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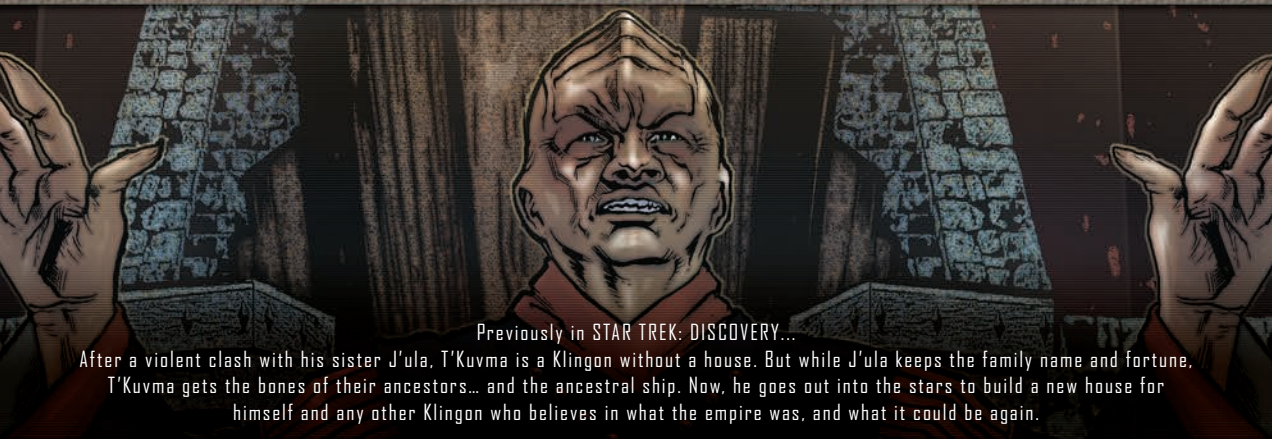
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Previously in STAR TREK: DISCOVERY...

After a violent clash with his sister J'ula, T'Kuvma is a Klingon without a house. But while J'ula keeps the family name and fortune, T'Kuvma gets the bones of their ancestors... and the ancestral ship. Now, he goes out into the stars to build a new house for himself and any other Klingon who believes in what the empire was, and what it could be again.

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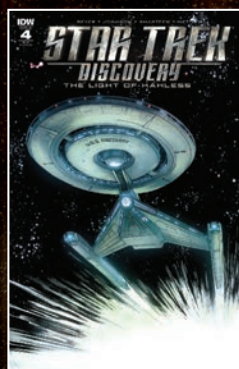
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 "YOU SPEAK OF A CRISIS OF FAITH."



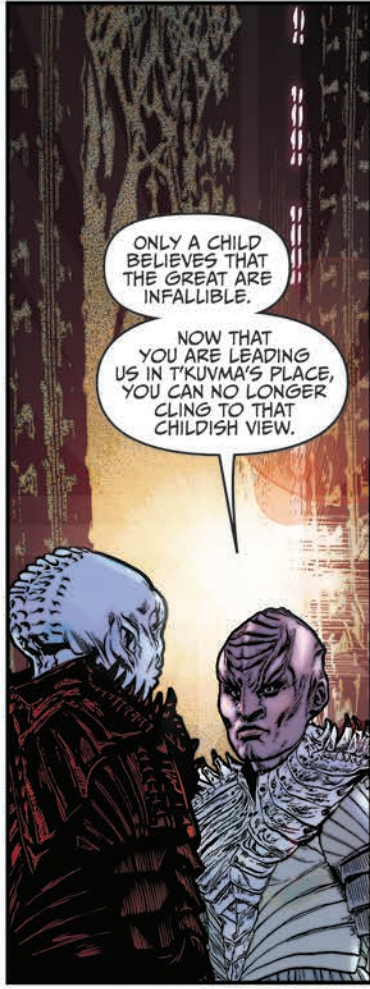
YOU SAY T'KUVMA BEGAN TO DOUBT HIMSELF, AND DOUBT HIS MISSION TO FIND THE BEACON OF KAHLESS THAT WOULD UNITE THE EMPIRE.

THAT DOES NOT SOUND LIKE THE T'KUVMA I KNEW, L'RELL.



YOU REFUSE TO BELIEVE THAT T'KUVMA WOULD EVER SHOW WEAKNESS, VOQ?

IS YOUR FAITH IN HIM REALLY SO FRAGILE THAT IT CAN SO EASILY SHATTER?



ONLY A CHILD BELIEVES THAT THE GREAT ARE INFALLIBLE.

NOW THAT YOU ARE LEADING US IN T'KUVMA'S PLACE, YOU CAN NO LONGER CLING TO THAT CHILDISH VIEW.



T'KUVMA DOUBTED WHETHER HIS MISSION WOULD SUCCEED, YES. BUT HE DID NOT ALLOW THAT DOUBT TO STOP HIM.

HE CONTINUED ON...





"...AND FOUND THE SIGN THAT PUT HIS DOUBTS TO REST."

SEVERAL YEARS BEFORE.

THE FEDERATION.

IT IS ONE OF THEIR COMMUNICATIONS RELAYS.

THEY PLACED IT OUT HERE TO LISTEN FOR US. TO MONITOR THE MOVEMENTS OF OUR FLEETS.

BUT THEY HAVE NEVER PLACED ONE THIS CLOSE TO THE EMPIRE'S BORDERS.

THIS IS NOT A HARMLESS LISTENING DEVICE, KHEL.

THIS IS A HARBINGER OF WAR.





THEY WOULD BE FOOLS TO INVITE CONFLICT WITH US AFTER ALL THIS TIME.

WOULD THEY, KHEL?

ARE YOU AND I NOT OUT HERE, IN SEARCH OF THE BEACON OF KHALESS BECAUSE WE KNOW HOW *WEAK* THE EMPIRE HAS BECOME?



WEAKENED BY SQUABBLES. BY GREED. BY COWARDICE. NOW IS THE *PERFECT* TIME FOR THE FEDERATION TO STRIKE.



BUT THEY HAVE BEGUN THEIR ATTACK IN A MOST *HUMAN* WAY. NOT WITH A BOLD ASSAULT. NOT WITH *HONOR*.

BUT WITH SUBTERFUGE, WITH QUIET ENCROACHMENT.



WE SHOULD DESTROY THIS. IT WILL SEND A MESSAGE TO THE HUMANS THAT THEIR PLOTS DO NOT GO UNNOTICED.



NO. WE WILL LEAVE IT WHERE WE FOUND IT, INTACT.

WAR IS COMING, YES. IT MAY BE YEARS AWAY. BUT THE EMPIRE MUST BE PREPARED FIRST. ONLY THEN WILL WE ENGAGE THE FEDERATION.



T'KUVMA  
CONTINUED HIS  
SEARCH FOR THE  
BEACON OF  
KAHLESS.



"RUMORS  
SPREAD IN  
HIS WAKE.



"RUMORS OF A  
SHIP CREWED  
BY THE DEAD.



"WARRIORS  
SEEKING  
THOSE WHO  
DISHONORED  
THE EMPIRE..."



"...AND ELIMINATING  
THEM.



"FREEING THE  
ENSLAVED..."

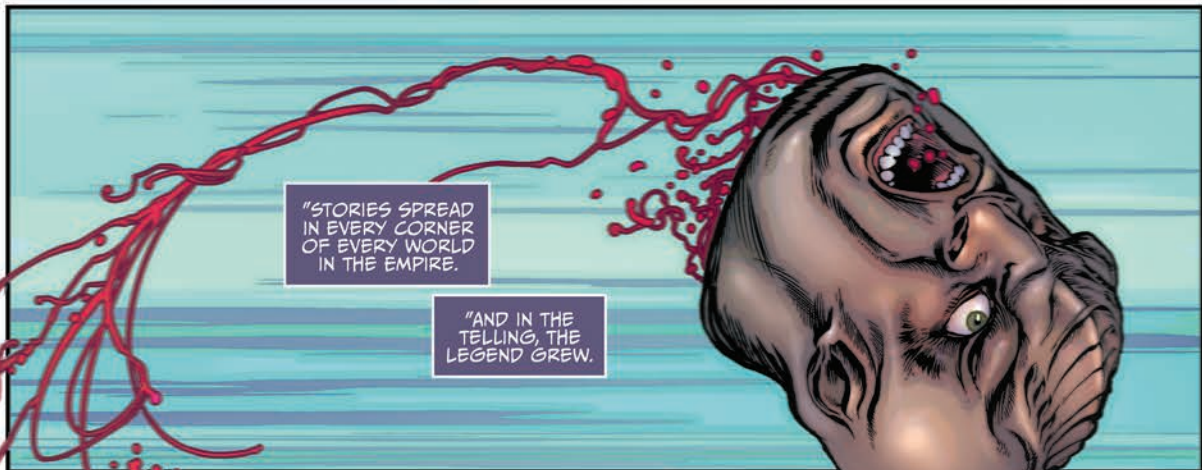




"...FREING THOSE WHO SUFFERED UNDER THE YOKE..."



"...OF A CORRUPT AND VILE RULING CLASS."



"STORIES SPREAD IN EVERY CORNER OF EVERY WORLD IN THE EMPIRE."

"AND IN THE TELLING, THE LEGEND GREW."



"THE CAPTAIN OF THIS MIGHTY SHIP OF THE DEAD WAS NOT JUST A FOLLOWER OF KAHLESS."

"HE WAS BELIEVED TO BE THE REINCARNATION OF KAHLESS HIMSELF."