



MARVEL

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**FALL
OF THE
HOUSE
OF**

DUGGAN
WERNECK
MORALES
VALENZA

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At that moment, half a world away, Cyclops was finally escaping the clutches of Orchis, with their head of R&D, Dr. Alia Gregor.

Didn't you hear me? You're going to *lose* everything! Orchis is going to eradicate Krakoa.

We have more pressing matters, don't we?

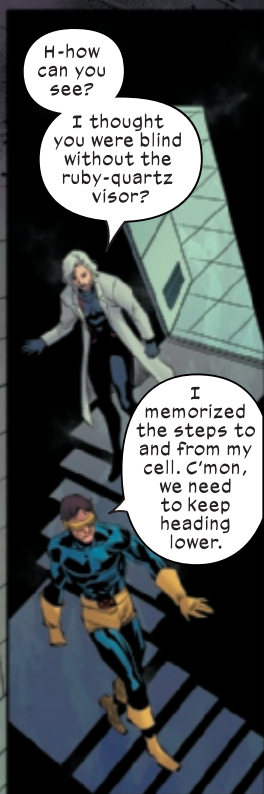


I believed in Krakoa, but a feeling in my gut says we're *all* in jeopardy.

I'll trust the defense of Krakoa to my fellow mutants.



The X-Men are here for *everyone*.



H-how can you see?

I thought you were blind without the ruby-quartz visor?

I memorized the steps to and from my cell. C'mon, we need to keep heading lower.



B-but there's no way out from down there. The courthouse is under the Seine.

Yes, I can tell by the humidity. You can follow me, or you can take your chances with Omega Sentinel when she wakes.

But we both know you'll come with me, because the A.I. has bigger goals than just killing mutants, right?

I suppose
you could have
freed yourself
at any time?

Yes.

Why
didn't
you?

Freeze!

I was
waiting...

ZARRH

...for
you.

You and
I have almost
everything in
common. May I ask
you a question,
Dr. Gregor?

Who
really controls
Orchis?

I thought we did.
Myself, Dr. Devo.
But what does it
matter? We're
trapped.

You're
never
trapped--

--when
Magik's
around.

Hiya, Cyke.
I brought you a
ruby-quartz
visor.

And just in
time, because
maybe you'd be
surprised to
see who you're
hanging out
with?



Catch.



I've been
listening to the inner
workings of Orchis for a
long time. The human parts
of the force came gloating.
They threatened and
tortured me.



The A.I.
was all too quiet.
I expect it didn't
want us thinking about
it. Dr. Gregor shares my
concern. I know we're
in a tough spot, but
can the others
save Krakoa
without me?



If it
needs
doing...
...then
it *will* be
done.

