

SOMEWHERE INSIDE, YOU
REMEMBER THE LITTLE GIRL.

YOU REMEMBER WHEN
RUNNING WAS FUN.



THERE WAS NOTHING
TO BE AFRAID OF.

NO DEMONS OVER
YOUR SHOULDER.



YOU DIDN'T REALIZE
WHAT LAY AHEAD.

SOMETHING WAS WAITING
PATIENTLY FOR YOU.



SUDDENLY THERE WAS NO FOREVER.

NO LAUGHTER, NO SUNSHINE,
NO HAPPY ENDINGS.



SUDDENLY YOU SAW THE TRUTH.

ALL THE LITTLE CHILDREN
DIE SOMEDAY.

JUST THE VOID.

A HORRIBLE SILENCE--
A FORCE OF NATURE.

THE NIGHTMARE THAT
SWALLOWED YOUR DREAM.



WHAT'S
THAT
STENCH?

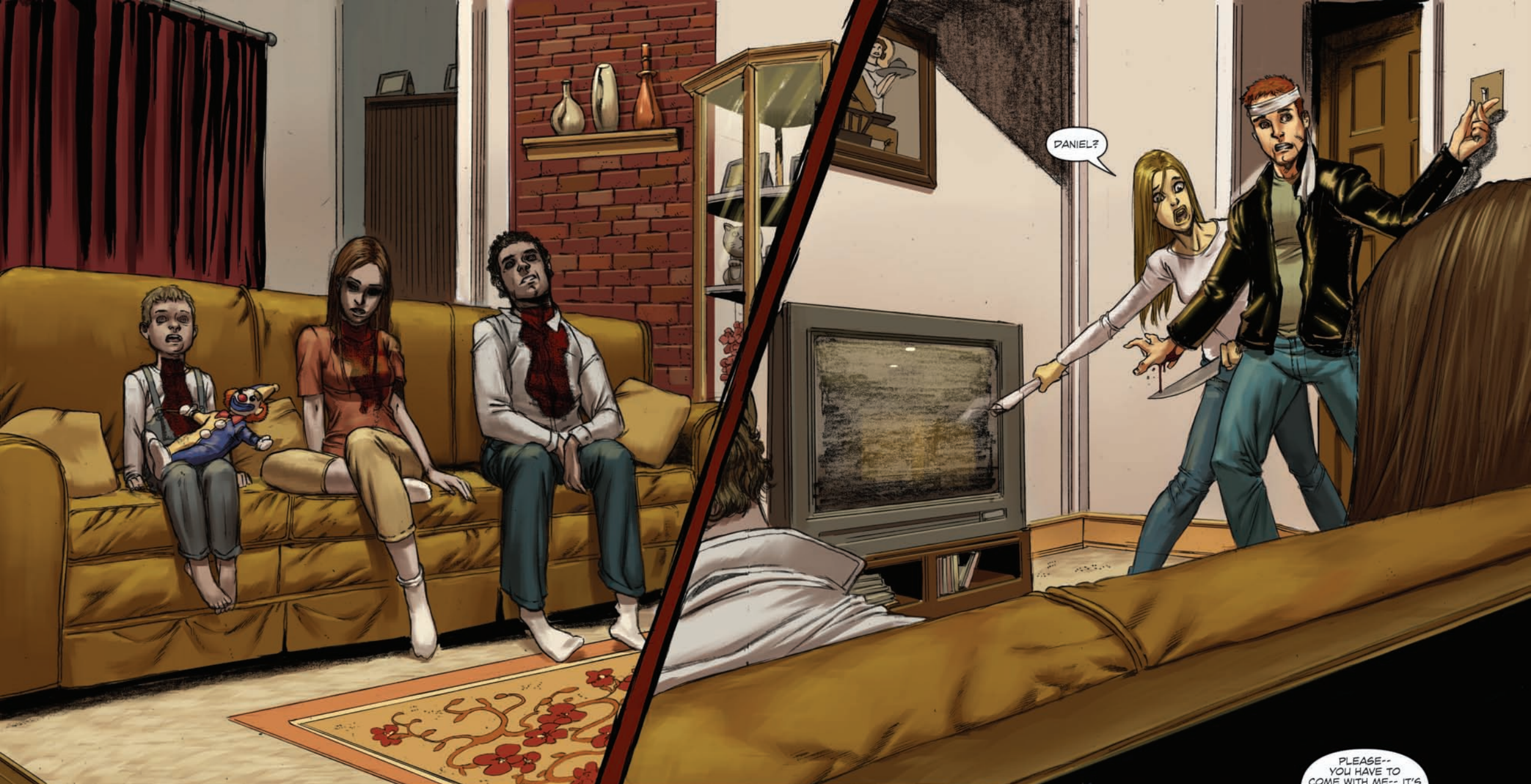


OH
NO--



--OH
JESUS
NO--





DANIEL?

THIS CAN'T BE HAPPENING...

THE SMELL-- THAT SICK SMELL.

THAT'S OUR WHOLE FAMILY AND SHE WAS RIGHT-- SHE WAS RIGHT--

RYAN, SOMETHING IS WRONG. I HAVEN'T HEARD FROM MY FAMILY FOR A WEEK--

HOW COULD THIS HAPPEN? HOW COULD ALL THE PIECES LINE UP SO PERFECTLY--

PLEASE-- YOU CAN'T GO-- YOU CAN'T!

FATE-- IS THIS WHAT HE WANTED? IS THIS WHAT THE BOGEYMAN PLANNED FOR US ALL?

LIFE ISN'T SUPPOSED TO BE THIS WAY. OUR DECISIONS-- OUR ACTIONS--

WE'RE SUPPOSED TO BE ALLOWED A CHANCE IN THIS WORLD. WHY ELSE WOULD WE EVEN BE HERE?

PLEASE-- YOU HAVE TO COME WITH ME-- IT'S YOU HE'S AFTER AND I NEED YOU TO FIND MY WIFE--

I NEED TO GO-- MY FRIEND WAS CHASING HIM!

CHASING WHO?



THE
MAN IN THE
MASK--

THIS MAN--
THIS MAN IN
THE MASK-- WHEN
DID YOU FIRST
SEE HIM?



PLEASE--
HE HAS MY
WIFE! I NEED
YOU TO TELL
ME EVERY-
THING--

I WAS
WITH DANIEL--
HE-- I THINK HE
LOCKED US
UP-- SENT THE
DRAWINGS--

WHERE?

THE
WOODS--
THE WOODS
NEAR THE
RIVER.



HELP
ME!



WE CAN'T JUST BE THE PLAYTHINGS
OF DEMONS. WE HAVE TO BE ABLE
TO FIGHT THEM-- TO SAVE OURSELVES
AND THE PEOPLE WE CARE ABOUT.



BECAUSE IF OUR FUTURE HAS BEEN PLANNED
BY MONSTERS, OR EVEN SEEN BY THEM--

I'M NOT
GONNA HURT
YOU, BUT IT'S
YOU THAT HE'S
AFTER--



THEN DEATH TRULY IS
ALL WE'LL EVER HAVE--

--AND
YOU'RE THE
ONLY WAY I'LL
EVER FIND
HIM.



AND THE FRAGMENTS OF LIFE
THAT WE CLING TO IN BETWEEN...

WILL JUST BE A SICK, SICK JOKE...

SAVE THE DATE!

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