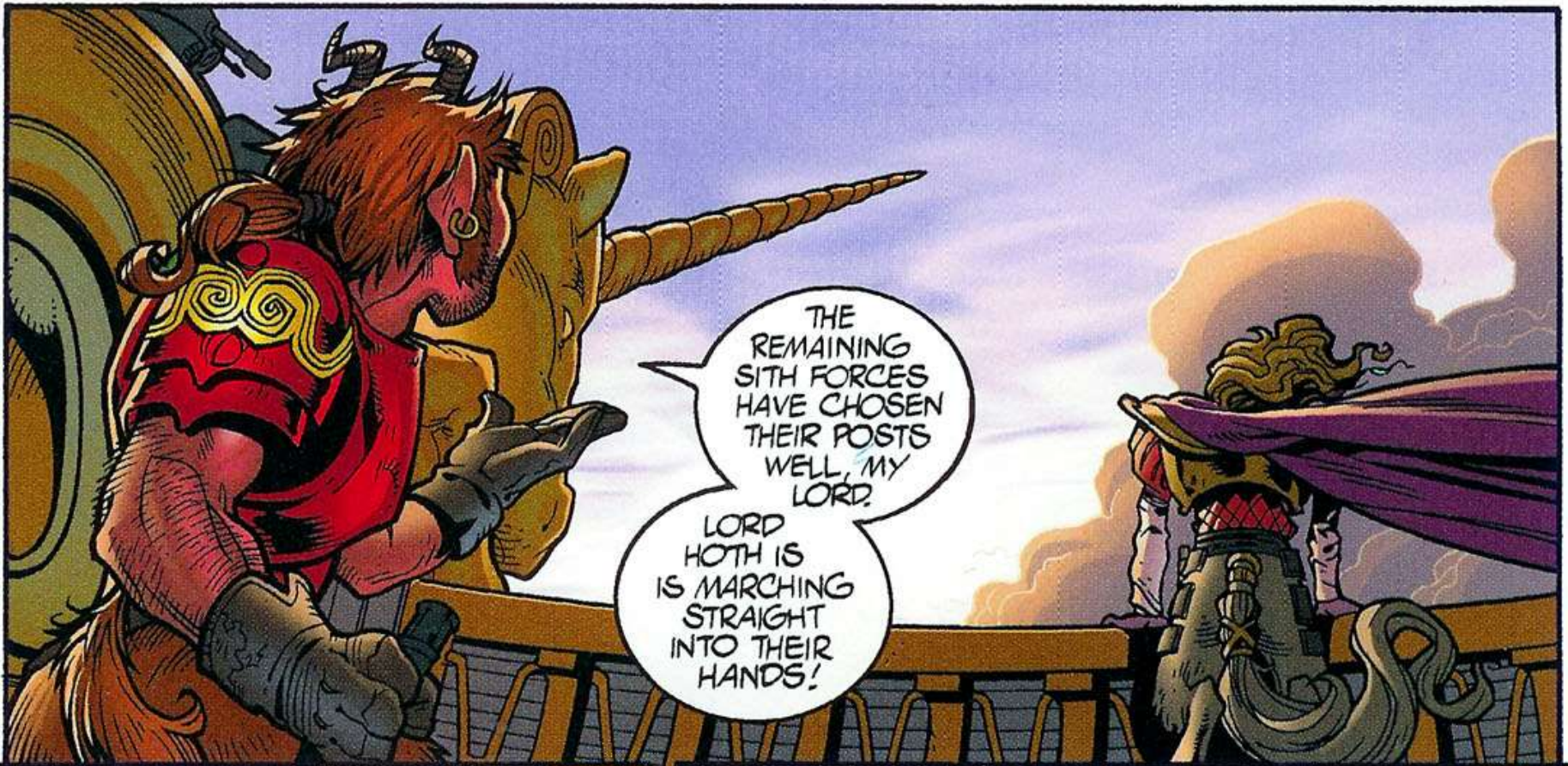
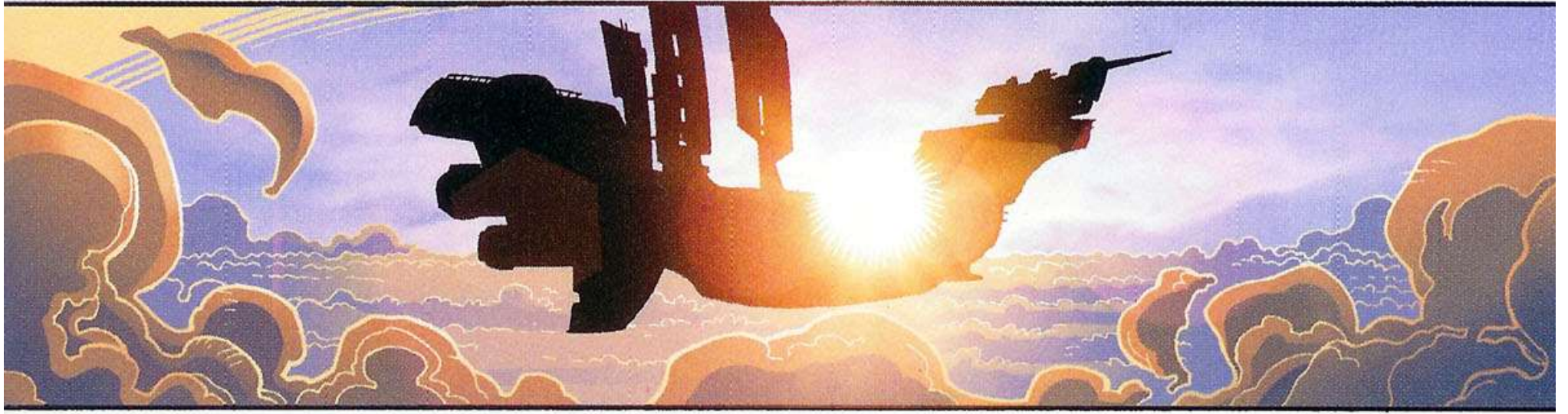
IT IS GOOD TO SEE YOU HERE. SO MANY, SO STRONG, SO INVINCIBLE--

I NEED YOU TO HELP ME PREPARE FOR THE FINAL BLOW.

WE CAN DEFEAT THE JEDI LIKE THIS! BUT WE NEED TO WORK TOGETHER.

AS ONE.









ONE DAY... ONE DAY, I'LL PLUCK EVERY ONE OF YOUR FEATHERS AND TICKLE YOU WITH THEM!

WHAT FOR? LORD HOTH DID APOLOGIZE!

LIRONDO, SUMMON MY MEN!



WE ARE READY, MY LORD!



Ahh, LIRONDO, WITH FRIENDS LIKE THESE, ONE NEED NOT BE AFRAID HIS SOUL WILL GO OVER TO THE DARK SIDE!

OPEN A BARREL OF MY BEST!



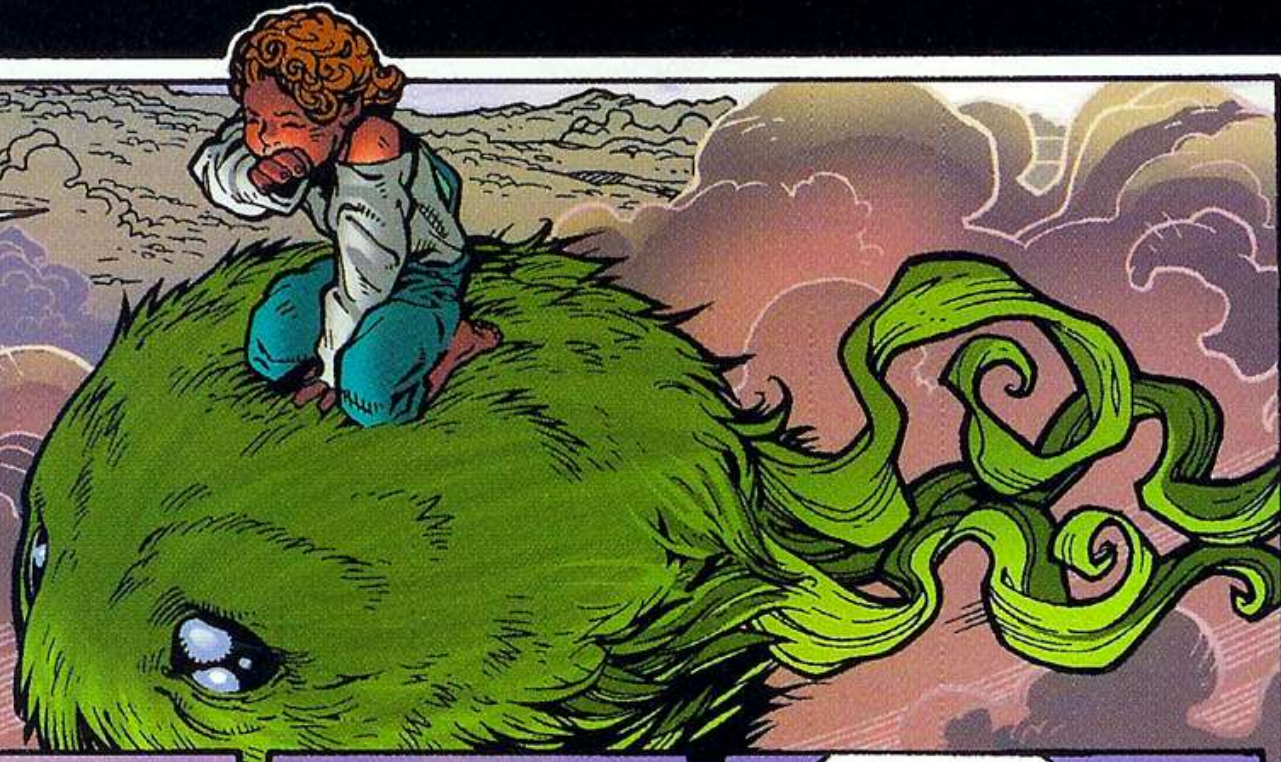
FIRST, WE SPILL WINE--



--THEN WE SPILL BLOOD!

THE JEDI ARE NEAR! I CAN FEEL THEM!

yes rain



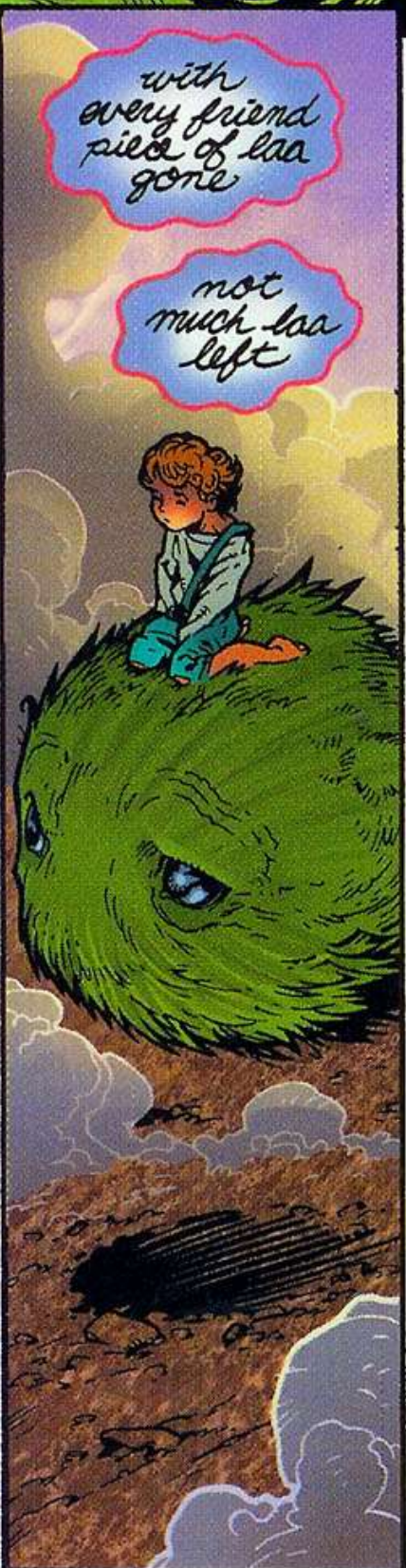
WHAT'S THE MATTER LAA? YOU ARE SO SILENT.

WHAT ARE YOU THINKING ABOUT?



old thoughts

laa remembers friends old friends all dead friends



with every friend piece of laa gone

not much laa left



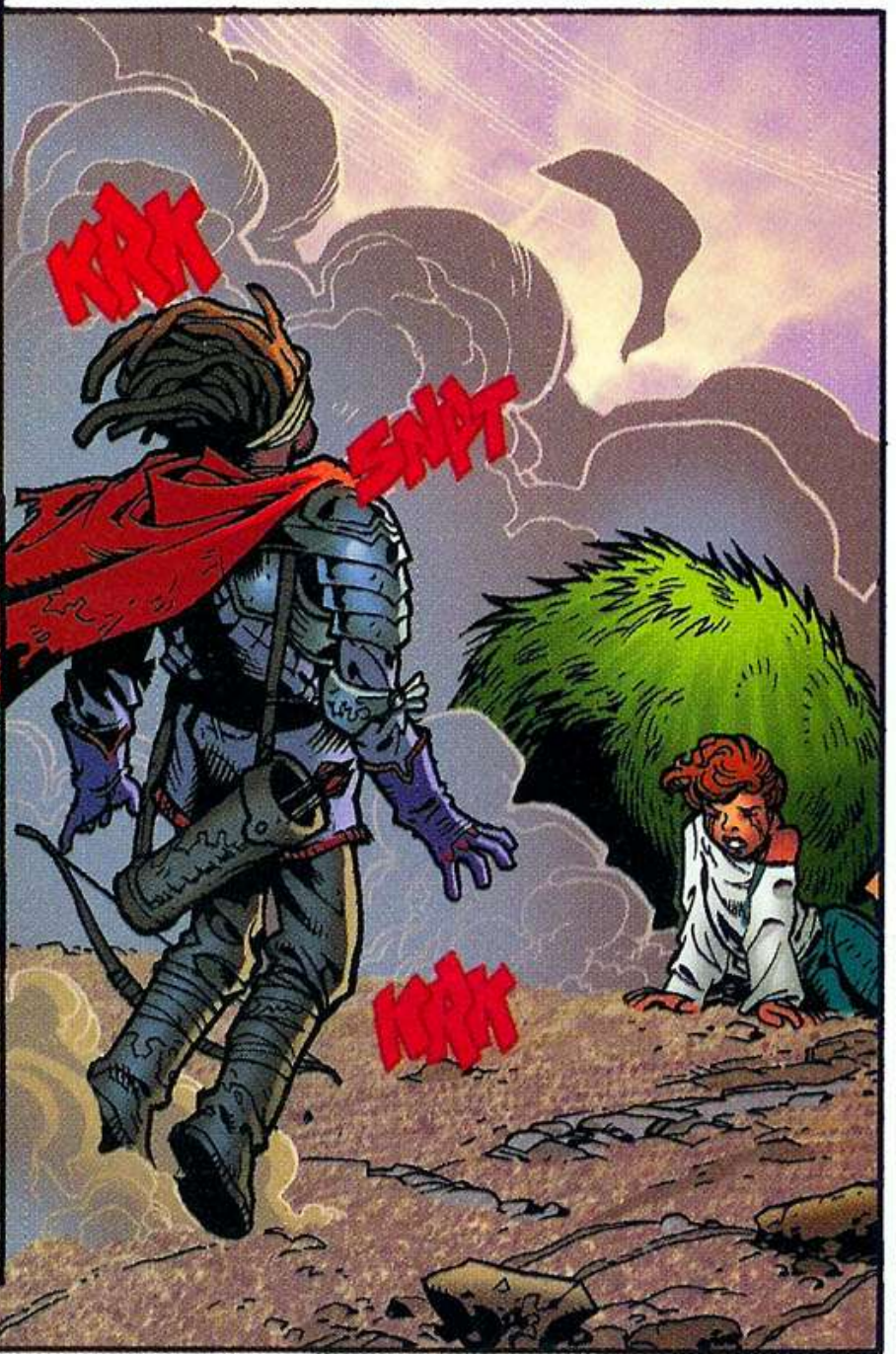
I'M STILL HERE, LAA! WE'LL NEVER PART!

ISN'T IT SO?



yes rain









YOU AND YOU TOO! STAND HERE AND GUARD THIS EXIT!

GUARDING A BACK DOOR TO THE SITH CAVE! IS THIS WHY I VOLUNTEERED?

WELL, I COULDN'T ASK FOR A BETTER JOB!

FAR AWAY FROM THE BATTLE, NOT A CHANCE SOMEONE WOULD COME OUR WAY--

SHH!



WHAT?

I HEARD SOMETHING.



C'MON, BUG, QUIT SCARING ME.

THE BATS, MAYBE?

SHH! LISTEN!





OW!



GITHANY?
WHAT'S
WRONG?

MY HEAD
HURTS LIKE
IT'S GOING
TO SPLIT!



IT IS KAAAN'S
THOUGHT BOMB!
IT DRAINS
THE FORCE!

COME ON,
SOON WE WILL
BE OUT OF
IT'S REACH!



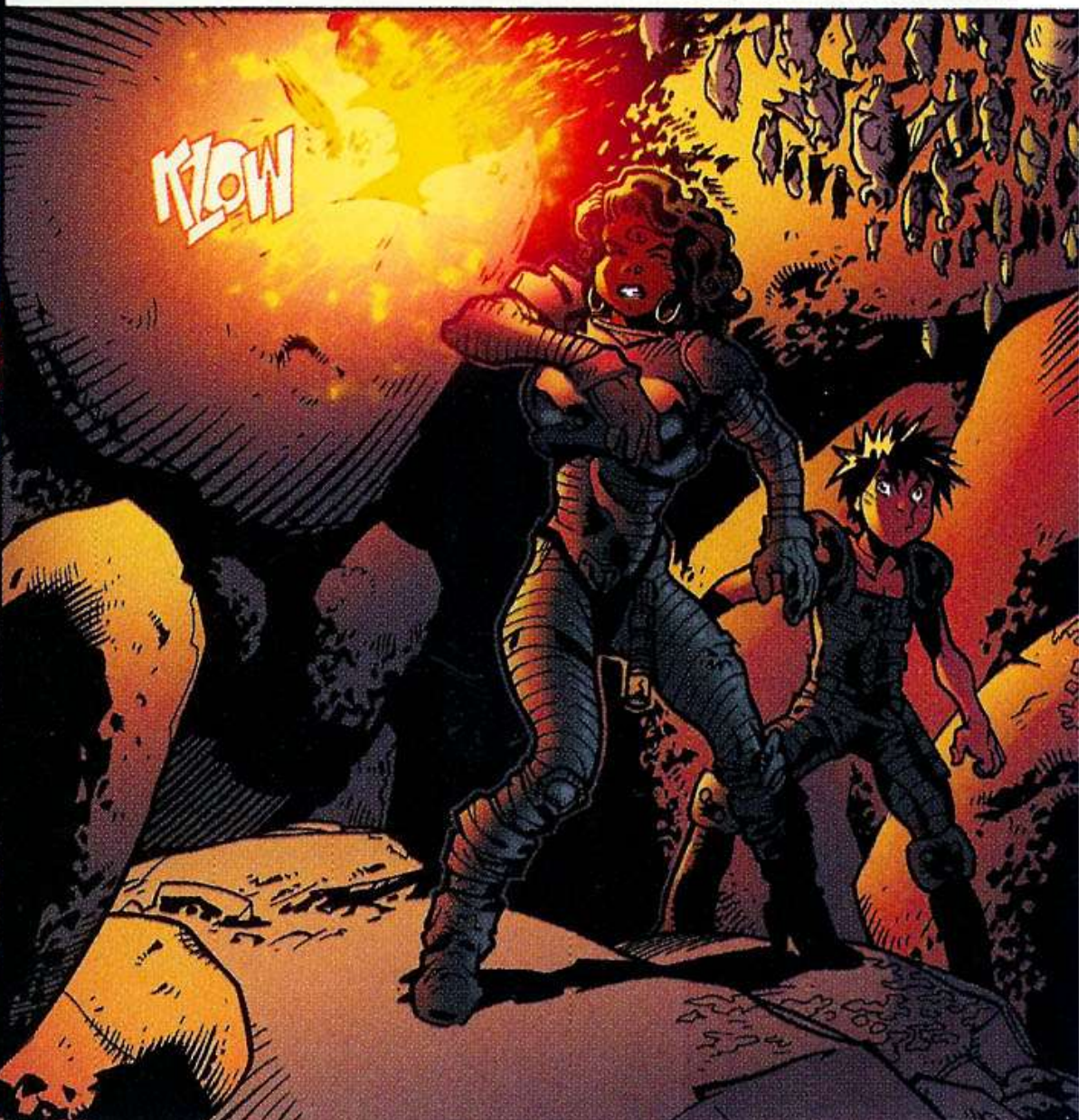
YOU'RE
RIGHT. I
HEAR SOME-
THING, TOO!

JUST BE
QUIET AND
DON'T DO
ANYTHING--

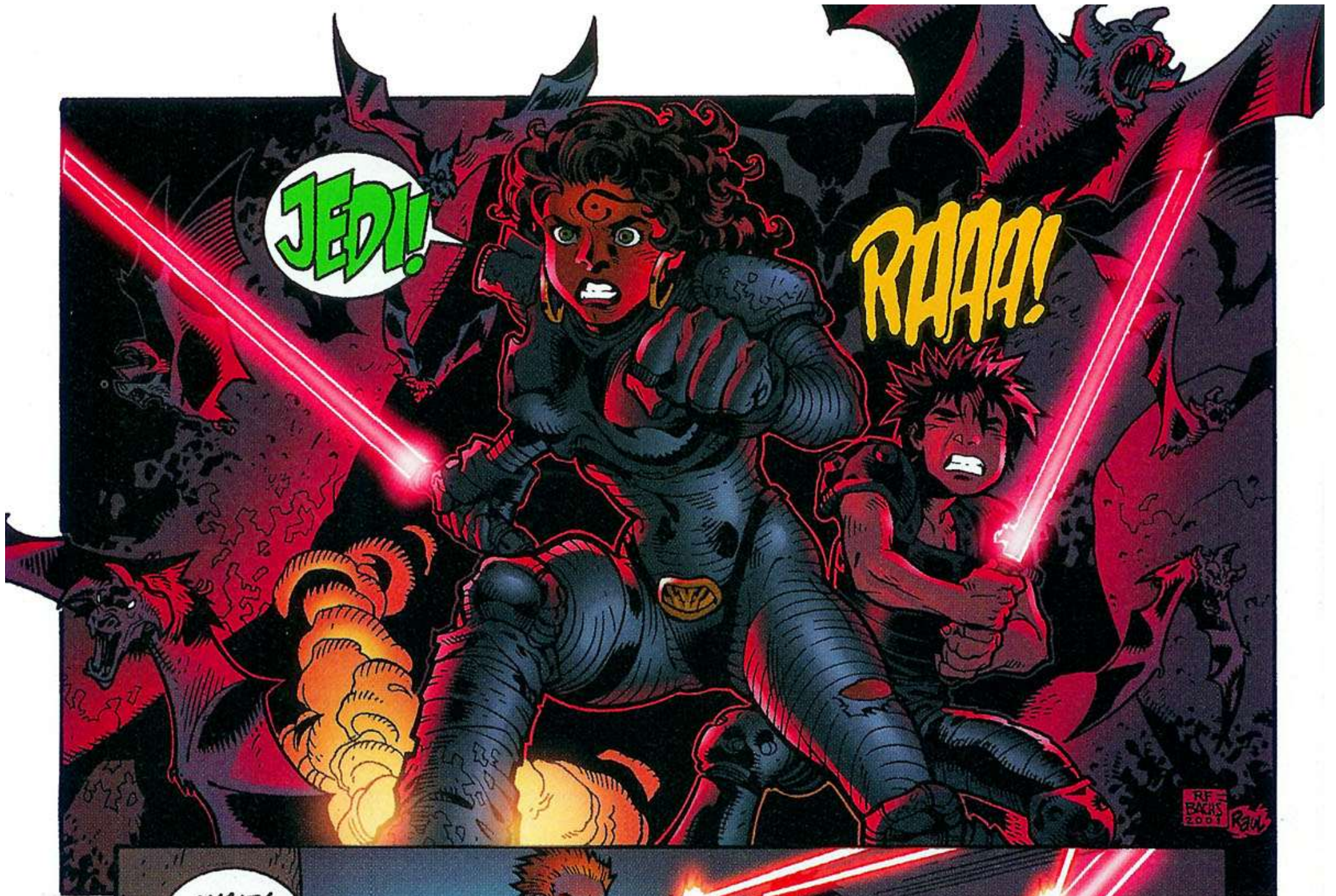
AAA!



--RASH.



KLOW





LISTEN.



LISTEN TO ME!



AAAAHHH

GITHANY?



GITHANY!
WHAT DO
I DO?

GET
THEM OFF
OF ME!
DAROVIT!
GET THEM
OFF!

DAROVIT?



TOMCAT?



BUG?



TO BE
CONCLUDED...