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Change is coming. A new breed of man has emerged. They are the Children of the Atom, Homo superior, individuals gifted with strange and fantastic abilities simply by virtue of their genetic makeup.

Stan Lee presents...

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PREVIOUSLY



Powered by the mystic Crimson Gem of Cyttorak, JUGGERNAUT is a one-man demolition team who is both dreaded and wanted by police agencies around the world. Since falling in with his stepbrother, PROFESSOR CHARLES XAVIER and his X-MEN, he has struggled with his criminal past, seeking to understand and control his monumental rage.

The young mutant SAMMY PARE quickly became best friends with Juggernaut. The pair shared a unique understanding of each other due to their similarly abusive childhoods. But when Sammy's parents forced him to return to their home in Vancouver, Canada, Juggernaut set out to bring his little pal back to Xavier's. Doing this, however, broke an explicit restraining order against Juggernaut, and the Canadian superteam ALPHA FLIGHT intervened and arrested him. Now Juggernaut must face trial for ALL his past crimes...

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Man, this is a lot of information to digest...I didn't realize you had such an extensive history, Mr. Marko.

Call me "Cain" She-Hulk.

Fine... Cain. And don't call me "She-Hulk", please. As your defense attorney, simply refer to me as "Ms. Walters." "Jennifer" even.

Anyhow...it says here you received your super-human powers from touching a gem left in some Cambodian cave by a demon named Cyttorak.

"With the power of this gem--blah, blah, blah-- you shall now and forever more be a human JUGGERNAUT."

Easier than injecting yourself with Hulk blood, I guess.

And it seems you've used your power quite well over the years, haven't you?

Your prior criminal offenses include, but are not limited to...

...damage to Hulkbuster Base One, the destruction of U.S. Army property and the sinking of a mothballed liberty freighter in Suisun Bay, Benicia.

Grievous bodily harm to one "Madame Web" in New York City.

Damage to Metro Bank construction site, New York. Destruction of property at Long Island Rail Road storage yards.

Assault & battery on Marvin T. Rocksalt, 15 counts of grand larceny, 22 counts of unlawful entry and 116 counts of major property damage, all in Sirocco Sprawl, New Mexico.

Damage to genetic research facility outside Angouleme, France. Destruction of Achmed's nightclub in Cairo, Egypt.

Damage to several public streets and buildings in Sayville, Long Island, including the Sayville Fire Department, and J. Clark's Restaurant.

I paid for that.

I'm sure you did.

Damage to public and private property in Hoboken, New Jersey. Damage to Auger Inn in Salem Center, New York.

Grievous bodily harm done to Marie Cavendish, and the complete destruction of Gary's Gas and Max's Pet Store in Junction, New York.

There's also one count of animal cruelty there.

And of course, there's your recent little jaunt through Vancouver three days ago, where you terrorized the family and destroyed the home, belongings and neighborhood--

--of a kid you supposedly like.

Samuel Pare, a.k.a. "Squidboy"... a boy you met and became friendly with after Professor Charles Xavier gave you a safe home and you seemed to be calming down.

So why do all this, Cain?

What is wrong with you?

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I got anger management issues.

You want my advice as your attorney, Cain?

Plea bargain.

If you've got anything on Black Tom or any other super-powered cohort, I'd hand it over and hope they only give you *thirty or forty life-sentences.*

Maybe the "Crimson Gem of Cyttorak" will keep you alive long enough to see daylight again.

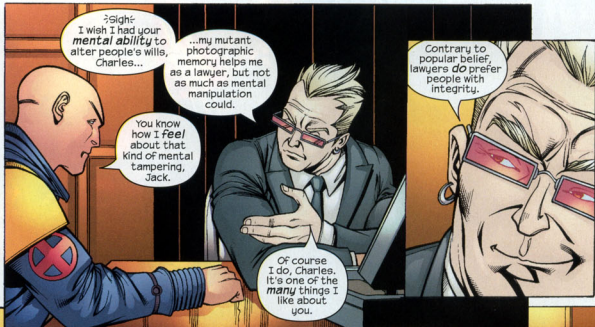
HA-KLANK

I'm going to motion for extradition and a change of venue, but that's a *heck* of a long shot.

This is a highly prestigious case for the Canadians--

--"the heroic capture of *The Juggernaut* by Canadian law-enforcement"--

--and extradition is already tough from here as it is. It's one of the reasons criminals tend to come *up here* in the first place.



?Sigh:
I wish I had your **mental ability** to alter people's wills, Charles...

...my mutant photographic memory helps me as a lawyer, but not as much as mental manipulation could.

You know how I **feel** about that kind of mental tampering, Jack.

Contrary to popular belief, lawyers **do** prefer people with integrity.

Of course I do, Charles. It's one of the **many** things I like about you.



I'll begin the paperwork and the negotiating.

It might help if Cain would offer some information in exchange for a plea, but my partner Ms. Walters here says he seems to **want** to be put away.

I'll try talking to my stepbrother. See if I can persuade him...



You do that.

And while you're at it, start thinking of **YOUR** defense for harboring a wanted fugitive.



You should have warned me you were doing this, Charles.

And you should have **never** let Cain come to Canada knowing he was still **unstable**.



⊗ MEANWHILE...



I can't take it!

I gotta get outta here!

THOOM
THOOM

I can't be in a cage, you unnerstan'?

I'm claustrophobic!

LET ME
OUTTA
HERE!

You guys got all this high-tech, power-sapping equipment... and you can't afford soundproof walls?

Shut up, animal.

THOOM
BOOM

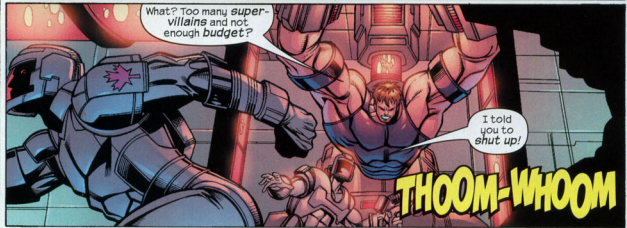
Oh, yeah. Ain't *you* just the toughest guy in the world.

Unhook me and we'll talk animals, pal.



I told you that cell wouldn't hold him!

We only had the one energy dampener!



What? Too many super-villains and not enough budget?

I told you to shut up!

THOOM-WHOOM



Yeah, you did, didn't you? And imagine me not shuttin' up.

What're you gonna do about that?



I just-- I--

--just shut up!

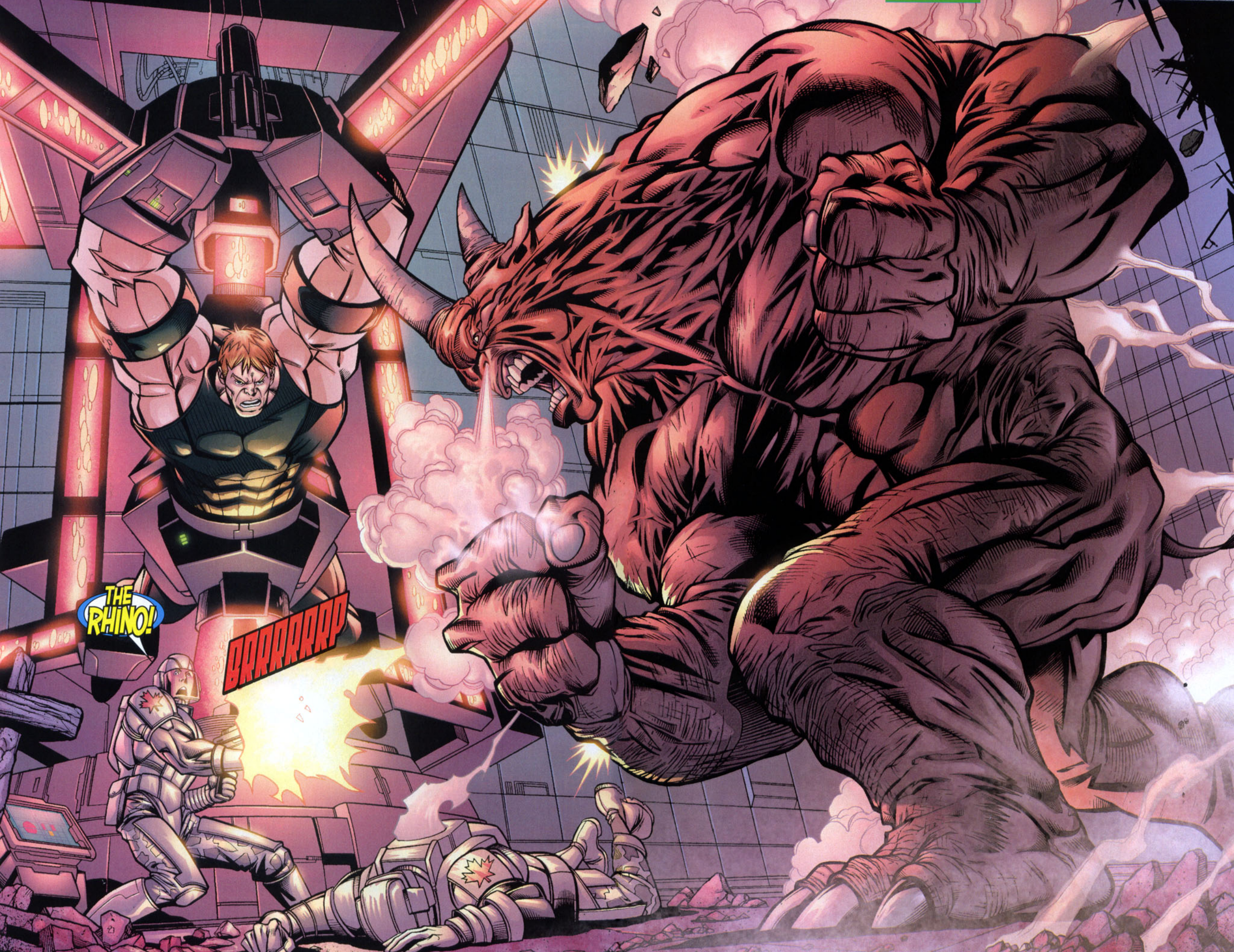
I'm telling you to just shut up!



Scared, aren't ya?



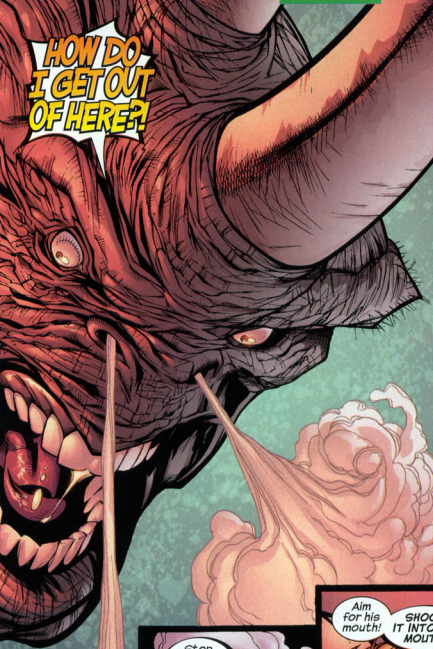
SHBOOOON!



THE
RHINO!

BARRRRR!

HOW DO I GET OUT OF HERE?!



You're askin' me?

BARRRRRP



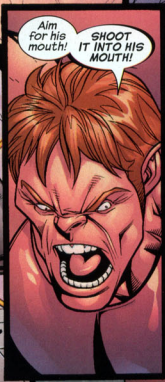
Stop shootin' that thing at me!

FWEN

FWING

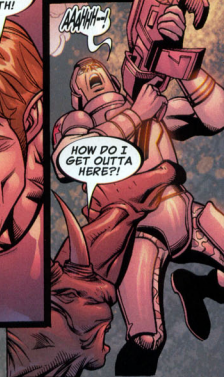
SKEW

BARRRRRP



Aim for his mouth!

SHOOT IT INTO HIS MOUTH!



AAHHH!

HOW DO I GET OUTTA HERE?!

SPANG

AAAH!

I TOLD YOU TO STOP SHOOTING ME!

THEN TELL ME HOW TO GET OUTTA HERE!

That way!
Out that way!

Behind that wall!

Finally.

I'm sorry.

I'm so sorry.

Please don't kill me!

NOW I'll kill ya'!

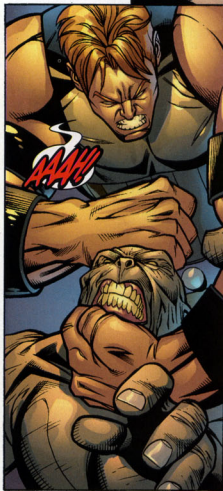
Guess again, "Rawhide."

CHUD

Oh, please...

THUD







BRING THE GUN!



What?



LET GO A' ME!

HURRY!
WHILE HE'S GOT NO LEVERAGE!

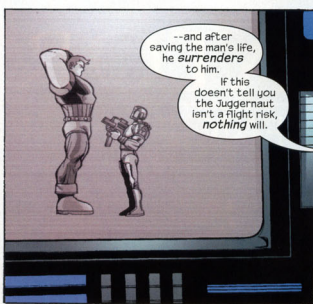



KRAK-BLON!











C'mon...there's *gotta* be a buck in it somewhere. Or vengeance, or power.

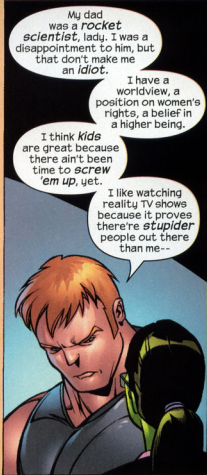
Something.

Like I said, you're a super-villain, pure and simple. You're not exactly *known* for deep thinking and change.



And whadda you know about *me*, green stuff?

Anytime we've tussled, you ever ask me about world politics? Social reform? Children's welfare?




My dad was a *rocket scientist*, lady. I was a disappointment to him, but that don't make me an *idiot*.

I have a worldview, a position on women's rights, a belief in a higher being.

I think *kids* are great because there ain't been time to *screw 'em up*, yet.


I like watching reality TV shows because it proves there're *stupid*er people out there than me--



--and most important of all, I'm a Mets and Jets fan.

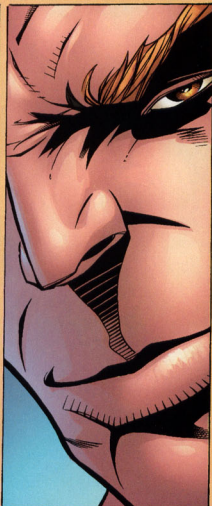
Yankees, Giants.

Is that right?

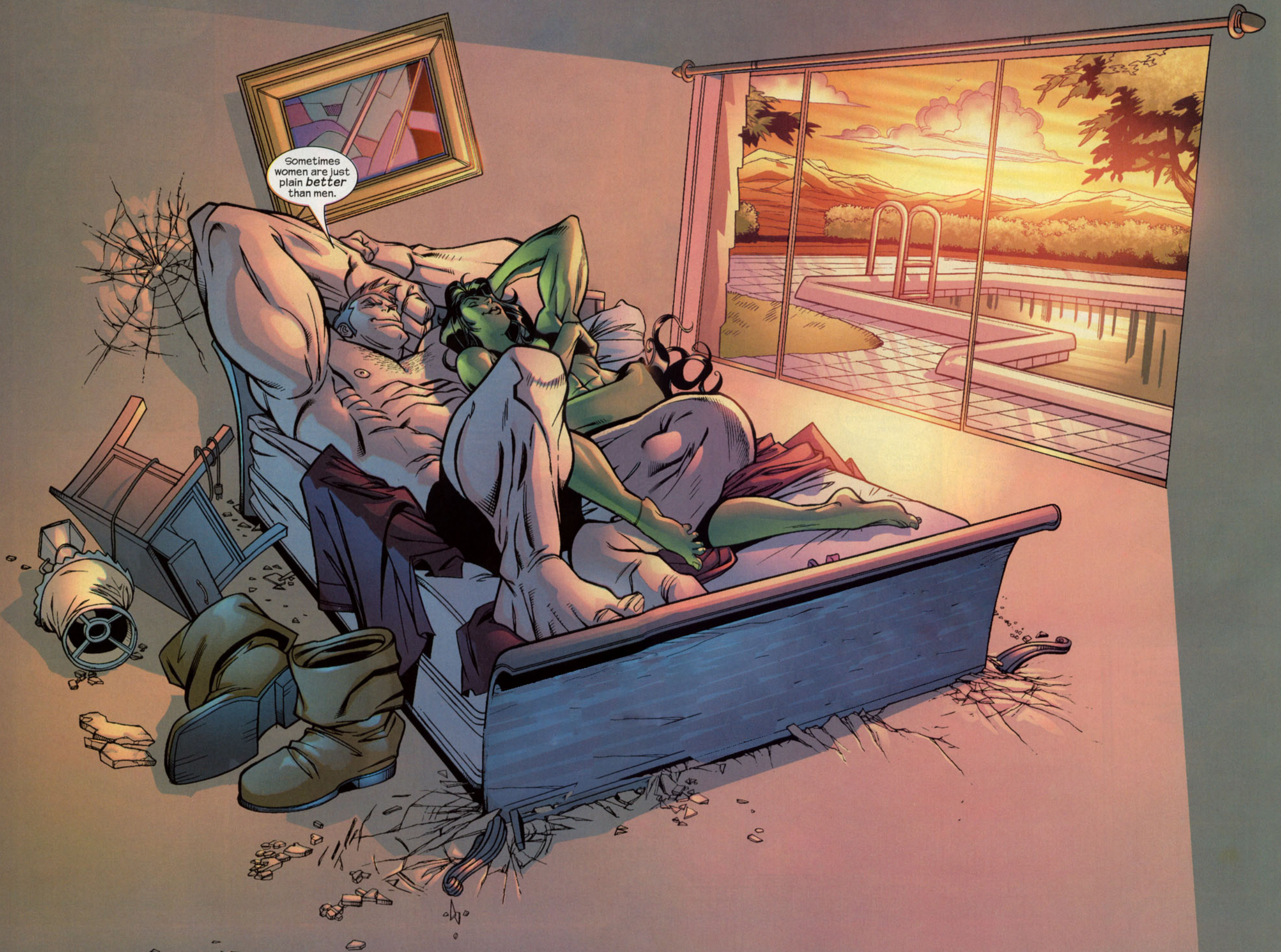


Matsui shoulda been Rookie of the Year. No doubt in my mind.

So what's your position on women's rights?



Sometimes women are just plain *better* than men.





Okay, so you kicked *Cyttorak's* butt and then your power began to wane...now you think he's *taking it back*?

Makes sense. I suppose I would if I were *Cyttorak*.
But what happened with you and your ol' bad guy buddy-- *Black Tom*?



I found him--
--literally--

--living in a *hole* outside Scotland. Eating bugs and worms and stuff.

I bought a castle so we could have a place to *hide out*. Maybe find a cure for whatever was *wrong* with him.

You bought a *castle*?

How much money have you *stolen* over the years?



Not enough to cure Tom.

Man...you're *beautiful*, you know that?

I've heard it a few times, but it actually sounds sincere coming from you.

So, you and Tom...?

I don't know, it just got *tiring*, you know?



All the taking, hiding, bickering, taking again...

...this is *much nicer*.

So like all the rest of us, you wanted something *better*... but didn't know what...



...until *fate* came a-knockin'...

⊗ IF THAT'S JUGGERNAUT GETTIN' COZY WITH SHE-HULK, THEN WHO'S THAT OUTSIDE THE WINDOW? FIND OUT NEXT ISSUE!