



"ALL RIGHT, FLASH,
HERE'S OUR WHO,
WHAT, WHERE,
WHEN AND WHY.

"THE WHO.
ROULETTE.
GAMES MASTER
AND CRIMINAL
KINGPIN.

"SHE'S ONE OF THE
SMARTEST AND
DEADLIEST PEOPLE IN
THE WORLD. NAME A
MOST WANTED LIST
AND SHE'S ON IT.



"THE WHAT. ROULETTE
RUNS ILLEGAL CASINOS
ALL OVER THE WORLD.

"HER HOUSE ALWAYS
WINS. SHE EVEN
RUNS ODDS ON
SUPER-VILLAINS AND
SUPERHERO FIGHTS.



"THE WHERE? THE HOTTEST
CASINO IN ZANDIA.

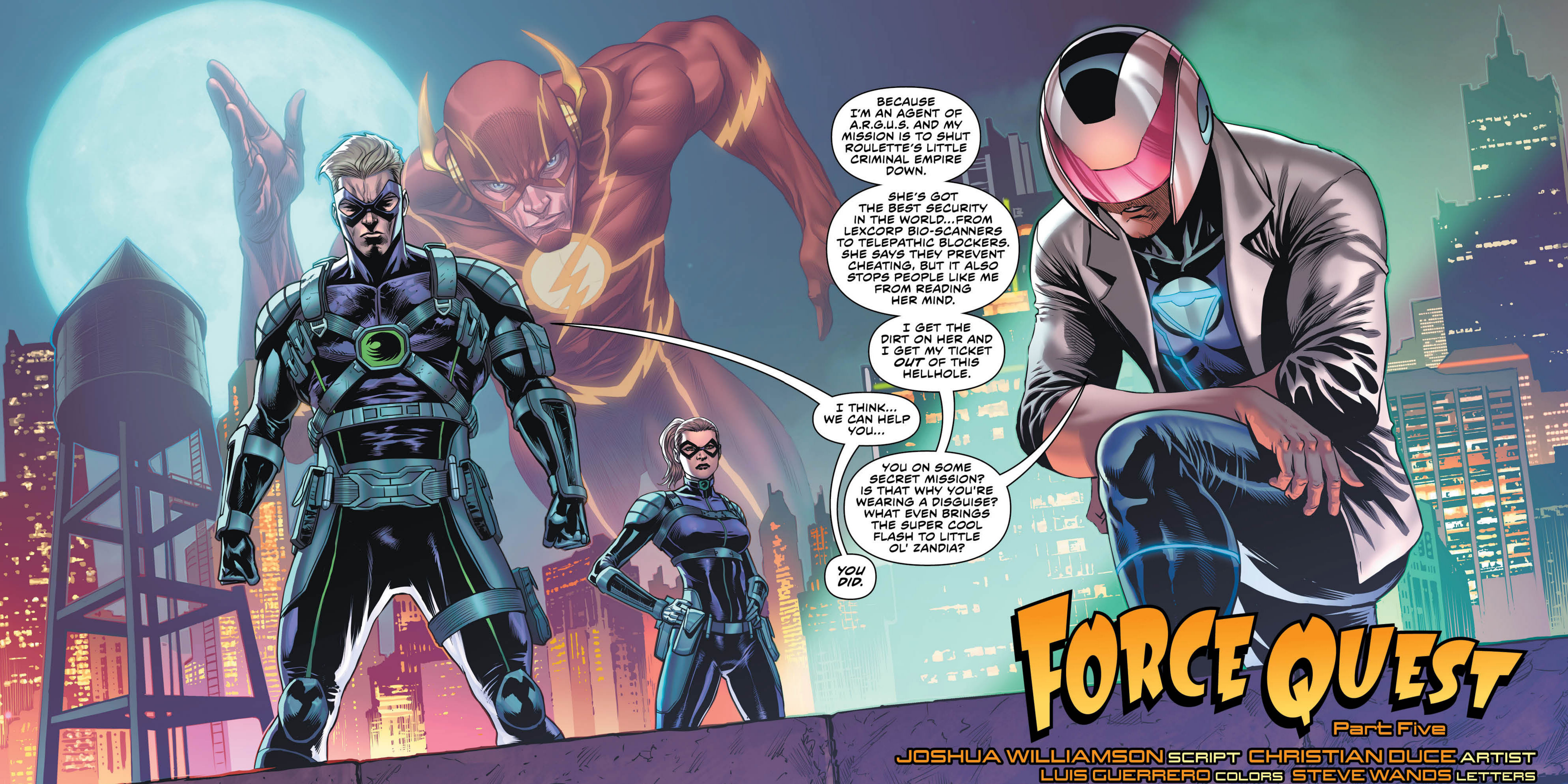
"ROULETTE'S BEEN
PROTECTED BECAUSE
THE COUNTRY OF ZANDIA IS A
SAFE HAVEN FROM ALL
THE LAW ENFORCEMENT
AGENCIES IN THE WORLD.

"NO ONE CAN GET ACCESS
TO THE FULL EXTENT OF
HER CRIMINAL ENTERPRISE.
THE CASINOS ARE JUST THE
TIP OF THE ICEBERG, BUT I
THINK WE CAN GET CLOSE
ENOUGH TO LEARN WHAT
SHE IS REALLY UP TO.



"THE WHEN?
TONIGHT.

"AS FOR THE
WHY...?"



BECAUSE I'M AN AGENT OF A.R.G.U.S. AND MY MISSION IS TO SHUT ROULETTE'S LITTLE CRIMINAL EMPIRE DOWN.

SHE'S GOT THE BEST SECURITY IN THE WORLD...FROM LEXCORP BIO-SCANNERS TO TELEPATHIC BLOCKERS. SHE SAYS THEY PREVENT CHEATING, BUT IT ALSO STOPS PEOPLE LIKE ME FROM READING HER MIND.

I GET THE DIRT ON HER AND I GET MY TICKET OUT OF THIS HELLHOLE.

I THINK... WE CAN HELP YOU...

YOU ON SOME SECRET MISSION? IS THAT WHY YOU'RE WEARING A DISGUISE? WHAT EVEN BRINGS THE SUPER COOL FLASH TO LITTLE OL' ZANDIA?

YOU DID.

FORCE QUEST

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A FEW MONTHS AGO, THREE NEW FORCES WERE UNLEASHED ON THE WORLD. THE POWERS YOU HAVE ARE CONNECTED TO ONE OF THEM, CALLED THE SAGE FORCE.

I'M HERE TO LEARN ALL I CAN ABOUT THOSE FORCES FROM THE PEOPLE WHO USE THEM... LIKE YOU, PSYCH.

THE SAGE FORCE, HUH? IT HAS A NAME. CRAZY.

I...I DON'T KNOW HOW MUCH HELP I CAN BE...

LET'S START SMALL. WITH YOUR NAME AND HOW YOU GOT THE POWERS.

I DOUBT PSYCH IS YOUR REAL NAME.

IT'S BASHIR.

AS FOR MY POWERS, WELL, IT WILL PROBABLY SOUND CRAZY, SO Y'KNOW WHAT...?

IT'LL BE EASIER IF I SHOW YOU.



"I WAS HAVING THESE TERRIFYING NIGHTMARES.

"IMAGES OF MY PAST. HAUNTING ME.



"THEN ONE NIGHT... **BOOM!** NEARLY BURNED DOWN MY ENTIRE APARTMENT.



"IT FELT LIKE I WAS LIVING MY NIGHTMARES.

"I LEARNED LATER THAT I HAD BEEN IN A COMA FOR A FEW DAYS.



"A.R.G.U.S. HELPED ME. GOT ME HEALTHY. THEN THEY OFFERED ME A JOB AS A SPY.

"THEY ASSIGNED ME A MISSION TO GATHER INFO ON THE SUPER-VILLAINS IN ZANDIA AND REPORT BACK.

"IT'S BEEN HARD, AND SOMETIMES I'VE HAD TO DO THINGS I'M NOT PROUD OF. BUT IT'S ALL WORTH IT BECAUSE I BELIEVE IN..."

