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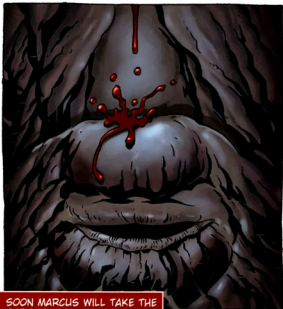
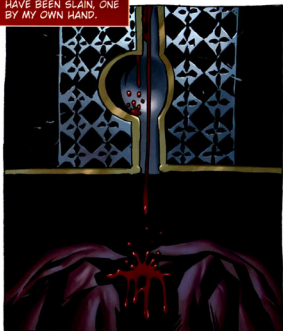


THOUGH I CANNOT
PREDICT THE FUTURE...

...THE CONSEQUENCES
OF THIS NIGHT WILL
REVERBERATE THROUGH
THE HALLS OF BOTH
GREAT COVENS FOR
MANY YEARS TO COME.



TWO VAMPIRE ELDERS
HAVE BEEN SLAIN, ONE
BY MY OWN HAND.



SOON MARCUS WILL TAKE THE
THRONE, AND THE TIDE OF
ANGER AND RETRIBUTION WILL
SPILL OUT INTO THE NIGHT.



AND SOON, I WILL
BECOME THE HUNTED.



YET AGAIN, WE ARRIVE TO WITNESS HIS AFTERMATH. BUT THE ONSLAUGHT ENDS TONIGHT.

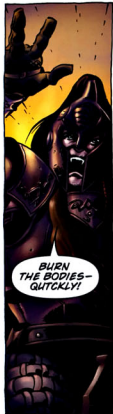
WE MUST MOVE QUICKLY OR WE WILL BE OUTNUMBERED!



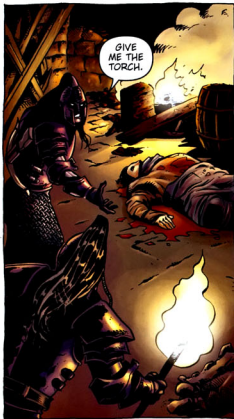
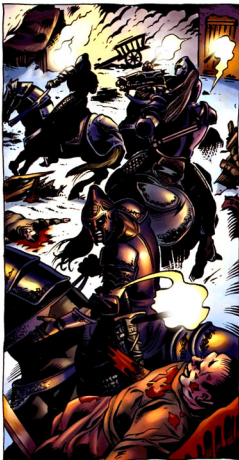
IS HE STILL HERE?

Y-YES, VIKTOR—HE MUST NOT BE HARMED.

I GAVE YOU MY WORD, DID I NOT?



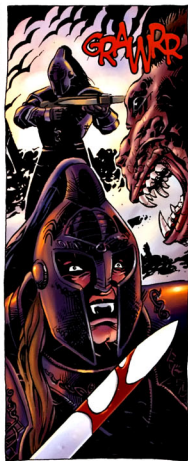
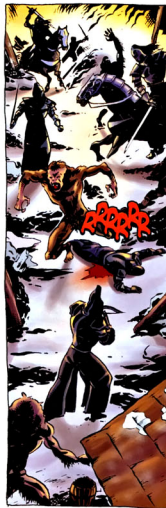
**BURN THE BODIES—
QUICKLY!**



GIVE ME THE TORCH.



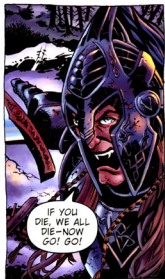
AAAAHHH!!





MARCUS,
RETREAT
TO THE
WOODS!

NO! I
WILL STAY
AND FIGHT!



IF YOU
DIE, WE ALL
DIE-NOW
GO! GO!



WE
FOUND
HIM!

YES,
AND?



WE NEED
MORE MEN.

AMELIA!
GO!



UGH!

ROA
WNN
ROR



NO! LEAVE HIM BE!



STOP! YOU'RE KILLING HIM! WILLIAM...



MARCUS!

HE WAS NOT TO BE HARMED! YOU WILL PAY FOR YOUR DECEIT!

AND YOU WILL LEARN YOUR PLACE. LOOK AT HIM—DOES HE LOOK LIKE YOUR BROTHER ANYMORE?



HOW MANY MORE OF THESE FILTHY MONSTROSITIES MUST HE CREATE BEFORE YOU REALIZE HE'S ENTIRELY BEYOND CONTROL? NO—THIS WILL BE DONE MY WAY.



YOU KNOW WELL THE CONSEQUENCES IF YOU MURDER ME... OR WILLIAM.

THUS, MY WILL IS THAT WILLIAM BE IMPRISONED... FOR ALL TIME. FAR FROM YOU.



AS... YOU WISH.



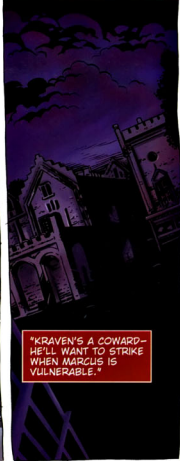
WE CAN'T STAY HERE LONG— THESE SAFE HOUSES ALL HAVE MOTION SENSORS REVEALING IF ONE IS ACTIVE.



NOW THAT VIKTOR'S DEAD, THE HUNT'S ON FOR HIS KILLER. IT'S ONLY A MATTER OF TIME BEFORE I'M FOUND.

BUT NONE OF THIS IS YOUR FAULT! WE HAVE PROOF—

BEYOND USELESS IF KRAVEN REACHES THE MANSION AND GETS TO MARCUS FIRST. BUT I'M GOING ALONE.



"KRAVEN'S A COWARD— HE'LL WANT TO STRIKE WHEN MARCUS IS VULNERABLE."



OPEN IT!



GRAARRR



WH— WHO...



MARCUS!

THE BLOOD MEMORIES OF THE CREATURE WHO REVIVED ME HAVE SHOWN ME YOUR TREACHERY KNOWS NO BOUNDS, BUT I WOULD KNOW MORE...



MY LORD... I CAN EXPLAIN!

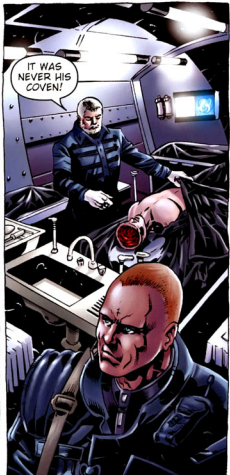
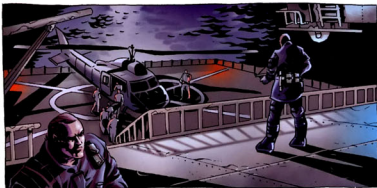


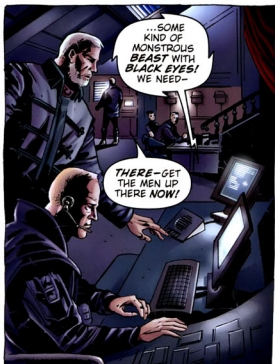
PLEASE... I... CAN ASSIST YOU.

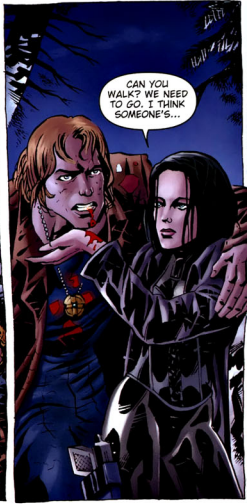
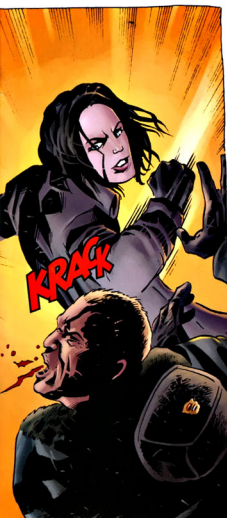
YOUR BLOOD SPEAKS OF A NEW HYBRID, SELENE LEARNING OF VIKTOR'S LIES. ASSIST ME?



YOU ALREADY HAVE!









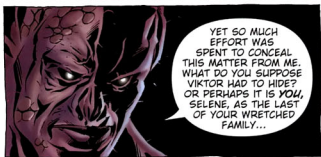
MARCUS?

YES, BUT STRONGER NOW. AND FREE BECAUSE OF WHAT YOU HAVE DONE, SELENE.



VIKTOR DESERVED HIS FATE, AND KRAVEN IS NO BETTER.

KRAVEN IS NO MORE... AND THE SLAYING OF YOUR FAMILY WAS A TERRIBLE THING. YES, VIKTOR DESERVED IT.

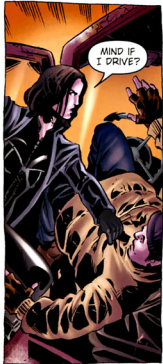


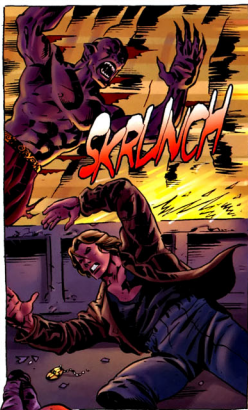
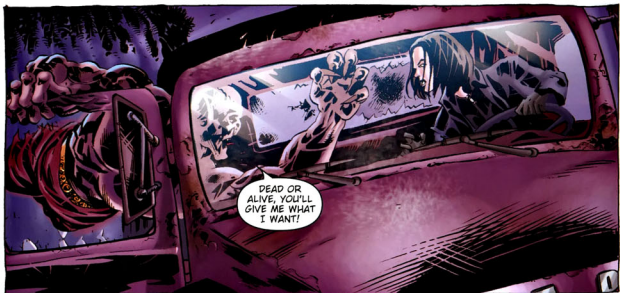
YET SO MUCH EFFORT WAS SPENT TO CONCEAL THIS MATTER FROM ME. WHAT DO YOU SUPPOSE VIKTOR HAD TO HIDE? OR PERHAPS IT IS YOU, SELENE, AS THE LAST OF YOUR WRETCHED FAMILY...



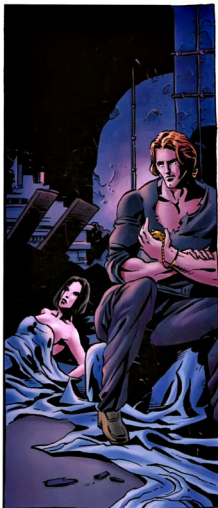
...WHO HAS SOMETHING TO HIDE!

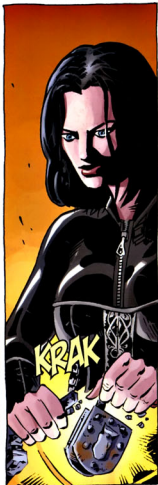


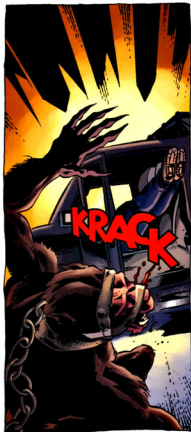
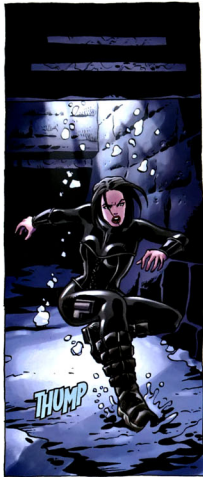


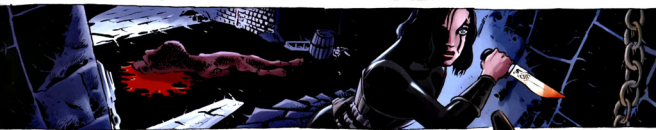
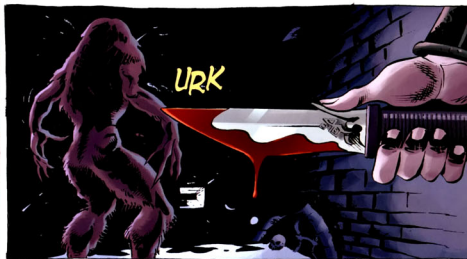














I KNEW IT WAS YOU, SELENE. THE STENCH OF VIKTOR'S BLOOD STILL LINGERS IN YOUR VEINS.



TANIS, YOU REMEMBER WHAT HAPPENED THE LAST TIME YOU POINTED A WEAPON AT ME.

AH, BUT I'M NOT AFRAID OF YOU ANYMORE.



WELL, WE'RE GOING TO HAVE TO WORK ON THAT.



WE NEED TO TALK.



HOW DOES A VAMPIRE HAVE LYCAN BODYGUARDS?

A GIFT FROM A MOST PERSUASIVE CLIENT... LUCIEN.

WHY WOULD LUCIEN WANT TO PROTECT YOU?



BECAUSE HE'S BEEN TRADING WITH THEM—LIV ROUNDS.

HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN IN THE BUSINESS OF KILLING YOUR OWN KIND?



I'VE DONE WHAT'S NECESSARY TO SURVIVE. BUT MY DECISION WAS MADE EASY THE DAY YOUR PRECIOUS VIKTOR BETRAYED ME.

BETRAYAL'S SOMETHING HE DID WELL.



VIKTOR'S DEAD. I KILLED HIM.

YOU? KILLED VIKTOR? NO, I THINK NOT. UNLESS... YOU LEARNED THE TRUTH.

VIKTOR'S DEAD. I KILLED HIM.



SO YOUR EYES ARE FINALLY OPEN. YOU KNOW I TRIED TO STOP HIM, OF COURSE. A TRAVESTY, COMMITTING SUCH A HORRIBLE CRIME...



CAREFUL WITH THAT, DEAR. IT MAKES A TERRIBLE BANG.

GOOD TO KNOW. BUT WHAT ELSE DO YOU KNOW?



VERY LITTLE ABOUT ANYTHING, I'M AFRAID.

KNOWING TOO MUCH GETS YOU KILLED, BUT KNOWING JUST ENOUGH TO BE OF USE SOMEDAY... THAT RATES SOMEPLACE EXACTLY LIKE THIS.



OR PERHAPS I'M MISTAKEN, AND THERE'S NO USE FOR YOU AT ALL.



SOME HISTORY IS BASED ON TRUTH, OTHERS ON DECEPTION. VIKTOR WAS NOT THE FIRST OF OUR KIND AS HE CLAIMED. HE WAS ONCE HUMAN, RULER OF THESE LANDS.



"MARCUS—HE IS THE ONE, THE SOURCE, THE FIRST TRUE VAMPIRE."



"THE SONS OF THE CORVINUS CLAN. ONE BITTEN BY BAT, ONE BY WOLF, AND ONE TO WALK THE LONELY ROAD OF MORTALITY."

SO THE LEGEND'S TRUE.



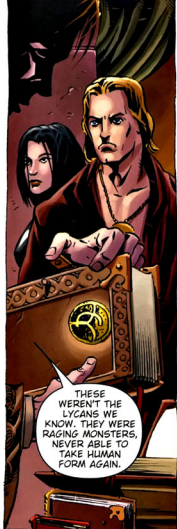
NEAR THE END OF VIKTOR'S LIFE, MARCUS CAME WITH AN OFFER... OF IMMORTALITY.



"IN RETURN, VIKTOR WAS TO USE HIS ARMY TURNED IMMORTAL TO HELP HIM DEFEAT THE VERY FIRST WEREWOLVES—A DANGEROUS AND INFECTIOUS BREED CREATED BY MARCUS'S OWN FLESH AND BLOOD..."



"...HIS TWIN BROTHER, WILLIAM!"



THESE WEREN'T THE LYCANS WE KNOW. THEY WERE RAGING MONSTERS, NEVER ABLE TO TAKE HUMAN FORM AGAIN.



"THEY HAD TO BE STOPPED. SO, ONCE VIKTOR'S ARMY WAS TURNED, THEY TRACKED DOWN AND DESTROYED THE ANIMALS."

"AND LOCKED WILLIAM AWAY, VIKTOR'S PRISONER FOR ALL TIME."



WHY LET HIM LIVE?

SAME REASON VIKTOR NEVER CONSPIRED AGAINST MARCUS—HE WAS LED TO BELIEVE THAT SHOULD THEY BE KILLED, THE BLOODLINES WOULD FOLLOW THEM TO THE GRAVE.



HERE WE ARE.

VAMPIRES?

MORTALS...



...MEN LOYAL TO ALEXANDER CORVINUS, THE FATHER OF US ALL.



WHAT'S THIS?



YOU SHOULD KNOW. IT'S WILLIAM'S PRISON.

THE PRISON YOUR FATHER WAS COMMISSIONED TO BUILD.

"FATHER..."

"THE PENDANT...
IT'S A KEY. THAT
MEANS..."

WHAT IS
IT? WHAT'S
WRONG?

SHE NOW
UNDERSTANDS
WHY HER FAMILY
WAS KILLED.

"BUT THAT WAS
YEARS LATER."

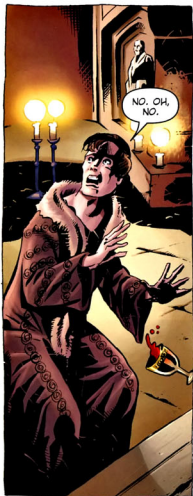
AND I'M THE
ONLY ONE STILL
LIVING THAT'S
SEEN ITS
LOCATION!

VIKTOR KNEW YOU
WERE TOO YOUNG TO
REMEMBER IT EXACTLY,
BUT IT'S IN YOUR BLOOD
MEMORIES... IF MARCUS
FINDS YOU, HE FINDS
WILLIAM.

BUT I
KNOW WHO
CAN STOP
HIM...

"THE WINTER OF LUCIEN'S
ESCAPE. YOUR FATHER KNEW
TOO MUCH, ESPECIALLY SINCE
LUCIEN HAD THE KEY TO
WILLIAM'S CELL."

LATER...



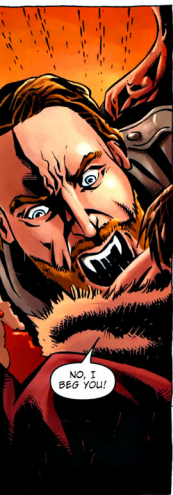


OH, YES, THOSE KEYS. ONE WAS KEPT AROUND HIS DAUGHTER'S THROAT.

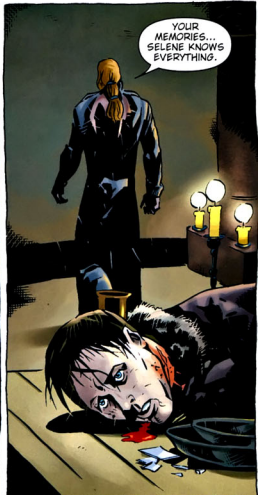
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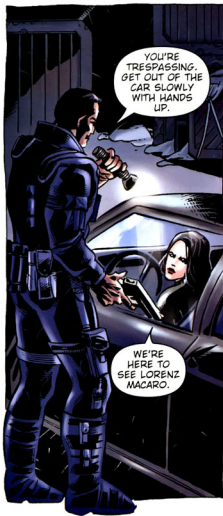
KEPT WITH VIKTOR AT ALL TIMES. WITHIN HIM... BENEATH HIS FLESH.

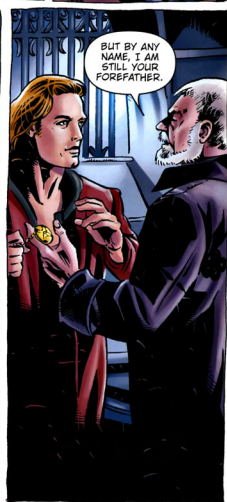


NO, I BEG YOU!



YOUR MEMORIES... SELENE KNOWS EVERYTHING.







"FOR GENERATIONS I'VE STOOD BY AND WATCHED THE HAVOC MY SONS HAVE WROUGHT UPON EACH OTHER AND HUMANITY. IT'S BEEN MY TIRESOME DUTY TO KEEP THE WAR CONTAINED, CLEAN UP THE MESS, AND HIDE MY FAMILY'S UNFORTUNATE HISTORY."



"I SHOULD HAVE PUT AN END TO IT CENTURIES AGO."

"WHY DIDN'T YOU?"



COULD YOU KILL YOUR OWN SONS?

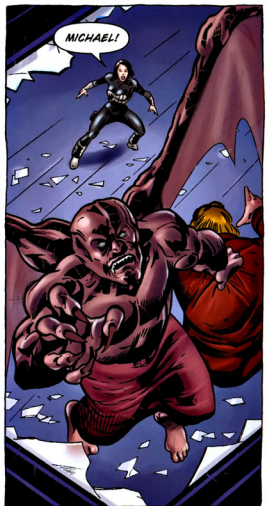
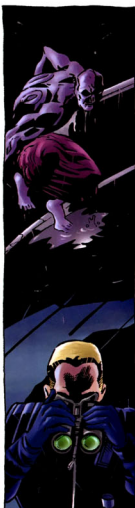
BUT YOU KNOW IF MARCUS FINDS ME HE'LL FIND WILLIAM'S PRISON. YOU NEED TO HELP US STOP HIM!



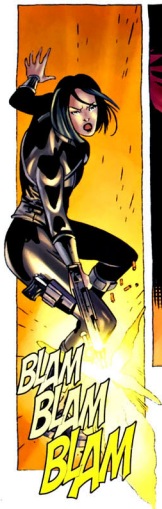
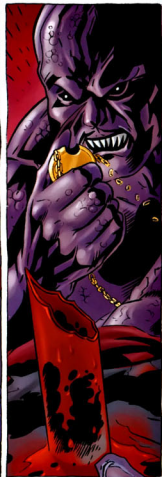
YOU WANT ME TO HELP YOU KILL MY SON? YOU? A DEATH DEALER?

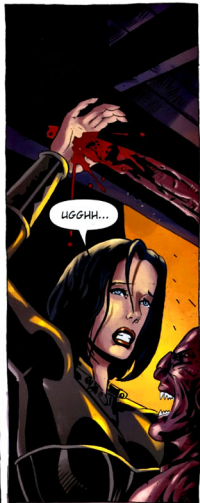
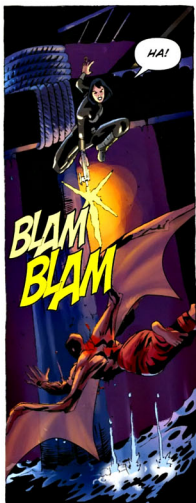
YOU KNOW WHAT KIND OF DEVASTATION WILLIAM CAUSED BEFORE HE WAS CAPTURED. HE CAN'T BE LET FREE.

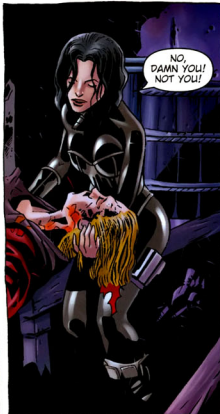
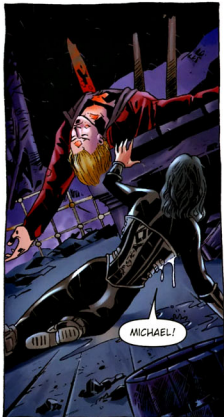


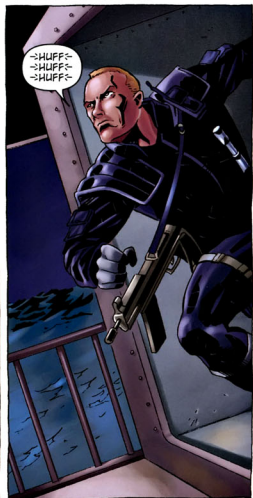
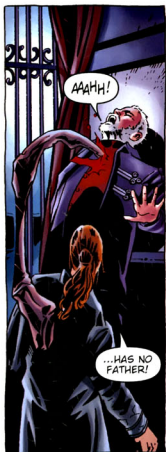


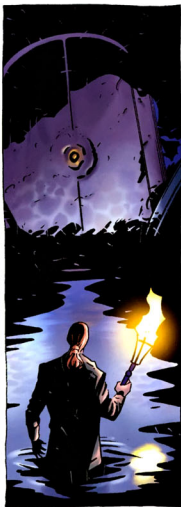














SELENE,
I DON'T
SEE A WAY
INSIDE!

HEAD BACK
AROUND TOWARDS THE
RIVER, SAMUEL. THERE'S
A SUBMERGED ENTRANCE
INTO THE CATACOMBS.



OH,
WILL—



RRRAARRR

BE STILL,
BROTHER!
I'D NO SOONER
HURT YOU THAN
MYSELF.

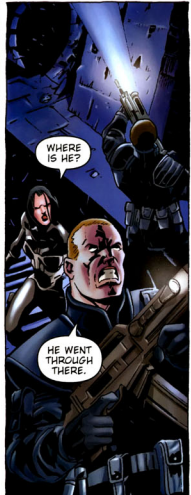
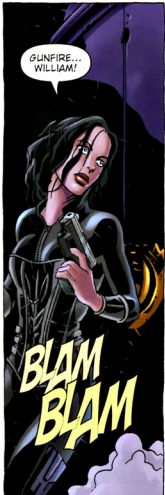


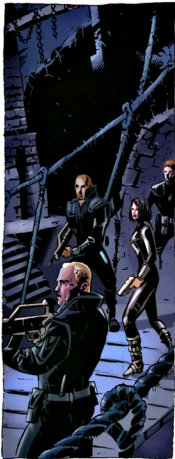
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WAY!

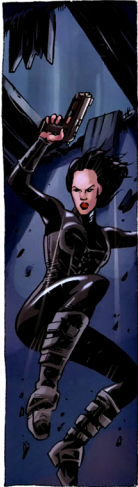


SHHH...
HE'S ALREADY
HERE.

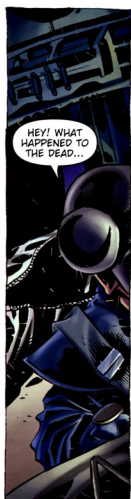


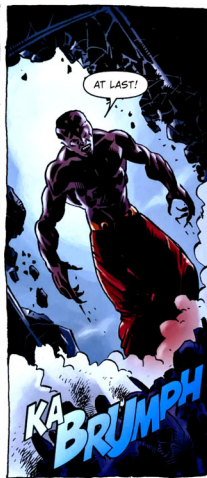
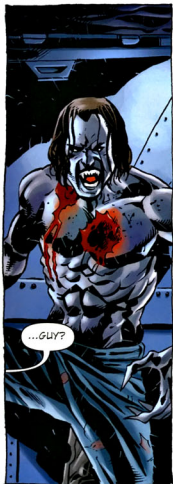














SOMETHING...
PULLING US
DOWN!



NOOOOOO!

KRAK!



I KNEW
VIKTOR WAS
MAKING A MISTAKE
BY KEEPING YOU AS
A PET. HE SHOULD
HAVE KILLED YOU
WITH THE REST OF
YOUR FAMILY.

MARCUS—
HOW?



RARRRR!

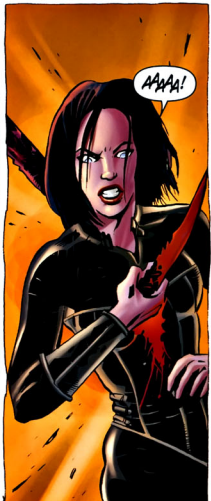
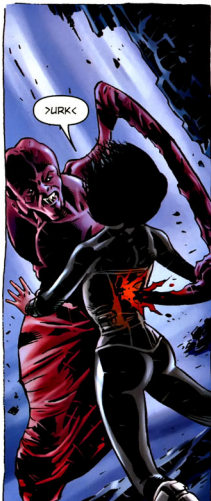
RARRR!



APOO



SCHRIIP







THE UNKNOWN IS NOW MY
NEW REALITY, FOR I DO
NOT YET UNDERSTAND
WHAT I HAVE BECOME.

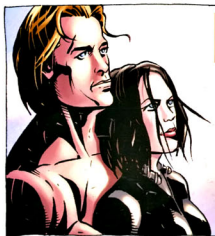


THE FUTURE BRINGS SO
MANY QUESTIONS, SO
MANY FEARS, BUT THE
FIRST STEP—THE FIRST
NEW DAY—HAS ARRIVED.



600 SUMMERS.
600 FALLS. 35
GENERATIONS
OF HUMANITY.

AND FINALLY AGAIN...
THE SUN.



END.

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