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Chosen to take part in a top-secret government program, Wade Wilson was bestowed with the ability to heal from any wound. He became a mercenary. Then, for a while, he tried to be a hero. It...well, it went *pretty badly*. So badly, in fact, that Wade mindwiped himself, resetting his memories to the "factory setting" of the classic chaos agent, the Merc with the Mouth, the Regeneratin' Degenerate known as...

DEADPOOL

After his recent misadventures and his fallout amongst the super hero set, Deadpool set up a mercenary-for-hire shop in the strip mall of a small NYC suburb. Things have been quiet, but all that is about to change when Star-Lord contacts the Avengers with a message: a world-destroying space monster is coming to Earth, and only one weapon can stop him...a weapon currently in the hands of Deadpool.

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YOU KIDS
KNOW WHAT
UNSTOPPABLE
MEANS, RIGHT?

STOP, OR I
MAKE MYSELF TANGIBLE
AND YOU BECOME VERY
UNCOMFORTABLE.

HA HA
HA! YOUR CUTE
LITTLE ROBOT MAGIC
TRICKS ARE NO MATCH
FOR THE GEM OF
CYTTORAK!

MAYBE
NOT...
...BUT
I BET THAT
IS!

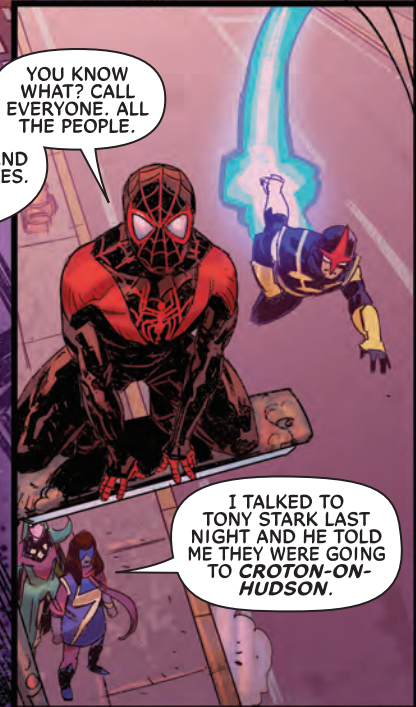
HOLY
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I'M PRETTY CONFIDENT IN THE CHAMPIONS, BUT I THINK WE'RE GONNA NEED THE AVENGERS ON THIS ONE.

MAYBE EVEN THE WEST COAST AVENGERS, AND THE GREAT LAKES ONES. DEFINITELY THE X-MEN.



YOU KNOW WHAT? CALL EVERYONE. ALL THE PEOPLE.

I TALKED TO TONY STARK LAST NIGHT AND HE TOLD ME THEY WERE GOING TO CROTON-ON-HUDSON.



WHAT? WHY ARE THEY IN...

Croton-on-Hudson,
New York.

FAIRWOODS

I CAN'T
WAIT UNTIL
FRIDAY!

WHAT'S
GOING DOWN
FRIDAY?

PUT
YOUR
QUARTER
UP COMES
OUT!

YOU DIDN'T
LIKE THE BOOK? EVERYONE LOVES
THAT BOOK.

WAIT,
THAT BOOK?
THEY MADE A
MOVIE OUT
OF THAT?

OH YEAH,
AMAAAazing... IF YOU
LOVE CHRIS FARLEY-LIKE
LISTS OF THINGS THAT
WERE COOL 30 YEARS
AGO.

"HEY, REMEMBER
PAC-MAN? SO COOL.
HEY, REMEMBER DUCKTALES
AND BRITISH KNIGHTS? SUPER
COOL. HEY, REMEMBER MORTAL
KOMBAT? BABALITY!
COOL!"

IT'S NOTHING
BUT A BUNCH OF
CHEAP POP CULTURE
REFERENCES COLLECTED
TOGETHER AND CALLED
ENTERTAINMENT.



AND, YES, I KNOW WHAT
YOU'RE THINKING. "THAT'S
BASICALLY WHAT YOU ARE,
DEADPOOL, BUT WITH MORE
SWORDS AND BULLETS
AND POUCHES."



THE IRONY
IS NOT LOST
ON ME, MOVE
ALONG.

WHATEVER, MAN. ONE
THING'S FOR SURE, IT'LL
BE BETTER THAN WHATEVER
OLD-ASS HUGH GRANT MOVIE
YOU'LL BE WATCHING
ALONE.



RONNIE,
YOU MOTHER...



I'VE TOLD
YOU WHAT WOULD
HAPPEN IF YOU EVER
SAID ANOTHER CROSS
WORD ABOUT NOTTING
HILL. JESS, JOSH, SAY
YOUR FAREWELLS
TO--



BEFORE
YOU DO ANYTHING
IRREVERSIBLE WITH
THAT SWORD...