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WHEN ANDI BENTON WAS IN HIGH SCHOOL, SHE HAD NO IDEA THAT HER GYM TEACHER, FLASH THOMPSON, WAS REALLY THE SYMBIOTIC CRIMEFIGHTER CALLED VENOM!

WHEN ONE OF HIS ENEMIES ATTACKED IN THE MIDDLE OF CLASS, FLASH HAD NO CHOICE BUT TO USE THE VENOM SYMBIOTE TO PROTECT ANDI! UNEXPECTEDLY, ANDI AND A SMALL PORTION OF THE SYMBIOTE WERE JOINED, AND TOGETHER THEY BECAME MANIA!

BUT ANDI'S SYMBIOTE WAS VIOLENTLY STOLEN FROM HER, AND MANIA IS NO MORE. ALL SHE HAS LEFT IS THE **HELL-MARK**, WHICH EMPOWERS HER TO CONJURE HELLFIRE AND SUMMON DEMONS.

SINCE LOSING HER SYMBIOTE, ANDI HAS BEEN BACK IN PHILADELPHIA, LIVING WITH HER AUNT AND TRYING TO GET USED TO LIFE WITHOUT THE SYMBIOTE.

BUT TROUBLE HAS A WAY OF FINDING HER...

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...MMMNNNGG... TASTES--

...MMM...

--SO GOOD!

YEEEEAAAGGHHH!



THROK

GET--

--OFF!

WHERE ARE YOU GOING, ANDI?

IT'S NOT LIKE YOU CAN SLIP AWAY!

YOU CAN'T GET AWAY FROM US!

WE'RE PART OF YOU!



YOU'LL NEVER BE FREE!



ANOTHER
NIGHTMARE.



FOURTH ONE
THIS WEEK.



AT LEAST
I DIDN'T WAKE
UP SCREAMING
THIS TIME.



EITHER THEY'RE
EASING UP...



...OR I'M
GETTING USED
TO THEM.

AUNT
SARAH?







IT'S CLUE HOW
AUNT SARAH
FAWNS OVER
ME.

LORD KNOWS I'VE
GIVEN HER ENOUGH
TO WORRY ABOUT.

BUT IF SHE EVER
REALIZED THE TRUTH...IF
SHE FOUND OUT ABOUT
ALL THE THINGS I'VE
BEEN THROUGH...

...SHE'D
LOSE HER
@#%&.



FOR ME, THE
HORROR--THE
NIGHTMARES--
STARTED WHERE
THEY ALWAYS DO.

HIGH
SCHOOL
GYM
CLASS.

THAT'S WHERE
I MET FLASH
THOMPSON.

THE ASSISTANT
COACH, A VET WHO
LOST HIS LEGS.



FLASH HAD
A SECRET.

WE ALL
DO.

HIS WAS
JUST BIGGER
THAN MOST.



HE WAS A
SUPER
HERO.

AGENT
VENOM.

BONDED TO--POSSESSED
BY AN ALIEN SYMBIOTE THAT
GAVE HIM INCREDIBLE POWERS.



IF I'M BEING
HONEST...

...HE WASN'T
ALL THAT
GREAT AT
THE JOB.