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WITCHBLADE



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WITCHBLADE[®]

created by **Marc Silvestri, David Wohl, Brian Haberlin & Michael Turner**

New York City Police Detective Sara Pezzini's life was forever fractured by her father's murder. Cold, cunning, and hellbent on revenge, Sara now stalks a vicious criminal cabal beneath the city. During a brutal warehouse massacre, Sara bonded with the Witchblade, an ancient weapon that transformed her into something wild, magnificent, and beyond her darkest imaginings.

Previously... New York City Police Detective Sara Pezzini's dive into the world of the supernatural began with the search into the cover-up that destroyed her father. Along the way, she bonded with an ancient weapon known as the Witchblade, which, following recent events, has gone through a new transformation, bound by the powers of darkness and light, becoming something new that hangs in the balance. Following the tragic end to the Grinteeth vigilante, Sara picked up the pieces and wandered into her local watering hole, and met an enigmatic green-haired woman. Sara woke up the next morning, stirred by memories of the night before, only to discover a dead body in her bed, and her green-haired acquaintance gone without a trace. **Meanwhile...** Several murders tied to advanced hacked smartlocks led Sara back to the manufacturer, A.S.I. Industries. There, a connection to the case that led to Sara's partner, Jake McCarthy, leaving California came to light. After both Sara and Jake separately infiltrated A.S.I. Industries they were attacked by drones and eventually Aphrodite IX herself, who seemed to be caught in a logic loop. Sara tried to break Aphrodite out of it, but in the end, Sara was brought to her knees and at Aphrodite's mercy.

"Oblivion"

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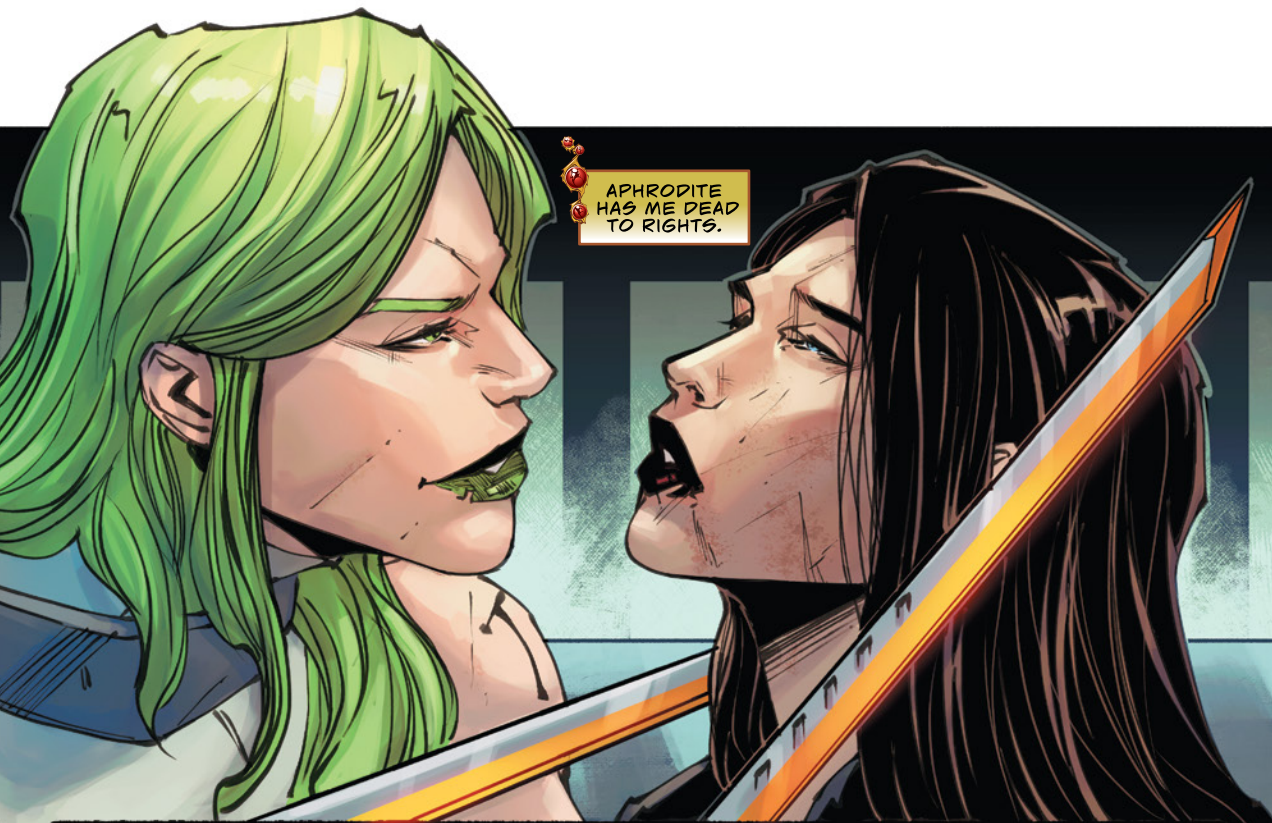
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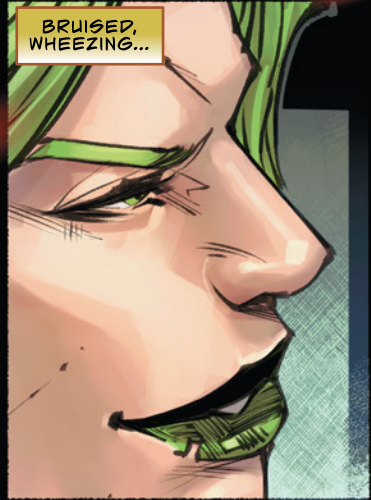
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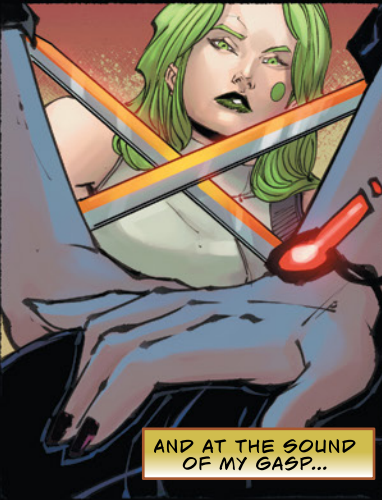
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APHRODITE HAS ME DEAD TO RIGHTS.



BRUISED, WHEEZING...



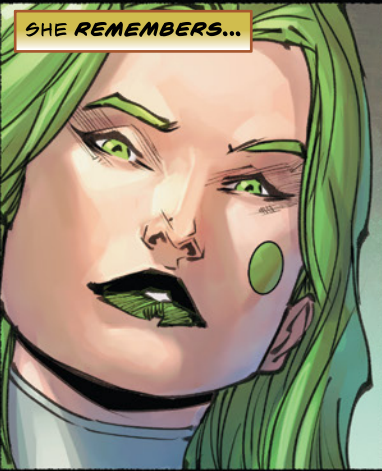
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A FLICKER OF MEMORY.



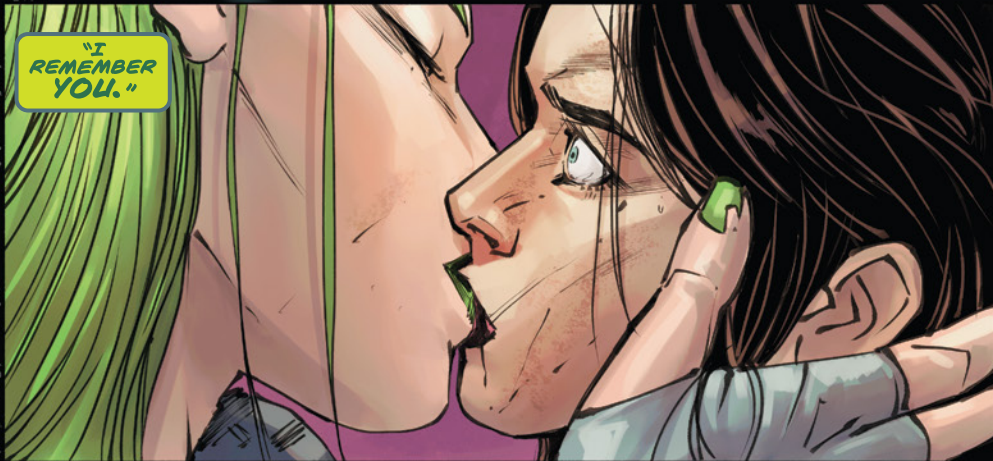
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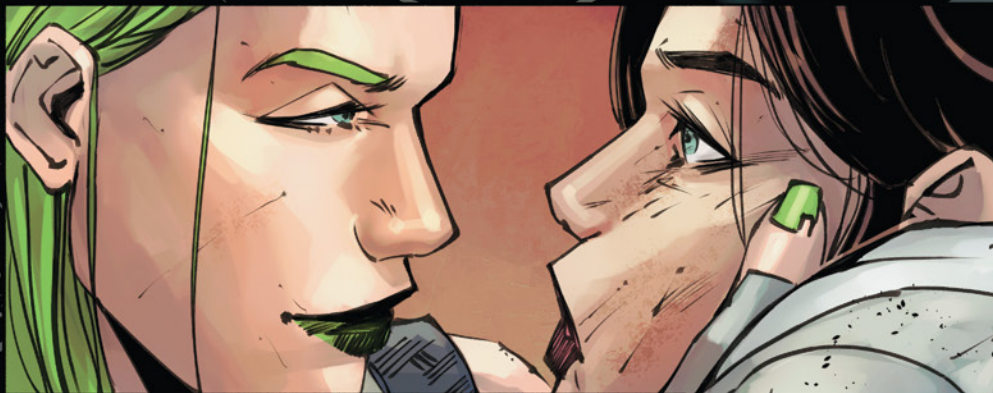
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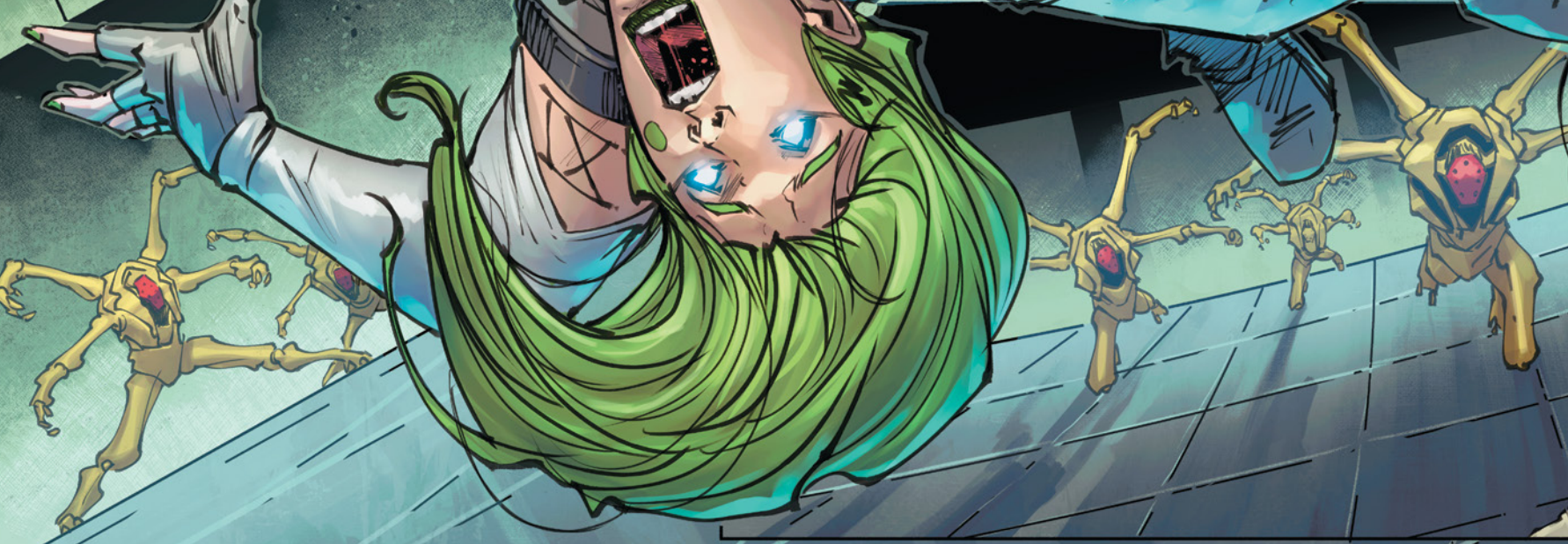
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"I REMEMBER YOU."



AAAAAAH!



JAKE!



IF THE COMPUTERS
KEEP SHORTING
APHRODITE...



...SHE'LL
KEEP
COMING
BACK.

