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STAN LEE PRESENTS **the MIGHTY THOR**

NO SUMMARY OF OURS WILL SUFFICE TO DESCRIBE THE UNBELIEVABLE TURN OF EVENTS TAKING PLACE BEFORE US...

...SO JUST HANG ON AS WE RUSH HEADLONG TOWARD A SEEMINGLY IMPOSSIBLE DESTINY FOR ASGARD, HOME OF THE MIGHTY NORSE GODS, WITH A TALE THAT CAN ONLY BE CALLED...

THE GRAND ALLIANCE!

OR LIFE WITH LOKI!!!!

MY STEP-BROTHER'S TIME HAS COME AT LAST! LOKI MUST BE KING!

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THOR! SURELY THIS IDEA IS THE VERY SOUL OF MADNESS!

THY BROTHER HAS EVER COVETED THE THRONE OF THE GOLDEN REALM...

...AND EVER HAS HE STRIVEN TO DESTROY ALL THAT IS GOOD AND NOBLE IN ASGARD!

NAY, GOOD HEIMDALL.

THOUGH IT IS THY GIFT TO SEE AND HEAR ALL THINGS THAT PASS, IN THIS MY OWN EYES SEE MORE CLEARLY.

FOR LORELEI, MY BELOVED, HAS SHOWN ME THAT MY STEP-BROTHER WOULD BE THE PERFECT RULER OF THE PERFECT REALM!

AND AS HER WORD IS LAW TO ME NOW...

I HAD BEST SUMMON HELP! LORELEI HAS BEWITCHED THOR'S SENSES AND UNLESS WE CAN UNDO THIS ENCHANTMENT...

...SO SHALL I SUPPORT LOKI'S RELUCTANT WISH TO BECOME THE LORD OF THIS BLESSED KINGDOM!

...ASGARD IS DOOMED TO BE RULED BY ONE WHOSE EVIL CAN SNUFF OUT THE VERY SUN!

AND SHORTLY THEREAFTER...

'TIS AS I HAVE TOLD YOU, LADY FRIGGA.

THY STEP-SON IS BEWOTTED WITH LOVE OF LORELEI AND SPEAKS OF NOTHING BUT SETTING LOKI UPON THE THRONE.

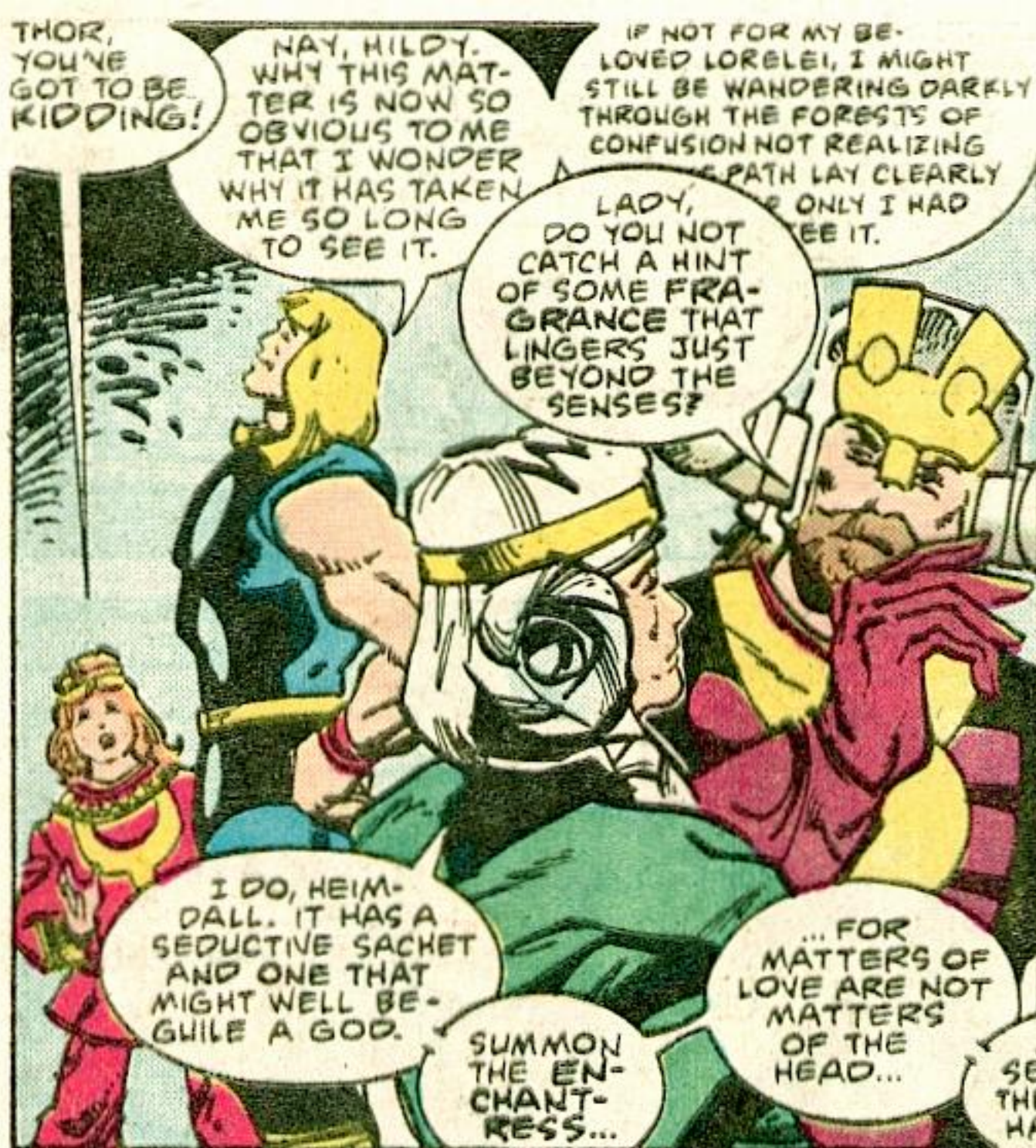
IF WE CANNOT BREAK HIS ENTHRALLMENT, THE GOLDEN REALM MAY BE DOOMED.

WELCOME, LADY. NO DOUBT THE NOBLE HEIMDALL HAS SPOKEN OF MY FIRM RESOLVE TO AID LOKI TO BECOME OUR LIEGE...

...AND YOU HAVE COME TO TELL ME THAT YOU, TOO, SEE THE WISDOM OF THIS COURSE OF ACTION.

I HAVE INDEED COME TO HEAR THESE WORDS FROM THINE OWN LIPS, THOR.

sniff
sniff



THOR, YOU'VE GOT TO BE KIDDING!

NAY, HILDY. WHY THIS MATTER IS NOW SO OBVIOUS TO ME THAT I WONDER WHY IT HAS TAKEN ME SO LONG TO SEE IT.

IF NOT FOR MY BE-LOVED LORELEI, I MIGHT STILL BE WANDERING DARKLY THROUGH THE FORESTS OF CONFUSION NOT REALIZING THE PATH LAY CLEARLY BEFORE ME. ONLY I HAD TO SEE IT.

LADY, DO YOU NOT CATCH A HINT OF SOME FRAGRANCE THAT LINGERS JUST BEYOND THE SENSES?

I DO, HEIM-DALL. IT HAS A SEDUCTIVE SACKET AND ONE THAT MIGHT WELL BE-GUILE A GOD.

SUMMON THE ENCHANTRESS...

... FOR MATTERS OF LOVE ARE NOT MATTERS OF THE HEAD...

... AND IN THE SEDUCTIONS OF THE SOUL, AMORA HAS NO EQUAL.



MOMENTS LATER, FROM A PARAPET...

THOUGH MOST OF THE ASGARDIANS ARE STILL ON EARTH, THE ENCHANTRESS RETURNED TO ASGARD THROUGH HER SORCERY.

SO I WILL PLAY A NOTE THAT ONLY SHE MAY HEAR AND KNOW THAT SHE HAS BEEN CALLED.

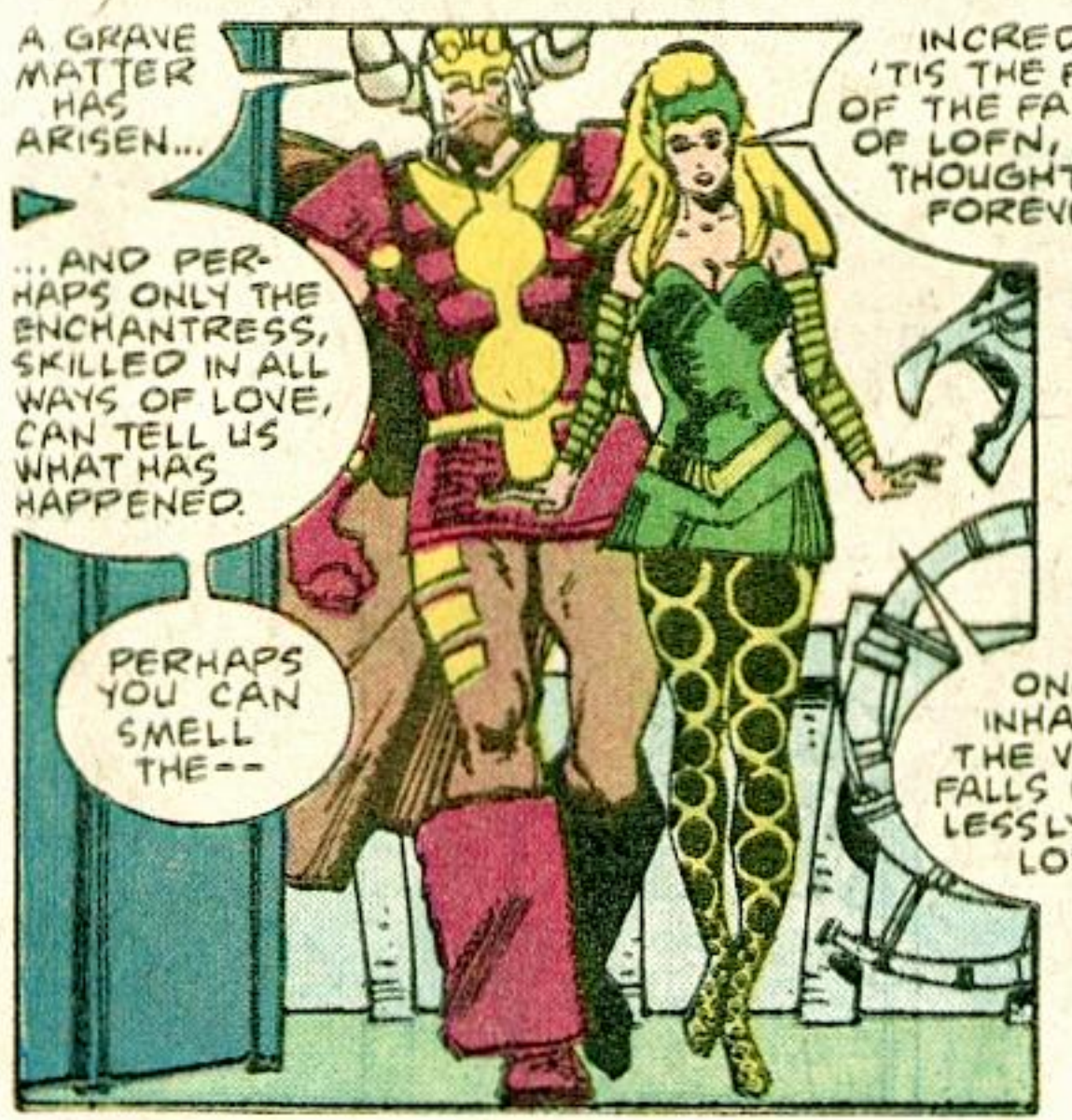


AND FASTER THAN THOUGHT...

I HAVE COME, HEIMDALL. WHY HAVE YOU TOLLED ME HERE TO THE HALLS OF THOR?

FASSP!

PLEASE STEP INSIDE, AMORA.



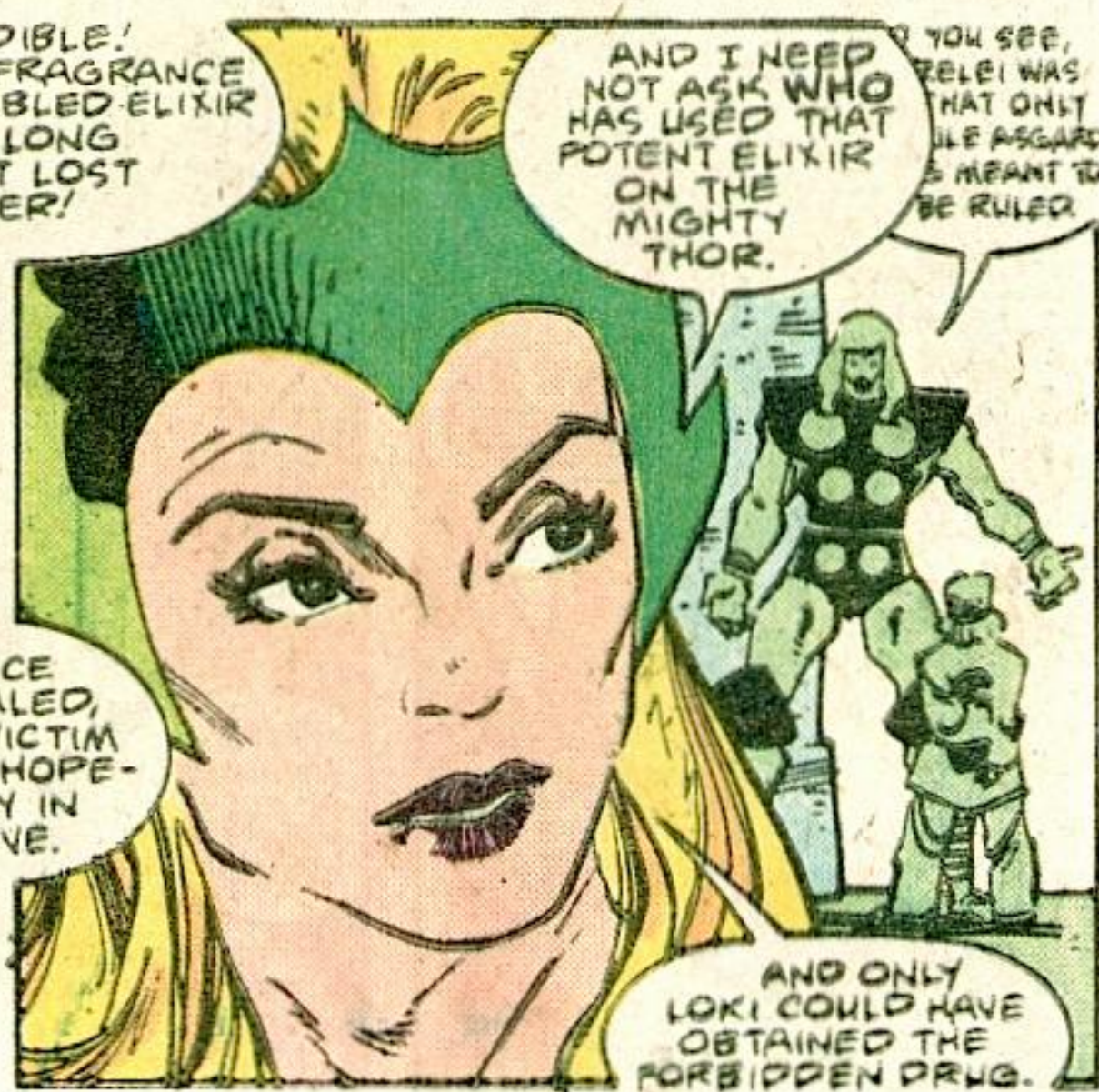
A GRAVE MATTER HAS ARISEN...

... AND PERHAPS ONLY THE ENCHANTRESS, SKILLED IN ALL WAYS OF LOVE, CAN TELL US WHAT HAS HAPPENED.

PERHAPS YOU CAN SMELL THE--

INCREDIBLE! 'TIS THE FRAGRANCE OF THE FABLED ELIXIR OF LOFN, LONG THOUGHT LOST FOREVER!

ONCE INHALED, THE VICTIM FALLS HOPELESSLY IN LOVE.



AND I NEED NOT ASK WHO HAS USED THAT POTENT ELIXIR ON THE MIGHTY THOR.

YOU SEE, LORELEI WAS THAT ONLY ASGARD WAS MEANT TO BE RULED.

AND ONLY LOKI COULD HAVE OBTAINED THE FORBIDDEN DRUG.



... IN MANHATTAN, BETA RAY BILL AND SIF WANDER SLOWLY ALONG COLUMBUS AVENUE.

THE WORD HAS GONE OUT TO ALL OUR FORCES, BILL, TO GATHER AGAIN IN CENTRAL PARK.



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FOR I KNOW HOW TO RETURN THEM HOME AND I MUST SPEAK WITH THOR.

IN A FEW SHORT MOMENTS, I SHALL DEPART.

AND WE SHALL NOT SHARE THIS MOMENT OF PRIVACY AGAIN.



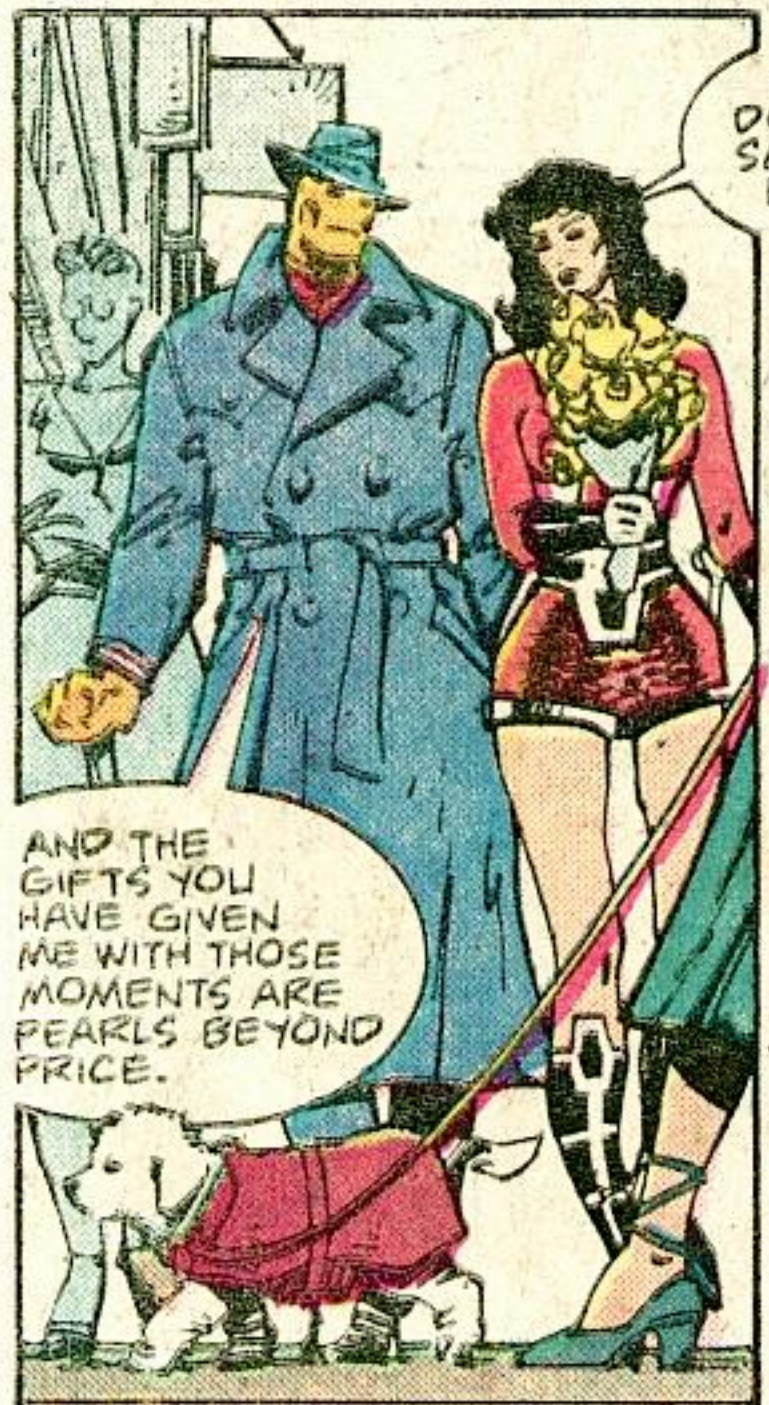
OUR TIME TOGETHER IS NEARLY GONE.

NOT SO, MI-LADY.

THE TIMES WE HAVE HAD TOGETHER WILL REMAIN WITH US FOREVER.



THE PASSING MINUTES, THE DISTANT YEARS, SHALL NOT DIMINISH THE GLORY OF THESE FEW MOMENTS.



OH, DO NOT SAY SO, BILL.

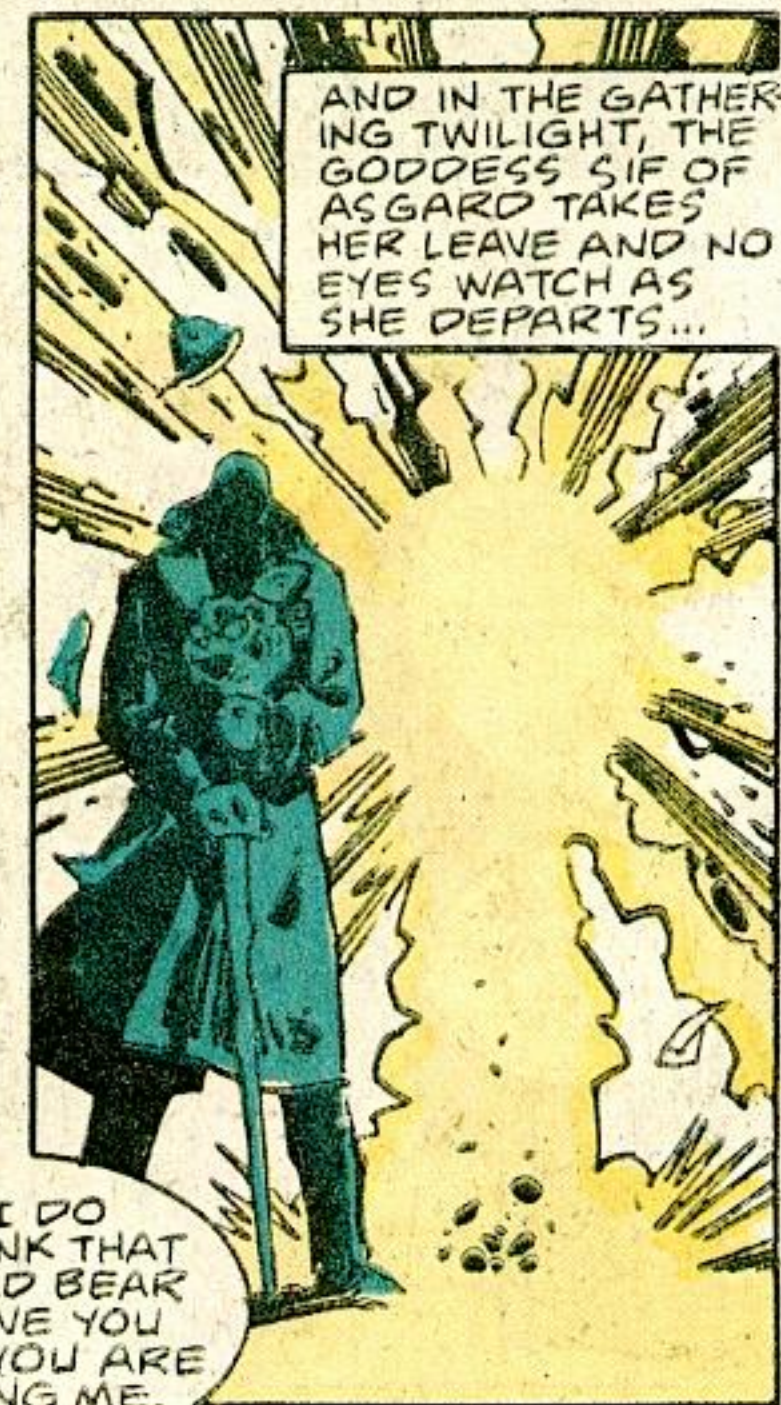
AND THE GIFTS YOU HAVE GIVEN ME WITH THOSE MOMENTS ARE PEARLS BEYOND PRICE.



FOR YOU HAVE GIVEN ME SO MUCH AND YET I MUST ASK FOR THE MOST PRICELESS GIFT OF ALL... MY FREEDOM.

THAT, MY LADY, IS ALL I HAVE LEFT TO GIVE.

THEN TAKE THESE FLOWERS AS MY TOKEN AND TURN AWAY, BILL.



AND IN THE GATHERING TWILIGHT, THE GODDESS SIF OF ASGARD TAKES HER LEAVE AND NO EYES WATCH AS SHE DEPARTS...

FOR I DO NOT THINK THAT I COULD BEAR TO LEAVE YOU WHILE YOU ARE WATCHING ME.

AND IN ASGARD...

IS THERE NOTHING THAT CAN BE DONE?

LOKI MIGHT KNOW, BUT I CAN ONLY GUESS.

STILL, PERHAPS WE CAN BREAK THE MAGIC OF THE SPELL WITH THIS!



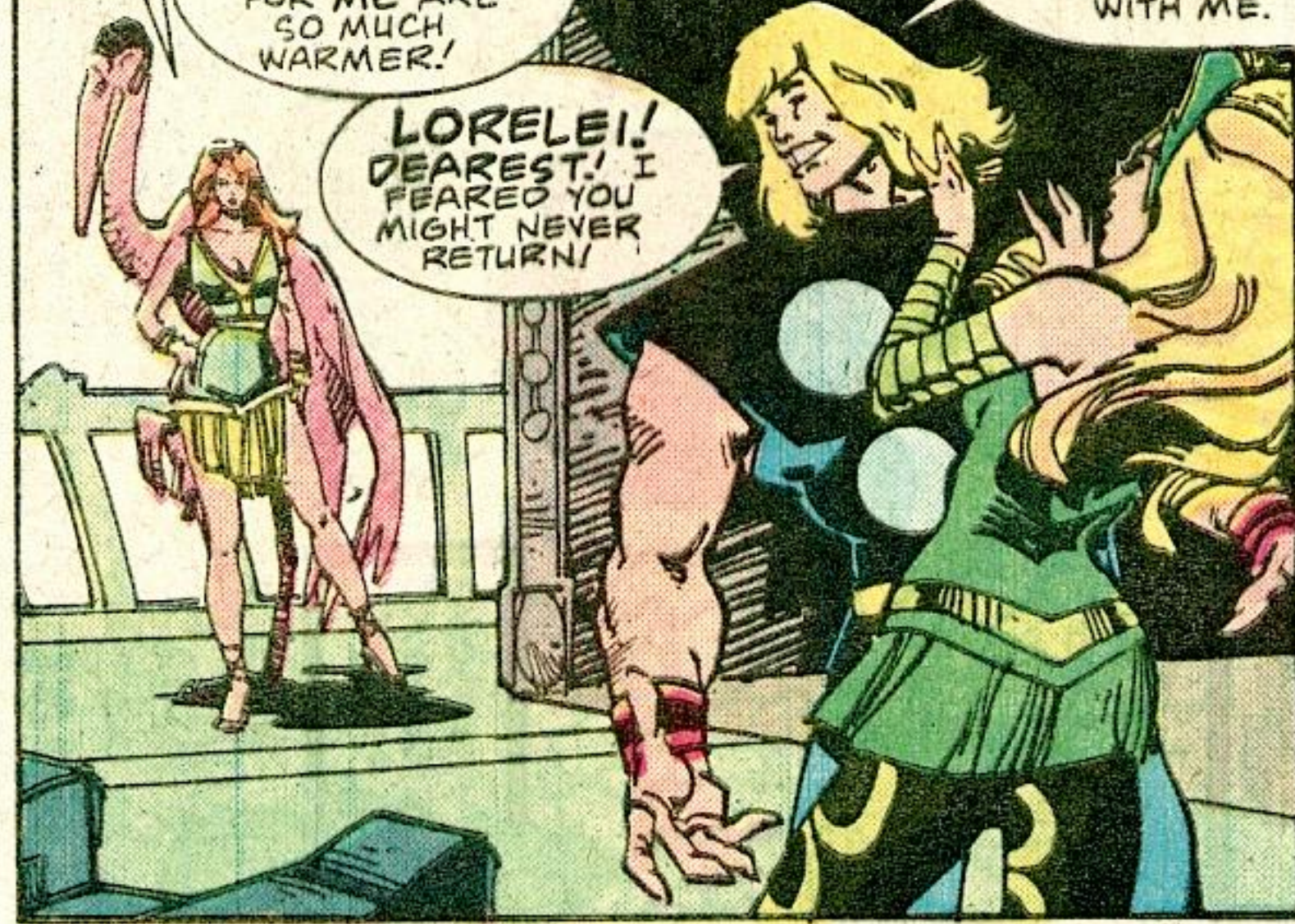
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ENJOYING YOURSELF, SISTER?

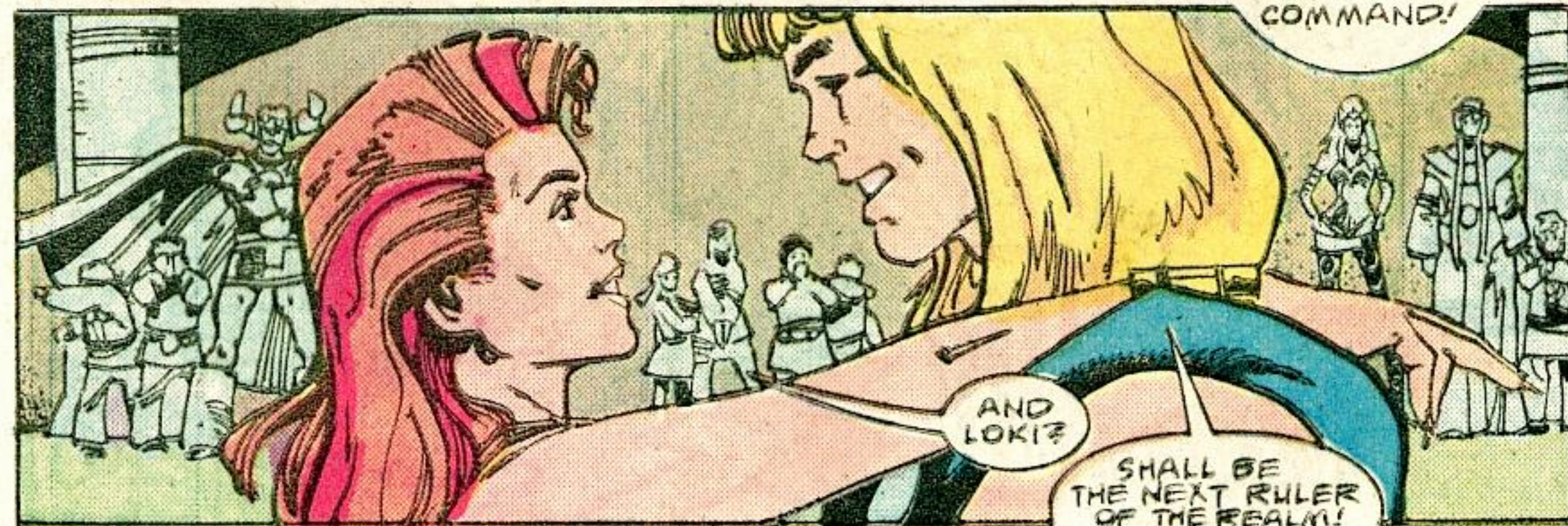
COLD CONSOLATION WHEN THOR'S KISSES FOR ME ARE SO MUCH WARMER!

CAN YOU FORGIVE ME, MY LOVE? I COULD NOT BEAR IT IF YOU WERE STILL ANGRY WITH ME.

LORELEI! DEAREST! I FEARED YOU MIGHT NEVER RETURN!



NEVER AGAIN WILL I DISOBEY YOU. YOUR EVERY WORD SHALL BE MY IRON COMMAND!



AND LOKI?

SHALL BE THE NEXT RULER OF THE REALM!

BUT AT THAT MOMENT, BEFORE THE ASTONISHED ASGARDIANS CAN GATHER THEIR WITS ABOUT THEM...



LADY SIF! YOU HAVE COME JUST IN TIME!



WHYZ WHAT HAS HAPPENED?

LORELEI HAS WROUGHT A MAGIC SO POWERFUL THAT THOR IS HER SLAVE, BODY AND SOUL...



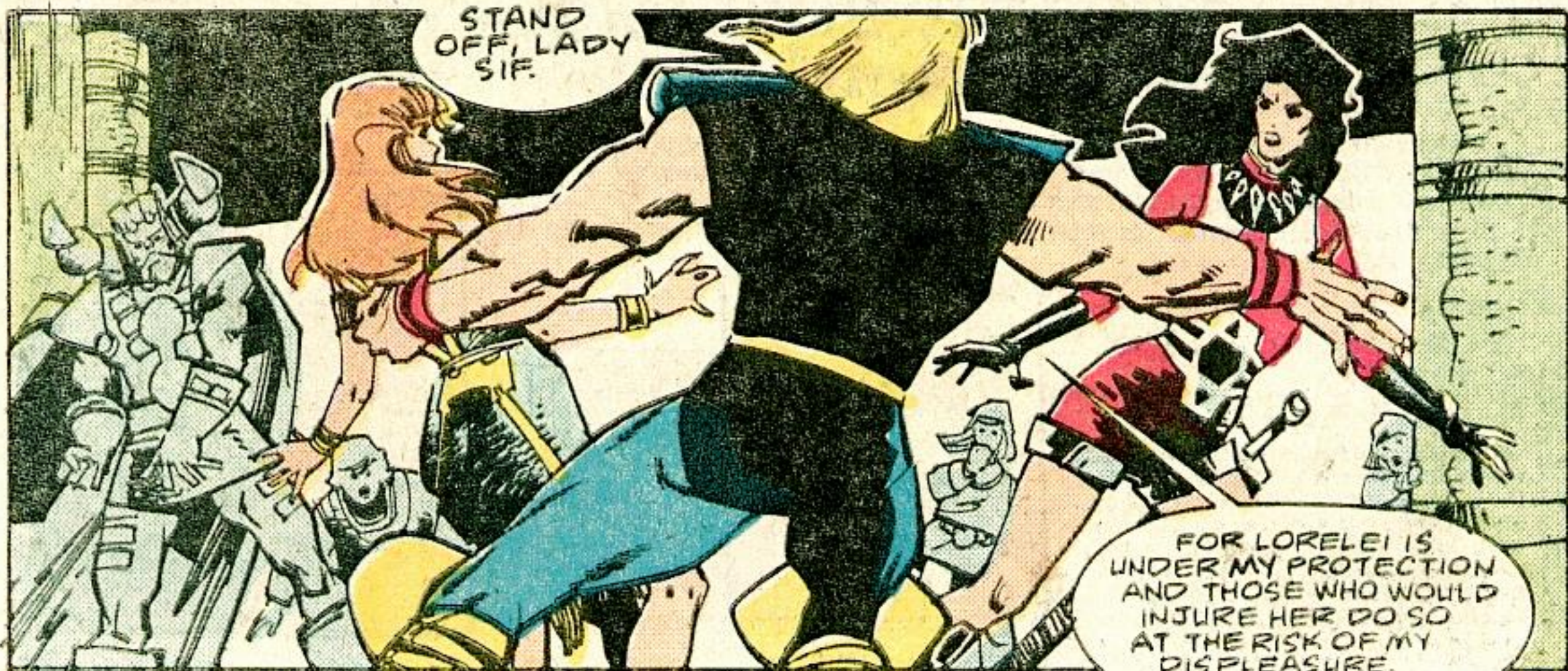
... AND AT HER BIDDING, HE WILL STOP AT NOTHING TO PLACE LOKI UPON THE GOLDEN THRONE OF ASGARD!



YOU HAVE DONE THAT?!!

RELEASE HIM, GIRL, OR YOU SHALL HAVE CAUSE TO REGRET IT!!

OWW! YOU'RE HURTING ME!



STAND OFF, LADY SIF.

FOR LORELEI IS UNDER MY PROTECTION AND THOSE WHO WOULD INJURE HER DO SO AT THE RISK OF MY DISPLEASURE.



SHE HURT ME, THOR.

THAT WITCH HURT MY WRIST!

HURT HER BACK!



NEVER AGAIN, LADY, SEEK TO HARM LORELEI! OR IT SHALL BE THE WORSE FOR YOU!

SWAK!



THOR, YOU DO LOVE ME!

OH, MY DARLING, MAY I NOT GO WITH THEE?

BUT NOW I MUST LEAVE YOU FOR A TIME!

NAY, SEEK NOT TO ACCOMPANY ME, BUT STAY AND PERSUADE THE REST OF THESE GENTLE FOLK THAT LOKI SHALL BE THEIR BEST MASTER.

I SHALL RETURN ANON...



...BUT LET ME TAKE THY CLOAK, FOR IT IS CHILLY WHERE I GO.



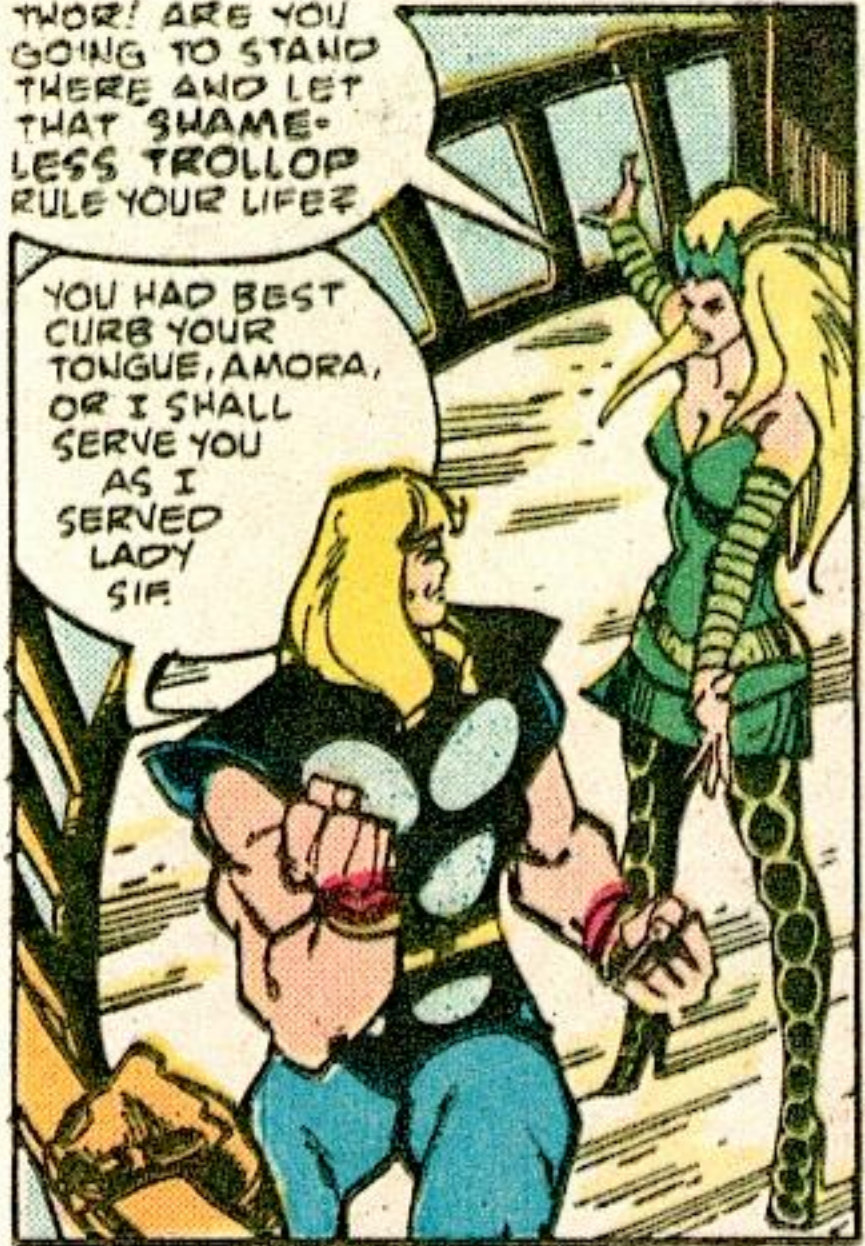
...AND THE VERY THOUGHT OF YOU AS I SIT WRAPPED IN IT WILL WARM ME.

FAREWELL, MY LOVE!

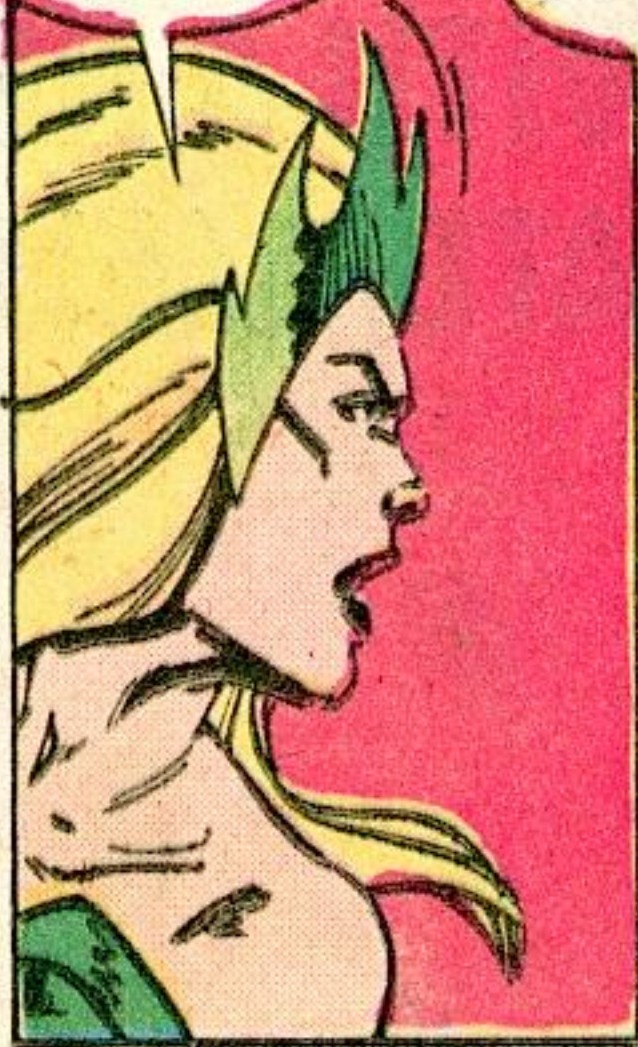
IS SHE NOT WONDERFUL?

TWO! ARE YOU GOING TO STAND THERE AND LET THAT SHAMELESS TROLLOP RULE YOUR LIFE?

YOU HAD BEST CURB YOUR TONGUE, AMORA, OR I SHALL SERVE YOU AS I SERVED LADY SIF.



OH, THIS IS INTOLERABLE! HEIMDALL, IS THERE NOTHING WE CAN DO?



HEIMDALL?



A MOMENT, ENCHANTRESS. I AM WATCHING THE FLIGHT OF OUR LORELEI.



I SEE NOTHING BUT CLOUDS.

YOU FORGET THAT I WAS CHOSEN GUARDIAN OF THE RAINBOW BRIDGE BECAUSE MINE ARE THE KEENEST SENSES IN ASGARD!

NO MATTER HOW FAR SHE MAY FLY, I CAN SEE LORELEI AS THOUGH SHE WERE STANDING BESIDE US.

BESIDES, IS THIS RIGHTEOUS INDIGNATION NOT A LITTLE FALSE?

YOU, TOO, HAVE PLAYED YOUR GAMES WITH THE AFFECTION OF THOR IN THE PAST.

PERHAPS I HAVE, BUT NEVER TO THE RUINATION OF THE GOLDEN REALM. MY LITTLE SISTER HAS NO MORE BRAINS THAN A PIN!



THEN LET ME ASK YOU A QUESTION.

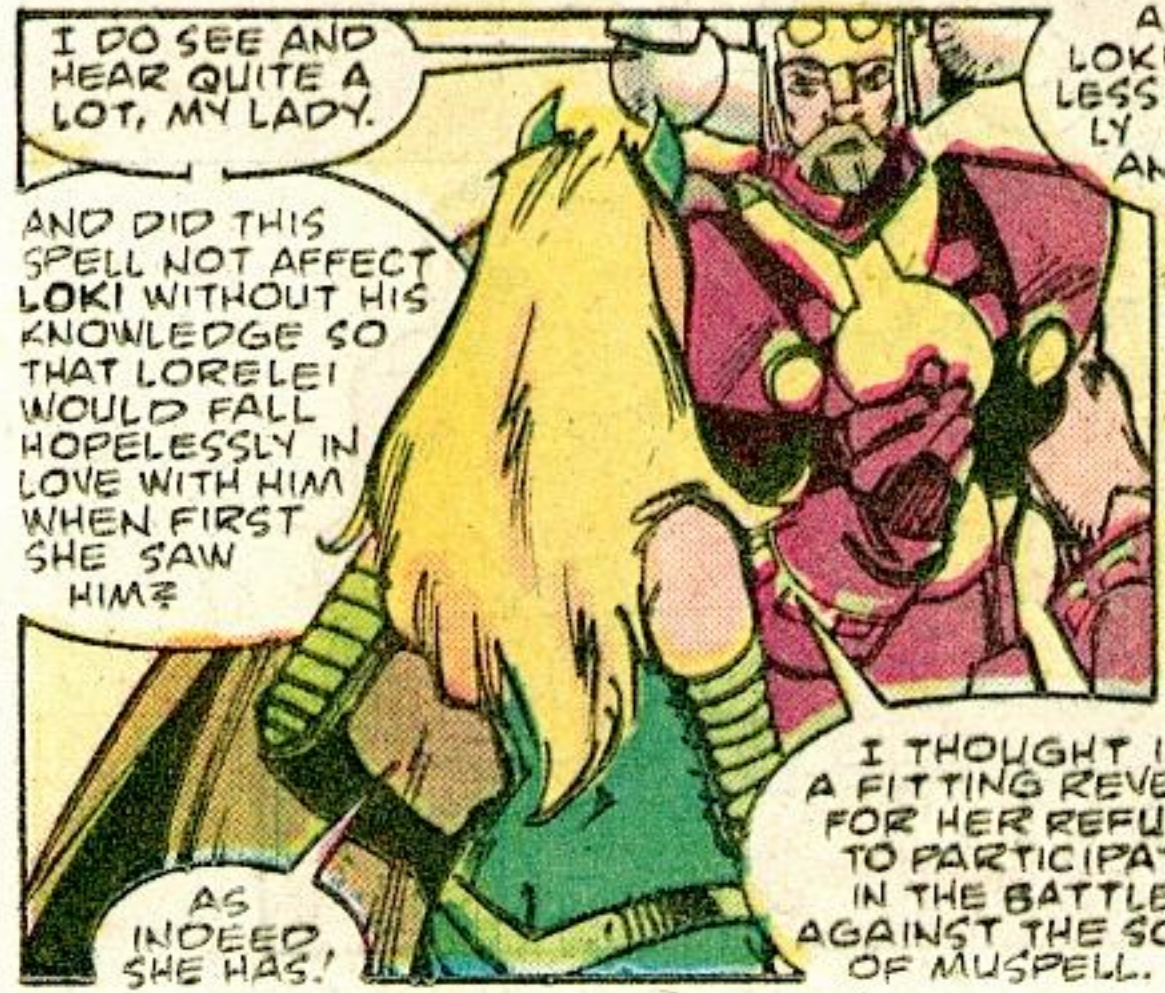
UPON YOUR RETURN RECENTLY TO ASGARD, DID YOU NOT CAST A SPELL UPON THE VERY SCEPTER OF ODIN?

HOW-- HOW DID YOU KNOW?

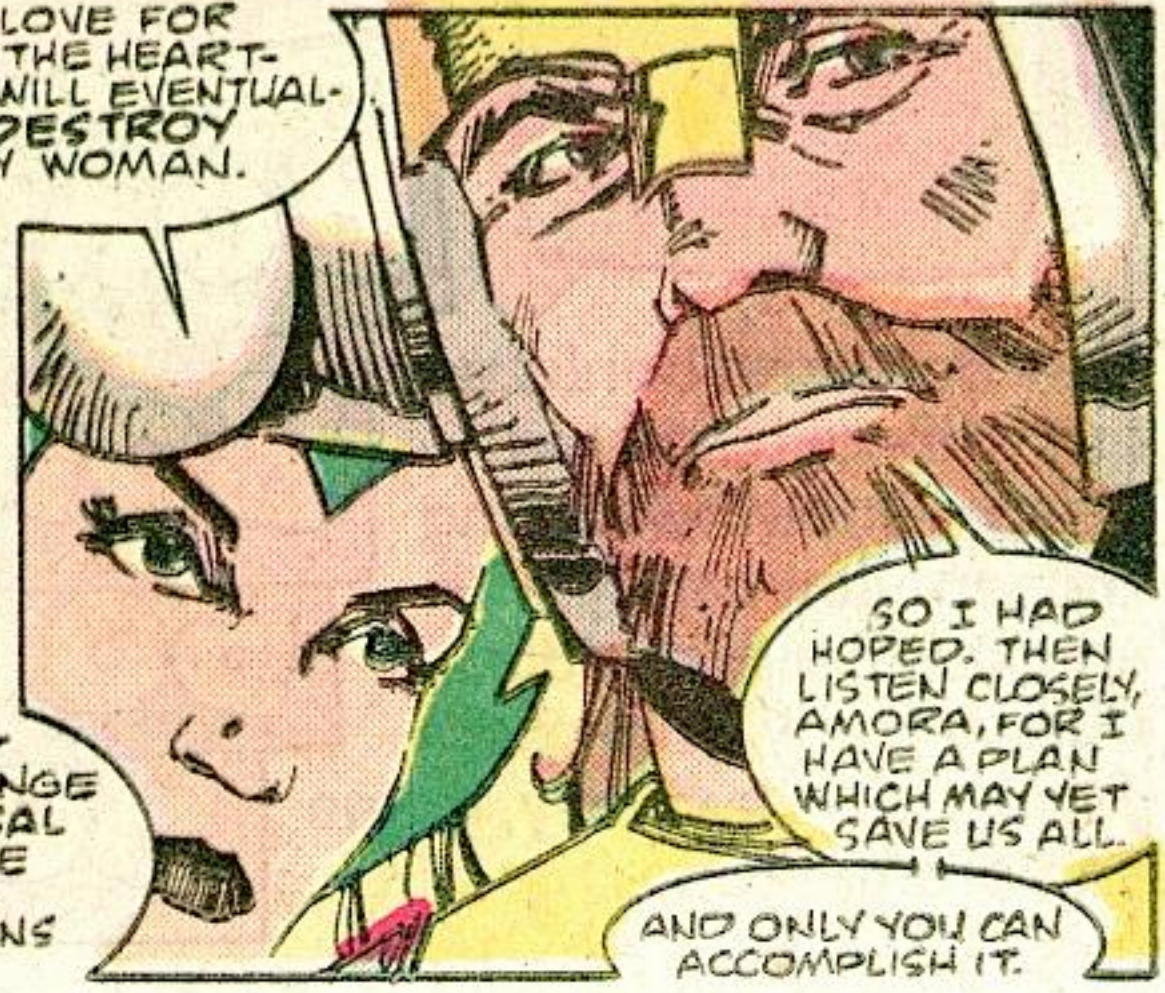
I DO SEE AND HEAR QUITE A LOT, MY LADY.

AND DID THIS SPELL NOT AFFECT LOKI WITHOUT HIS KNOWLEDGE SO THAT LORELEI WOULD FALL HOPELESSLY IN LOVE WITH HIM WHEN FIRST SHE SAW HIM?

A LOVE FOR LOKI THE HEARTLESS WILL EVENTUALLY DESTROY ANY WOMAN.



I THOUGHT IT A FITTING REVENGE FOR HER REFUSAL TO PARTICIPATE IN THE BATTLE AGAINST THE SONS OF MUSPELL.



SO I HAD HOPED. THEN LISTEN CLOSELY, AMORA, FOR I HAVE A PLAN WHICH MAY YET SAVE US ALL.

AND ONLY YOU CAN ACCOMPLISH IT.

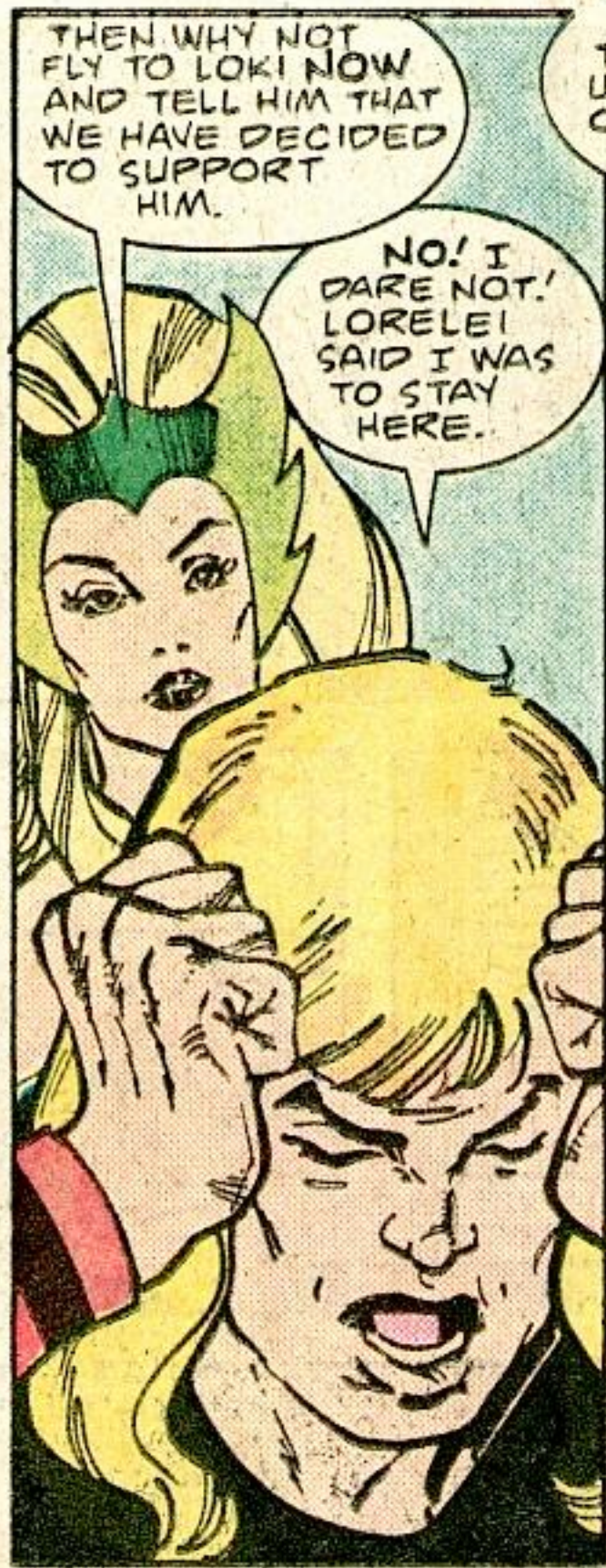
AS INDEED SHE HAS!

SHORTLY...



YOU ARE RIGHT, THOR. HEIMDALL HAS CONVINCED US ALL. LOKI SHOULD BE THE NEXT RULER OF ASGARD.

WELL SAID, ENCHANTRESS. I AM GLAD THAT YOU, TOO, HAVE SEEN THE LIGHT.



THEN WHY NOT FLY TO LOKI NOW AND TELL HIM THAT WE HAVE DECIDED TO SUPPORT HIM.

NO! I DARE NOT! LORELEI SAID I WAS TO STAY HERE.

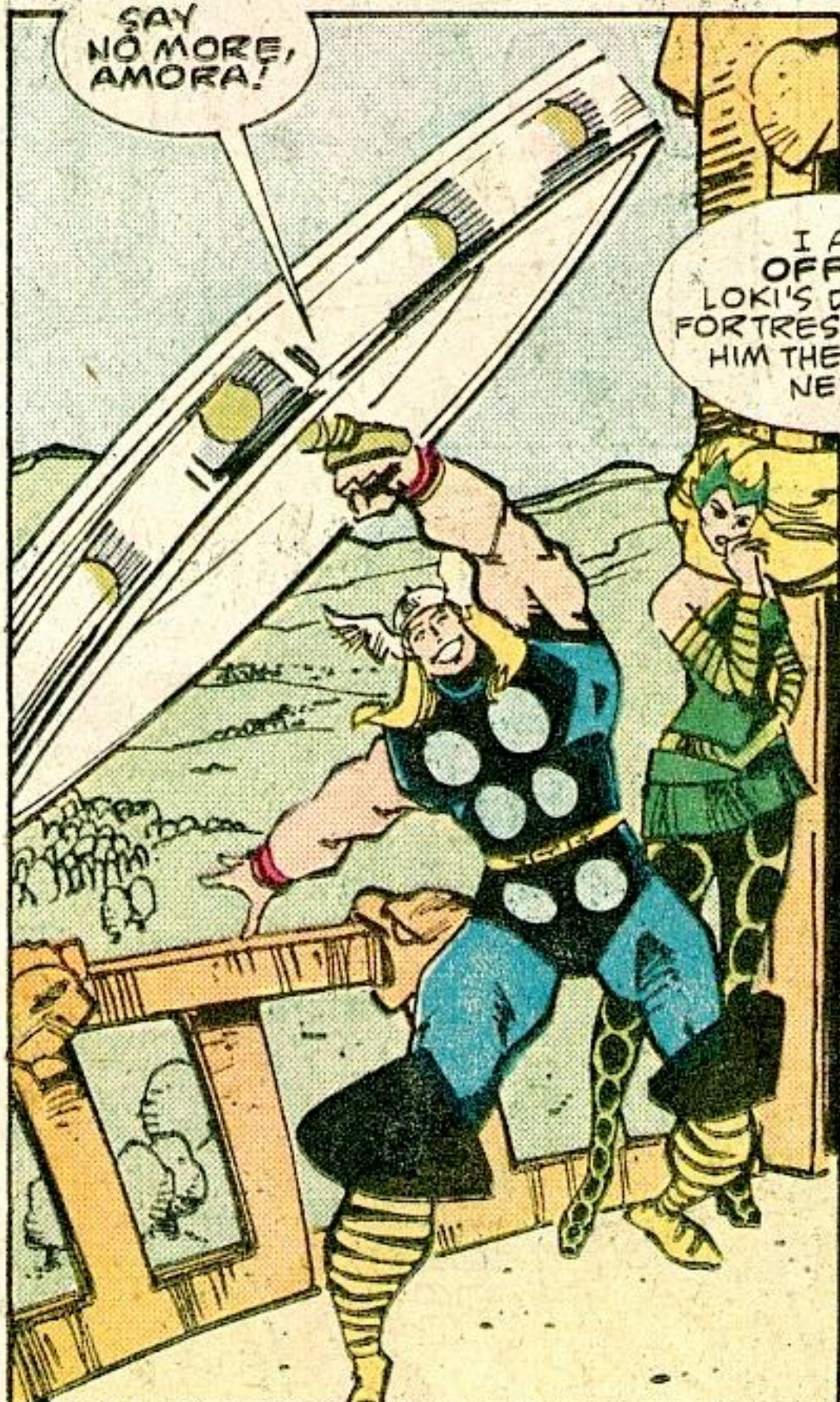
ONLY THE BETTER TO PERSUADE US OF THE FITNESS OF LOKI'S RIGHT TO RULE.

AND AS WE ARE ALL NOW CONVINCED, SURELY SOMEONE SHOULD TELL LOKI SO!

BESIDES, THINK HOW HAPPY THIS WILL MAKE LORELEI!

THINK HOW PLEASSED WITH YOU SHE'LL BE THE NEXT TIME SHE SEES YOU AND TAKES YOU IN HER ARMS.

THINK HOW SHE WILL LOVE YOU FOR IT!



SAY NO MORE, AMORA!

I AM OFF TO LOKI'S DISTANT FORTRESS TO BRING HIM THE GOOD NEWS!



I CAN HARDLY WAIT TO TELL HIM

AND I WOULD GIVE A GOLD CROWN TO SEE THE LOOK ON LOKI'S FACE WHEN YOU ARRIVE!



DAWN OF A NEW DAY ON EARTH. IN A SLIGHTLY SHABBY NEIGHBORHOOD IN LOWER MANHATTAN...

CURIOUS, IS IT NOT, GOOD COMRADES, THAT THESE MORTALS WHO WERE SO READY TO START A FIGHT MERE HOURS AGO SEEM SO PEACEFUL NOW.



"...NO OYSTERS," SAID THE CARPENTER,

"I AM REMINDED OF THAT FAMOUS VERSE OF LEWIS CARROLL'S...



"YOU'VE HAD A PLEASANT RUN!

"SHALL WE BE TROTTING HOME AGAIN?"



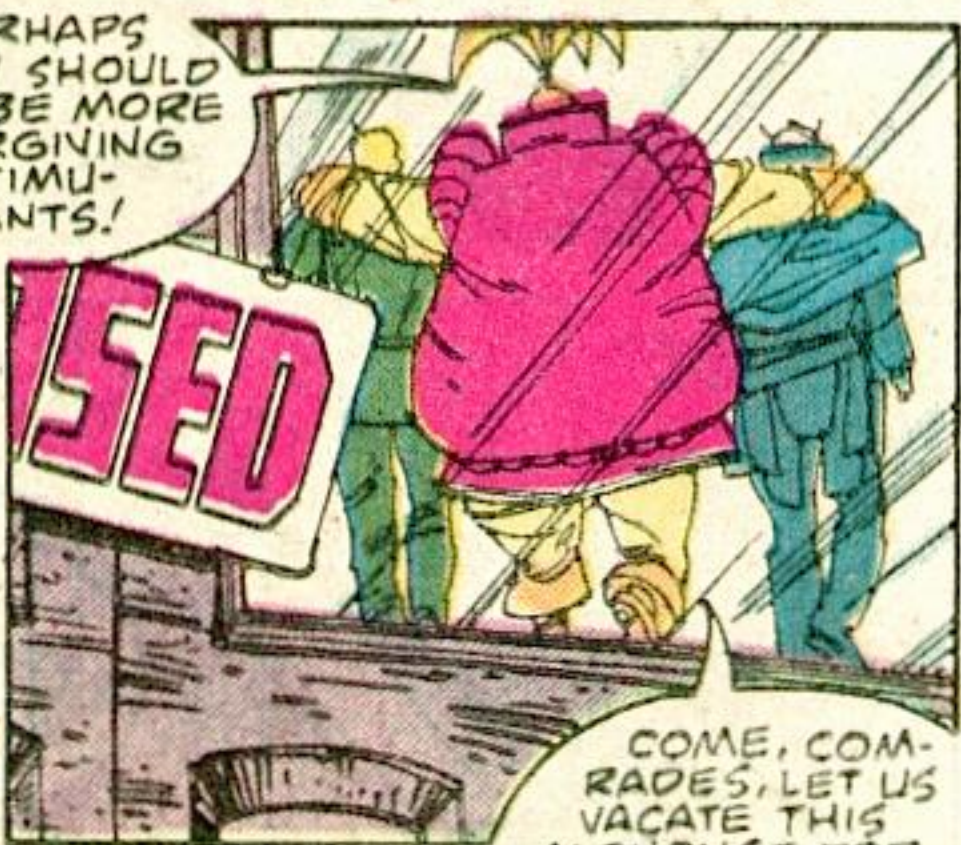
"BUT ANSWER THERE CAME NONE--AND THAT WAS SCARCELY ODD BECAUSE THEY'D EATEN EVERY ONE!"



"OR MORE PRECISELY... 'THEY'D EMPTIED EVERY ONE.'"

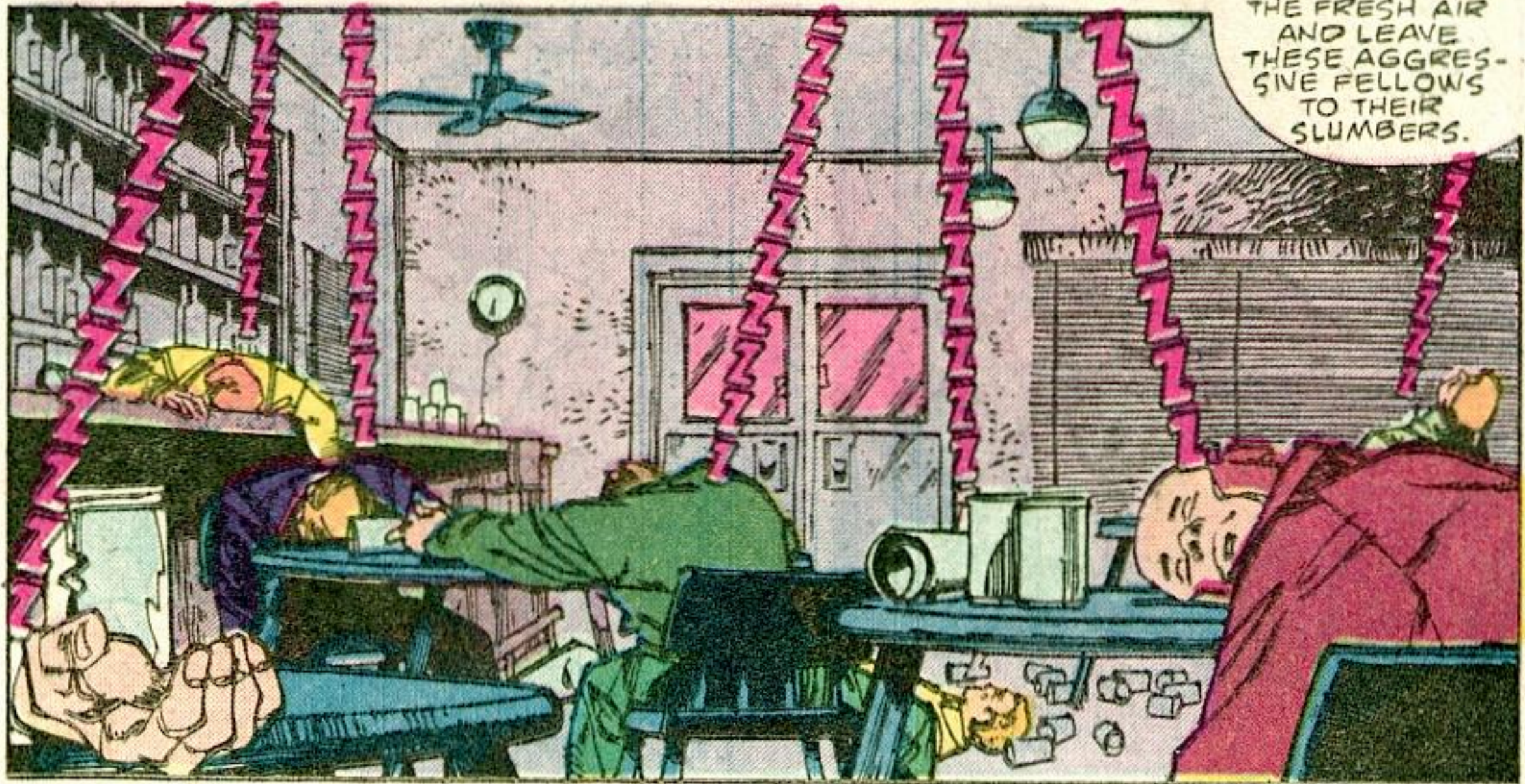


SUCH A SHAME THAT AFTER SO MUCH PRACTICE, SO MANY MORTALS CAN HOLD SO LITTLE LIQUOR.



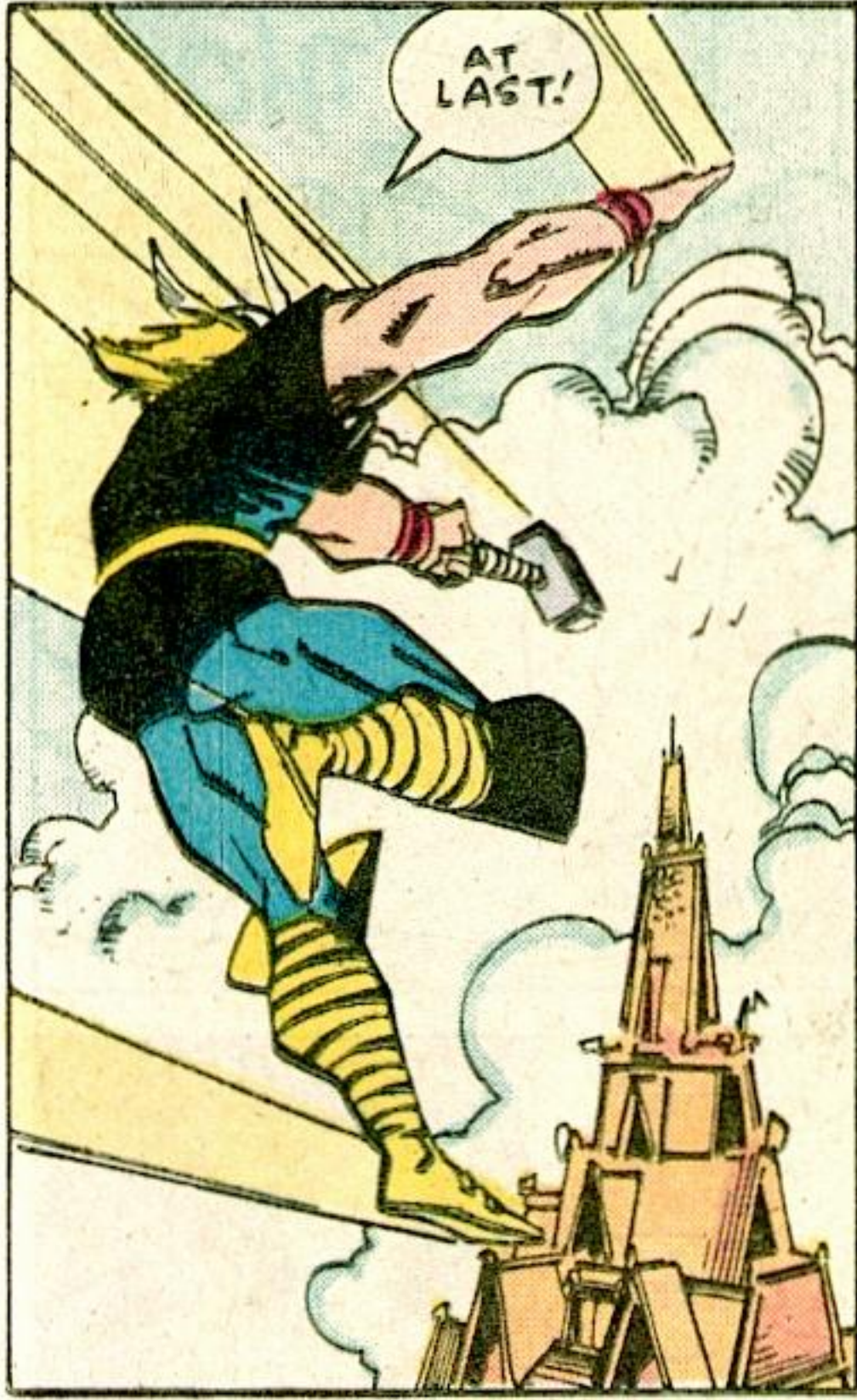
PERHAPS THEY SHOULD IMBIBE MORE FORGIVING STIMULANTS!

COME, COMRADES, LET US VACATE THIS ALEHOUSE FOR THE FRESH AIR AND LEAVE THESE AGGRESSIVE FELLOWS TO THEIR SLUMBERS.



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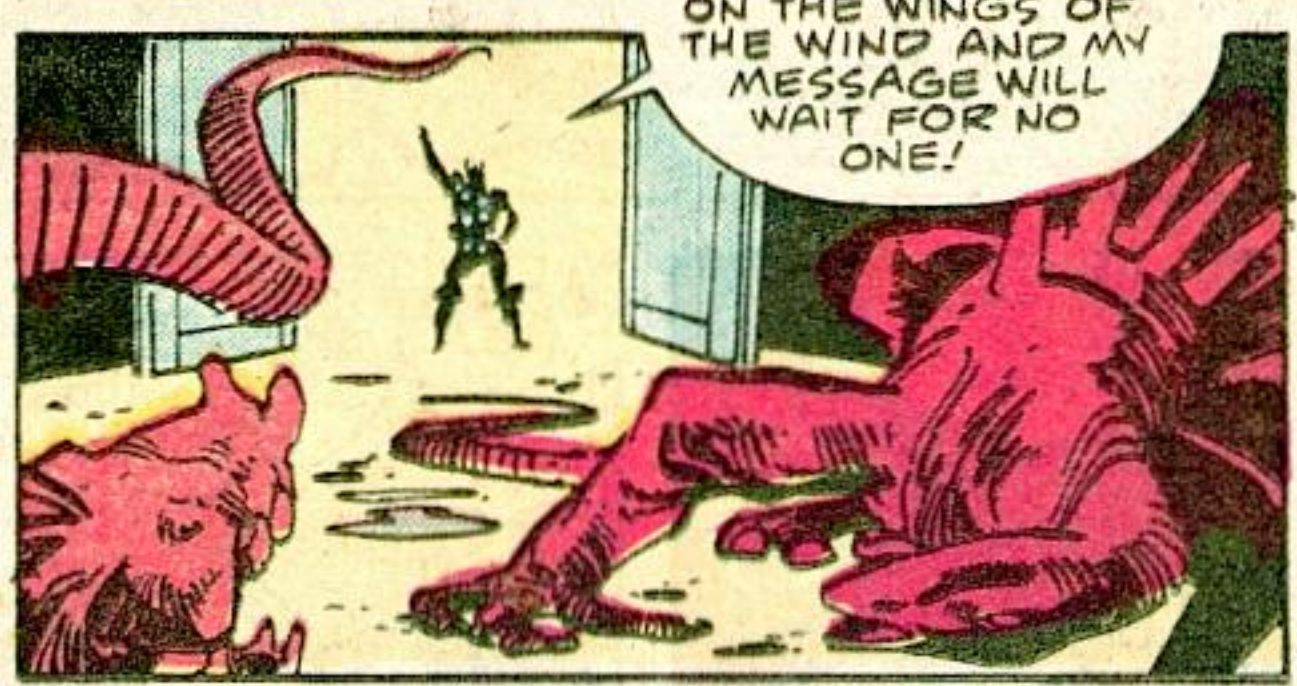
MEANWHILE, AS THE NEW DAY BREAKS OVER ASGARD, WE FIND THOR ARRIVING AT THE DWELLING PLACE OF LOKI...



AT LAST!



HOW MY BROTHER'S HEART SHALL SING WHEN HE HEARS THE NEWS THAT I HAVE TO TELL HIM!



BEGONE, YOU CREATURES! FOR I HAVE COME ON THE WINGS OF THE WIND AND MY MESSAGE WILL WAIT FOR NO ONE!

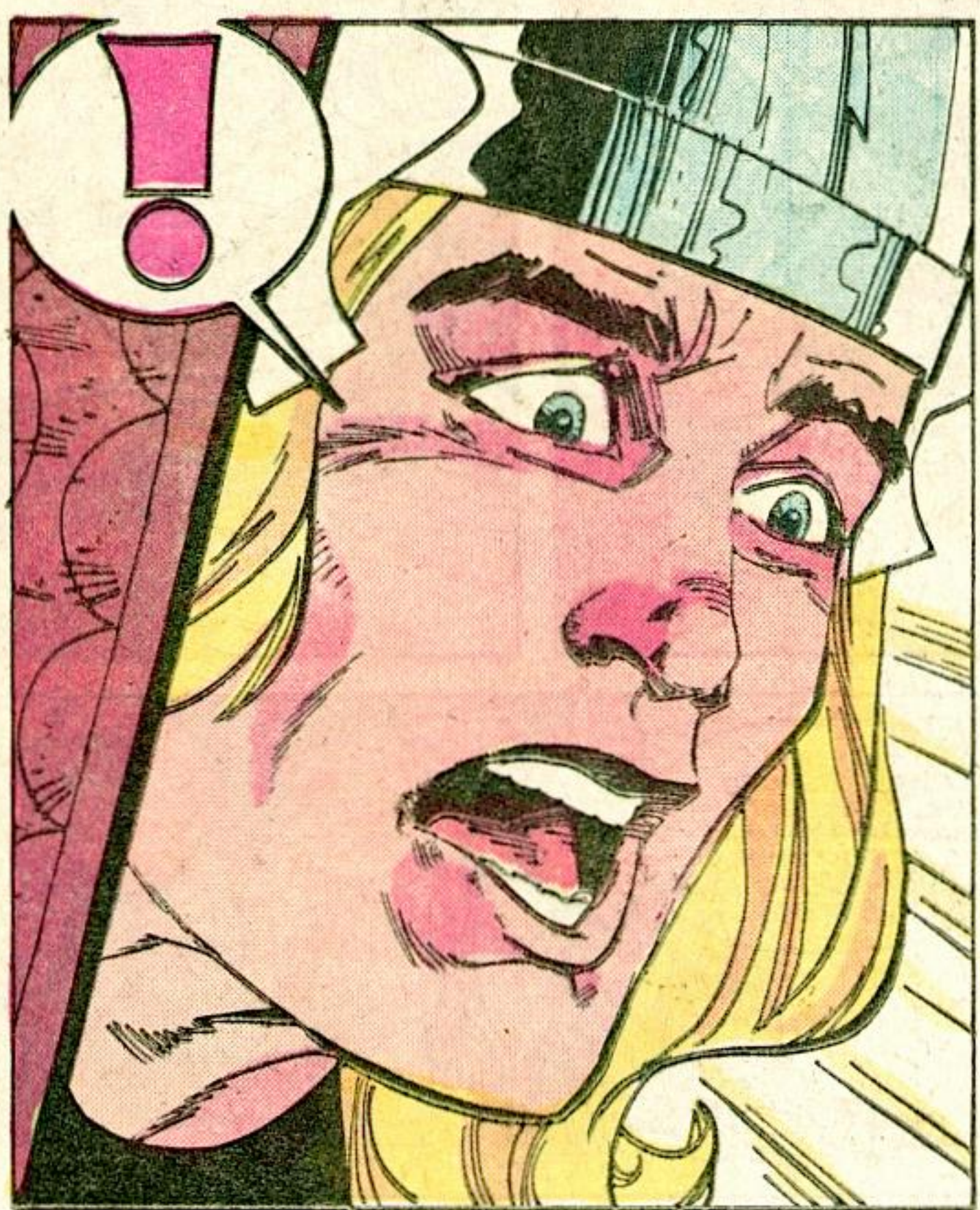


THE ENTIRE CASTLE SEEMS DESERTED YET FROM BENEATH YONDER DOOR, I SEE A GLEAM OF LIGHT!

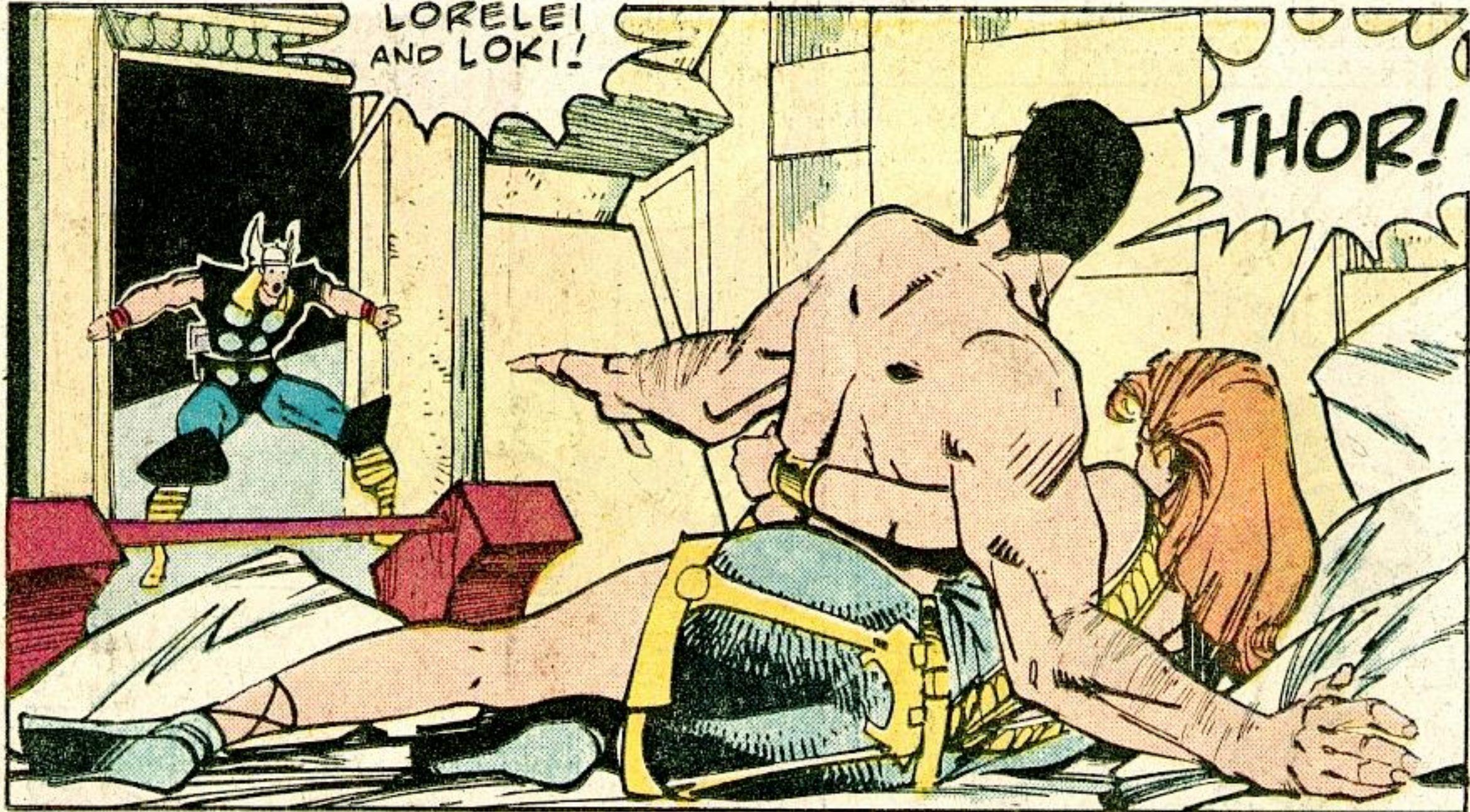


BROTHER! GOOD NEWS! I--

HERE MUST LOKI BE!



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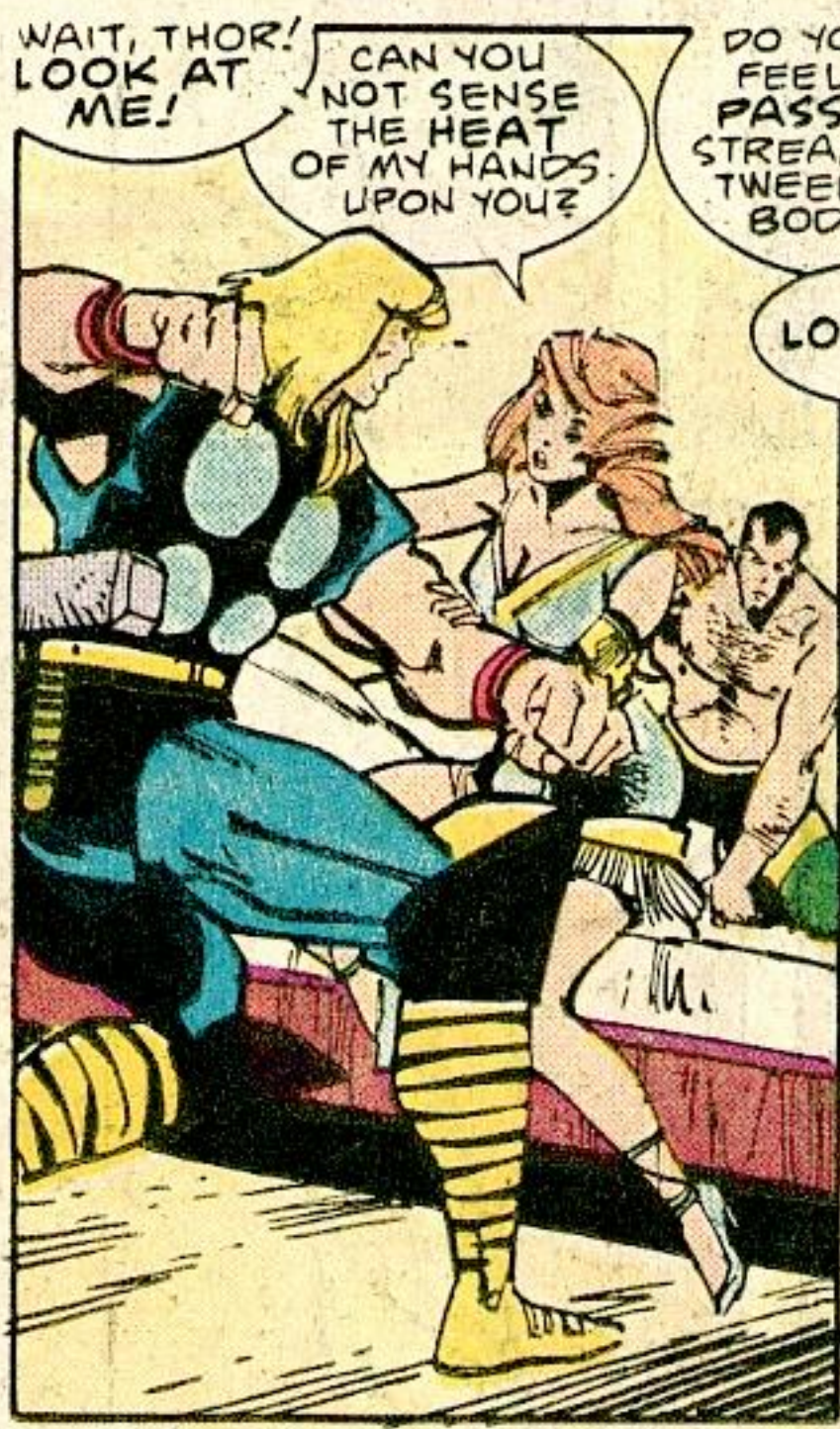


LORELEI AND LOKI!

THOR!



UNHAND HER, THOU BASE VILLAIN!



WAIT, THOR! LOOK AT ME!

CAN YOU NOT SENSE THE HEAT OF MY HANDS UPON YOU?

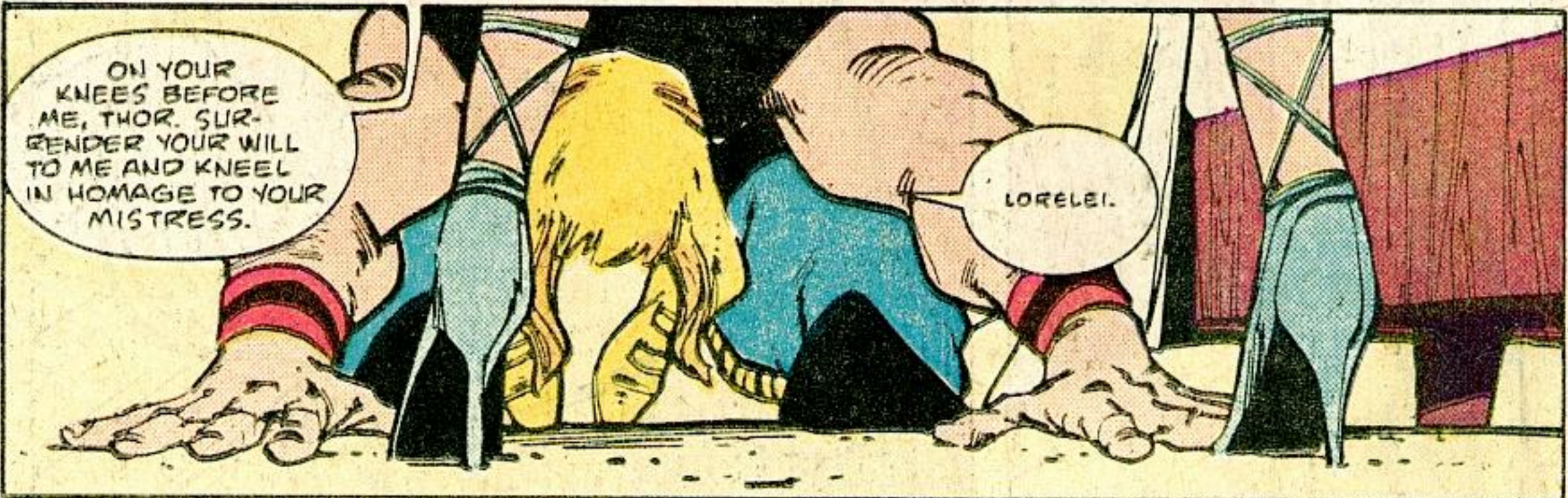


DO YOU NOT FEEL THE PASSION STREAMING BETWEEN OUR BODIES?

LORELEI!

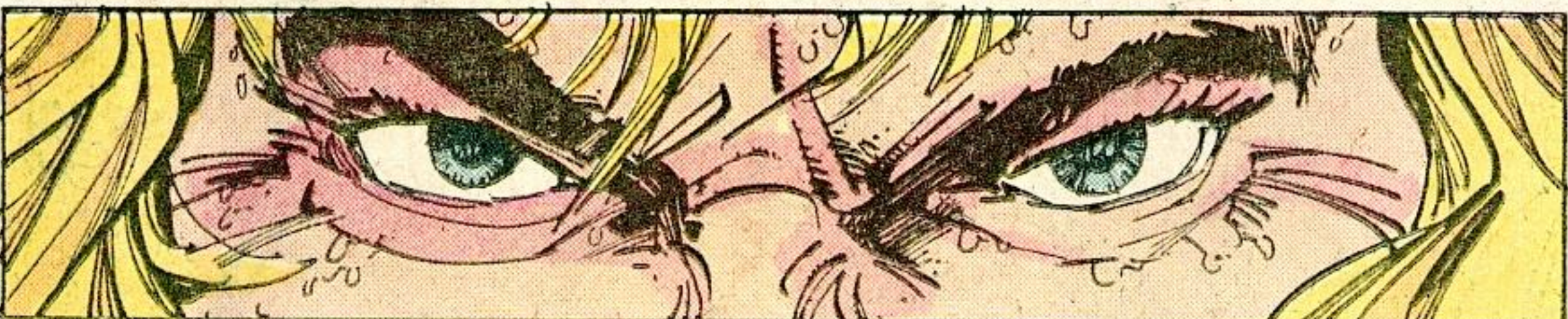
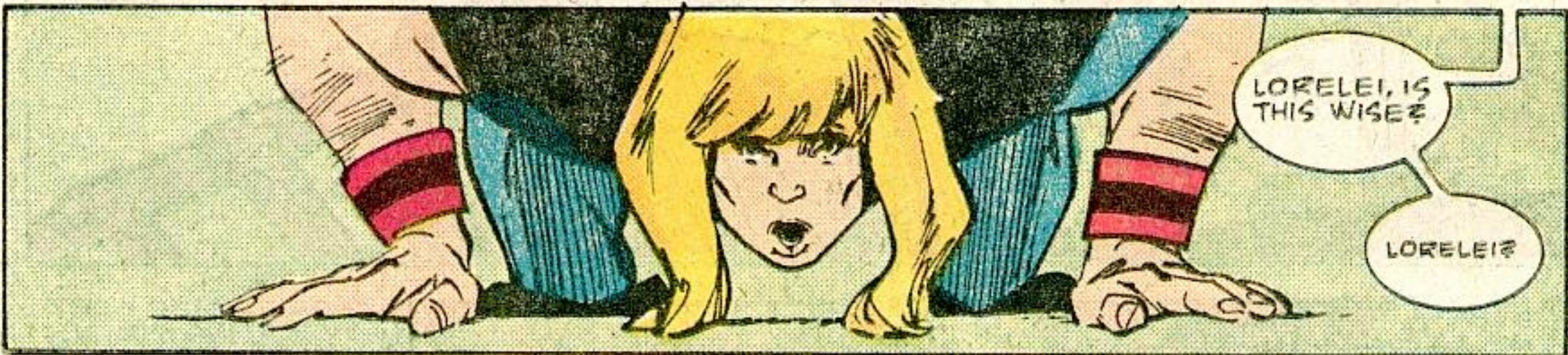
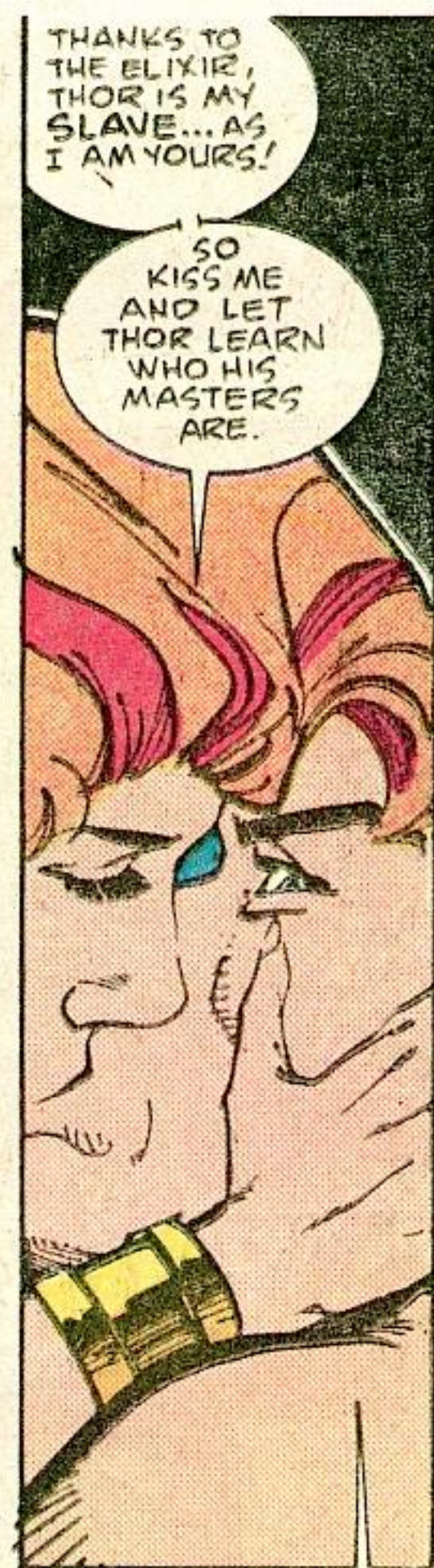
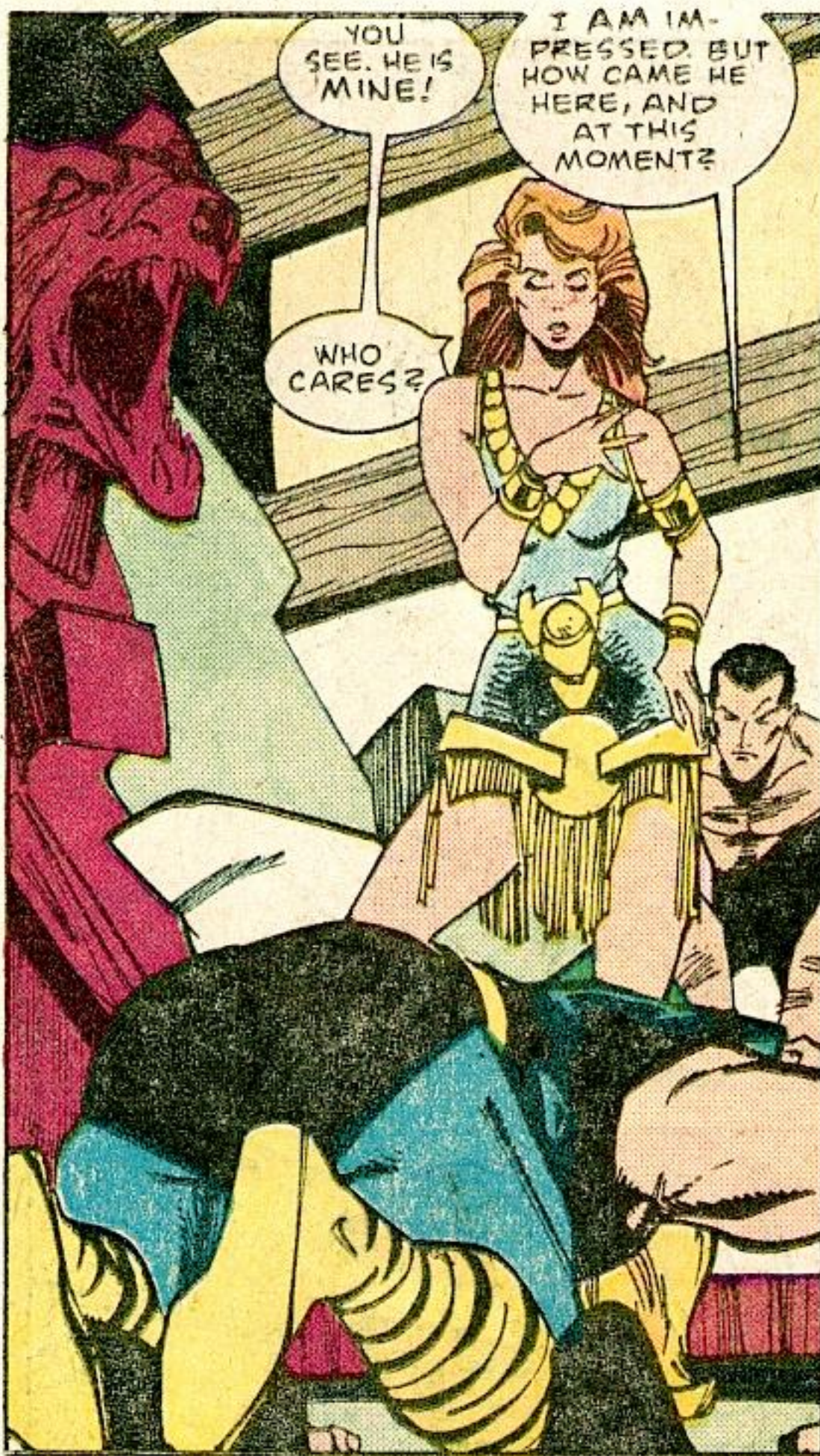
YOU CANNOT HELP YOURSELF, MIGHTY THOR. YOU ARE MINE, BODY AND SOUL.

LORELEI.



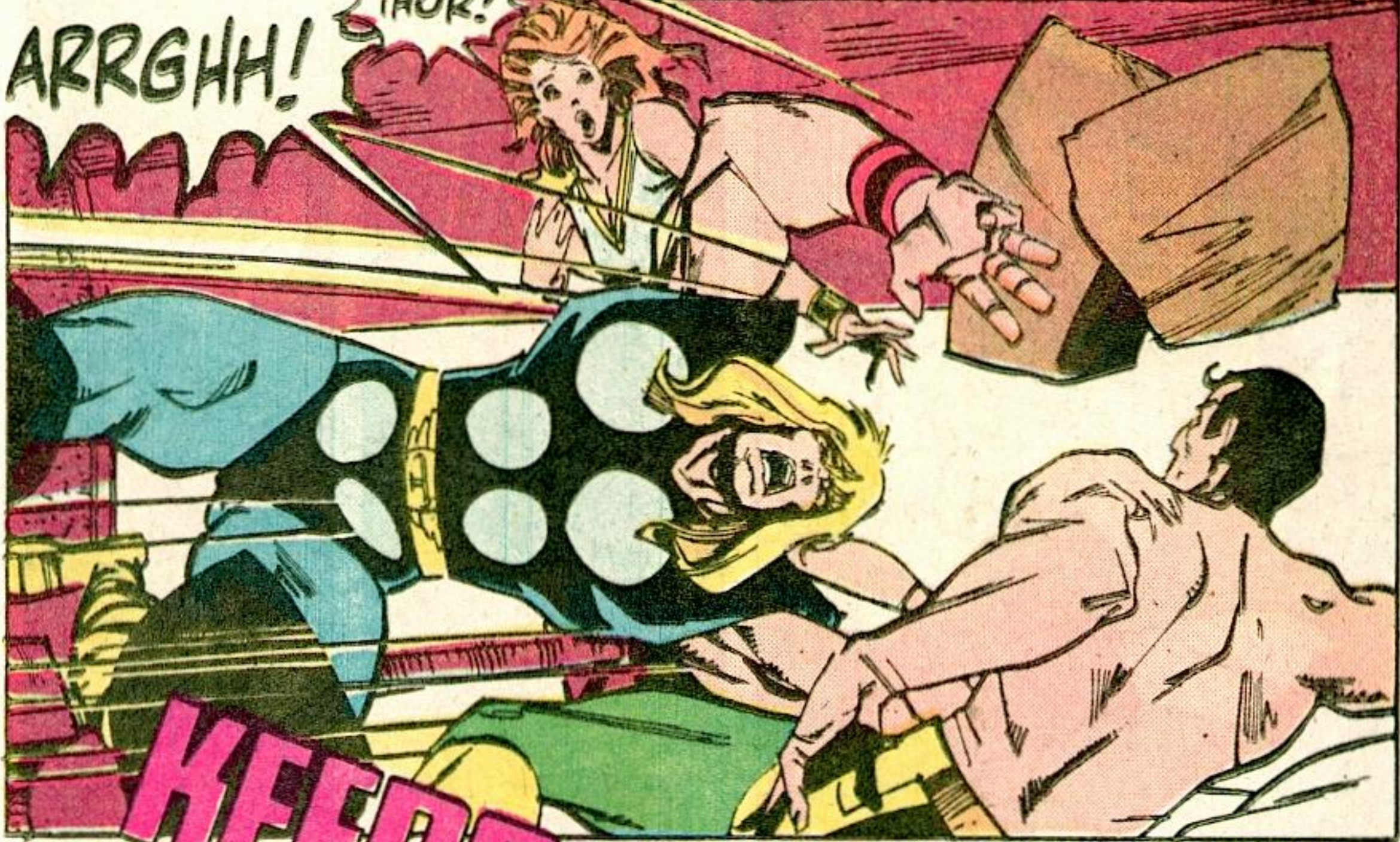
ON YOUR KNEES BEFORE ME, THOR. SURRENDER YOUR WILL TO ME AND KNEEL IN HOMAGE TO YOUR MISTRESS.

LORELEI.



ARRGHH!

THOR!



KEERASSSHH!!!



LOKI!
MY BE-
LOVED!

THOR!
RELEASE
HIM THIS
INSTANT!

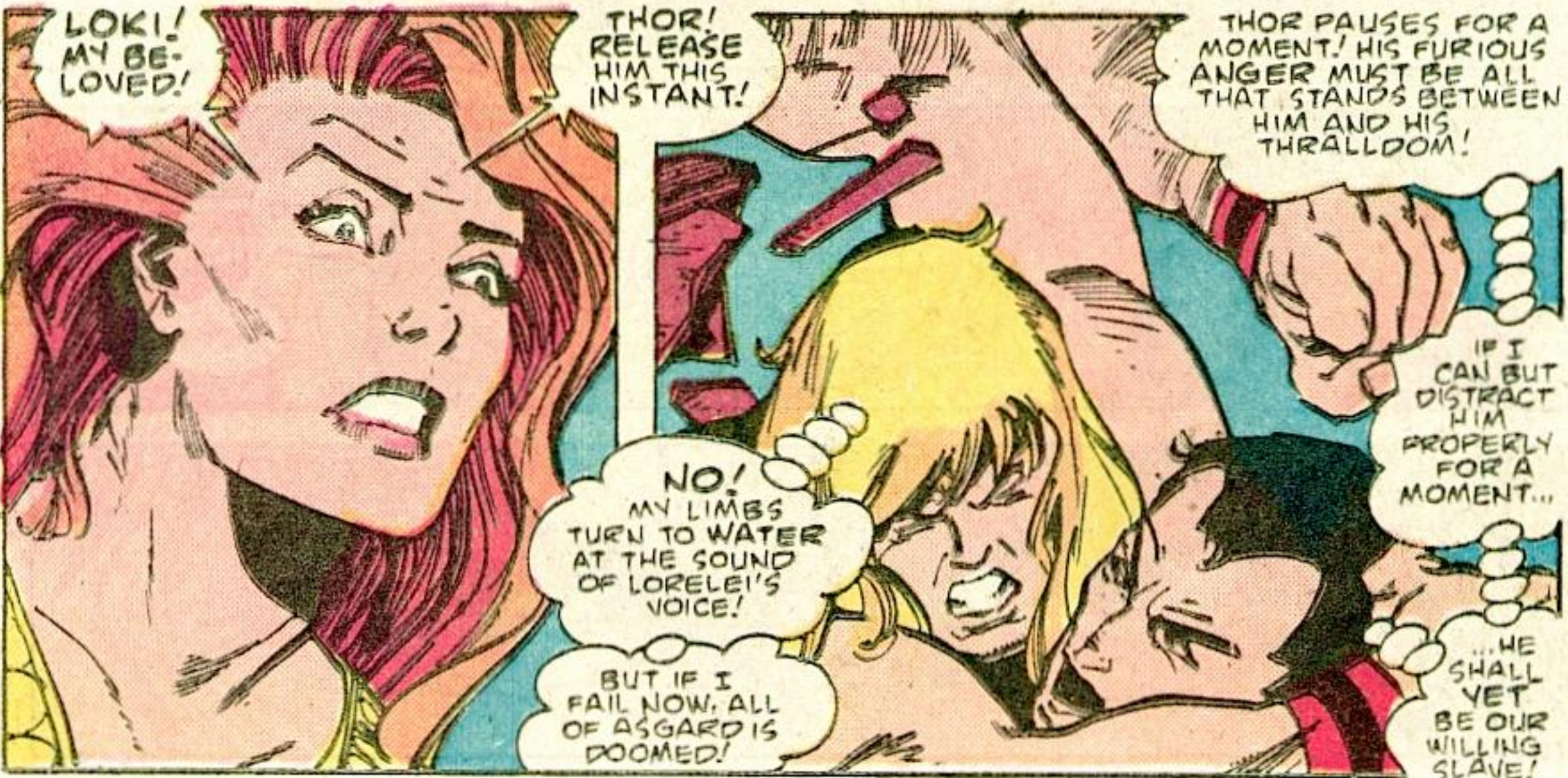
THOR PAUSES FOR A
MOMENT! HIS FURIOUS
ANGER MUST BE ALL
THAT STANDS BETWEEN
HIM AND HIS
THRALLOOM!

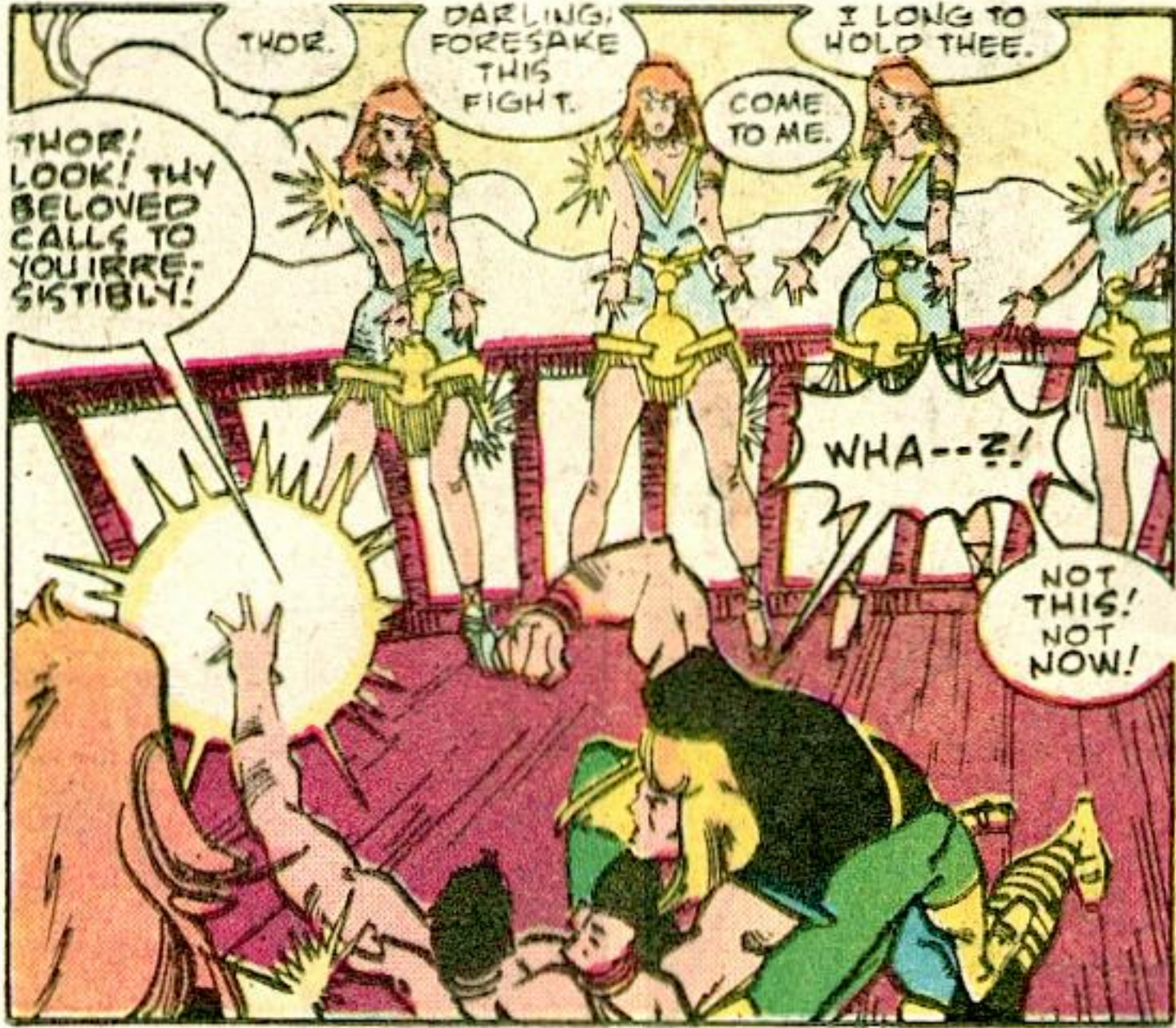
NO!
MY LIMBS
TURN TO WATER
AT THE SOUND
OF LORELEI'S
VOICE!

BUT IF I
FAIL NOW, ALL
OF ASGARD IS
DOOMED!

IF I
CAN BUT
DISTRACT
HIM
PROPERLY
FOR A
MOMENT...

...WE
SHALL
YET
BE OUR
WILLING
SLAVE!





THOR!
LOOK! THY
BELOVED
CALLS TO
YOU IRRE-
SISTIBLY!

THOR.
DARLING,
FORESAKE
THIS
FIGHT.

I LONG TO
HOLD THEE.
COME
TO ME.

WHA--Z!

NOT
THIS!
NOT
NOW!



I CANNOT HOLD
MY THOUGHTS!
LORELEI, MY
BELOVED!

THOR.

MY
DEAR-
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EM-
BRACE
ME.

LORELEI!
...I...I...



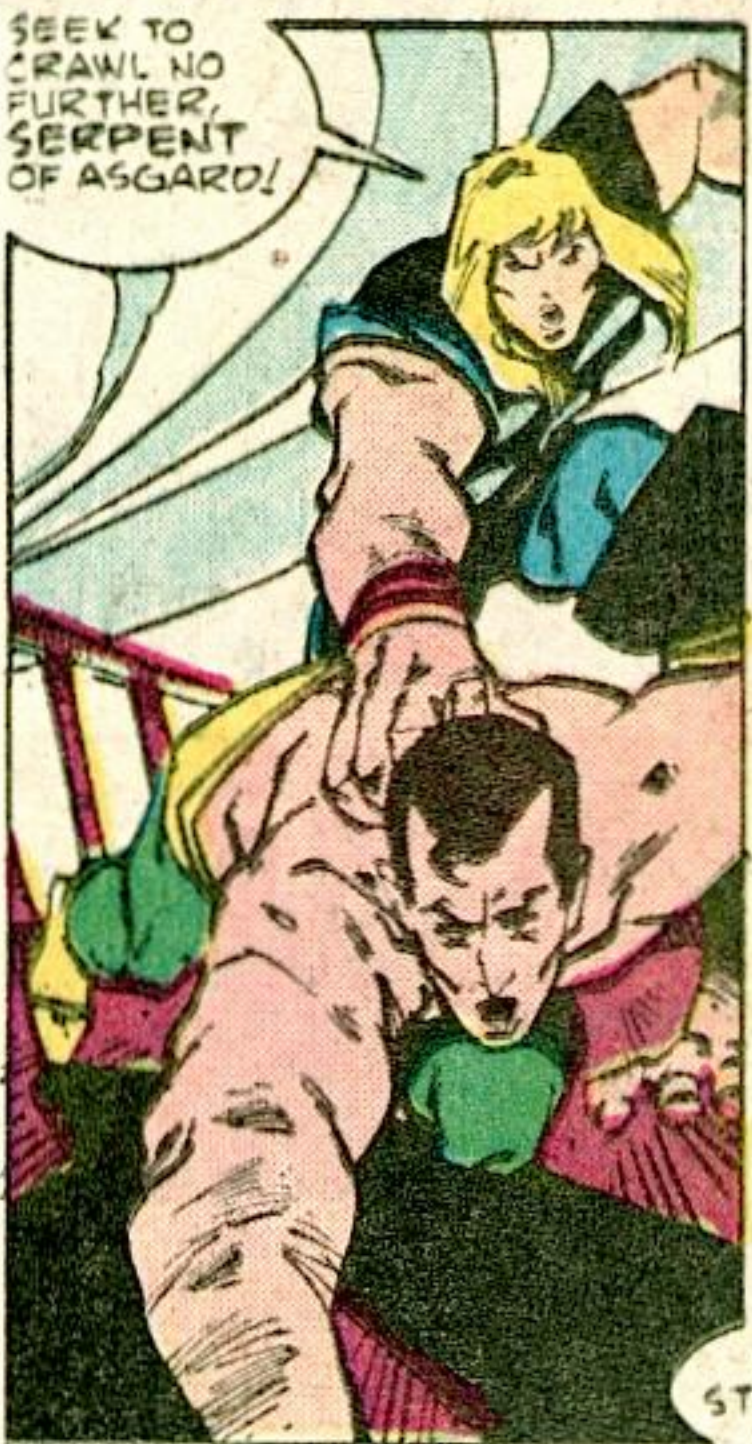
NO!

LET MJOLNIR,
THE HAMMER
OF THOR,
ANSWER...

... AND BLOW
THESE INSUB-
STANTIAL VISIONS
AWAY BEFORE THEY
UNMAN ME!

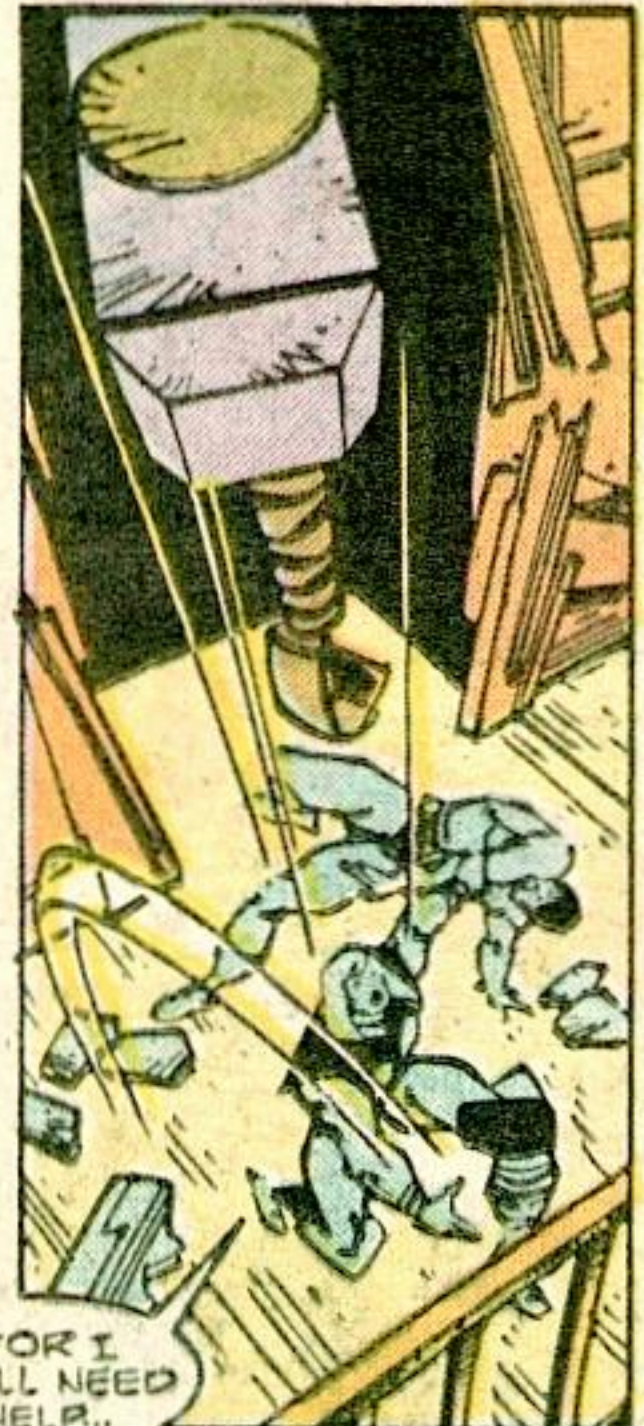
Whakk

OHH!



SEEK TO
CRAWL NO
FURTHER,
SERPENT
OF ASGARD!

FOR I
STILL NEED
HELP..



... AND
ONLY
LOKI, THE
CUNNING
SORCERER
CAN AID ME
NOW!

HEAR MY VOICE
OH SPIRITS OF THE DARK!
I CALL!
LOKI THE DECEIVER AM I!
UNLOOSE THE BONDS THAT BIND
THE GOD
BEFORE ME!
BREAK HIS SHACKLES
AND RETURN TO HIM
HIS SENSES
THAT ARE GONE!

LOKI
THE DECEIVER
AM I!
I COMMAND
IT!

NOW!

UMMMPH!

I THANK THEE,
BROTHER. I FEEL...
I FEEL AS THOUGH
I HAVE BEEN
AWAKENED FOR
THE FIRST TIME
IN MONTHS!

THOR'S
GRAT-
ITUDE
IS
THINE!

UMMMPH!

NOW LET
US SEE TO
THE LADY.

THOR?

HOW IS IT
WITH THEE,
LORELEI?

I BE-
SEECH THY
PARDON FOR
THIS ROUGH
USAGE...

...YOU WHO
ARE SWEETER
THAN THE
SWEETEST DAY
OF SPRING!

BUT I SEE
THAT YOU HAVE
NO FURTHER
USE FOR THE
CLOAK OF
THOR...

FLIP!

OH!

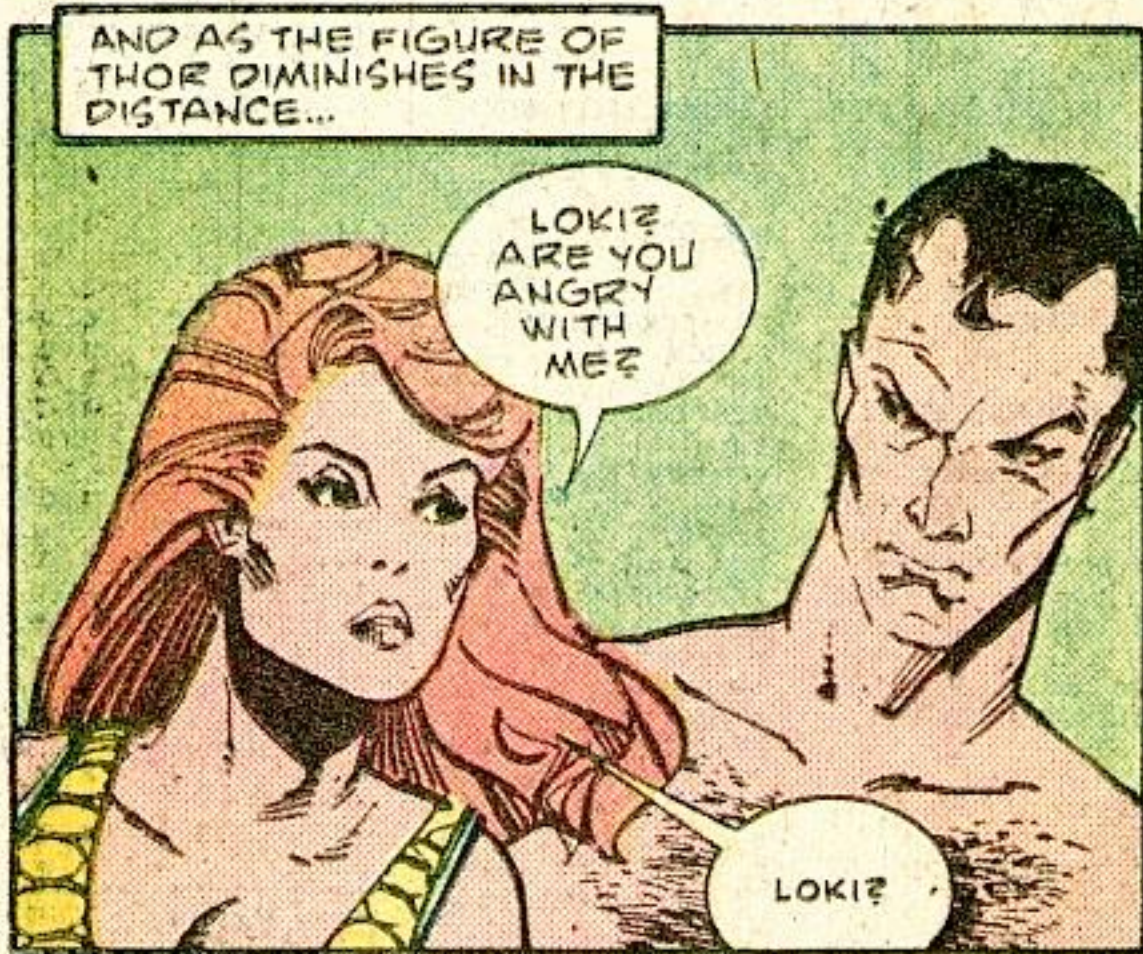
...AND I
THANK YOU
MOST HUMBLY FOR
ITS RETURN!



NOW I FEAR I MUST TAKE MY LEAVE OF THIS DELIGHTFUL RETREAT TO RETURN TO ASGARD...

...BUT I DO NOT DOUBT THAT YOU WILL BOTH BE IN GOOD HANDS.

NEVER HAVE I KNOWN A COUPLE WHO SO DESERVED EACH OTHER!



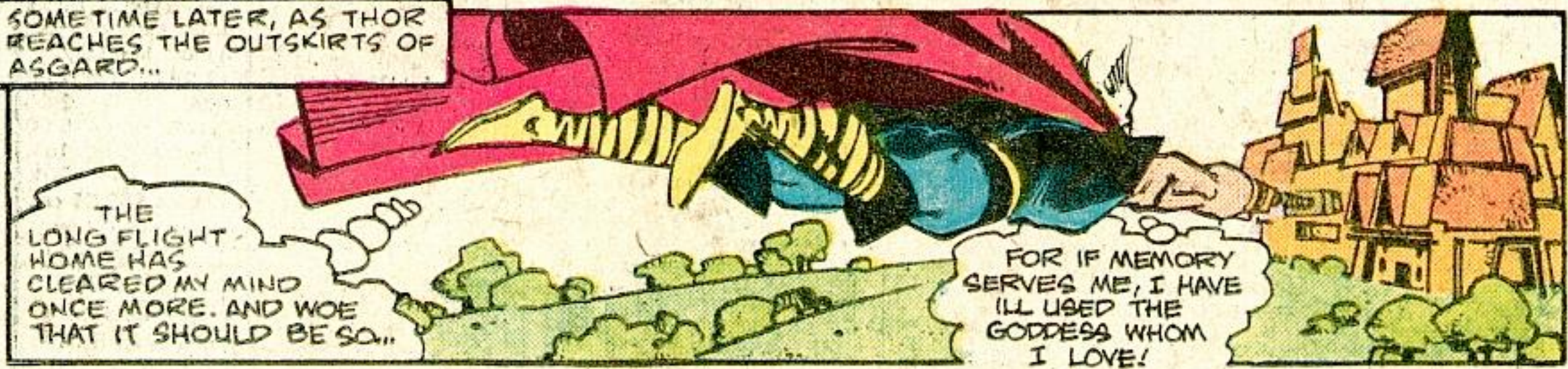
AND AS THE FIGURE OF THOR DIMINISHES IN THE DISTANCE...

LOKIE ARE YOU ANGRY WITH ME?

LOKIE?



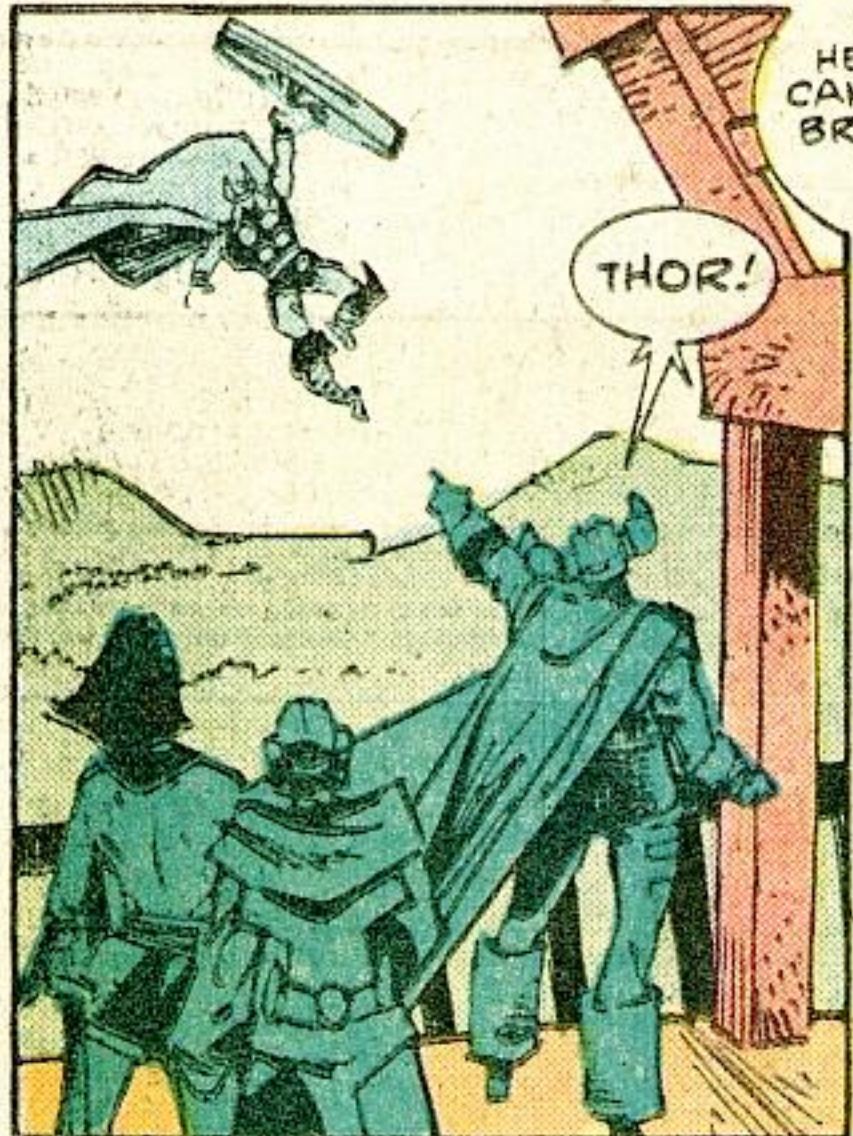
LOKIE?



SOMETIME LATER, AS THOR REACHES THE OUTSKIRTS OF ASGARD...

THE LONG FLIGHT HOME HAS CLEARED MY MIND ONCE MORE. AND WOE THAT IT SHOULD BE SO..

FOR IF MEMORY SERVES ME, I HAVE ILL USED THE GODDESS WHOM I LOVE!



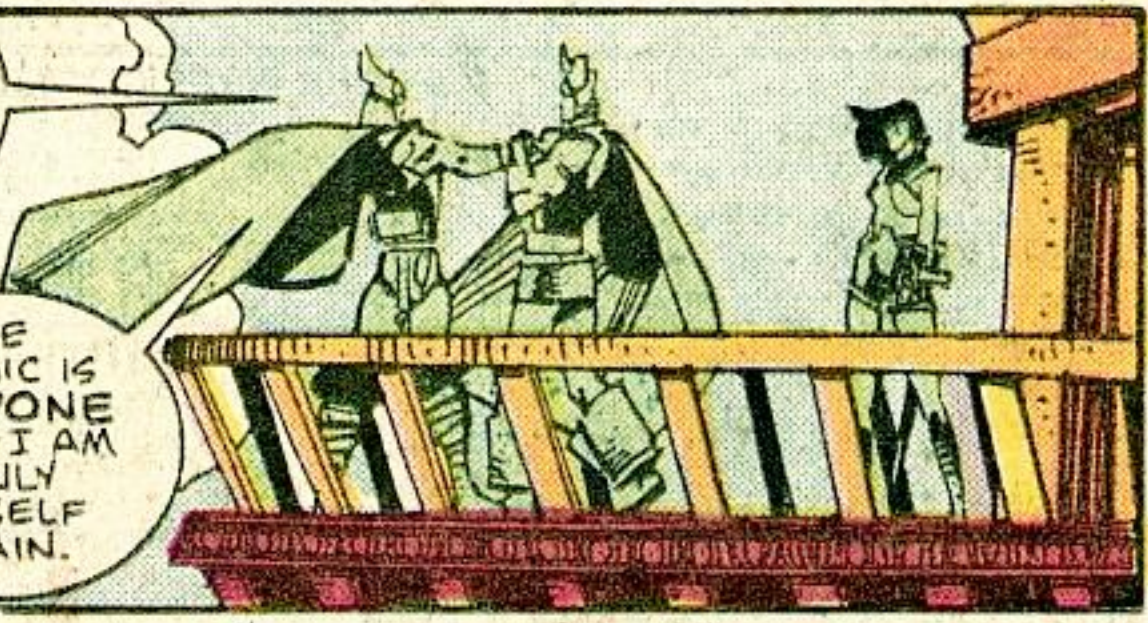
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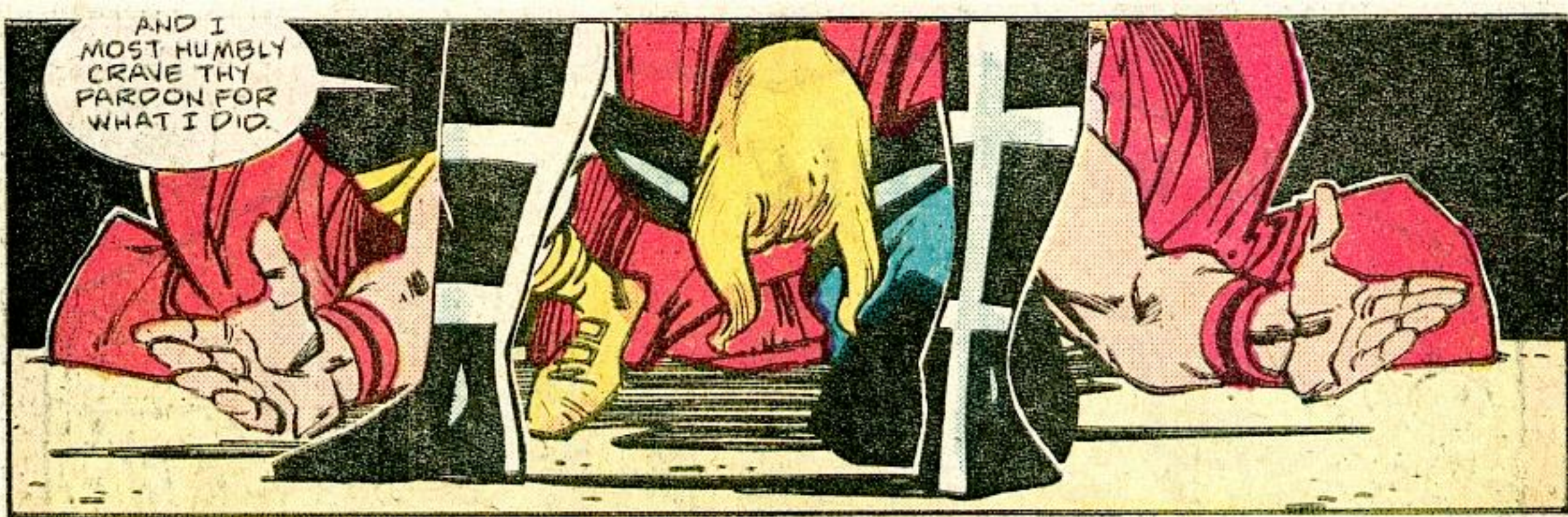
GREETINGS, HEIMDALL. YOU CAN LET A SMILE BREAK THROUGH THAT GRIM VISAGE.

THE MAGIC IS UNDONE AND I AM TRULY MYSELF AGAIN.

MY LADY SIF, I SEE THROUGH THE FOG OF RECENT EVENTS ONLY DIMLY NOW.

BUT I KNOW I HAVE DONE YOU A GREAT WRONG.





AND I MOST HUMBL
Y CRAVE THY
PARDON FOR
WHAT I DID.



I OFFER NO DE-
FENSE. I CAN SAY
ONLY THAT I WAS
NOT MYSELF AND
SOONER WOULD I
HAVE DIED THAN
STRUCK YOU.

PLEASE,
MILADY.
FORGIVE
ME.

THOR,
I ... I
KNOW NOT
WHAT TO
SAY.



WHY NOT
SIMPLY
FORGIVE
HIM AND
BE DONE
WITH
IT?

HEIMDALL?



FORGIVE ME,
BUT OTHER MAT-
TERS PRESS UP-
ON US NOW.

I THINK 'TIS
TIME OUR
WARRIORS RE-
TURNED TO
ASGARD, BUT
WITHOUT THE
RAINBOW BRIDGE,
HOW WILL THEY
BE ABLE TO?

YOU ARE
RIGHT, MY
FRIEND. TIME
ENOUGH LATER
FOR PRI-
VATE TALK.

AS FOR
THE WARRIORS
OF THE GOLDEN
REALM...

... WE HAD
BEST BEGIN
AT ONCE.



IN TRUTH, IT
IS BECAUSE OF
THEM THAT I
HAVE RETURNED
HOME.

FOR I HAVE
THOUGHT OF
A WAY WE MIGHT
ACCOMPLISH
THIS FEAT.

AND GLAD I AM
THAT THOR HATH
BEEN RESTORED
TO ALL HIS
SENSES AND
POWER.

THEN WE HAVE HAD THE SAME THOUGHTS, SIF. FOR I TOO HAVE THOUGHT OF MJOLNIR AND ITS POWER TO CUT THROUGH TIME AND SPACE.

AND I WONDER IF WE CAN OPEN A WAY LARGE ENOUGH FOR THE ARMIES OF ASGARD TO CROSS THROUGH.

YET THE COSMIC STORMS ABOUT THE REALM HAVE GROWN POWERFUL INDEED.



I THINK, MY LORD, THAT IF WE COORDINATE OUR EFFORTS...

... YOUR HAMMER TOGETHER WITH THAT OF BETA RAY BILL MAY BE SUFFICIENT TO THE TASK.

THY BEAUTY, LADY, IS EXCEEDED ONLY BY THE WISDOM OF THY THOUGHTS.



I SUSPECT, MY LORD, THAT YOU SAY THAT TO ALL THE GIRLS.

MY OWN POWER IS STILL ENOUGH TO ENABLE ME TO PASS THROUGH THE STORMS TO EARTH.

AND SO I SHALL RETURN TO MIDGARD ONCE AGAIN TO INFORM OUR PEOPLE.

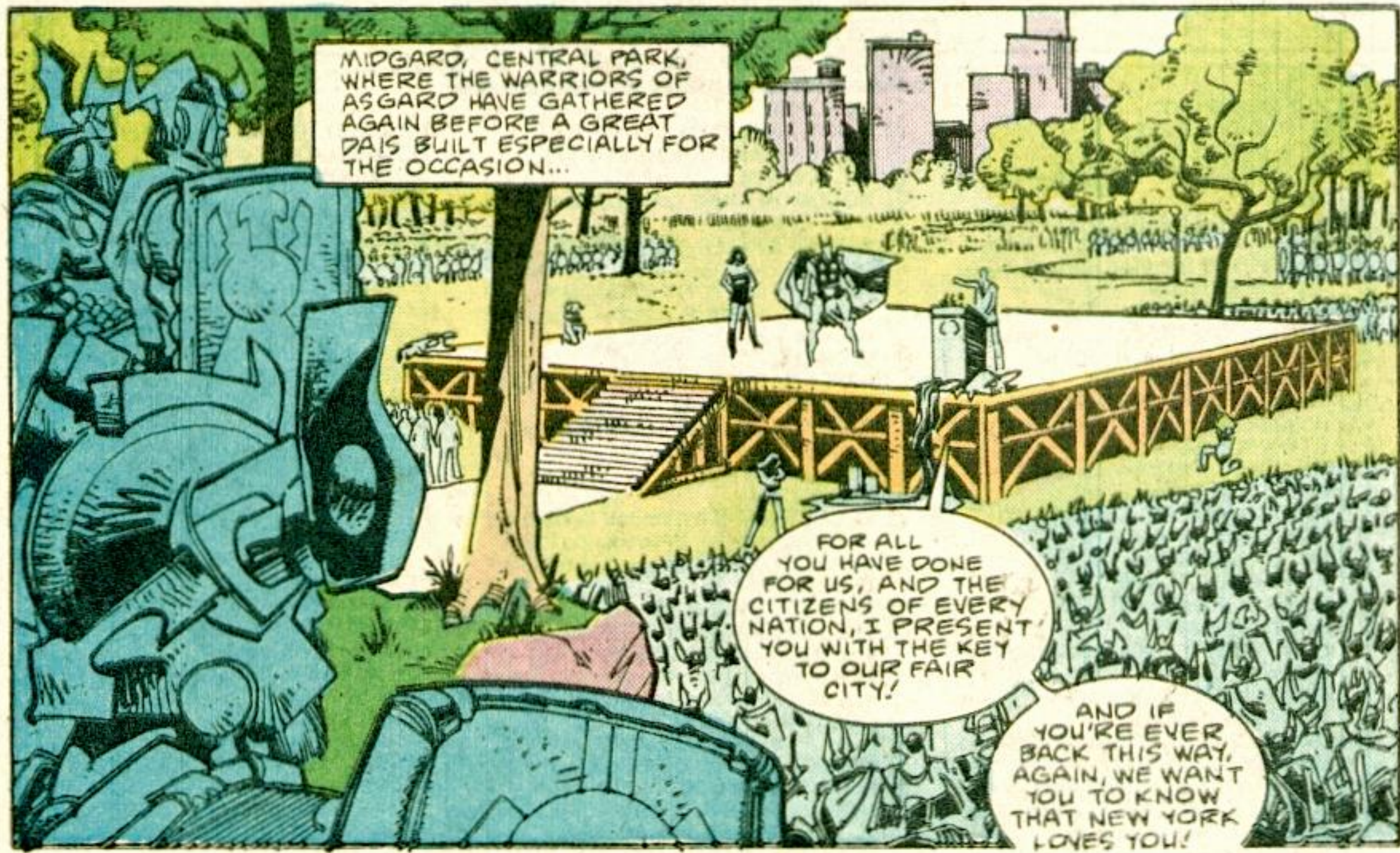


WHEN ALL IS READY, LADY, I SHALL KNOW AND GIVE THOR THE SIGNAL.

... AND SIF VANISHES SOFTLY AND SILENTLY AWAY.

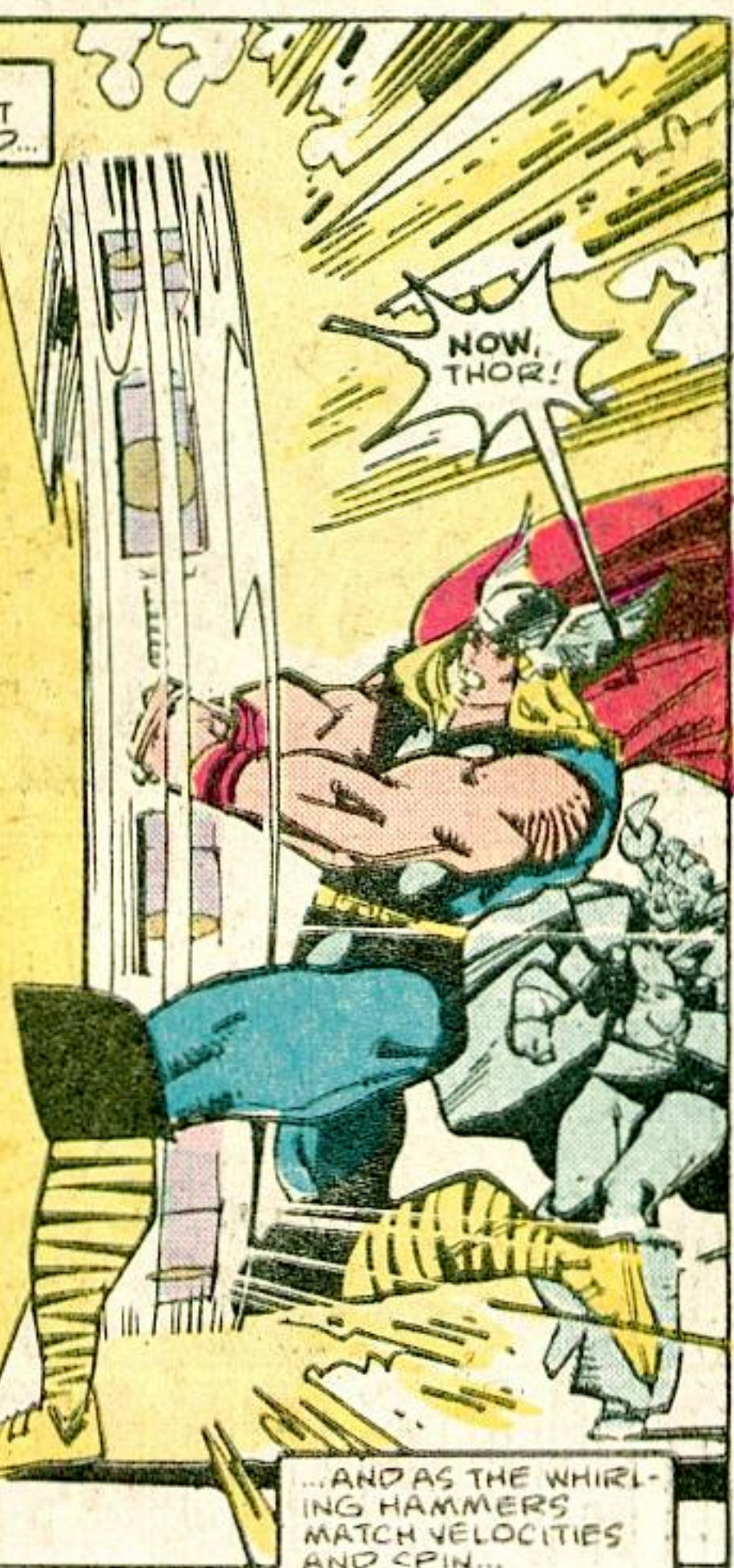


MIDGARD, CENTRAL PARK, WHERE THE WARRIORS OF ASGARD HAVE GATHERED AGAIN BEFORE A GREAT Dais BUILT ESPECIALLY FOR THE OCCASION...

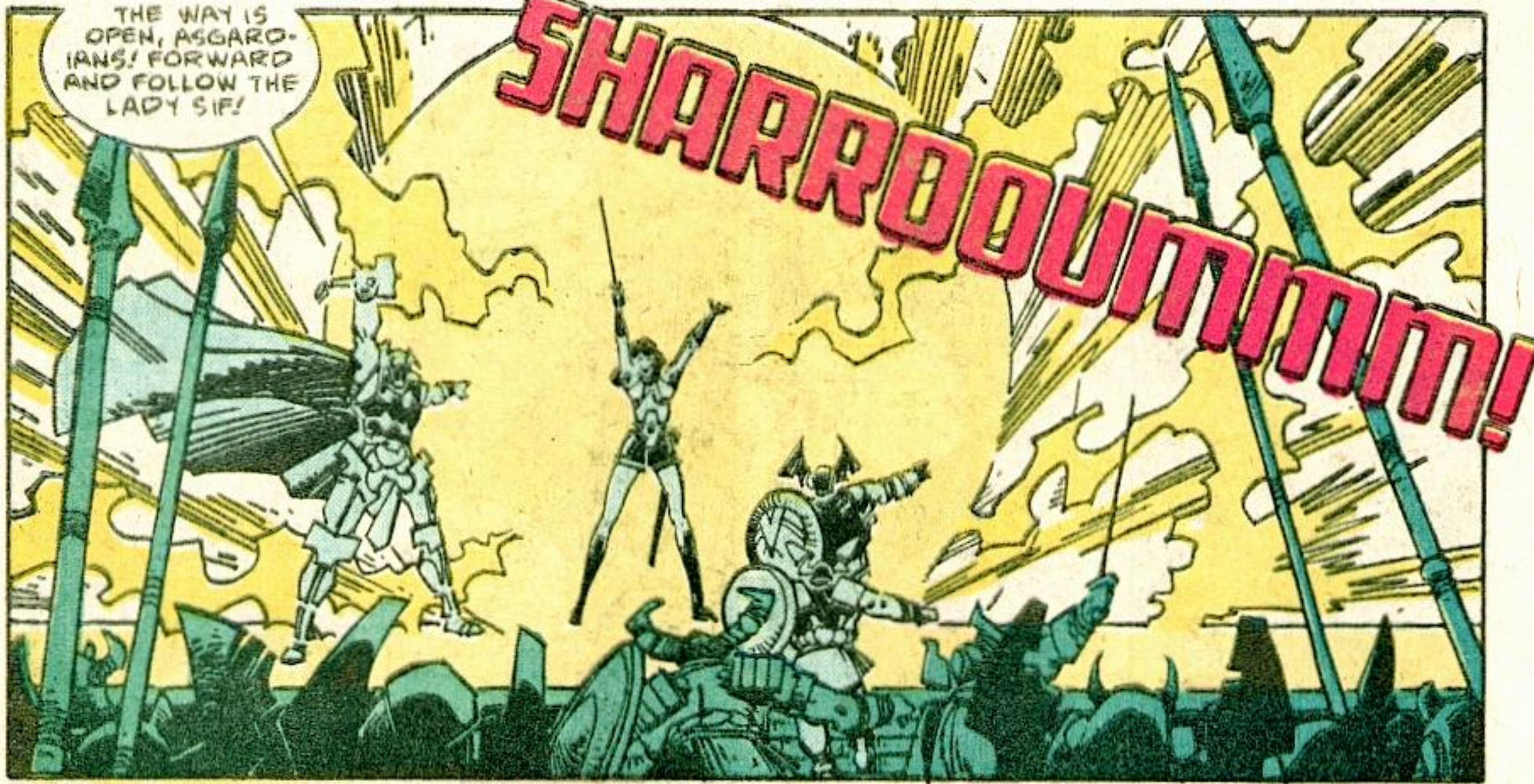


FOR ALL YOU HAVE DONE FOR US, AND THE CITIZENS OF EVERY NATION, I PRESENT YOU WITH THE KEY TO OUR FAIR CITY!

AND IF YOU'RE EVER BACK THIS WAY, AGAIN, WE WANT YOU TO KNOW THAT NEW YORK LOVES YOU!

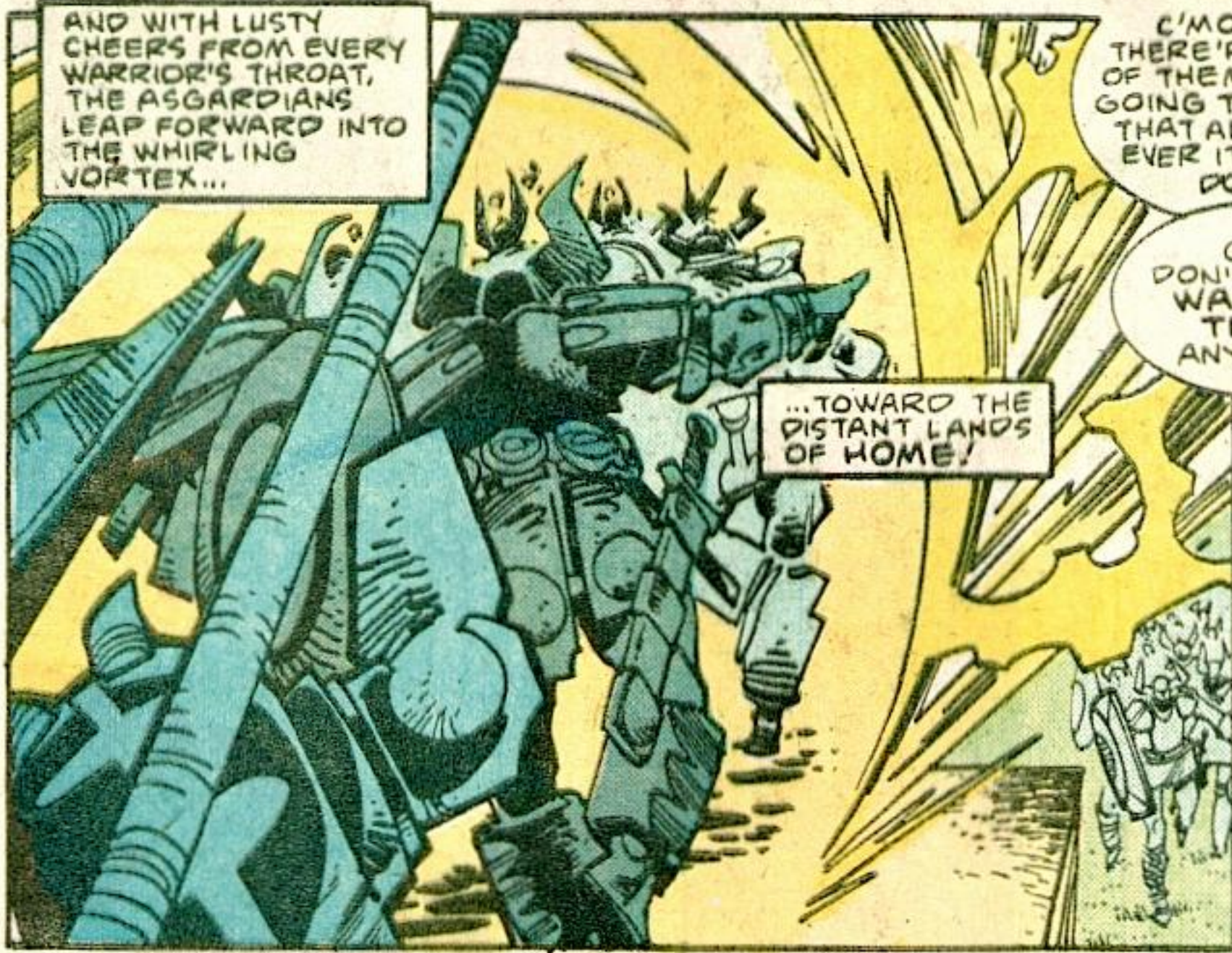


...AND AS THE WHIRLING HAMMERS MATCH VELOCITIES AND SPIN...



THE WAY IS OPEN, ASGARDIANS! FORWARD AND FOLLOW THE LADY SIF!

SHARRROOUMMMM!



AND WITH LUSTY CHEERS FROM EVERY WARRIOR'S THROAT, THE ASGARDIANS LEAP FORWARD INTO THE WHIRLING VORTEX...

...TOWARD THE DISTANT LANDS OF HOME!



C'MON, SON! THERE'RE SO MANY OF THEM, THEY'RE GOING TO BE DOING THAT ALL DAY. WHATEVER IT IS THEY'RE DOING!

GEE, I DON'T SEE THE WARRIORS THREE ANYWHERE.

MAYBE THEY'RE OFF HAVING AN ADVENTURE ON THEIR OWN.



KIDS TODAY SURE HAVE SOME IMAGINATION, DON'T THEY, MISTER?

WELL, YOU NEVER CAN TELL.

WHO KNOWS? SOME OF THEM MAY GROW UP TO BE SUPER-HEROES THEMSELVES.

THIS ONE'S FOR ANNE & ARCHIE!

THOR GOES TO HELL!

AND TAKES A LOT OF FOLKS WITH HIM!
SNEAKY PLUGS DEPARTMENT:
AND IF YOU WANT TO FIND OUT MORE ABOUT THE ADVENTURE THE WARRIORS THREE ARE HAVING, BETTER CHECK OUT POWER PACK 15!

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