



AT LAST! THE SPAWN OF VENOM!

# the AMAZING SPIDER-MAN

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PART ONE**



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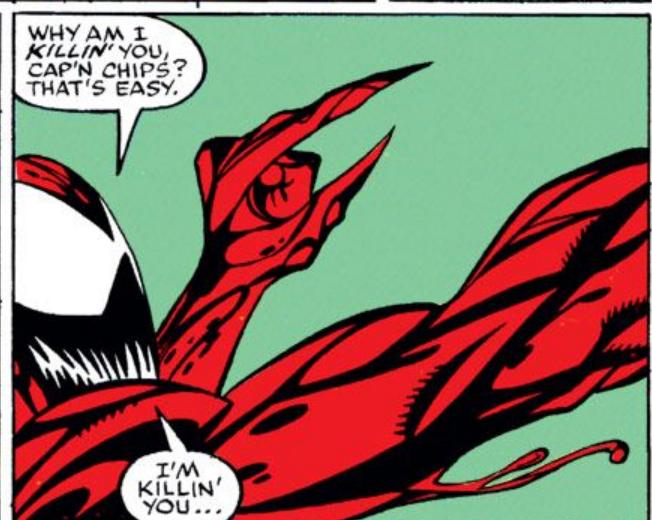
BITTEN BY A RADIOACTIVE SPIDER, STUDENT PETER PARKER GAINED THE PROPORTIONATE STRENGTH AND AGILITY OF AN ARACHNID! ARMED WITH HIS WONDROUS WEB-SHOOTERS, THE RELUCTANT SUPER HERO STRUGGLES WITH SINISTER SUPER-VILLAINS, MAKING ENDS MEET, AND MAINTAINING SOME SEMBLANCE OF A NORMAL LIFE!

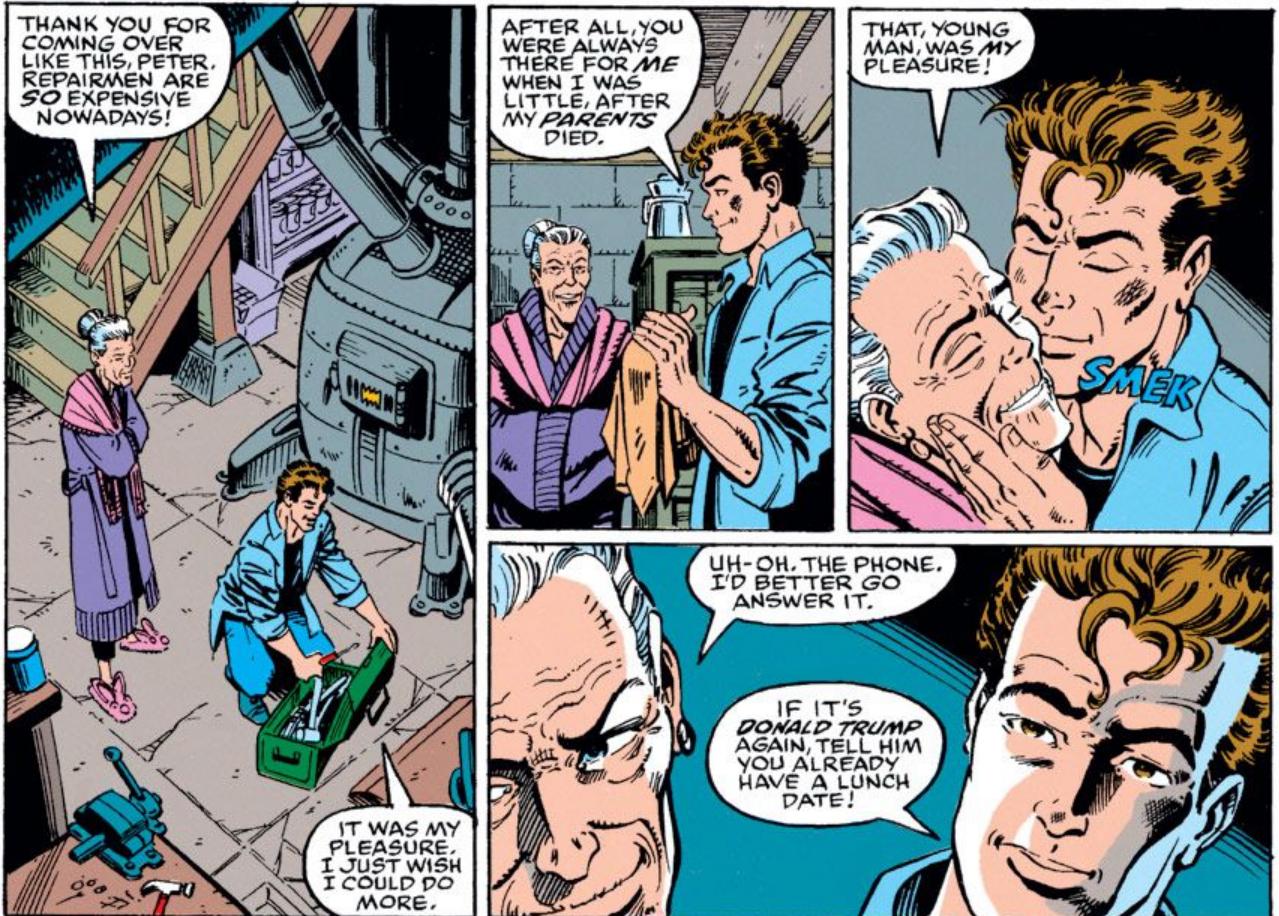
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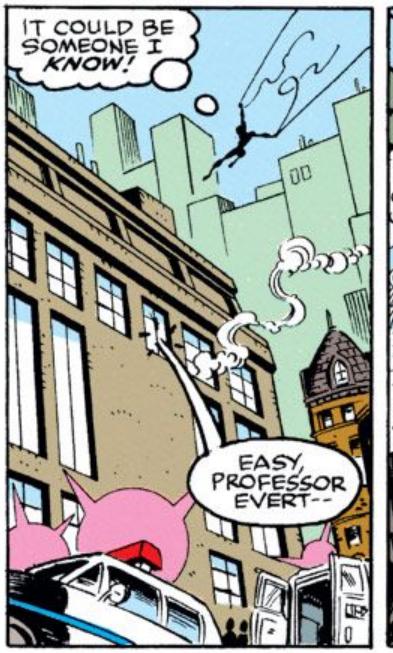
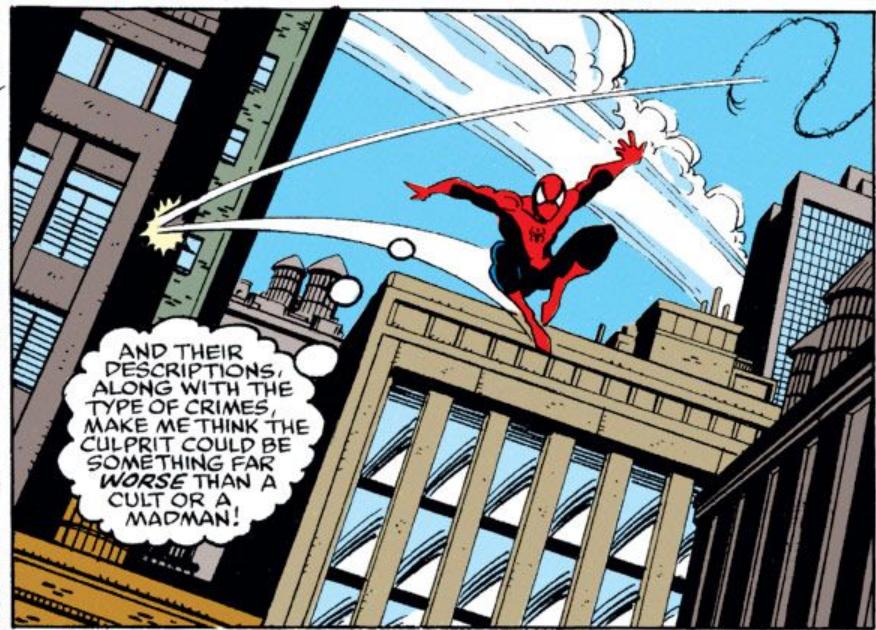
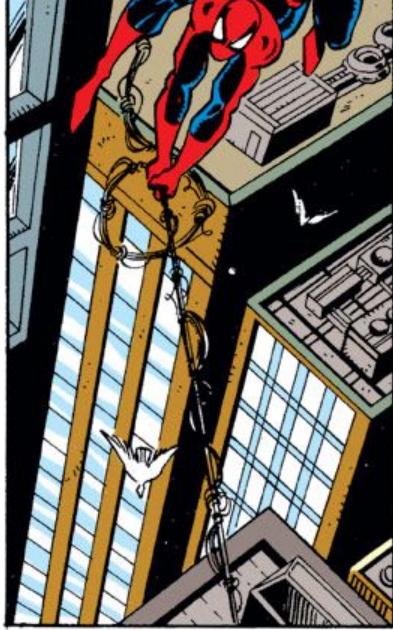
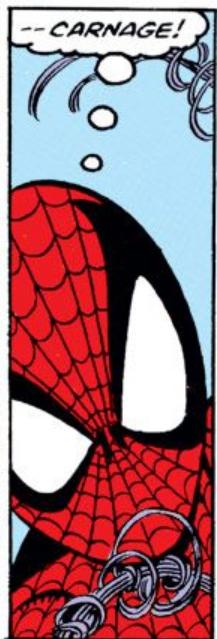
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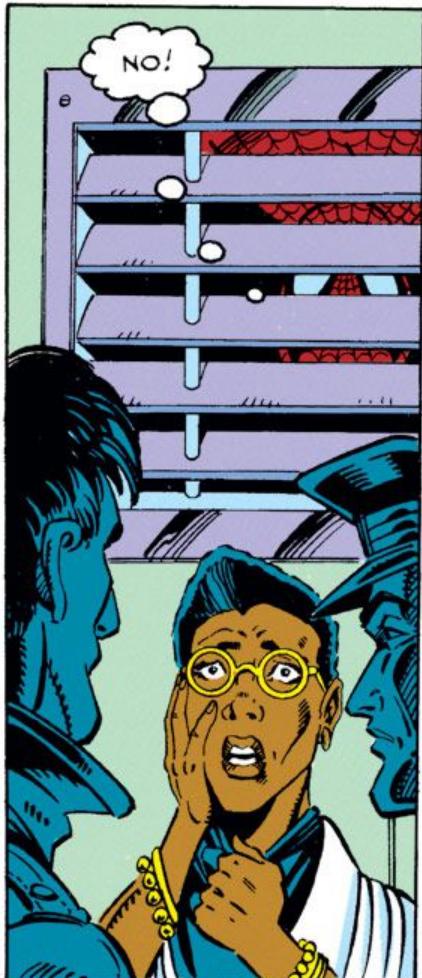












CENTRAL PARK: IT'S A COOL DAY IN MANHATTAN. THE FRANK-FURTERS MARY JANE WATSON-PARKER HOLDS GRADUALLY LOSE THEIR WARMTH.



HER EYES LOST THEIRS SOME MOMENTS AGO...



I'M BEGINNING TO THINK WE SAW MORE OF EACH OTHER BEFORE WE WERE MARRIED!



SORRY I'M LATE! HAD TO STOP IN A TREE TO CHANGE INTO MY CIVVIES!





"LISTEN, THE LIVING COSTUME I BROUGHT BACK FROM BATTLEWORLD\* HAD INCREDIBLE POWER. AS I FOUND OUT TOO WELL--



"I WAS ABLE TO STOP IT WITH THE DISRUPTING SONICS OF CATHEDRAL BELLS.

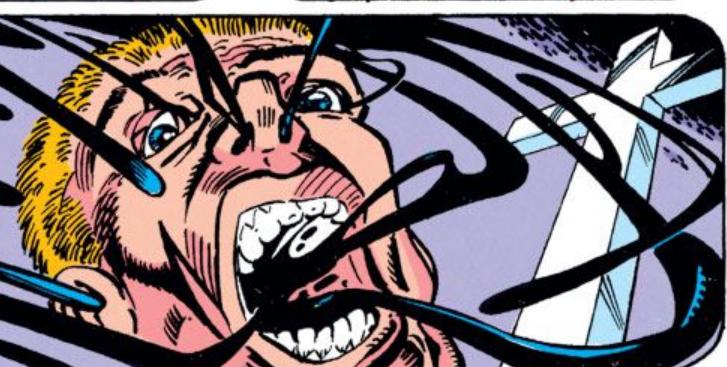


\*SEE MARVEL SUPER HEROES SECRET WARS I--DANNY

"IT LIVED ON, SMOLDERING WITH THE ANGER IT FELT AT MY REJECTION ...

"...UNTIL IT FOUND A HUMAN WHO SHARED ITS SEETHING HATRED FOR ME: EDDIE BROCK.

"EDDIE WELCOMED THE BONDING, AND THE POWER THAT CAME WITH IT. AND TOGETHER THEY BECAME--



"--VENOM, THE DEADLIEST FOE SPIDER-MAN HAS EVER FACED! A FIEND WHOSE SOLE MOTIVATION, WHOSE ONLY GOAL IN LIFE--

"--IS MY DEATH!"

"I THOUGHT OUR BATTLE ON THAT DESERTED CARIBBEAN ISLAND ENDED THINGS..."

"--HE'D ACTUALLY SUCCEEDED IN KILLING ME!"

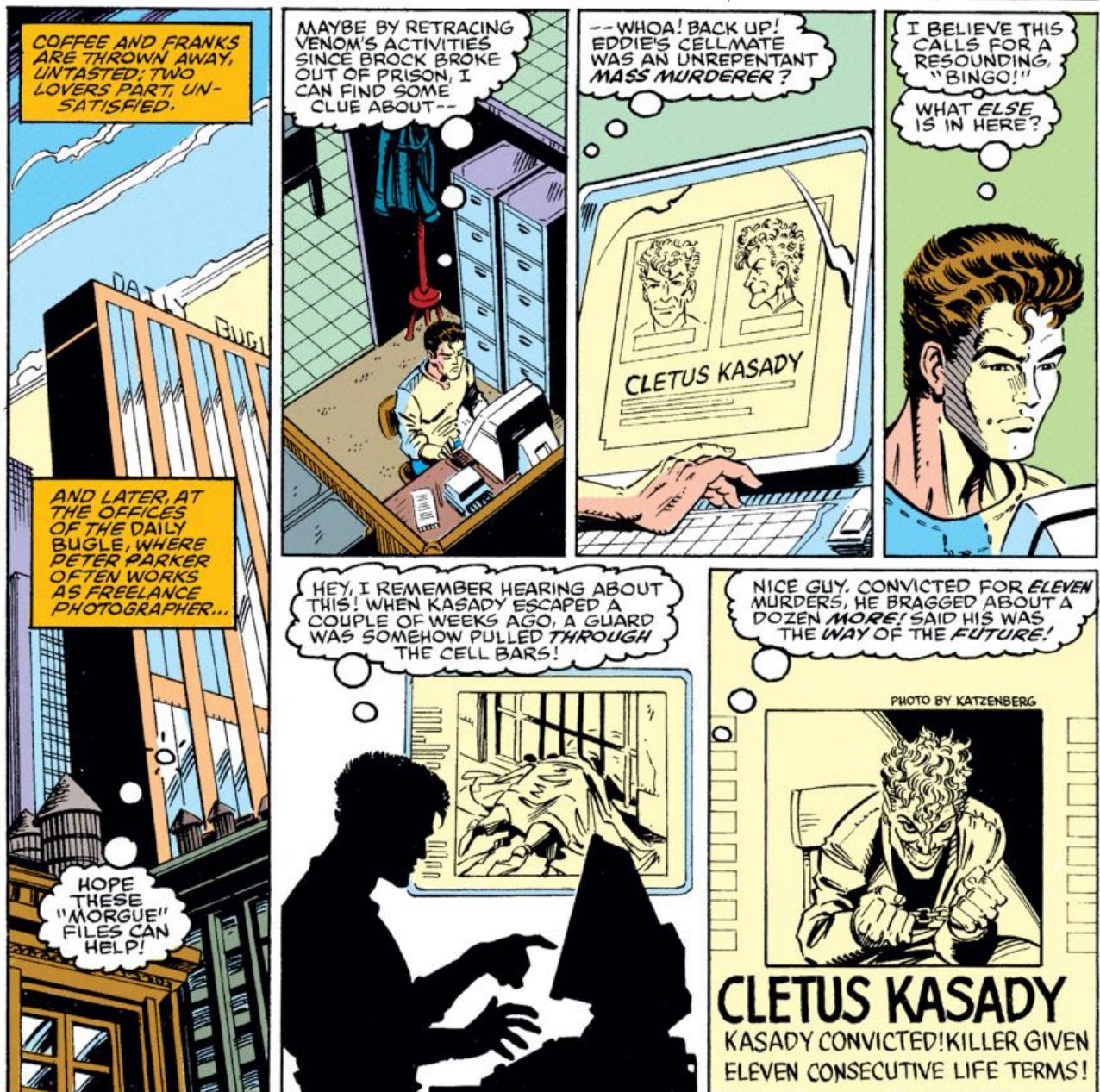
"FREED FROM THEIR DRIVING HATRED, EDDIE AND THE ALIEN WERE CONTENT TO REMAIN ON THE ISLAND, FINDING PEACE AT LAST."

IN ASM # 347--D.

"...WHEN I TRICKED VENOM INTO THINKING--"

BUT THE BIZARRE NATURE OF THE MURDERS, THE DESCRIPTIONS OF THE KILLER, SOUND TOO MUCH LIKE--

LEAVE IT TO THE POLICE, PETER!



WONDER WHAT "RESEARCH" HAS ON HIS BACKGROUND? HMM, RAISED AS AN ORPHAN AT THE ST. ESTES HOME FOR BOYS IN BROOKLYN. AND HERE'S AN INTERESTING SIDEBAR:



SEEMS ST. ESTES WAS RAVAGED BY FIRE SOME YEARS BACK. AND THE REMAINS OF THE HOME'S DISCIPLINARIAN ADMINISTRATOR WERE FOUND IN THE RUBBLE! POLICE THEORIZE SHE FELL AND SMASHED HER SKULL IN PANIC! BUT...



57 YEAR OLD MANSION DESTROYED BY FIRE. AUTHORITIES SUSPECT ARSON.

...WHAT IF IT WAS KASADY'S FIRST KILL? THE FIRE SET TO COVER IT UP? MAKES SENSE. BUT, KASADY WAS JUST A KID.



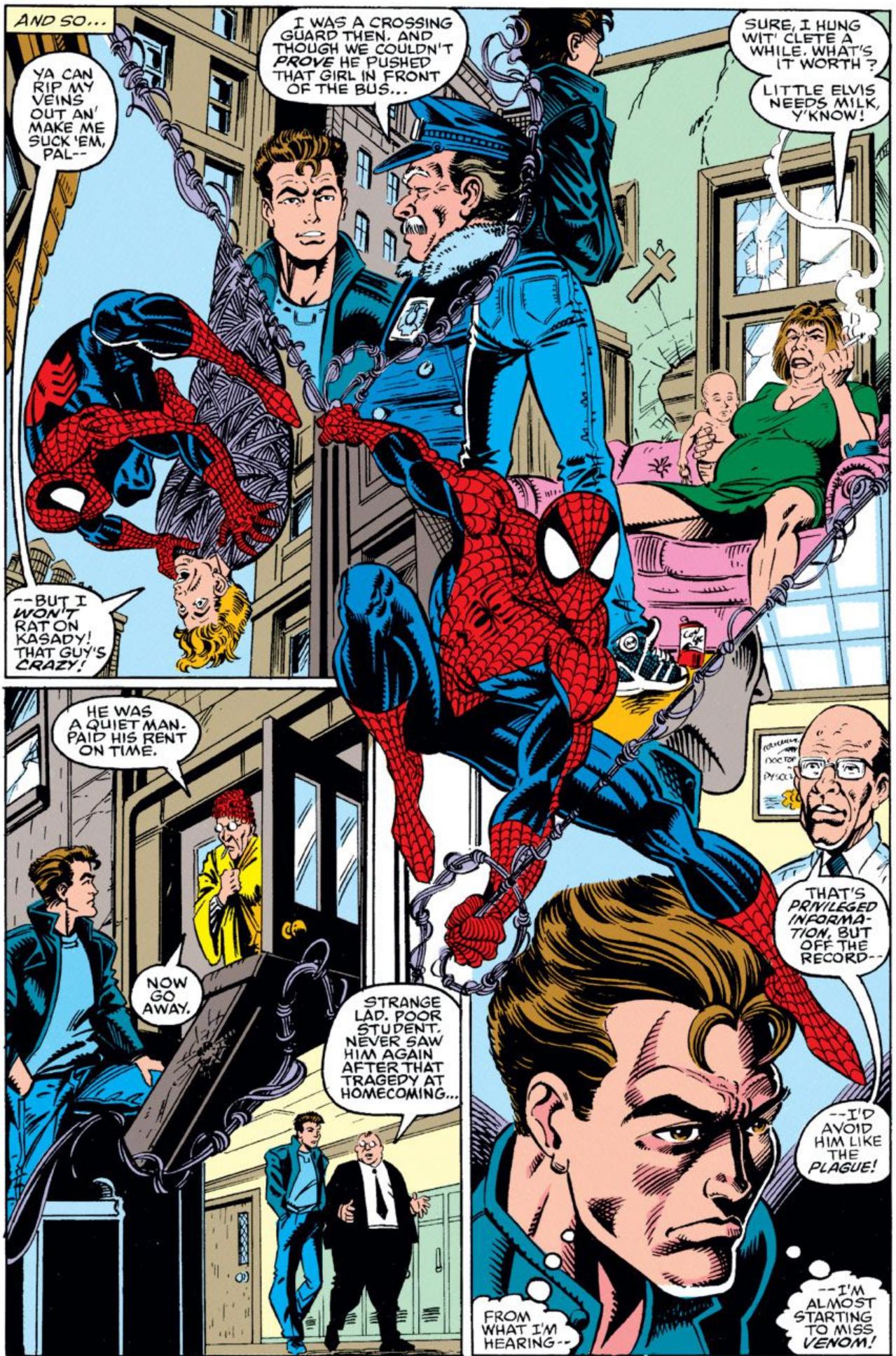
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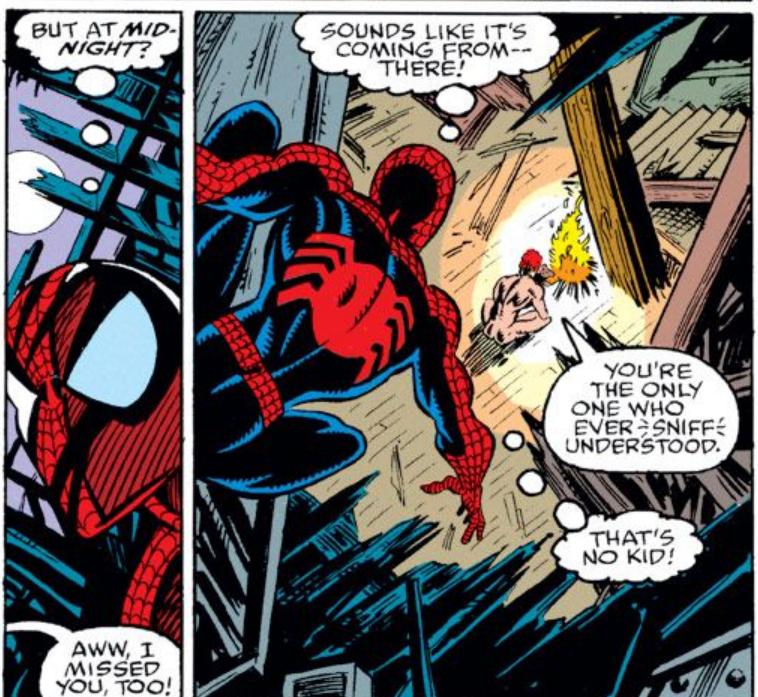


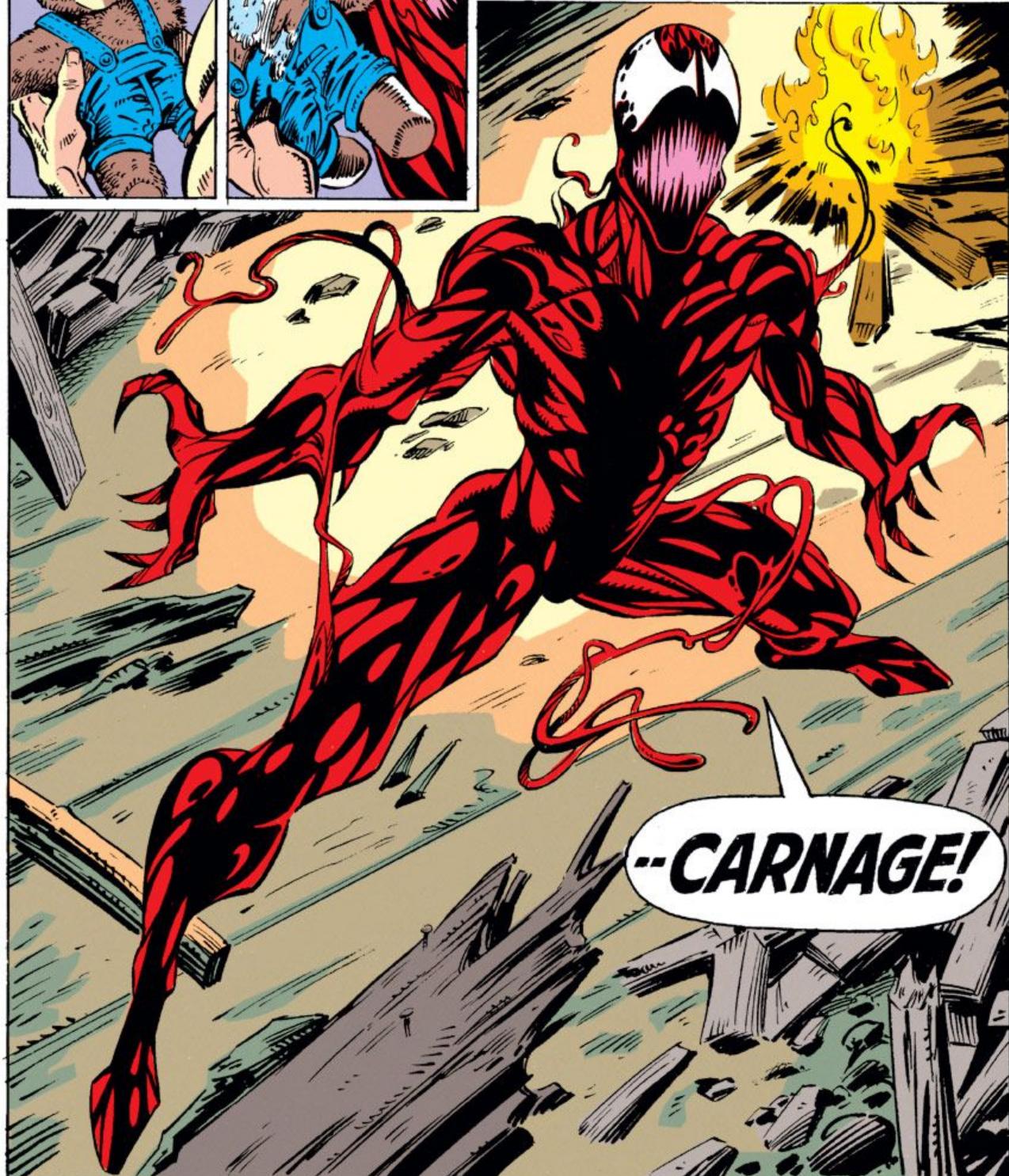
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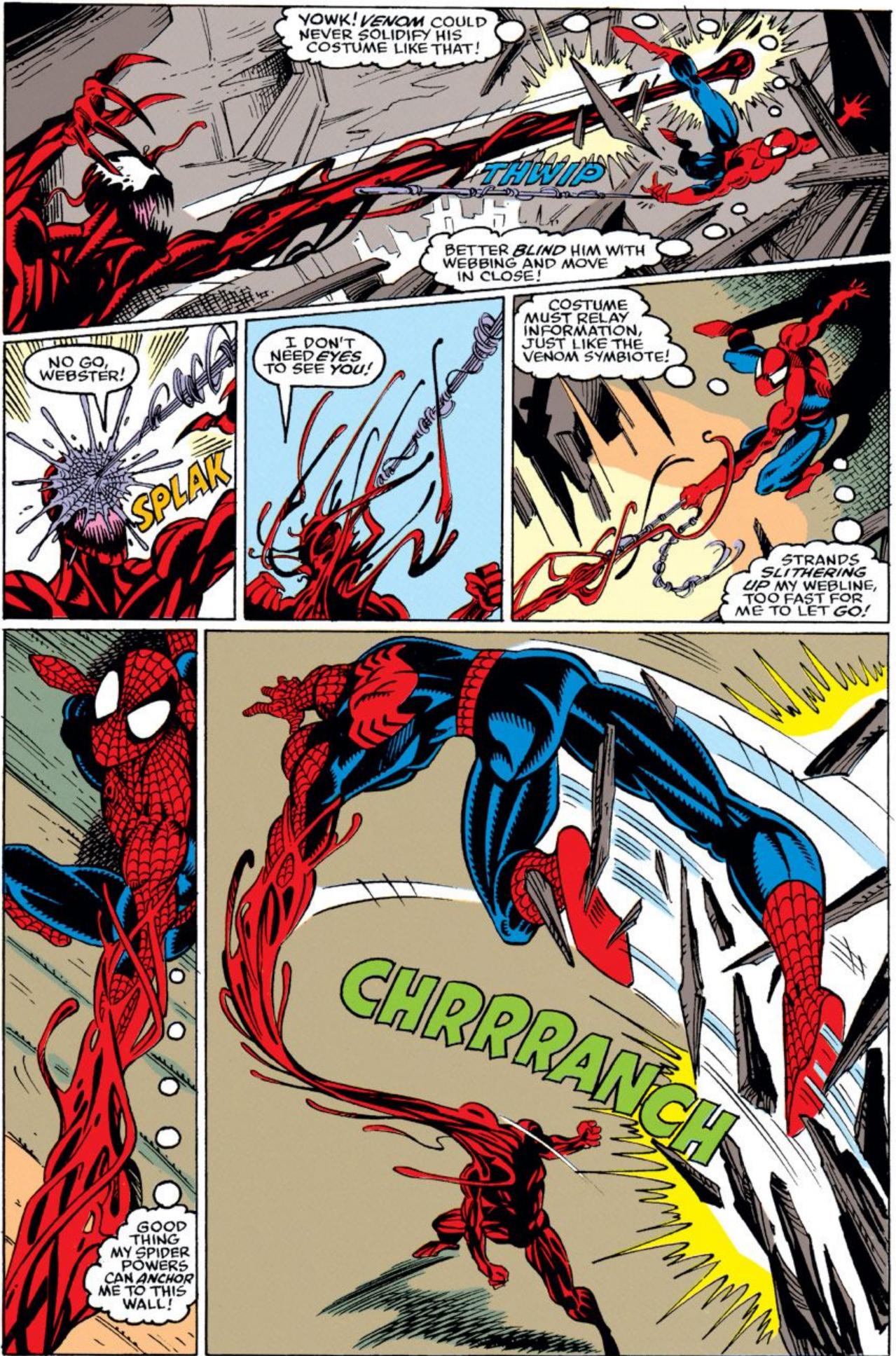
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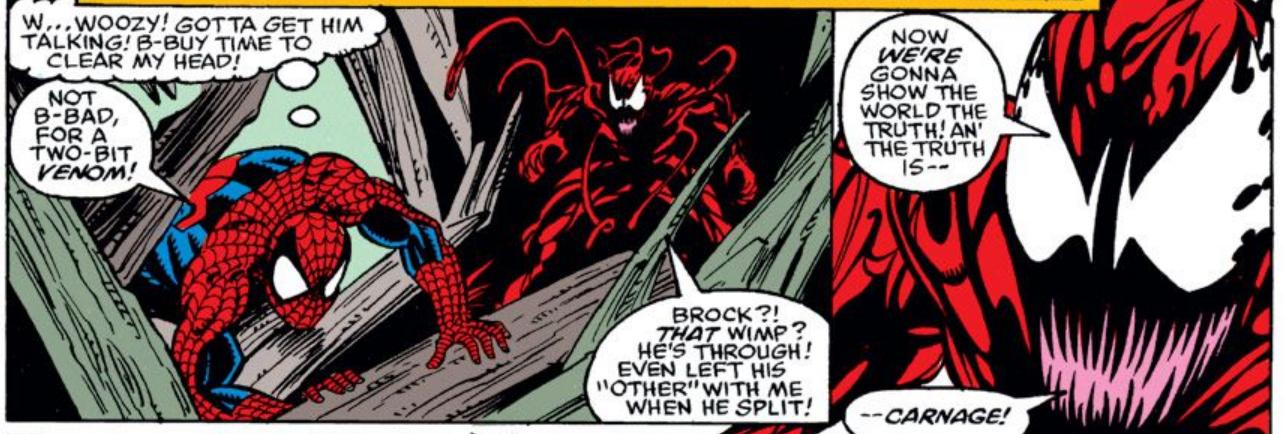
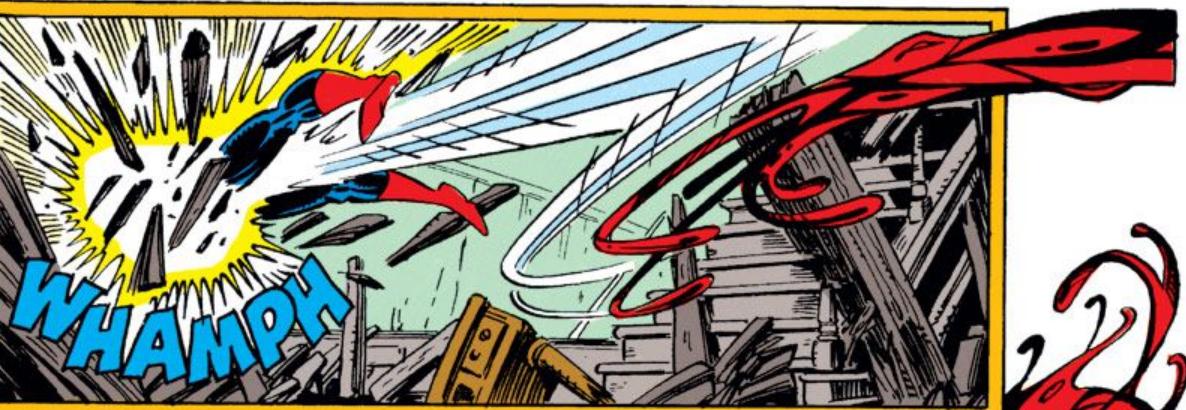


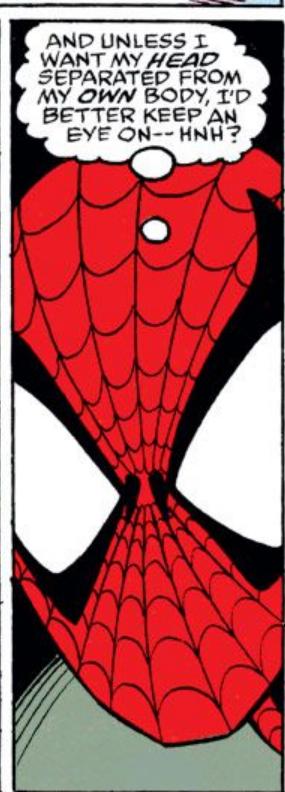




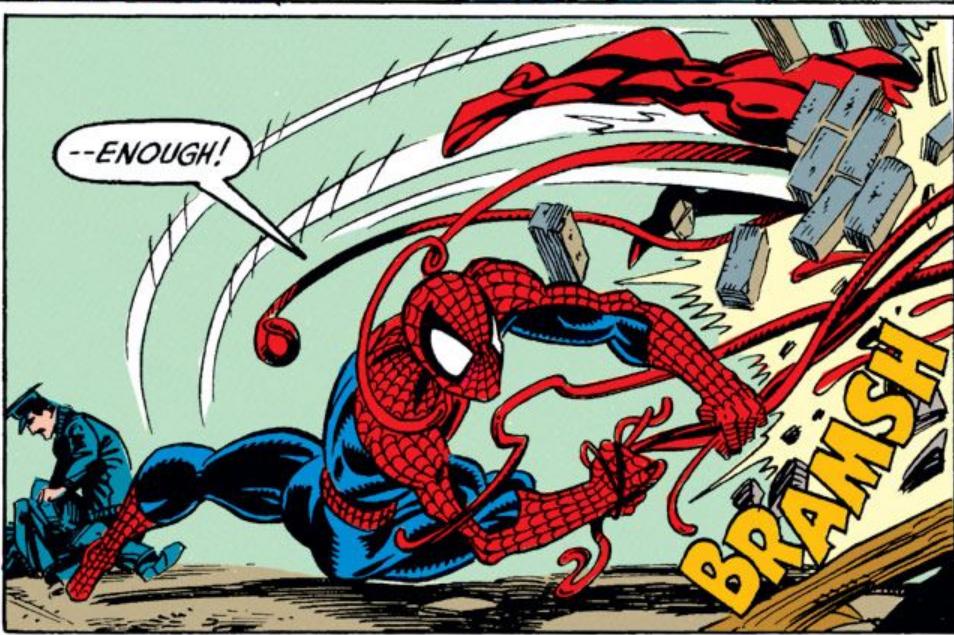


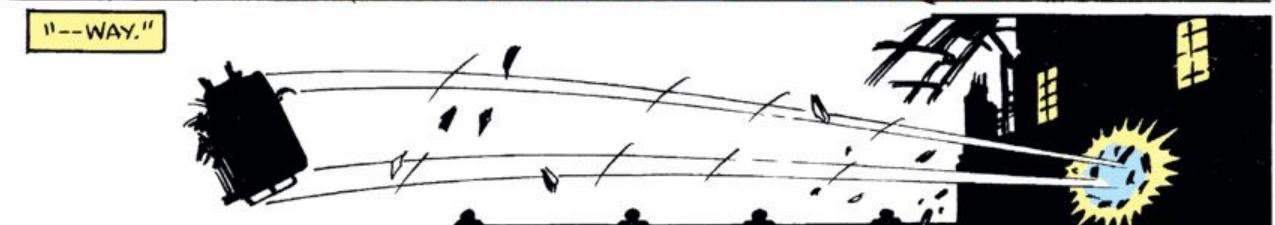




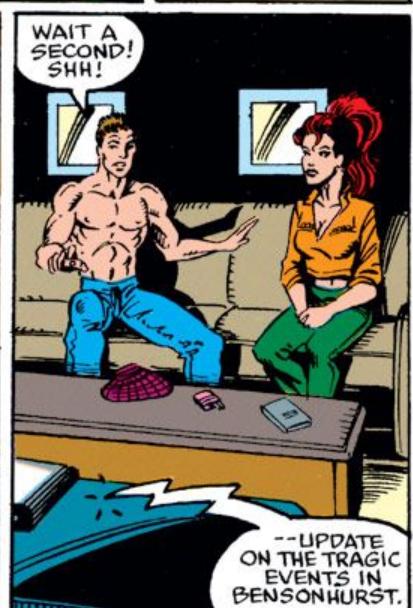






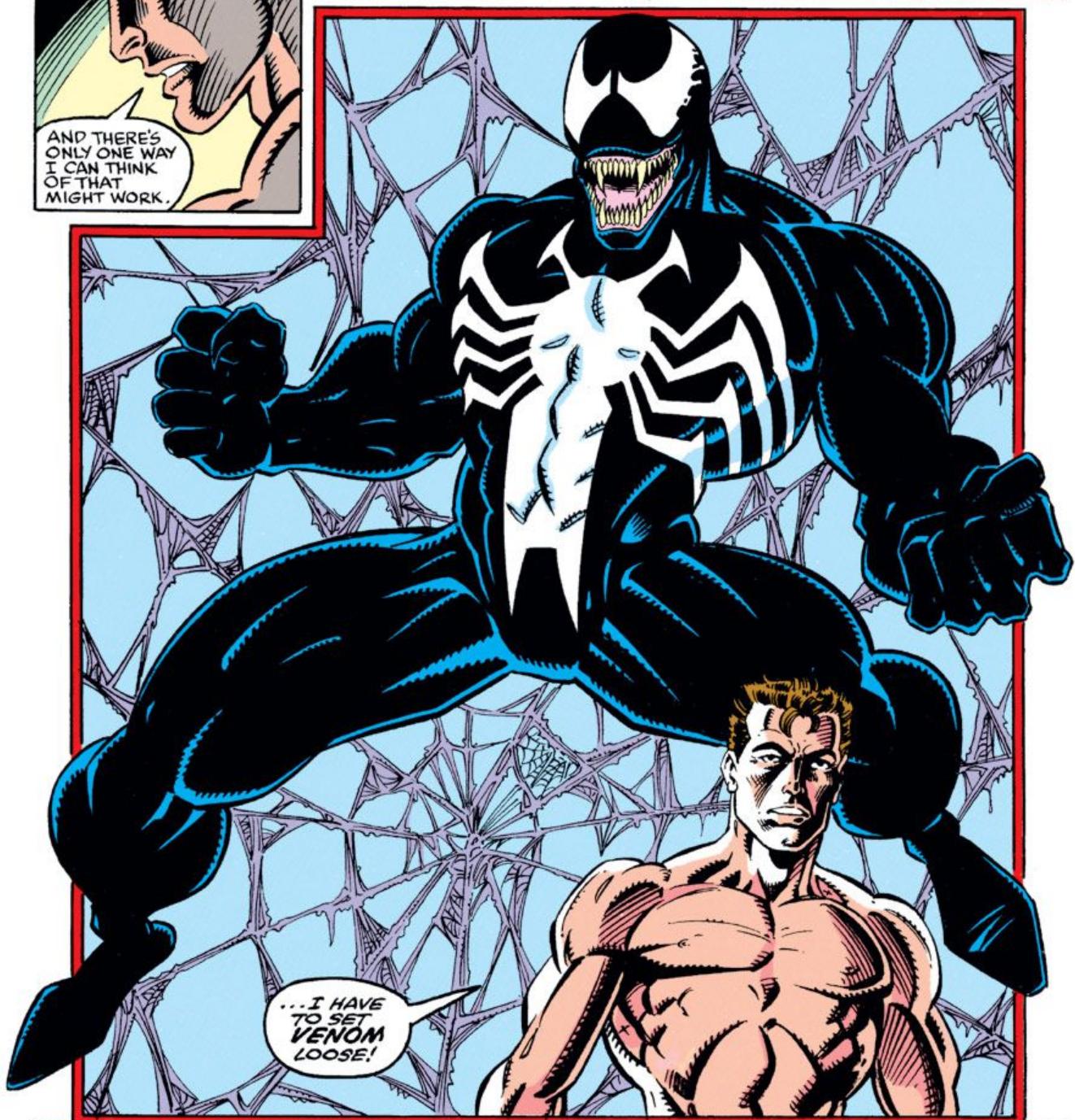








AND THERE'S  
ONLY ONE WAY  
I CAN THINK  
OF THAT  
MIGHT WORK.



NEXT:  
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SPIDEY! VENOM! CARNAGE! YOW!