

# WORLD WAR HULK

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# THE INCREDIBLE HULK



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While trying to save the life of an innocent, Doctor Bruce Banner was caught in the blast of a gamma bomb and became

# THE INCREDIBLE HULK

...a rampaging monster with near-limitless power.

Fearing the threat he posed to humanity, Earth's most powerful heroes shot Hulk into space.

Landing on a faraway planet, Hulk became an Emperor and fell in love.

But the shuttle that sent Hulk away from Earth exploded, killing millions of people, including Hulk's pregnant queen.

Filled with rage, Hulk and his Warbound warriors have arrived on Earth, to bring revenge upon those he holds responsible for destroying his world...

## THE RENEGADES



**AMADEUS CHO**



**HERCULES**



**ANGEL**



**NAMORA**



**SCORPION**

Boy genius Cho and S.H.I.E.L.D. agent Scorpion have broken away from the rest of the Hulk-sympathetic Renegades and snuck into Madison Square Garden, where Hulk has imprisoned Earth's mightiest heroes.

Cho thinks he can stop Hulk. Hulk thinks otherwise...

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**NEW YORK CITY.**  
**DAY TWO OF THE REIGN**  
**OF THE GREEN KING.**

SO OUR SUPPOSED BUDDY THE HULK HAS CAPTURED THE AVENGERS AND THE FANTASTIC FOUR...

...AND NOW HE'S TURNING MADISON SQUARE GARDEN INTO A HELL-HOLE STRAIGHT OUT OF "SPARTACUS"?

ANYONE STARTING TO WONDER IF WE PICKED THE WRONG SIDE IN THIS FIGHT?

YOUR "HEROES" MASSACRED HIS PEOPLE, ANGEL. HE SHOULD SLIT THEM GULLET TO GROIN AND RING THE CITY WITH THEIR SPIKED HEADS.

OKAY, NAMORA, DON'T TAKE THIS THE WRONG WAY, BUT EVERY TIME YOU OPEN YOUR MOUTH, YOU TOTALLY FREAK ME OUT.

LIGHTEN THYSELF UP, ANGEL.

WE'RE THE RENEGADES NOW. TALKING TRASH IS PRACTICALLY A REQUIREMENT OF THE JOB.

FINE. I JUST WANT TO MAKE SURE WE ALL KNOW THAT EVisCERATING PEOPLE FOR WHATEVER REASON IS A VERY BAD THING.

AYE, THAT IT IS. IN THIS MILLENNIUM, ANYWAY.

DON'T WORRY, ANGEL.

AMADEUS CHO SHOULD REACH THE HULK ANY MOMENT NOW. AND WHEN HE SPEAKS REASON TO THE GREEN KING, THE LIVES OF YOUR PRECIOUS HEROES WILL NO DOUBT BE SAVED.

THAT'S A LOT RIDING ON ONE KID...

HE HAS THE HEART OF A LION. AND HE'S THE SEVENTH SMARTEST PERSON ON THE PLANET...

"...HE'LL KNOW WHAT TO SAY."

OH, \$#@&.

YOU SAID YOU WERE ON MY SIDE.

BUT NOW I FIND YOU HERE IN MY DUNGEON...



...TALKING WITH MY ENEMIES?

RUN, AMADEUS!

CHILLAX, DR. RICHARDS. HE'S NOT GONNA--



SHLANG!

AMADEUS, HE'S GOING TO KILL YOU! NOW RUN!

I'M NOT RUNNING...





...BECAUSE  
THE HULK...

...DOESN'T...

Σ.



...KKKKILL...

**THUUNNKK!**





GREAT.  
AMADELUS,  
GET BACK.  
LOOK, YOU MIGHT HAVE A POISON ARM, AN EXPOSED BELLY BUTTON AND A SUMMER JOB AT S.H.I.E.L.D., BUT YOU'RE NOT THE BOSS OF ME, SO--



ALL RIGHT, HULK. YOU HAD YOUR CHANCE TO LISTEN TO REASON.  
NOW IT'S MY TURN.



SORRY.  
NGH!  
ENEMY: TARGETED.



Woop!  
Woop!  
Woop!

I ALREADY GOT YOUR ENEMY, YA DUMB ROBOT!

ENEMY: OBFUSCATING.



FINE.

PEBBLE.



Woop!  
Woop!  
Woop!

PIPE.



Woop!  
Woop!  
Woop!

PRICELESS.



PFT.

ENEMY: SMART.



OKAY. SO I WAS ABOUT TO TELL YOU...





...SCORPION'S ARM'S PACKED WITH A COCKTAIL OF NEW TOXINS DESIGNED BY S.H.I.E.L.D. TO GOOF UP YOUR GAMMA-POWERED PHYSIOLOGY.



WHICH MEANS BEFORE YOUR ROBOT PAL ARRIVED, I'D ALREADY SAVED YOUR BIG GREEN CAN, JUST IN CASE YOU NEEDED ANY MORE PROOF THAT I'M ON YOUR SIDE.

NOW LISTEN.



I STOLE 1.2 BILLION DOLLARS FROM WARREN WORTHINGTON III AND BOUGHT A FEW THOUSAND ACRES NEAR A DOWNSIZED MILITARY BASE IN THE NEW MEXICO DESERT.

INCLUDING THE OLD ATOMIC TEST SITE WHERE YOU WERE BORN.



I'VE BEEN WORKING ON THIS DEVICE. THIS IS JUST A TINY VERSION. THE COMPLETED MACHINE WOULD PROJECT A SHIELD OVER THE ENTIRE AREA.



ANY NON-GAMMA-POWERED CREATURE THAT TRIED TO ENTER WOULD PASS OUT.

EVEN THIS LITTLE VERSION JUST PUT MY FINGERS TO SLEEP.

AND ANY TECHNOLOGY THAT ENTERED WOULD GET SHORTED OUT, SO THEY COULDN'T BOMB YOU.



IT'LL BE YOUR PLACE. WHERE THEY'LL FINALLY LEAVE YOU ALONE.

I'M CALLING IT **GAMMAWORLD.**





THERE USED TO BE A TOWN CALLED STONERIDGE, NEW MEXICO.


I TORE INTO IT. NEWS REPORTER SAID HUNDREDS DIED.



BUT YOU DON'T REMEMBER A THING, DO YOU?

'CAUSE YOU WEREN'T EVEN THERE.

YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT.



"COURSE I DO. YOUR BODY WAS THERE. BUT THERE WAS NO MIND INSIDE IT. DOC SAMSON HAD SEPARATED BANNER FROM THE HULK'S BODY.

"THAT MINDLESS HULK WAS THE ONE WHO KILLED THOSE PEOPLE.



"SAMSON'S THE ONE WHO'S BEEN LOSING SLEEP OVER THIS FOR YEARS--NOT YOU."

HOW DO YOU KNOW THAT?

I'VE READ EVERY DOCUMENT ABOUT YOU IN EVERY GOVERNMENT DATABASE IMAGINABLE.

I'VE STUDIED EVERY RECORDING AND REPORT OF EVERY FIGHT YOU'VE EVER BEEN IN. SO I KNOW WHAT'S HAPPENING...



YOU'RE LIKE ME. YOU CAN SEE EVERYTHING. THE MATHEMATICS OF EVERY OBJECT AROUND YOU.

AS LONG AS YOUR BRAIN HASN'T BEEN TAMPERED WITH, THERE'S A PART OF YOU THAT'S ALWAYS RUNNING THE NUMBERS. YOU KNOW WHERE THE INNOCENTS ARE AND HOW TO SAVE THEM.

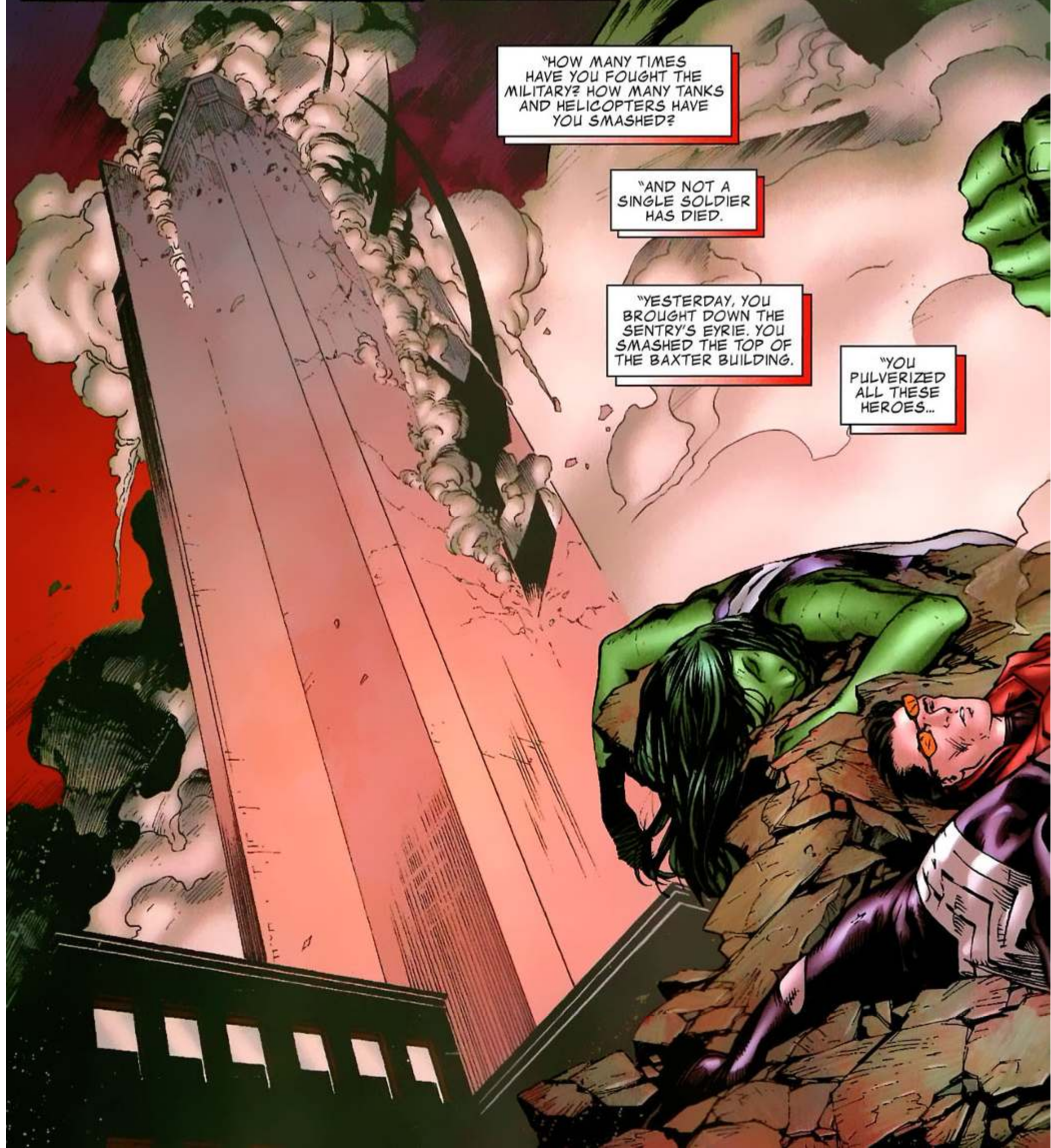


"HOW MANY TIMES HAVE YOU FOUGHT THE MILITARY? HOW MANY TANKS AND HELICOPTERS HAVE YOU SMASHED?"

"AND NOT A SINGLE SOLDIER HAS DIED."

"YESTERDAY, YOU BROUGHT DOWN THE SENTRY'S EYRIE. YOU SMASHED THE TOP OF THE BAXTER BUILDING."

"YOU PULVERIZED ALL THESE HEROES..."





"...AND YET YOU HAVEN'T KILLED A SOUL."



HMP.



COUPLE OF YEARS AGO, I KILLED A GUY NAMED TRAUMA.

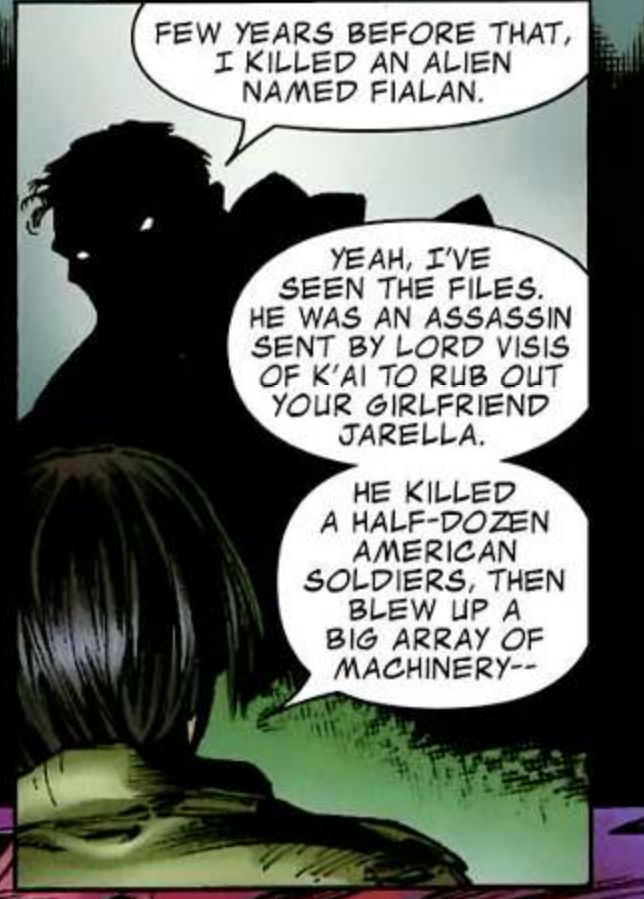
TWICE.



IN SELF-DEFENSE.

HOW'D YOU KNOW THAT?

I GUESSED.  
GOTCHA.



FEW YEARS BEFORE THAT, I KILLED AN ALIEN NAMED FIALAN.

YEAH, I'VE SEEN THE FILES. HE WAS AN ASSASSIN SENT BY LORD VISIS OF K'AI TO RUB OUT YOUR GIRLFRIEND JARELLA.

HE KILLED A HALF-DOZEN AMERICAN SOLDIERS, THEN BLEW UP A BIG ARRAY OF MACHINERY--



I SNAPPED HIS BACK OVER MY KNEE.

AND THEN A YEAR LATER, I SMASHED THE CASTLE OF LORD VISIS HIMSELF.

JUST AS I SMASHED THE RED KING OF SAKAAR.





REED RICHARDS,  
IRON MAN, BLACK BOLT  
AND DOCTOR STRANGE  
DESTROYED MY  
WORLD.

NOW  
MAYBE THEY'LL  
KNOW WHAT IT  
FEELS LIKE.



YEAH, YOUR  
LITTLE SPEECH  
ABOUT THAT GOT  
BROADCAST TO  
EVERY CORNER OF  
THE GLOBE.

LOOK, YOU'VE  
ALREADY WON. NO  
MATTER WHAT HAPPENS  
NOW, EVERYONE  
KNOWS WHAT THOSE  
GUYS DID.

SO LET'S  
GET OUT OF  
HERE.

YOU  
STILL DON'T  
UNDERSTAND.



THEY SHOT  
ME INTO SPACE.  
AND THEN THE SHUTTLE  
THEY SENT ME IN  
EXPLODED.

THEY  
KILLED A MILLION  
PEOPLE IN CROWN  
CITY.

THEY  
KILLED MY WIFE.  
THEY KILLED MY  
CHILD.

AND  
THEY'RE  
GOING TO  
PAY.

THEN WHY  
HAVEN'T YOU  
KILLED THEM  
ALREADY?



BECAUSE  
YOU KNOW IT'S  
NOT THEIR  
FAULT.

I MEAN, YEAH,  
THEY'RE LYING,  
INCOMPETENT  
MORONS...

...BUT I HAVEN'T  
SEEN ANY EVIDENCE  
THEY DELIBERATELY  
KILLED ALL THOSE  
PEOPLE.

SO YOU'RE  
NOT GOING TO  
KILL THEM.

YOU'RE  
RIGHT.



THEY'RE GONNA KILL EACH OTHER.



YOU'RE...  
YOU'RE NOT KIDDING, ARE YOU?



OKAY, THEN.



JUST REMEMBER. YOU BROUGHT THIS ON YOURSELF.

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH YOU?

I'M THE SMART KID, REMEMBER? I CAN STOP A RHINO WITH A GRAPE.

SO I KNOW EXACTLY WHERE TO HIT YOU IN ORDER TO CAUSE THE MAXIMUM--







YOU PAGED?

Whoa!!!

FSSSTT!

GRRRAAA!

TSSSSSS

UFF!





**GRRRAAAAA!**



**RUN!**



AMADEUS!



**CRANK!**



**GRRRRRAAAAAAAAAA!**



WHATEVER.









HEY.



WHEW. HE-- HE COULD HAVE KILLED YOU. BUT HE DIDN'T.



AND HE'S NOT GONNA KILL ANYONE ELSE. I PUSHED HIM AS HARD AS I POSSIBLY COULD. AND I'M STILL ALIVE. HE'S... HE'S NO MONSTER.

ALL RIGHT, AMADEUS. I--I BELIEVE YOU...



"...I JUST HOPE HE DOES, TOO."

**TO BE CONTINUED!**

# ROADMAP TO WORLD WAR HULK

## MAY

- WORLD WAR HULK PROLOGUE: WORLD BREAKER #1
- INCREDIBLE HULK #106

## JUNE

- WORLD WAR HULK #1**
- INCREDIBLE HULK #107
- IRON MAN, DIRECTOR OF S.H.I.E.L.D. #19
- GHOST RIDER #12
- HEROES FOR HIRE #11
- WORLD WAR HULK: X-MEN #1
- WORLD WAR HULK: FRONT LINE #1

## JULY

- IRREDEEMABLE ANT-MAN #10
- WORLD WAR HULK: GAMMA CORPS #1
- WORLD WAR HULK #2**
- WORLD WAR HULK: X-MEN #2
- WORLD WAR HULK FRONT LINE #2
- AVENGERS: THE INITIATIVE #4
- GHOST RIDER #13
- IRON MAN, DIRECTOR OF S.H.I.E.L.D. #20
- HEROES FOR HIRE #12
- INCREDIBLE HULK #108

## AUGUST

- WORLD WAR HULK #3**
- WORLD WAR HULK: FRONT LINE #3
- INCREDIBLE HULK #109
- AVENGERS: THE INITIATIVE #5
- WORLD WAR HULK: GAMMA CORPS #2
- WORLD WAR HULK: X-MEN #3
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- WORLD WAR HULK: GAMMA FILES

## SEPTEMBER

- INCREDIBLE HULK #110
- WORLD WAR HULK: #4**
- WORLD WAR HULK: GAMMA CORPS #3
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## OCTOBER

- WORLD WAR HULK: GAMMA CORPS #4
- WORLD WAR HULK #5**
- PUNISHER WAR JOURNAL #12
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