EXT. THE LEGION HEADQUARTERS - DAY

It looks like the bottom half of a yellow rocketship. On the fifth floor are red fins. A thin white door is on the first floor. Over the door is a sign with Interlac symbols. The headquarters is located within a futuristic city. Several vehicles of different shapes and sizes fly over the skyline.

SUPER: METROPOLIS, EARTH 2963 COSMIC ERA

DREAM GIRL flies to the headquarters from the side. She is a very stunning platinum blonde. She wears a silver one-piece bathing suit with matching high-heel shoes, a red belt, and a flight ring on her right hand.

She comes to a levitating stop next to one of the fins. She turns to it as she strikes a sexy reclining pose. She looks like a centerfold lying on an invisible bed.

DREAM GIRL

Good morning, Kid Psycho. Please alert Saturn Girl that she needs to read my mind.

INT. THE LEGION HEADQUARTERS/MONITOR ROOM - DAY

KID PSYCHO sits in front of the screen that shows Dream Girl's image. He has an enlarged head that is wrapped in a special turban. He wears a green costume and a flight ring. He discretely adjusts himself because he is now sexually aroused. Then he presses a button on the console.

KID PSYCHO

This is Kid Psycho speaking. I will relay that message to Saturn Girl.

DREAM GIRL

Thank you very much.

KID PSYCHO

You're welcome. And I also want to thank you for telling the Legion to have me examined. It turns out that I lose a year of my life every time I create a force field.

DREAM GIRL

Oh, no. I am so sorry to hear that.

KID PSYCHO

At least I am still able to serve the Legion with monitor duty.

(now frowns)

No one else wanted to do it.

He presses another button.

KID PSYCHO (CONT'D) Calling Saturn Girl. Calling Saturn Girl. Dream Girl is outside our headquarters. She wants you to read her mind.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.) Thank you. I think.

SATURN GIRL

She is a blonde wearing a red and white minidress costume. There is a yellow Saturn symbol on her chest. She sits at a desk and looks at HOLOGRAMS OF PEOPLE being projected from her console.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

(a bit aloof)

Hello, Dream Girl.

DREAM GIRL (V.O.)

Hello, Saturn Girl.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

What does the future have in store for us now?

DREAM GIRL (V.O.)

I foresee the Legionnaires holding auditions for new members today. You will reject most of them for having insignificant abilities. Or for not having adequate control of their powers.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

(with mock surprise)

No! You don't think!

DREAM GIRL (V.O.)

But there is one candidate that you must sabotage with your telepathy. Because if you let him join the Legion, it will mean death to you and several of your comrades.

Saturn Girl gapes in horror.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

Who is he?

DREAM GIRL (V.O.) He calls himself the Color Kid.

Saturn Girl types on the console keyboard. Then the lone HOLOGRAM OF COLOR KID appears before her. He has black hair and wears a black costume with a white stripe from his shoulders to his toes. A flat rainbow appears on his chest.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)
I've found him. He's kind of cute.
In a jail bait sort of way.

THE HOVERING DREAM GIRL

DREAM GIRL (V.O.)
Just make sure that he does not demonstrate his camouflage powers to the Legionnaires.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.) If I must. Anything else?

DREAM GIRL (V.O.)
Be sure to give him a flight ring.
Now I have to go and find a lost
little boy. Then I'm going to get
a pedicure. Farewell.

She flies away from the headquarters.

RESUME SATURN GIRL AND THE COLOR KID HOLOGRAM

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

Farewell, Dream Girl.

(a beat)

I wonder when she will rejoin the Legion.

INT. LEGION HEADQUARTERS/MEETING ROOM - DAY

Saturn Girl and the other LEGIONNAIRES sit behind the semicircular console desk. Interlac symbols are posted on the plaques in front of the heroes. (NOTE: The Legionnaires all wear flight rings.) The APPLICANTS stand in the foreground.

LIGHTNING LAD is a redhead with a blue, white, and orange costume with a blue cape and two lightning bolt insignias.

The tall, dark, and handsome COSMIC BOY wears a pink, white, and black costume. He has four white disks on his chest.

PHANTOM GIRL is a brunette who wears a white minidress with matching cape, gloves, and stockings.

COLOSSAL BOY has short brown hair and wears a green, gold, red, and white costume.

SHRINKING VIOLET is a petite, timid brunette who wears a green and white costume.

INVISIBLE KID has brown hair and wears a tan, rustic-orange, and dark-green costume. He also wears a tan headband.

CHAMELEON BOY is a bald alien with antennae, pointed ears, and orange skin. He wears a blue, white, and black costume.

TRIPLICATE GIRL has short brown hair. She wears a lilac, amber, black, and white costume.

BRAINIAC FIVE is a blond boy with green skin. He wears a purple and yellow costume complete with a compartmentalized yellow belt.

STAR BOY has a brown crew cut. He wears a purple, white, and yellow costume. He also has a white five-pointed star on his chest.

SATURN GIRL

Greetings, applicants. When I call your name and home world, please step in front of me. Then state your super-power and your code name. Ulu Vakk of Lupra.

Color Kid approaches Saturn Girl, who tilts her head. Then he trips and falls. When he lands on the floor, the people and place glow with luminescent colors. He looks up and gapes at them while they react to the situation.

COLOR KID

Oh, I am so sorry! Here! Let me turn everything back to normal!

He waves his hand, and the people and place return to their normal colors.

COLOR KID (CONT'D)

There! That's better!

Color Kid stands up.

COLOR KID (CONT'D)

I have the power to change the colors of creatures and things! That's why I call myself Color Kid!

SATURN GIRL

We cannot have bumbling heroes who do not have complete control of their super-powers.

COLOR KID

But...But I can camouflage the Legionnaires when they are on other worlds! I can make them nearly invisible! Let me show you!

He starts to gesture, but Saturn Girl holds up her hand.

SATURN GIRL

But what if you stumble and blow our cover? We would be at the mercy of our enemies. I am sorry, Mr. Vakk, but you are rejected. For being a klutz.

Color Kid looks down in shame. Saturn Girl smiles at him.

SATURN GIRL (CONT'D)
However, since I do see potential
in your powers, I am giving you a
Legion flight ring. And I would
like you to audition with us in a
few months. But only after you
have taken a physical-coordination
course.

She holds up a flight ring. He reluctantly walks to her.

COLOR KID

Thank you, Saturn Girl.

He does cheer up when he takes the ring and puts it on his finger. She looks to the applicants.

SATURN GIRL

Meyer Qayd of Earth.

Color Kid steps out of the way. Then he widens his eyes in shock as he sees THE MESS. The Mess is the living version of Pig-Pen from the Peanuts comic strip. Dirt follows him as he approaches the stunned Saturn Girl. Color Kid exits.

THE MESS

Hello there, Miss Saturn Girl. I have the unique ability to attract dirt and form it into different shapes. That's why I call myself *The Mess*.

SATURN GIRL

Uh, I see. Um, uh, you don't look anything like your holographic image, Mr. Qayd.

THE MESS

That's because I took the image right after I had a shower. Even then I was starting to attract the dirt that had washed down the drain pipe.

SATURN GIRL

And why would you want to do that?

THE MESS

I can't control that part of my power. I'm always attracting dirt.

SATURN GIRL

I see. Just like a vacuum cleaner. Rejected.

EXT. THE LEGION HEADQUARTERS - DAY

Color Kid looks at his flight ring and weakly smiles.

COLOR KING

Well, at least I got a flight ring.

He rises a few feet upward. Then he lands. Then he rises even higher. Then he lands again with a laugh. Then he is about to really fly when Dream Girl lands in front of him.

DREAM GIRL

Careful, Mr. Vakk. You need to know how to hover before you can learn how to fly.

COLOR KID

How did you know my name?

DREAM GIRL

Because I saw it in a vision. I'm Dream Girl.

COLOR KID

You're Nura Nal of Naltor. You used to be the prophetic Legionnaire.

DREAM GIRL

That's right. I quit the Legion due to circumstances beyond my control.

COLOR KID

Because you misread a vision. You thought you saw some Legionnaires dying in an exploding rocketship. But they were really Legion robots being shipped to another world.

DREAM GIRL

(very put off by that)
Thank you very much for reminding me about that.

(a beat, with a calm smile)
Now I am a member of another team.
The Special Unit Bodyguards. Or
SUBS for short.

COLOR KID

Special Unit...Bodyguards? SUBS?

DREAM GIRL

Yes. We are Legion applicants who did not make the cut. But we use use our powers to protect R.J. Brande, the richest man in the universe.

COLOR KID

R.J. Brande? Isn't he also the Legion's sponsor?

DREAM GIRL

Yes, he is. And he wants you to join the Bodyguards. Would you be interested in joining our team?

COLOR KID

Grife, yes, I'm interested!

DREAM GIRL

All right. Just take my hand and make yourself lighter than air.

He takes her hand while he rises off the ground.

COLOR KID

Like this?

DREAM GIRL

Exactly. Now hold on tight.

She flies with him in tow. He smiles as he looks downward.

THEIR POV/BIRD'S-EYE VIEW

HUMANS and EXTRATERRESTRIALS walk, eat, and use their cell badges on the sidewalks below. The ones playing online games look at holograms. They all ignore the flying couple.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

I don't believe this! We're flying, and nobody's paying attention to us!

DREAM GIRL (V.O.)

An occasional tourist looks up. But for the most part the people of Metropolis are used to seeing flying super-heroes.

THE FLYING DREAM GIRL AND COLOR KID

DREAM GIRL

Now if we were in the flying vehicle lanes, then we would be noticed. And not in a good way.

COLOR KID

No doubt. I was just thinking.

DREAM GIRL

About what?

COLOR KID

I bet if I changed our bodies and costumes sky blue, we could sneak up on criminals when we fly.

DREAM GIRL

That would only work against a clear sky. And the Weather Control Center on Earth usually keeps the sky on the cloudy side. It's the only way to fight global warming.

COLOR KID

Weather Control Center? We don't have anything like that on Lupra.

DREAM GIRL

Don't feel bad. Most of the poor planets don't have them.

He gives her a dirty look. She doesn't notice this.

DREAM GIRL (CONT'D)

So perhaps you can camouflage us in the air from time to time.

COLOR KID

Of course I could make us the same color as the clouds when we fly below them. I can change our colors instantly depending on the weather.

DREAM GIRL

I never thought of that. You are making the most of a limited ability. I salute your ingenuity.

She smiles at him. He smiles back.

DREAM GIRL (CONT'D)

Nothing like a major liability to sharpen your wits.

He gives her another dirty look while she looks downward to the side.

DREAM GIRL (CONT'D)

Ah, here we are.

They start to descend.

COLOR KID

Whoa! This is your headquarters?

DREAM GIRL

Just the top five floors.

EXT. A FUTURISTIC BUILDING - DAY

It is a skyscraper that towers over the other buildings. On the side of the skyscraper are unlit neon signs made up of Interlac symbols.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

So this is Brande Industries.

The miniature Dream Girl and Color Kid fly to the top.

EXT. A FUTURISTIC PENTHOUSE/ROOF TERRACE - DAY

R.J. BRANDE is a white-haired, mustachioed man in his early fifties. He wears futuristic clothing that is also on the conservative side. He also wears a Legion flight ring.

R.J. sits at the futuristic patio table and types on his stylized keyboard. The keyboard projects a hologram. The hologram is a business letter with Interlac words and a few pictures of an alien world.

DREAM GIRL (V.O.)

R.J.!

R.J. turns his head to the side and smiles.

R.J.

Hello again, Nura. Greetings, son.

R.J. presses a button, which turns off the hologram. Then he stands up as Dream Girl and Color Kid land next to him.

DREAM GIRL

Color Kid, this is R.J. Brande. R.J., this is Ulu Vakk of Lupra.

R.J. extends his hand. Color Kid looks at it in puzzlement.

R.J.

I'm very happy to meet you, Ulu. And please. Call me R.J.

DREAM GIRL

Uh, Ulu. It's customary on Earth to shake a stranger's hand when you first meet her or him.

COLOR KID

Oh, I do apologize, sir.

Color Kid awkwardly shakes R.J.'s hand.

COLOR KID (CONT'D)

I should have known that before I made the trip here.

R.J. lets go of Color Kid's hand.

R.J.

There's nothing to forgive, son. I do business with all of the (MORE)

R.J. (CONT'D)

United Planets. And I know how difficult it is to keep up with all of their customs. Now please sit down while we discuss the terms of your contract.

The men sit down.

DREAM GIRL

I'll bring the others up here while you two talk.

R.J.

They're in the...

DREAM GIRL

The flying room. I know.

She enters the penthouse. R.J. smirks at Color Kid.

R.J.

Prophets!

(with a chuckle)

You'll soon get used to that.

R.J. presses a button, and a hologram shines between them. The hologram has Color Kid's face and Interlac symbols.

R.J. (CONT'D)

So how does one hundred thousand credits a year sound to you?

Color Kid widens his eyes in pleasant surprise.

COLOR KID

Uhhhhh...

(coolly with a head shrug)
I guess that will work.

R.J.

So be it.

INT. THE FLYING ROOM - DAY

The ceiling has several plastic loops, hooks, and tubes of different shapes and sizes coming out of it. THE FIVE BODYGUARDS fly through and around them with their flight rings.

POLAR BOY wears a purple and white parka along with a purple helmet. He is the shortest member.

NIGHT GIRL is a tall brunette with a beehive hairdo. She wears a black bodysuit with matching cape. On her chest is an abstract grey symbol that looks like an owl's head.

FIRE LAD is a redhead who wears a red and gold costume. His red cape has scallops like Batman's cape. The red parts of his costume have fiery motifs.

CHLOROPHYLL KID is a slightly overweight blond boy who wears a loose-fitting green bodysuit. Around his waist is a light-green belt with several tiny pouches. He also wears light-green boots.

STONE BOY is a tall muscular male with brown hair. He wears a golden tan and brown costume. He has a brown rock on his chest.

They fly in a variety of ways. Most are very skilled. Only Chlorophyll Kid is a bit awkward. He is also slower than the others because he is unsure of himself.

CHLOROPHYLL KID Sprock! I'm never going to get the hang of this!

NIGHT GIRL

At least you don't have a cape that snags on the loops and hooks.

Fire Lad nods in agreement as he holds his cape to his body. While they fly, Dream Girl descends into the open elevator-like portal set on the side. She hovers inside the portal.

DREAM GIRL

Hey, everyone! Color Kid is here!

They others stop moving, hover in the air, and look over at Dream Girl.

POLAR BOY

Penthouse?

DREAM GIRL

Where else?

CHLOROPHYLL KID (looks upward in relief)

Thank you, Grife!

Dream Girl gestures for them to follow her. Then she slowly flies upward out of the scene while the others fly into the portal. Then they fly upward and exit the scene.

INT. THE ROUND VERTICAL CORRIDOR - DAY

The six heroes fly upward with Dream Girl above the others. They pass four open portals while they speak.

NIGHT GIRL

I can't wait to meet him!

CHLOROPHYLL KID

What a surprise.

She gives him a dirty look.

POLAR BOY

Cool up, you two.

STONE BOY

Yeah, don't give him a hard time, Ral. After all, his power is lamer than Staq's.

Chlorophyll Kid smirks as Fire Lad opens his mouth in anger. Fire Lad lets a small burst of flame out of his mouth. The flame hits Polar Boy's boots while Fire Lad quickly covers his lips.

POLAR BOY

OW!

Polar Boy glowers at Fire Lad, who looks away in shame. Chlorophyll Kid and Stone Boy try not to snicker.

POLAR BOY (CONT'D)

Keep your mouth closed, Staq!

(to the others)

I see you, Ral and Dag!

Chlorophyll Kid and Stone Boy quickly compose themselves. The girls look at each other with a "MEN!" expression.

INT. THE PENTHOUSE/LIVING ROOM - DAY

R.J. and Color Kid stand in front of the portal. Dream Girl lands in front of them. Then one by one, Night Girl, Stone Boy, Polar Boy, Fire Lad, and Chlorophyll Kid land in the room and form a line.

R.J.

Everyone, this is Ulu Vakk.

COLOR KID

Hello, everybody.

R.J.

This is Lydda Jath of Kathoon. She is also known as Night Girl.

Color Kid and Night Girl shake hands.

COLOR KID

Oh, are you a female knight?

The others laugh. Color Kid is confused.

NIGHT GIRL

No, Ulu. I have super-strength. But only at night or in the dark shadows. Sunlight nullifies my power.

COLOR KID

Hmmm. I can turn the places around me totally black. That will give you super-strength in the daytime.

NIGHT GIRL

That's what I'm counting on.

R.J.

This is Dag Wentim of Zwen. His codename is Stone Boy.

Color Kid and Stone Boy shake hands.

STONE BOY

Hello. I have the power to turn myself into organic stone.

Stone Boy becomes a statue, and his rocky hand still holds onto Color Kid's hand. Color Kid is impressed.

COLOR KID

Holy nass!

Color Kid then tries to free his hand. He looks at R.J.

COLOR KID (CONT'D)

Uh, a little help here please. He's got quite a grip.

R.J.

That will do, Dag.

Stone Boy becomes human again and releases Color Kid's hand. Stone Boy smirks at the frowning Color Kid.

STONE BOY

Sorry. I couldn't resist. I don't get to pull that prank very often.

R.J.

When Dag turns completely into stone, he cannot move.

STONE BOY

However, when I turn just my head, fists, and feet into stone, I can move. But not very fast due to the extra weight. But I also don't get hurt when I'm in a fistfight. And my feet pack quite a kick.

COLOR KID

I can imagine.

R.J.

This is Brek Bannin of Tharr. He calls himself Polar Boy. He is also the Bodyguards' leader.

POLAR BOY

Welcome aboard, Color Kid.

Polar Boy shakes hands with Color Kid. Color Kid shivers. Then they release hands.

POLAR BOY (CONT'D)

Sorry about that. I can create coldness. To the point of making it snow.

Polar Boy gestures. Then a light dusting of snow falls on the group.

POLAR BOY (CONT'D)

And ice.

An ice ball materializes in his hand. He then tosses it down the portal.

POLAR BOY (CONT'D)

And mist.

Polar Boy creates a small mist between his hands.

R.J.

That will do, Brek. My penthouse isn't waterproof, you know.

POLAR BOY

Yes, R.J.

R.J.

This is Staq Mavlen of Shwar. He goes by Fire Lad.

COLOR KID

Hello, Fire Lad.

They shake hands. Fire Lad gives a little wave with his other hand.

COLOR KID (CONT'D)

Are you mute? Do you understand Interlac?

R.J.

He can speak Interlac, Ulu. But he rarely opens his mouth on Earth.

COLOR KID

Why is that, sir?

R.J.

Because of his fiery breath.

COLOR KID

Oh. I see.

They release hands.

R.J.

Staq can control his power on Shwar, but Earth's oxygen-rich atmosphere is causing him a few problems.

COLOR KID

He's not allergic to anything, is he?

POLAR BOY

Not that we know of. But I stay close by him just in case.

COLOR KID

That's good.

R.J.

And this is Ral Benem of Mardru.

Color Kid and Chlorophyll Kid shake hands.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

I can make plants grow instantly as the Chlorophyll Kid. Pleased to meet you, Ulu.

COLOR KID

And I'm glad to meet you, Ral.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

If you're hungry, let me know. I can make you some triangle fruits.

Chlorophyll Kid holds his pouch belt with both hands. Color Kid looks at it and smiles.

CHLOROPHYLL KID (CONT'D)

I got their seeds right here.

COLOR KID

Thanks, but I ate about an hour ago.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

I know they taste better cold. But with Brek's power...

POLAR BOY

I don't mind cooling them off.

Color Kid gives them dismissive waves of his hands.

COLOR KID

No. Really. I'm good. But I do thank you both.

Chlorophyll Kid is disappointed that he can not demonstrate his power.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

Okay. Now tell us about yourself.

COLOR KID

I wasn't born with my powers. I got them working as a laboratory assistant. The scientists were trying to find a portal into the Phantom Zone. And before I knew it, this weird rainbow light was shining on my body. And that's the secret origin of Color Kid.

NIGHT GIRL

How weird. I got my super-strength because of a strange light, too. I was always sickly as a child. But my father was a scientist who created a vitalizing ray. He used it to cure my illness. But he had no idea what else it would do to

COLOR KID

Did your father use the ray to cure other people?

NIGHT GIRL

Uhhh...he would have. If I hadn't destroyed his machine with my strength. He couldn't rebuild it again.

COLOR KID

What were you doing lifting his machine in the dark?

NIGHT GIRL

(a bit defensive)

I didn't lift the machine. I merely touched it, and it fell apart. And it's always dark on Kathoon. My world doesn't orbit a sun.

COLOR KID

It must be awfully cold there.

NIGHT GIRL

No, it isn't. The radiation in Kathoon's core keeps us nice and warm.

COLOR KID

I bet your world must be cold, Polar Boy.

POLAR BOY

And you would lose that bet, Ulu. Tharr has terrible heat waves. So my people developed our cold power in order to survive. Unfortunately, when I tried out for the Legion, I didn't account for Earth's cooler temperature. I nearly froze the Legionnaires to death.

NIGHT GIRL

And I almost gave myself a hernia. I tried to lift my cape that Star Boy made super-heavy.

POLAR BOY

Staq nearly set the Legionnaires' headquarters on fire when he just told them his name. Fortunately, Mon-El put out the fire with his super-breath.

COLOR KID

Was Fire Lad born with his power?

Fire Lad starts to laugh, but he quickly covers his mouth.

POLAR BOY

No. A meteor crashed near him on Shwar, and he inhaled its strange fumes while it burned itself out.

COLOR KID

Hardly the typical meteor giving you super-powers origin, is it?

STONE BOY

And speaking of rocks from outer space. I was born with my power. Everyone on Zwen turns to stone for half a sun cycle. Or what the Earthlings call a year. Because the nights on Zwen last that long.

Night Girl smirks and slightly elbows Color Kid's arm.

NIGHT GIRL

Sounds like my kind of place.

She winks at him. He smirks back at her.

COLOR KID

Very amusing.

NIGHT GIRL

I try. And I succeed.

Stone Boy glares at them while he coughs three times to get their attention. They sheepishly look at him.

COLOR KID AND NIGHT GIRL

Sorry.

STONE BOY

Anyway. My people usually go into suspended animation when they turn into stone. But I'm a mutant. I can stay awake for ten hours at night.

(sighs with regret)
But alas, my power makes me too
heavy and not tough enough to be
any real use to the Legion. So I
applied to become R.J.'s bodyguard.
Which inspired him to hire us as
the SUBS.

COLOR KID

Whoa. Two secret origins in one. (to Chlorophyll Kid)
So what's your story?

Chlorophyll Kid becomes very embarrassed. He fidgets and avoids looking at Color Kid.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

I, uh, fell...into a vat...of fast-grow...fertilizer.

COLOR KID

Holy nass! You fell into...nass?

CHLOROPHYLL KID

(now defensive)

Well, I was a toddler at the time!
 (calms down)

My parents worked as hydroponic gardeners. There was an emergency at the plant, and they couldn't find a baby-sitter, and the vats were not above ground, and they didn't see me wandering off, and that's when...

(defensive again)

Well, they did pull me out before I drowned!

COLOR KID

I don't believe this! So because your parents neglected you as a small child, you became a superhero? So to speak!

CHLOROPHYLL KID

(with a scowl)

You don't have to put it like that!

COLOR KID

That's the tackiest super-hero origin I ever heard!

R.J.

But his power is the most useful one in this room, Ulu.

COLOR KID

What do you mean, R.J.?

R.J.

He can end worldwide famine. And on a few United Planets, he did just that. He restored the rain forests on many worlds. He also made rare herbs and spices become plentiful again. Not to mention that he's a cheap source of lumber.

Chlorophyll Kid blushes and smirks at him.

R.J. (CONT'D)

Unfortunately, we also have to keep his power a secret.

Chlorophyll Kid now glares at him.

R.J. (CONT'D)

Because we don't want the drug lords getting their hands on his nass. So I told the United Planets that Ral's code name is officially Sick Lee. That's Lee spelled L-E-E.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

I can make people somewhat sick to their stomach by using some of my power on their undigested food. Most of it is made from fruits and vegetables in one way or another. The amount of their nausea depends on how much food they ate.

COLOR KID

(grimaces to Chlorophyll Kid) So you can make people throw up?

DREAM GIRL

Only if necessary. But with your power of camouflage, Ulu, you can help Ral keep his powers a secret.

COLOR KID

I see what you mean. I can make us virtually invisible when we fly on other worlds.

(a beat, ponders)

But I don't understand something. Wouldn't those world governments know about Ral? After all, he has to show his passport to customs. And legally speaking, it should list his super-power. That's what I had to do in order to fly to Earth.

DREAM GIRL

We don't use rocketships to go to those worlds, Ulu.

COLOR KID

You don't? Then how do you all...

DREAM GIRL

We use my sister to teleport us to those worlds.

COLOR KID

Your sister? Who is she?

DREAM GIRL

She calls herself the White Witch.

(calling out)

Xola! Xola!

The WHITE WITCH materializes over R.J. and the heroes. She is a cute redhead who wears a white strapless gown with matching shoes. She also wears a Legion flight ring as she hovers in a sexy pose. It is similar to the one Dream Girl had used earlier. Color Kid and Stone Boy are unnerved.

COLOR KID

Oh, my sprocking Grife!

WHITE WITCH

Now, now, Ulu. You should not say your deity's holy name with such a naughty word.

(with a sincere smile)
I am Xola Aq, the White Witch.

COLOR KID

Are you married? Is that why your last name is different than Nura's?

DREAM GIRL

That's the question you ask when you see a silver sorceress for the first time?

WHITE WITCH

The Naltor prophets foresee our names while we're still in the womb.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

They don't have any need for baby name books.

Everyone looks at him for several moments.

WHITE WITCH

Anyway. Our paternal grandfather was a wizard from Zerox, the sorcerers' world. I gained some of his magical powers, but I did not gain the power of prophecy.

COLOR KID

Seems like you got the better part of that deal.

DREAM GIRL

Hardly. We and the Legion run Xola ragged with our missions.

WHITE WITCH

Truer words were never spoken. I teleport the Legionnaires and the Bodyquards to different worlds.

R.J.

That really saves on rocketship fuel. Thank Grife.

WHITE WITCH

I also prevent them from bringing Earth diseases to the aliens. And I protect them from extraterrestrial diseases as well. And if they are injured, I can usually heal them.

(with an edge)

That is, provided I am adequately forewarned.

White Witch looks at Dream Girl, who looks away with a very guilty expression. The others silently react to this scene.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

Uhhhh, speaking of going to other planets, shouldn't I be on another one right about now?

DREAM GIRL

Right you are, Ral.

WHITE WITCH

I shall be taking you, Lydda, and Ulu to Bismoll.

COLOR KID

Whoa. Isn't that the home world of Matter-Eater Lad?

WHITE WITCH

It is. Now if Ulu will disguise Ral as Brainiac Five, we will get going.

COLOR KID

Come again?

Chlorophyll Kid takes out a stylized ray gun from a desk.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

I pretend to be Brainiac Five when I make plants grow on other worlds. I shine this light-ray gun on the ground and make the people believe that it is doing my work.

WHITE WITCH

But only after I cast an illusion to make him look like Brainiac Five.

COLOR KID

Makes sense. But why not continue to cast the illusion spell?

WHITE WITCH

Because it drains my energy. The more magic I conserve, the more magic I have for emergencies. Which is why I wear a Legion flight ring. So I don't have to use a levitation spell.

COLOR KID

Now I got it. So here goes.

He points at Chlorophyll Kid, whose skin turns green. The latter looks at his hands and costume.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

Hey. Not bad. Now do my costume.

Color Kid points at Chlorophyll Kid again. His bodysuit turns dark purple and his boots and belt turn bright yellow.

CHLOROPHYLL KID (CONT'D)

Perfect.

COLOR KID

But of course.

White Witch and R.J. look at the Interlac clock on the wall.

WHITE WITCH

Time to go. Be back soon.

White Witch gestures, and she, Night Girl, Chlorophyll Kid, and Color Kid disappear. Stone Boy shudders.

STONE

Grife! I hate it when she does that!

R.J.

We better hurry to the conference room. The Magno-Ball sponsorship meeting is about to start.

R.J. flies to the portal and then quickly descends out of view. The heroes follow his example.

A TWILIGHT DIMENSION

White Witch, Chlorophyll Kid, Night Girl, and Color Kid fly in it. Night Girl and Chlorophyll Kid hold Color Kid's hands as they propel him forward. Color Kid tries to speak, but no sound comes out of his mouth.

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

We communicate telepathically here in the Phantom Zone, Ulu.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

The Phantom Zone? What are we doing here?

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

It's how I teleport us from one world to another.

NIGHT GIRL (V.O.)

It's cheaper than using a Star Gate, Ulu.

CHLOROPHYLL KID (V.O.)

Flying a few kilometers here is like flying millions of light years in our universe.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

Holy nass!

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

Language, Ulu. Language.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

Sorry! This is so...overwhelming!

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

I also teleport the Legionnaires' rocketships through the Phantom Zone. Then I materialize them just outside the world's atmosphere. As you can imagine, doing that really tires me out.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

I'll bet!

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

Here we are.

She gestures, and they disappear.

A WORLD AND ITS FARAWAY SUN IN OUTER SPACE

The sun shines on one half of the world.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

This is Bismoll?

CAMERA ZOOMS IN on the dark side of Bismoll.

COLOR KID (V.O. CONT'D)

Good Grife! I can't see a thing! Where's the moonlight?

WHITE WITCH, COLOR KID, CHLOROPHYLL KID, AND NIGHT GIRL

They hover in the darkness above the dim, rugged world. The White Witch and Chlorophyll Kid smirk. Color Kid gapes in confusion while Night Girl eagerly descends to the ground.

NIGHT GIRL

There isn't any. Be back soon.

COLOR KID

I know! I can light up the place with luminescent colors!

Color Kid gestures while Chlorophyll Kid says his next line.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

Noooo!

COLOR KID

What's wrong?

The ground lights up with yellow, orange, and pink colors. Night Girl is blinded when she lands. She covers her eyes. Color Kid sees the chewed-up stumps of trees near her.

NIGHT GIRL

Hey! What's the big idea? Turn off the lights!

WHITE WITCH

Ulu, Lydda uses her night strength to destroy the tree stumps. But she leaves the roots underground.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

And I use the roots to make new trees grow.

COLOR KID

Oh. Sorry.

He gestures, and the bright colors disappear. The darkness returns.

NIGHT GIRL

She takes a transparent, stylized air/face mask out of her cape. She puts it on during the voice-overs.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

What kind of animals chewed up all those trees? They must be gigantic!

White Witch and Chlorophyll Kid laugh.

COLOR KID (V.O. CONT'D)

(a bit ticked off)

All right. What's so funny?

Night Girl lands on a tree stump. Then she pounds on it with her foot. The stump breaks into many pieces. She hovers over the debris. The roots are still visible in the ground.

CHLOROPHYLL KID (V.O.)

Those trees weren't chewed up by animals. They were chewed up by the people of Bismoll.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

Oh, of course. The Bismollians can eat anything.

She wipes away the sawdust and floats to another stump. She does the same thing to that one.

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

They don't need chainsaws or energy beams to cut down their trees.

Night Girl repeats the process with several stumps.

CHLOROPHYLL KID (V.O.)

But they need me to replenish their food supply once a week. The entire population was near starvation when the Great Famine began.

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

Some Bismollians were so desperate that they began eating rocks and dirt. That resulted in avalanches and ground quakes.

CHLOROPHYLL KID (V.O.)

Life isn't easy when you're a human termite. Lucky for the Bismollians, Brainiac Five created a ray gun that stimulated their vegetation. And he also saved their oxygen supply.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

Their oxy...You're talking about photosynthesis.

CHLOROPHYLL KID (V.O.)

Yes. The situation got so bad that the Bismollian government enacted a forced sterilization program for their adults.

Night Girl wipes away sawdust as she flies to another stump.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

You're kidding!

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

Sadly, no. They had to reduce their population or face slow extinction. Most Bismollians went along because they didn't want to eat their dead.

WHITE WITCH, COLOR KID, AND CHLOROPHYLL KID

Color Kid grimaces and says, "EWWW!" Then he shudders and shakes his head like he is trying to wash his mind clean.

WHITE WITCH

All right. That's enough exposition dialogue for now. While we wait for Lydda to finish up, let's have you practice your flying, Ulu. There's plenty of room for you to do that up here.

COLOR KID

I'd be glad to. But I can't see a blasted thing. I might fly into you two. Or a mountain. Or a tree.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

He's got a point. I can't see a thing either.

WHITE WITCH

Turn our hair luminescent so we don't bump into each other. Just don't make them too bright and turn off Lydda's power.

COLOR KID

Any color preference?

WHITE WITCH

White.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

Green.

COLOR KID

You two are sooooo predictable.

He gestures. Then the Witch Witch has glowing white hair while Chlorophyll Kid has glowing green hair. Color Kid has glowing pink hair.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

Pink neon?

COLOR KID

No. Pale scarlet. Like Cosmic Boy's costume.

INT. R.J.'S CONFERENCE ROOM - DAY

R.J. sits at the futuristic table with the middle-aged ARN KWIN, the brooding KORT GREZZ, and the optimistic DYRK MAGZ. TWO HUMANS and THREE EXTRATERRESTRIALS also sit at the table along with Dream Girl.

Polar Boy and Stone Boy stand guard at the doors. Fire Lad uses his fire breath to heat up Arn's coffee container.

ARN

Thank you, Fire Lad.

Arn takes the container back and takes a sip.

ARN (CONT'D)

Ah! That's better!

Fire Lad steps between Polar Boy and Stone Boy.

ARN (CONT'D)

Now the sponsors and video network feel that Cosmic Boy should put on a magnetic display in the opening games on Earth.

R.J.

Hmm. I can see the value in having the most famous Braalian doing that. But since Cosmic Boy is a Legionnaire, he might not be able to make it. We should not advertise his appearance only to have the audience be disappointed.

DREAM GIRL

I can find out if he's available, R.J. Let me just concentrate on Cosmic Boy's immediate future.

(a few beats, then yawns)
I'm getting a vision. See you all
in a few minutes.

Dream Girl rests her head on her hands and closes her eyes. The guests look at her in confusion.

KORT

What the sprock?

DYRK

Don't swear.

She twitches and fidgets in her sleep. She is having a bad nightmare.

DREAM GIRL

Legionnaires, don't! It's a trap! Officers! Keep away from there!

The guests react in a variety of ways. R.J. looks at her with much concern. Fire Lad, Polar Boy, and Stone Boy remain at their posts. Polar Boy touches his flight ring.

ARN

Miss! Miss! Wake up!

R.J.

Don't wake her! We need to know as much of her vision as possible!

POLAR BOY

R.J.! I can't summon the Legion! Something is jamming our ring com links!

R.J.

By damn!

WHITE WITCH, COLOR KID, CHLOROPHYLL KID, AND NIGHT GIRL

They hover high in the air. Night Girl has luminescent gray hair. Chlorophyll Kid makes the last of the tall trees grow while shining a ray-gun beam at it. He is exhausted.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

Whew! Thank Grife that's over!

DREAM GIRL (V.O.)

(screams in total panic)

XOLA! XOLA!

COLOR KID

Holy...

(looks at White Witch)

Hues!

WHITE WITCH

Nura!

White Witch gestures, and they disappear.

R.J., WHITE WITCH, AND THE BODYGUARDS IN A PLAZA

They materialize over the lifeless Saturn Girl, Cosmic Boy, Lightning Lad, Invisible Kid, Phantom Girl, and Colossal Boy. Chlorophyll Kid, White Witch, Night Girl, and Color Kid look like their normal selves. They and the others react to the dead Legionnaires. Night Girl looks at Cosmic Boy.

NIGHT GIRL

(near tears)

Rokk! Oh, no!

WHITE WITCH

(smiles in relief)

Don't cry, Night Girl! Cosmic Boy is not dead!

NIGHT GIRL

He isn't? So what happened? Is he comatose?

WHITE WITCH

The Legionnaires are in suspended animation! Let me contact Brainiac Five!

INT. LEGION HEADQUARTERS/INFIRMARY - DAY

Brainiac Five's belt creates a force field around INFECTIOUS LASS, an alien with chalk-white skin and antennae. Her face has an abstract blue butterfly birthmark on it.

A big machine also shines a purple ray on Shrinking Violet, Chameleon Boy, Star Boy, and Triplicate Girl. The latter four have red skin and lie unconscious on hospital beds.

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

Brainiac Five! This is the White Witch contacting you via magical telepathy!

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.)

Why are you doing that?

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

The com links in the Legionnaires' flight rings do not work!

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.)

How odd! Why are you contacting me?

WHITE WITCH AND THE TRANSPARENT LEGIONNAIRES

Silver cords connect the ghostlike heroes to their flesh and blood bodies.

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

Saturn Girl, Invisible Kid, Cosmic Boy, Phantom Girl, Lightning Lad, and Colossal Boy are in suspended animation. I see that their astral bodies are still connected to their corporeal selves.

INTERCUT - BRAINIAC FIVE AND WHITE WITCH

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.)
Do you think you can cure them? I can't leave the infirmary!

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)
I think I can! What's happening in the infirmary?

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.)
Infectious Lass used a hologram
projector to pass herself off as
a regular humanoid! And when she
revealed herself, she demonstrated
her power to make others sick by
transmitting her powerful germs
and bacteria!

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)
Talk about germ warfare! Is she an assassin?

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.)
No, just a misguided heroine! But before Saturn Girl could read her mind, she had already exposed four Legionnaires to the Crimson Virus! I was able to save myself and the others with my force field!

WHITE WITCH (V.O.) So where is this Infectious Lass now? Did you capture her?

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.) (egotistically)
But of course! I have her enclosed within a force field!

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

Are you sending her to Quarantine World?

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.)

No! I'll have you send her back to her home world of Somahtur!

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

I'm assuming that you will provide me with a protective transuit for the trip!

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.)

Naturally! Now please do cure the Legionnaires!

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

I will! I will also transmit their most recent memories to you! They should reveal the truth about what happened to our friends!

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.)

It depends on how much they were paying attention!

WHITE WITCH AND THE TRANSPARENT LEGIONNAIRES

White Witch gestures, and a white aura glows around the comatose heroes. Then she talks to their astral forms.

WHITE WITCH

What happened here, Legionnaires?

INVISIBLE KID

We received a report that a green cloud had engulfed some people!

THE LEGIONNAIRES' FLASHBACK

Invisible Kid, Saturn Girl, Lightning Lad, Colossal Boy, Cosmic Boy, and Phantom Girl fly to a massive green cloud that engulfs THREE PEOPLE at the plaza. A SILVER FEMALE STATUE stands next to a large, abstract ROCK MALE STATUE.

The three people are a BLOND MAN wearing an orange and amber costume, a REDHEAD WOMAN wearing a purple and light-blue costume, and a YELLOW-SKINNED ALIEN MAN wearing a gold and blue costume. The alien man sits in a golden hovering craft that resembles a futuristic wheelchair. The three people act like they are choking on the green fumes.

INVISIBLE KID (V.O.)

The Science Police couldn't free them! So the officers evacuated the plaza before we arrived!

PHANTOM GIRL

Cosmic Boy, I'll phase the blond and redhead out of the cloud while you take care of the hovering man!

Phantom Girl flies through the cloud like it was not solid. Then she grabs the blond man and flies him out of the cloud.

PHANTOM GIRL (V.O.)

I can only phase one person at a time! So I took the weaker-looking man out of the cloud! Only...

The blond man punches Phantom Girl's face. She screams and drops him. Before he hits the ground, he turns into a flash of light. Then the light changes into a variety of colors. Phantom Girl becomes hypnotized.

PHANTOM GIRL (V.O. CONT'D)

Before I knew it, he turned into flashing multi-colored lights! Which cause seizures in us Bgztl phantoms!

Phantom Girl falls down, blinks her eyes rapidly, drools, and shakes uncontrollably.

THE GREEN CLOUD AND INVISIBLE KID

The green cloud quickly surrounds Invisible Kid.

INVISIBLE KID (V.O.)

While that was going on, the green cloud tried to capture me! I tried to escape it by turning invisible!

Invisible Kid fades away. The green cloud quickly expands. Then it engulfs the EMPTY OUTLINE of Invisible Kid.

INVISIBLE KID (V.O. CONT'D)

I also flew away as fast as I could! But the cloud captured me anyway! Then it started choking me!

Invisible Kid replaces the outline. Only now he wears a transparent, stylized air/face mask like the one that Night Girl wore on Bismoll.

INVISIBLE KID (V.O. CONT'D)

But only for a little while!

THE YELLOW-SKINNED ALIEN

He rams his hovering chair into Lightning Lad, Cosmic Boy, and Colossal Boy. The flying Saturn Girl points at him.

SATURN GIRL

This is impossible! I read your minds! You're not villains! Why are you attacking us?

ALIEN

(with a knowing smirk)
Because your deaths will serve a
higher purpose!

The alien points to Saturn Girl, who closes her eyes and clutches her head in agony.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

And then I felt him invading my mind! Somehow, some way he began turning off my thought waves!

THE REDHEADED WOMAN, COSMIC BOY, AND LIGHTNING LAD

The boys lie dazed on the ground. She easily lifts them up and yells to the side.

REDHEADED WOMAN

Blok! Silver Slasher! Here are your murder victims!

She easily throws them out of the scene.

LIGHTNING LAD, COSMIC BOY, AND THE TWO STATUES

The heroes crash onto the ground. The female statue moves as the sharp-clawed SILVER SLASHER. The stone statue moves as the rocky monster BLOK. The Silver Slasher extends her arms. Then she spins at super-speed.

COLOSSAL BOY (V.O.)

I was too far away to grab Rokk and Garth even in my giant size!

THE REDHEADED WOMAN

A giant's shadow eclipses her. She turns around and looks up with a vicious smile.

COLOSSAL BOY (V.O.)

But I could still save them with my old standby move!

THE GIANT COLOSSAL BOY AND THE MINIATURE REDHEADED WOMAN

He bends down and pounds the ground with both hands. The intense impact causes a major earthquake. She falls down.

THE SILVER SLASHER AND BLOK

The earthquake also makes them fall down. The Silver Slasher carves up the ground in a counter clockwise circle. She narrowly misses the heroes.

RESUME COLOSSAL BOY AND THE REDHEADED WOMAN

He reaches for her, but she quickly leaps far away. She lands on her feet. Then she launches herself at his face.

COLOSSAL BOY (V.O.)

I don't remember what happened
after that!

She uses both fists to punch him in the jaw. She ricochets off of his chin while he passes out. As he falls on his back, he quickly shrinks in size so he doesn't crash into any buildings.

SILVER SLASHER, BLOK, COSMIC BOY, AND LIGHTNING LAD

Silver Slasher stops moving and carving up the ground. Blok stands up. Lightning Lad and Cosmic Boy look at the villains.

LIGHTNING LAD

Be my quest!

Cosmic Boy points at the villains while the Silver Slasher stands up. The villains approach the heroes.

COSMIC BOY

Sprock! They're not magnetic!

LIGHTNING LAD

(with a vicious smile)

Not a problem!

Lightning Lad projects electricity at them. It does not affect the villains. But Blok projects it back at the heroes. Lightning Lad yells. Cosmic Boy groans. Silver Slasher starts spinning again.

COSMIC BOY

Haul nass, Garth!

The heroes fly out of the scene.

LIGHTNING LAD AND COSMIC BOY IN FLIGHT

LIGHTNING LAD

How come you didn't get fried?

COSMIC BOY

Magnetism cancels out electricity!

The spinning Silver Slasher flies between them, but her flight is erratic. They avoid her claws, but it is not easy. Cosmic Boy touches his flight ring.

COSMIC BOY (CONT'D)

Brainiac Five! Calling Brainiac

Five! Emergency! Over!

(a beat, listens)

Brainiac Five, can you hear me?

Over! Calling Brainiac Five!

(to Lightning Lad)

The signal's jammed!

Lightning Lad ignores him. Lightning Lad looks to the side and gets very angry.

THE ALIEN AND SATURN GIRL

She struggles to stay awake.

LIGHTNING LAD (V.O.)

Hey! Get away from her!

Lightning is about to strike him, but then it turns and moves downward.

BLOK

The lightning strikes him. Then he projects it into the sky.

THE FLYING LIGHTNING LAD AND COSMIC BOY

They avoid the spinning Silver Slasher and almost get hit by the lightning. Cosmic Boy points to the side.

LIGHTNING LAD

Rokk! Save her!

Cosmic Boy groans in frustration.

COSMIC BOY

Sprocking non-ferrous hovering chair!

The heroes fly quickly to the side.

COLOSSAL BOY

He groans and stirs as the redheaded woman lands next to him.

REDHEADED WOMAN

Good! You're awake! Because I want you to know that you were killed by Titania of the League of Super-Assassins!

She is about to wring his neck when he punches her with all of his might. TITANIA goes flying into the air and zooms out of the scene.

COLOSSAL BOY (V.O.)

She didn't know I had a giant's strength at any size!

THE FLYING LIGHTNING LAD AND COSMIC BOY

They head for the alien and Saturn Girl. Then Titania flies into the male heroes, and they move out of the scene.

COSMIC BOY (V.O.)

You didn't know that you launched her right into us! We were lucky that she didn't break our necks!

THE SHAKING PHANTOM GIRL AND MULTI-COLORED FLASH OF LIGHT

The flash stops changing colors and turns white. Then it flies upward far away from Phantom Girl.

THE WHITE FLASH'S POV/BIRD'S-EYE VIEW

A small army of SCIENCE POLICE OFFICERS cautiously approach the plaza from all directions.

THE GREEN CLOUD AND INVISIBLE KID ON THE GROUND

The white flash flies next to them.

BLOND MAN (V.O.)

Release him, Mist Master! I need you to protect the others!

The green cloud turns into the green clad MIST MASTER, who quickly punches Invisible Kid in the stomach. Then he hits the hero in the back of the head. Invisible Kid falls.

MIST MASTER

Just don't expose me for too long!

Mist Master turns into the green cloud again. It and the white flash fly quickly in different directions.

THE ALIEN AND SATURN GIRL

She floats unconscious next to him. Then the green cloud flies to them.

MIST MASTER (V.O.)

Plan B, Neutrax!

NEUTRAX

I was afraid of that! At least I got to hit her where it hurts the most!

The green cloud engulfs Neutrax and his hovering chair.

THE GREEN CLOUD, NEUTRAX, AND THE STUNNED TITANIA

Titania desperately waves her arms and hands quickly in an attempt to blow away the green cloud.

TITANIA

I don't care what Lazon says! I want to kill a Legionnaire!

NEUTRAX

He must have spotted the Science Police approaching us! We can't take them on!

TITANIA

I can! I can take anyone on!

The green cloud engulfs her.

MIST MASTER (V.O.)

Not this time!

The green cloud floats her off the ground, and it quickly flies them out of the scene. Titania goes berserk.

TITANIA

NOOOOOO! LET ME GO!

BLOK AND SILVER SLASHER

She super-spins next to him and stops.

SILVER SLASHER

Damn them! Damn them all! I didn't get to dissect any Legionnaires!

BLOK

They are going to die! That is all that matters! Not bloodshed!

SILVER SLASHER

Speak for yourself, cousin! I want to bathe in their blood!

BLOK

That is disgusting!

SILVER SLASHER

But oh so satisfying!

The green cloud scoops them up.

THE WHITE FLASH

It hovers over the miniature Legionnaires, Science Police officers, and the green cloud filled with five villains.

LAZON (V.O.)

Now know your method of execution, Legionnaires and officers!

The flash now turns a brilliant blue. Its rays strike the people below.

LAZON (V.O. CONT'D)

Because no one has ever survived exposure to sigellian radiation!

MONTAGE

The blue glow renders the Legionnaires comatose. It also kills the Science Police officers.

BLOK, SILVER SLASHER, TITANIA AND NEUTRAX IN THE GREEN CLOUD

The bright blue flash turns into brilliant white light. Blok holds Titania's wrists, and Silver Slasher holds her ankles.

BLOK

Titania, behave!

SILVER SLASHER

Or bleed!

TITANIA

All right, all right! Let me go!

NEUTRAX

Go ahead! I'll turn off her brain waves if she misbehaves!

They release her while the green cloud changes shape. It covers Neutrax's hovering chair and expands. Now his craft looks like a Saturn-shaped flying vehicle with tinted-green windows. The craft then takes off at a fast speed.

DREAM GIRL (V.O.)

I know why the Legionnaires went into suspended animation!

- R.J. AND THE BODYGUARDS
- R.J. and the heroes look at the horrified Dream Girl.

DREAM GIRL

Their flight rings! Our friends wore them! But the Science Police officers didn't! That's why they died!

R.J.

(somberly)

Xola, please tell me that you can see the officers' astral forms.

WHITE WITCH

I'm sorry, R.J. I only see those of the Legionnaires.

R.J. wipes away a tear.

R.J.

By damn.

DREAM GIRL

(calms down)

The anti-gravity forces given off by their flight rings negated the sigellian radiation enough to put them into suspended animation.

POLAR BOY

Thank Grife.

R.J. glares at him. Polar Boy ignores him as he speaks to Dream Girl.

POLAR BOY (CONT'D)

We know Xola must stay here while she cures the Legionnaires. But can you locate the killers with a vision?

DREAM GIRL

Now that I'm attuned to the psychic vibrations of this place, that will not be a problem. Gentlemen.

Dream Girl passes out, and Stone Boy and Fire Lad catch her. She smirks in delight in her sleep.

COLOR KID

(to Night Girl)

She's smiling. That's good, right?

NIGHT GIRL

(with a knowing smile)

It means we'll be kicking their nass!

Dream Girl moans in delight as she wakes up. Stone Boy and Fire Lad set her on her feet.

POLAR BOY

Well? What did you see?

DREAM GIRL

For starters, R.J. will be giving me his flight ring.

R.J.

Done!

He quickly take his ring off and hands it to her while she keeps talking.

DREAM GIRL

And Ulu will be making sure that the Assassins won't be seeing us approaching them.

She puts his ring on her left ring finger.

DREAM GIRL (CONT'D)

And they won't as long as we keep silent.

THE BLUE-COLORED BODYGUARDS IN FLIGHT

They are barely visible against the blue sky. When they fly under a cloud, they become white. When they fly back under the blue sky, they become blue again. Dream Girl has the six heroes follow her. She points to Polar Boy. He emits white rays from his hands. Heavy snowflakes form below him.

INT. THE LEAGUE'S HEADQUARTERS - DAY

The Assassins celebrate by drinking in front of the large monitor. Neutrax sees the snowflakes' image on the screen.

NEUTRAX

That's strange.

LAZON

What's strange?

NEUTRAX

Earth's Weather Control Center doesn't have snow scheduled for today.

The Assassins' breath becomes visible in front of them.

TITANIA

Uh, cousins? Is it my imagination, or is the temperature dropping?

Lazon watches the walls icing up.

LAZON

Damnation, Titania, it's true!
The temperature must have dropped fifty degrees in the last few seconds!

The monitor ices up and breaks apart.

NEUTRAX

Lazon, quick! Blast a hole in the ceiling before the walls implode!

Lazon turns into a red flash of light, which blasts a large hole into the ceiling. Then it flies through the hole.

NEUTRAX (CONT'D)

Mist Master!

MIST MASTER

Already changing!

Mist Master turns into a green cloud. It scoops up the other four villains, and they fly up to the hole. They hear Lazon screaming in extreme pain.

SILVER SLASHER

Lazon!

BLOK

What the sprock?

They fly through the hole.

FIRE LAD AND THE RED FLASH OF LIGHT

The hero breathes fire at the overhead light, which reacts to the energy blast. Lazon's screams are heard while the light turns into the villain. He passes out and falls down.

TITANIA, NEUTRAX, SILVER SLASHER AND BLOK IN THE GREEN CLOUD

It floats the villains out of the hole. They see Lazon drop onto the ground.

TTTANTA

Lazon!

The green cloud quickly turns into green ice.

MIST MASTER (V.O.)

Fr-Fr-Freezing! T-T-Turning in-in-into i-i-i-

SILVER SLASHER

I'll slice through him!

NEUTRAX

No, Ki-Lan! You'll hit me with the ice chunks! Titania! Blok!

BLOK

Got it!

They smash through the green ice. Neutrax flies upward as the others walk over the ice chunks.

NEUTRAX

We're being attacked by costumed people! But they aren't the other Legionnaires! I'll kill their--

He points to the side. Then the rocky Stone Boy flies into Neutrax's hovering chair and knocks it in a loop the loop.

STONE BOY

You're not killing anyone, nass wipe!

Stone Boy makes a U-turn in the air, and his feet land on Neutrax's head. The villain passes out, and he and his hovering chair crash-land in front of the other assassins. Silver Slasher then floats up against her will.

SILVER SLASHER AHHHHH! WHAT'S HAPPENING TO ME?

THE BODYGUARDS

The rocky Stone Boy lands next to Dream Girl, who stands in front of the heroes. She holds her hands up as she looks at the off-camera levitating Silver Slasher.

DREAM GIRL

Your super-speed power is useless if you don't have traction! And if you can't spin fast enough, you can't propel yourself through the air!

Chlorophyll Kid throws a seed at Titania's feet. The seed quickly turns into a bizarre tree with purple leaves. As it grows, it yanks Titania off the ground by snagging her in its limbs. The branches cut up her minidress, which results in lot of her skin being exposed.

DREAM GIRL (CONT'D)

Now, Ulu!

COLOR KID

(with a sinister tone)
Lights out. Everybody.

He snaps his fingers, and the scene fades to black. Titania screams in horror.

NIGHT GIRL AND BLOK IN THE DIM LIGHT

She kicks him in the groin. He groans in pain as he falls to his knees. Then she pounds his face with both fists as fast as she can. He finally passes out and falls on his face. She says "OW!" as she shakes her fingers in the air.

TITANINA IN THE TREE IN THE DIM LIGHT

She rips the branches away from her. As she does this, the branches leak gray sap on her hands, legs, and exposed skin.

TITANIA (V.O.)
Damnation! I'm itching like sprock!

She slips on the sap on the branch that supports her. She falls out of the tree on her back. She quickly scratches herself everywhere as she struggles to get up.

TITANIA

What kind of tree is that?

Night Girl zooms into the scene and flies her feet into Titania's head. The villainess passes out.

NIGHT GIRL

A Mardru poison conifer! Okay, Ulu! You can change the air back to normal now!

COLOR KID (V.O.)

All right.

The scene now appears in regular light.

POLAR BOY, DREAM GIRL, AND COLOR KID

Polar Boy freezes Blok in a rugged block of ice. Dream Girl still points at the levitating Silver Slasher, who slices the air in berserk anger. Color Kid talks to Dream Girl.

COLOR KID

How are you doing that?

DREAM GIRL

I found a way to unleash the antigravity forces in my flight ring. I'm no Light Lass, but I will do in a pinch.

Polar Boy then freezes Silver Slasher. She slices through the ice at first, but her claws slow down while the heroes talk.

COLOR KID

Is that why you needed R.J.'s ring? So you could use it to fly while you made her levitate?

DREAM GIRL

Close. I need both rings in order to make her levitate. After all, her metallic body makes her weigh close to a megagram. Silver Slasher stops moving her claws. Then the ice covers her up completely. Her ice block slowly descends onto the ground.

POLAR BOY

And now my ice block will make her weigh a whole lot more.

DREAM GIRL

And now that you have destroyed their headquarters, something tells me that our com links will work again.

She touches the flight ring on her right hand.

DREAM GIRL (CONT'D)

Calling Brainiac Five. Calling Brainiac Five.

Her flight ring projects a holographic image of Brainiac Five. He smiles.

BRAINIAC FIVE

Hello, Nura. I cured my friends of the Crimson Virus. And your sister brought the Legionnaires out of their comatose state. I hope that you have more good news for me.

DREAM GIRL

I do. We captured the League of Super-Assassins.

BRAINIAC FIVE

Excellent. I hope that Ral created some Mardru ether plants to keep them unconscious.

CHLOROPHYLL KID, LAZON, NEUTRAX, AND TITANIA

The hero places small magenta plants on the villains' faces. The plants stick to the criminals' skin.

DREAM GIRL (V.O.)

He did for half of them. Brek had to freeze the others because they were too powerful.

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.)

I see. Please keep watch over them while I track down your location.

COSMIC BOY AND THE DEAD SCIENCE POLICE OFFICERS

He levitates them by magnetizing their metal belts.

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.)

The Legionnaires are currently removing the deceased officers from the plaza.

THE GIGANTIC COLOSSAL BOY

He holds a few miniature deceased officers in his hands. The miniature Lightning Lad, Saturn Girl, Phantom Girl, and Invisible Kid each fly two officers to his hands.

DREAM GIRL (V.O.)

They are? But isn't that breaking protocol? After all, they're not coroners.

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.)

Lyle had extreme medical training when he was a child prodigy at Metropolis University. He has the proper qualifications.

DREAM GIRL AND BRAINIAC FIVE'S HOLOGRAM

DREAM GIRL

So not only is he the Invisible Kid, he's also the Coroner Kid? That's just tacky.

BRAINIAC FIVE

Anyway. Chief Zendak contacted the Coluan Embassy's Science Center. My elders will take the dead officers' DNA samples out of cold storage and clone them.

DREAM GIRL

Ah, that's good. Will they download the officers' memories into the clones' minds over there, too?

BRAINIAC FIVE

The Coluans at the Time Institute will be doing that.

DREAM GIRL

Oh, of course. At least it will be like all those officers never died.

BRAINIAC FIVE

Not exactly. The officers had the choice to opt out of the Cloning Replacement Program. About ten percent of them did just that.

DREAM GIRL

They did? But why?

BRAINIAC FIVE

Religious reasons. They thought cloning was immoral.

DREAM GIRL

Intriguing. Speaking of cloning, have you had any success with the super-powered ones?

BRAINIAC FIVE

No. They still explode after fortyeight hours. Perhaps if we use your sister's magic...

DREAM GIRL

(very quickly)

Perish the thought, Brainiac Five. Sorcery warps the cloning process. Grandfather Aq found that out the hard way.

BRAINIAC FIVE

Oh, really? What happened?

DREAM GIRL

I promised not to tell.

BRAINIAC FIVE

That bad, huh?

DREAM GIRL

I said too much already.

BRAINIAC FIVE

All right. Change of subject. Can you foresee our immediate future?

DREAM GIRL

No problem.

Dream Girl levitates up a few feet. Then she hovers parallel to the ground as she closes her eyes and yawns. She moans in delight while she naps.

DREAM GIRL (CONT'D) (like George Takei)
Oh, myyyyyyy!

DREAM GIRL'S VISION

The tall, muscular, blond and gold clad APOLLO smiles and waves to the levitating White Witch. She grins passionately as she waves back to him. Then she floats to him.

DREAM GIRL (V.O.)

What a blond hunk! Get him, sis! Use a love spell if you have to!

POLAR BOY AND THE UNCONSCIOUS, HOVERING DREAM GIRL

He sees her sweating and turning very red. Brainiac Five's hologram looks at him blankly like a scientist watching a science experiment.

BRAINIAC FIVE

Brek, it is very apparent to me that your blood is not making its way to your brain.

Polar Boy quickly turns around and adjusts himself. Then he faces Dream Girl again. She starts to caress her body while she moans louder. Night Girl lands between her and Polar Boy. She looks at Polar Boy and the off-camera heroes.

NIGHT GIRL

Okay, boys! Turn around!

Polar Boy reluctantly does that while Night Girl looks at Brainiac Five's hologram.

NIGHT GIRL (CONT'D)

She'll call you later! Goodbye!

Night Girl touches Dream Girl's ring, and the hologram fades out. Dream Girl is about to touch her breasts and pelvic area. Night Girl grabs her wrists.

NIGHT GIRL (CONT'D)

No, you don't! It's bad enough that you're a natural blonde! You aren't having that much fun on my watch!

Dream Girl wakes up and gapes at Night Girl.

DREAM GIRL

Well, this is embarrassing!

Dream Girl lands on her feet while Polar Boy looks at them.

NIGHT GIRL

It could have been worse! So what did you see, Wet Dream Girl?

DREAM GIRL

LYD-DAAAAAA!

Polar Boy blushes. Dream Girl now smirks knowingly.

DREAM GIRL (CONT'D)

I saw Xola with a hot blond god!

NIGHT GIRL

Was he a sun god? Because you were burning up, girlfriend!

DREAM GIRL

I know! I may need Brek to cool me off!

NIGHT GIRL

I don't know, Nura! With your body heat and his cold spell, you two might create a storm front!

The girls laugh uncontrollably. Polar Boy stares blankly at them.

COLOR KID, STONE BOY, CHLOROPHYLL KID, AND FIRE LAD

The stunned Color Kid looks at the off-camera girls and Polar Boy as he whispers to the smirking Stone Boy.

COLOR KID

Does this kind of thing usually happen with you guys?

STONE BOY

More often than not.

Color Kid looks to the off-camera girls and Polar Boy. Fire Lad suppresses a snicker while Chlorophyll Kid is about to say something to Stone Boy. Stone Boy smirks and winks at Chlorophyll Kid. Chlorophyll Kid catches on and winks many times back at Stone Boy. Stone Boy gestures for him to stop before Color Kid sees him. Chlorophyll Kid stops winking.

NIGHT GIRL (V.O.)

Seriously though. Did you foresee anything else?

RESUME POLAR BOY, NIGHT GIRL, AND DREAM GIRL

Dream Girl brushes her hair with her hands.

DREAM GIRL

No, thank Grife. But that doesn't mean we'll be safe for the new few days. He was a major distraction. And that could affect my visons.

THE FLYING WHITE WITCH AND APOLLO

They hold hands while she pulls him behind her. Despite the wind, she sweats and has flushed skin. She keeps looking back at him and smiles in delight. He gives her a guarded smile as they are about to fly into a building.

APOLLO

Xola! Watch out!

She looks at the building, and they barely avoid it.

WHITE WITCH

I'm so sorry, darling! It's just that I can't stop looking at you!

APOLLO

That's perfectly understandable, my dear! But that's no excuse to be careless with my life!

WHITE WITCH

You're so right, sweetheart! I'll watch where we'll flying!

APOLLO

We're almost at my penthouse! Just look for the golden building!

EXT. THE GOLDEN BUILDING - DAY

The miniature White Witch and Apollo fly to its penthouse.

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

Oh, myyyyyyy.

APOLLO (V.O.)

Don't be too impressed. It's just a summer rental.

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

Just a summer rental?

EXT. APOLLO'S FUTURISTIC PENTHOUSE/ROOF TERRACE - DAY

A MAID pours champagne in two wine glasses. She is African-American and wears a light-gray dress and sandals. She stops pouring the champagne when she sees Apollo and the White Witch land next to her. She approaches them and curtsies.

MAID

A most gracious good afternoon, my dear lady. Greetings, sir.

WHITE WITCH

Hello.

APOLLO

Xola, this is Monique. Monique, this is Miss Xola Aq.

MAID

I am very pleased to meet you, Miss Aq.

WHITE WITCH

As am I. And please. Call me Xola.

MAID

All right...Xola.

APOLLO

Please sit down, my dear.

Apollo helps the White Witch sit in her chair and then sits in his chair during the following.

MAID

Chef Whitley will be bringing out your repast momentarily. Is there anything special that you desire?

WHITE WITCH

No, thank you.

MAID

As you wish...Xola.

The CHEF pushes a floating cart that has cloche-covered plates and goblets. He is bald and wears a futuristic white cook's uniform with matching goggles. He approaches them.

CHEF

A most gracious good afternoon, my dear lady.

WHITE WITCH

Hello, Chef Whitley. And I'll save us some time by insisting that you call me Xola.

CHEF

Agreed, Xola.

The Maid takes the utensils and ringed napkins off the cart and sets them in front of the White Witch and Apollo. The Chef sets the covered plates in front of them. Then he takes the silver cloche covers off the plates.

CHEF (CONT'D)

Please do eat your protein salad while it is still warm. It loses its nutrients when it cools off.

WHITE WITCH

I will. Thank you.

The Chef puts the cloche covers on the cart.

APOLLO

Thank you, you two.

The Chef pushes the cart away as the White Witch and Apollo start eating. The Maid leaves with the Chef.

WHITE WITCH

Mmm. Mmm. This is the best protein
salad I have ever tasted.
 (louder to the side)
My compliments to the chef.

CHEF

You are most welcome, Xola.

The servants exchange sinister smirks while the White Witch takes another bite.

WHITE WITCH

I can't believe that he cooked this gourmet meal on such short notice.

APOLLO

I only hire the best.

The Chef pushes the cart through the sliding kitchen door. The Maid walks behind a wall. She looks at the couple. The White Witch has her back to the Maid. The Maid points at her and projects a thin beam at the back of her head.

WHITE WITCH

So I take it that this is not the first time that flying people have landed in your penthouse. I mean, both your servants weren't exactly surprised at what I could do.

APOLLO

I wouldn't rightly know. After all, it is just a summer rental.

They laugh. Then they resume eating.

APOLLO (CONT'D)

Monique and Whitley have pretty much seen it all in Metropolis.

The White Witch quickly develops a blank expression and just stares at Apollo. He quickly sighs in anger.

APOLLO (CONT'D)

About sprocking time!

The Maid stops projecting her beam and approaches him.

MAID

Relax, Apollo. We're lucky that she wasn't immune to your charms.

(calls to the kitchen)

Morlo! Tell Red that I've erased her memories! She's nothing more than an overgrown baby now!

MORLO the Chef quickly comes through the sliding kitchen door with a very angry expression.

MORLO

Who is well-behaved thanks to my spiking her food! Don't forget that... Amnesia!

He walks to another room. AMNESIA the Maid takes a bite of Apollo's food and shrugs.

AMNESIA

You know she was just being polite when she complimented his food.

APOLLO

Naturally. She didn't want to say anything that might sprock up our relationship.

INT. APOLLO'S FUTURISTIC LIVING ROOM - DAY

Morlo walks through the sliding door and stops.

MORLO

The White Witch is a blank slate.

CAMERA PANS THE ROOM.

The GREMLIN lies on the floor. He wears a costume made of fake orange fur.

The redheaded SPIDER GIRL sits on the floor near him. She wears a dark-gray bustier and boots that is underneath her see-through cobweb bodysuit. She uses her long tresses to hold her cup and plate of cookies.

The green clad CENTAUR twirls the noose of his elastic lasso like a professional cowboy. The purple clad and blond WEIGHT WIZARD does a one-armed handstand on the Centaur's equine back. Weight Wizard pushes his own body up and down.

The pink colored CHEMOID stands close to the Centaur. It is a very tall and muscular-looking robot.

The ALCHEMIST sits on a chair. He wears a blue hooded tunic with matching stockings.

The VIKING sits on a recliner and drinks a large glass of beer. He wears a typical Norseman's outfit in brown colors. A white goat's horn hangs from his neck.

EVILLO sits on the sofa. With his horns, jet black hair and goatee, and red costume with matching cape, he looks like the Devil's son. He stands up and approaches Morlo.

EVILLO

Perfect! Now you will download the artificial memories into her mind!

Morlo takes a small jar and a knife from his pockets as he approaches the Chemoid.

MORLO

I need Chemoid to make me some Mnemosyne powder first!

CHEMOID

Yezzz, mazzzter.

Chemoid changes his form to a chalky purple substance. Morlo scrapes some powder from the android's chest into the jar.

INT. R.J.'S PENTHOUSE OFFICE - EARLY EVENING

R.J. looks at the hologram of COUNTESS KRANTUR, an elderly woman who is sitting up in her lavish bed. The hologram is projected from R.J.'s cell badge.

R.J.

Hello, Countess Krantur.

COUNTESS

Hello, R.J.

(yawns for many seconds)
Oh, I'm sorry, but your phone call
woke me up.

R.J.

I do apologize. But Nura dreamed that you were being menaced by the Devil and his minions.

COUNTESS

(with a laugh)

Well, the poor dear must have tuned into my nightmares.

R.J.

Nightmares?

COUNTESS

Yes. I have Yorrgian Fever.

R.J.

Oh, no!

COUNTESS

Don't worry. My doctor says I will recover as long as I stay in bed and take my medicine.

R.J.

Thank Grife for that.

COUNTESS

But he warned me that my medicine may cause extreme nightmares. So far I've dreamed of Satan, some wizards, a viking, a centaur, and a couple of monsters. As you can imagine, I'm not getting much rest.

R.J.

I'm just glad you're all right.

COUNTESS

And it's sweet of you to care so much, R.J.

(yawns again)

I hate to be rude, but I'm getting tired again.

R.J.

I understand. Good night, Countess.

COUNTESS

Good night, R.J.

He presses a button on the cell badge, and the hologram is turned off.

INT. THE COUNTESS KRANTUR'S BEDROOM - EARLY EVENING

The Countess turns off the cell badge. Amnesia takes it from her. Then Amnesia places it on her chest. Evillo and Apollo stand at the foot of the bed.

APOLLO

Very good, Countess. Now please go back to sleep and dream about me.

COUNTESS

(in a lovestruck tone) Oh, thank you, Apollo. I will.

The Countess quickly goes to sleep. She also snores loudly. The villains look at her.

AMNESIA

Evillo, will you please banish her to the Realm of Darkness! I'm tired of hearing that damn racket! Not to mention changing her diapers!

EVILLO

She is still useful as a hostage, Amnesia.

APOLLO

She's also useful in so many other ways.

APOLLO'S FLASHBACK

The BUTLER serves drinks to the Countess, Apollo, and Evillo in her living room. Evillo wears a thick headband to cover up his horns. The Countess keeps looking at Apollo.

APOLLO

Now, dear, I don't want you to be scared when Evillo kills the butler.

The Butler fearfully drops his tray.

BUTLER

WHAAAAAT?

COUNTESS

Whatever you say, dear.

Evillo removes his headband to reveal his horns. The butler looks at them as he stands paralyzed with fear. The horns project black beams as him. The butler screams in agony as he disappears. Evillo stops projecting the beams.

COUNTESS (CONT'D)

Oh, what cute little horns. Did you have surgery on your forehead?

EVILLO

No, my dear lady. My parents were devil worshipers. My horns are proof that their human sacrifices worked. I can also knock people out with my black beams.

COUNTESS

Well, isn't that fascinating?

APOLLO

Now, Countess, we men have a lot to talk about. So please go to bed and dream about me.

COUNTESS

Yes, Apollo. Right away, dearheart.

She starts to leave as she smiles to the men.

COUNTESS (CONT'D)

Good night, gentlemen. Now don't stay up too late.

EVILLO

We won't. Good night, Countess.

APOLLO

Sweat dreams, love.

She gives an air kiss and exits. The men look at each other.

APOLLO

I told you I could make any woman fall in love with me. Even if she wasn't born on Geequo.

EVILLO

It is a most useful power, Apollo.

APOLLO

Apollo? My name is Tal Obrin.

EVILLO

Not anymore. You will be Apollo in my Devil's Dozen.

APOLLO

Devil's Dozen?

EVILLO

I decided to use the Countess's connections to create an evil version of the Legion of Super-Heroes. But we will use the more powerful Legion rejects.

APOLLO

Really? How?

EVILLO

First you will make the Countess pretend to make them become her version of the Special Unit Bodyguards. Then my...associate ...will convert them to our cause. First you'll make her contact the Mnemonic Kid.

APOLLO

Who's he?

ANOTHER FLASHBACK

Apollo is dressed like the butler and holds a tray of finger sandwiches. He stands next to the seated Countess, Evillo, and the casually dressed Amnesia. Amnesia speaks with her mouth full.

AMNESIA

I have the power to induce memory loss in people. But I was rejected because I couldn't restore those same memories. Stupid nassheads.

APOLLO

(with a knowing smirk)
Terrific. I command you to make
yourself forget all your memories.

AMNESIA

What did you...

She has a blank expression while she says, "Saaaaaaaaay?" as her power takes effect.

EVILLO

(calls to the side)

Morlo!

Morlo pushes a floating cart with a machine attached to headphones and a jar of Mnemosyne powder.

MORLO

Give me a half hour, and I'll give you Amnesia.

The Countess, Apollo, and Evillo look at him.

MORLO (CONT'D)

You know what I mean.

THE COSTUMED AMNESIA AND THE CASUALLY DRESSED SPIDER GIRL

Spider Girl stands at the open doorway. She smiles.

SPIDER GIRL

Hello. I'm Sussa Paka. Also known as the Wave.

AMNESIA

Greetings. The Countess has been expecting you. Please come in.

SPIDER GIRL

Thank you.

She walks inside, and the door slides shut behind her.

FLASHBACK MONTAGE

The casually dressed Weight Wizard smiles and waves his hand as he stands at the open doorway.

WEIGHT WIZARD

Hi there. I'm the Human Scales. But my real name is Nik Obershaw. The casually dressed Gremlin stands at the open doorway. He smiles.

GREMLIN

Greetings. I'm E. Davis Ester of the planet Touston. People call me the Calamity King.

The casually dressed Viking has a harsh expression as he stands at the open doorway.

VIKING

Hey. I'm Sugyn.

The Alchemist wears a golden costume as he stands at the open doorway. He smiles and scans what is inside of the open doorway.

ALCHEMIST

Hello, my dear woman. My name is Klint Stewirt the Golden Boy.

The casually dressed Centaur twirls his lasso as he stands at the open doorway.

CENTAUR

Yo. I'm Jake Kafkranus. But you can call me the Wild Huntsman.

EVILLO, APOLLO, AND AMNESIA

They look at the snoring Countess. Evillo turns to Apollo.

EVILLO

Now make Xola contact her sister and tell her that everything is all right.

INT. DREAM GIRL'S QUARTERS - EARLY EVENING

She looks at White Witch's hologram that is projected from her flight ring. The White Witch looks haggard but happy.

DREAM GIRL

Xola, are you all right?

WHITE WITCH

I'm fine, Nura. I just overdid it when I healed the Legionnaires.

DREAM GIRL

Thank Grife.

WHITE WITCH

A little rest and I'll be as good as new.

DREAM GIRL

That's good.

(with a lustful smirk)
So how are things going with lover
boy?

WHITE WITCH

(returns the smirk)

Let's just say he could teach Star Boy a thing or two about making a girl see stars.

The sisters shriek with laughter. Then Dream Girl stops laughing and frowns.

DREAM GIRL

Hey, wait. That means I got the bad boyfriend.

WHITE WITCH

At least your boyfriend is a superhero. Paul is just charismatic.

DREAM GIRL

Does he give off pheromones like Rainbow Girl?

The White Witch shakes her head.

WHITE WITCH

Oh, no. He just has a very strong sex appeal.

DREAM GIRL

I know! I felt it when you first met him! Grife have mercy!

White Witch gives her a dirty look. Dream Girl realizes that she said the wrong thing.

DREAM GIRL (CONT'D)

Sorry. I know you hate it when I feel your sensations.

WHITE WITCH

Forget it. You also saved my life a few times with that ability. I have to take the good with the bad.

DREAM GIRL

Thanks. So will you be coming back here tonight?

WHITE WITCH

(with a smirk)

I don't know. So don't wait up.

The sisters shriek with laughter again.

THE WHITE WITCH WATCHING DREAM GIRL'S HOLOGRAM

The hologram is projected from the White Witch's ring.

DREAM GIRL

All right, I won't. At least I know you won't be getting pregnant tonight.

The sisters giggle.

WHITE WITCH

How about you? Will you and Thom be going on a date tonight?

DREAM GIRL

No. Saturn Girl has to probe the Assassins' minds pretty soon. So he and the Legionnaires will be busy acting on their information.

WHITE WITCH

Ah, I should have known.

(with a chuckle)

I'm not reading my spell book with both eyes tonight.

DREAM GIRL

Perfectly understandable. The Legionnaires will be telling us Saturn Girl's observations in a few minutes. I'll contact you if you're needed.

WHITE WITCH

Sounds good. See you later, Nura.

DREAM GIRL

Goodbye, Xola. I love you.

WHITE WITCH

I love you, too. Farewell.

The White Witch turns off the hologram.

EVILLO (V.O.)

You were perfect, Hag. She didn't suspect a thing.

Evillo and Apollo approach the White Witch as she turns into the HAG. She looks like a typical wicked witch with her jet black robe with matching shoes and pointed hat.

HAG

Thank you, Evillo. I was so afraid that I would say the wrong thing and tip her off.

EVILLO

Did you cast your spells?

HAG

Yes. Dream Girl won't be getting any more visions until this time tomorrow night. And Brande and his Bodyguards will be teaching Color Kid how to fly in the flying room while they wait for Saturn Girl's call.

APOLLO

Great. We can attack the Bodyguards before we ambush the Legionnaires.

EVILLO

Do you think you can tune into the Legionnaires' broadcast?

HAG

As long as they use their flight rings' com links, that will not be a problem. But if Saturn Girl uses her telepathy to communicate with the Bodyguards, she may sense me eavesdropping on her.

EVILLO

She won't. She'll be too busy reading the Assassins' minds.

The three villains smile viciously.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

They were given their super-powers by the Dark Man.

BRAINIAC FIVE, SATURN GIRL, LIGHTNING LAD, AND STAR BOY

They stand next to the frozen Blok and Silver Slasher and the unconscious Lazon, Neutrax and Titania. The latter three wear transparent ether masks. Brainiac Five's belt projects a force field around the green ice particles.

Lightning Lad and Star Boy point at the villains in case their super-powers are needed. Saturn Girl speaks to the hologram of R.J. and the Bodyguards that is projected from her ring.

R.J.

The Dark Man? Who is that?

SATURN GIRL

Nigel Andrews of Zadron. Assuming that is his real name. It sounds like an Earthling's name to me.

R.J. AND THE BODYGUARDS

They levitate in the flying room. They form two rows with the back row hovering over the front row's heads. R.J. is in the front row. His ring projects a hologram of Saturn Girl.

SATURN GIRL

He became their legal guardian after their world was destroyed.

R.J.

Which world was that?

EVILLO AND HIS VILLAINS

They are in the living room. The Hag levitates over Evillo, Morlo, Amnesia, and Apollo, who sit on the couch. The others are in the same places and positions that they had before. They look at the hologram of the Assassins.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

Dryad.

EVILLO

(with a vicious smile)
Its sun became a super-nova.

INTERCUT - THE THREE TEAMS

R.J.

Didn't you Legionnaires evacuate its people to Zadron?

SATURN GIRL

We did. At least half of them. But the Assassins lost their parents in the tragedy. Their traumatic experiences made it easy for the Dark Man to take over their minds.

R.J.

How...

EVILLO

So?

His villains look at him. Spider Girl makes a tress touch her lips while she says, "Shhh!"

SATURN GIRL

I sense that the Dark Man can control warped minds. Since the Assassins heard rumors that Dryad was destroyed on purpose, they were especially gullible to that conspiracy theory.

EVILLO

Fascinating.

R.J.

But why would they think that?

SATURN GIRL

The Assassins thought that the people of Dryad would turn into energite if they were exposed to the radiation of a super-nova.

R.J.

Nonsense. Where would they get an idea like that?

SATURN GIRL

Probably because the same thing happened to the people of Mordan when their sun exploded.

R.J.

By damn. I had totally forgotten about that.

WEIGHT WIZARD

Isn't energite the most valuable substance in the universe?

ALCHEMIST

(with a severe grimace)
Unfortunately.

SATURN GIRL

Unfortunately, each Assassin has a different memory of what the Dark Man looks like. One thinks he is a bald Caucasian. Another one thinks he has a jet black face. The images range from an Asian sumo wrestler to a giant with a large forehead.

R.J.

How bizarre.

EVILLO

How brilliant.

SATURN GIRL

They even have different memories of where the Dark Man is hiding out. And that's assuming he told one of them the truth in the first place.

R.J.

Which is doubtful.

SATURN GIRL

Which means he can be anywhere.

DREAM GIRL

Perhaps Xola can locate him.

HAG

(egotistically)

I know I can!

SATURN GIRL

Contact her while their psychic vibrations are still strong.

DREAM GIRL

Sorry, sis. Duty comes first.

(calling)

Xola! Xola!

EVILLO

Now, Hag! Put my plan into action!

The Hag gestures, and Evillo and his villains disappear.

THE HOVERING R.J. AND THE BODYGUARDS

They look at Saturn Girl's hologram as the Viking appears on the floor on the other side of the room.

DREAM GIRL

Xola! Xola, where are you?

The Viking blows into his horn, and his breath becomes a mighty wind. It blows R.J. and the Bodyguards into the wall.

THE LEGIONNAIRES AND THE ASSASSINS

Saturn Girl and Brainiac Five see the holographic image of the Viking blowing his horn. She is horrified while he is intrigued.

SATURN GIRL

Who is that?

BRAINIAC FIVE

It appears to be a Viking from Earth's medieval Europe. And his ancient horn creates a powerful wind that forces our friends to stay against the wall.

SATURN GIRL

Star Boy! Guard the Assassins while we save our friends!

Brainiac Five removes his force field around the green ice particles. Star Boy points at them and the Assassins.

STAR BOY

I made them too heavy to move!

MONTAGE - EVILLO'S VILLAINS AND THE LEGIONNAIRES

Apollo materializes in front of Saturn Girl.

The Gremlin materializes in front of Brainiac Five.

The Chemoid materializes in front of Lightning Lad.

The Alchemist materializes in front of Cosmic Boy.

Weight Wizard materializes in front of Star Boy.

Spider Girl materializes in front of Invisible Kid.

Amnesia materializes in front of Chameleon Boy.

The Centaur materializes in front of Colossal Boy.

Morlo materializes behind Triplicate Girl.

The Hag materializes over Shrinking Violet.

Evillo materializes behind Phantom Girl. His horns project black beams at her, and she falls unconscious.

ANOTHER MONTAGE

The Gremlin gestures, and Brainiac Five's belt slowly falls apart. The Legionnaires' flight rings also break apart.

APOLLO AND SATURN GIRL

She is completely in love with him.

APOLLO

Saturn Girl, please make Kid Psycho fall asleep before he summons help!

SATURN GIRL

Yes, dear!

She closes her eyes and puts her fingers to her temples.

INT. THE MONITOR ROOM - NIGHT

Kid Psycho snores. One screen shows the Legionnaires and the villains.

THE GREMLIN AND BRAINIAC FIVE

The hero presses a button on his damaged belt, and he gets severely shocked.

GREMLIN

I'm the master of sabotage! That's
why I'm called the Gremlin!

The villain then knocks the hero out.

THE CHEMOID AND LIGHTNING LAD

The android turns light gray and stretches its arms to Lightning Lad. The hero tries to electrocute the Chemoid, but the android's body easily nullifies the voltage.

LIGHTNING LAD (V.O.) This thing is made of rubber! I can't electrocute it!

The Chemoid's fists grow very large, and it uses them to knock out Lightning Lad.

THE ALCHEMIST AND COSMIC BOY

The hero gestures, and the four disks on his chest fly to the villain. The Alchemist points at the disks, and they turn into gold. They fall in front of the villain's feet.

ALCHEMIST

I'm the Alchemist! I can transform objects into gold! Which as you know isn't magnetic!

The Alchemist transforms Cosmic Boy's costume into gold. The hero falls down.

ALCHEMIST (CONT'D)

But it is very heavy! And don't bother attacking me with metal objects! I'll just turn them into gold! So take that, pretty boy!

WEIGHT WIZARD AND STAR BOY

The shocked hero points at the smirking villain.

WEIGHT WIZARD

Your gravitational pull means nothing to the Weight Wizard! I can make myself weigh one gram whenever I want!

The villain easily leaps at the hero and lands on top of him. Weight Wizard sits on Star Boy's chest and pins his arms to the ground.

WEIGHT WIZARD (CONT'D)

Of course, I can also make myself weigh a megagram or two!

The hero groans under the villain's weight.

SPIDER GIRL AND INVISIBLE KID

The hero turns invisible while the villainess extends her tresses.

SPIDER GIRL

You can hide in plain sight, but Spider Girl always catches her prey in her web! Her long red hair wraps its strands around the EMPTY OUTLINE of Invisible Kid's body. Then her hair expands some more and slams the outline against a wall. The unconscious hero turns visible again. Spider Girl retracts her hair.

AMNESIA AND CHAMELEON BOY

He has a puzzled look on his face. She smiles viciously.

AMNESIA

What's the matter, Chameleon Boy? Did you forget how to use your shapeshifting power? As well as your martial-arts skills?

The villainess yells very loudly as she leaps at the hero's face. She kicks him in the jaw. He falls on his back, and she lands and karate chops him in the neck. He passes out. She smiles viciously at him.

AMNESIA (CONT'D)
Did that bring back memories?

She laughs while she fixes her hair.

THE CENTAUR AND COLOSSAL BOY

The villain lassos the hero's neck. Colossal Boy grabs the rope.

COLOSSAL BOY (V.O.) Elastic rope! It will stretch with me if I grow! And shrink with me when I become normal size! But I can yank it out of his hands!

Colossal Boy tries to pull the rope away from the Centaur, but the villain holds onto it. He flicks his wrist, and the rope expands and smacks the hero in his face. He passes out.

CENTAUR

How about that? A centaur can be stronger than a giant!

MORLO AND TRIPLICATE GIRL

She turns into THREE TRIPLICATE GIRLS. He uses a stylized gun to spray many strands onto the heroines. The strands stick to their costumes and exposed skin.

TRIPLICATE GIRL ONE

Hey!

TRIPLICATE GIRL TWO

What the sprock?

The strands cover up the mouth of the third Triplicate Girl.

TRIPLICATE GIRL THREE

MMMMFFF!

MORLO

Careful, Triplicate Girls! If you merge together, you'll rip the skin off your faces, hands, and legs! And then you'll bleed to death!

THE LEVITATING HAG AND SHRINKING VIOLET

The heroine quickly shrinks out of sight.

HAG

Come back here, Shrinking Violet!

The heroine quickly grows beneath the villainess.

SHRINKING VIOLET

How-How did you do that?

HAG

Trade secret, my little pretty! Now go to sleep!

Shrinking Violet quickly passes out.

CENTAUR AND THE UNCONSCIOUS COLOSSAL BOY

EVILLO (V.O.)

Centaur! Knock out the remaining Legionnaires except Saturn Girl!

CENTAUR

Yes, Evillo!

The Centaur flicks his wrist, and the noose unloops off of Colossal Boy's neck. The Centaur twirls the noose over his head. Then he lets it fly.

MONTAGE

The noose hits the top of Star Boy's head. He passes out. Then it hits the back of Cosmic Boy's head. He passes out. Then it smacks Shrinking Violet's face. She passes out. Then it hits the three Triplicate Girls upside their heads. One by one, they pass out.

CENTAUR (V.O.)

Now what?

EVILLO, APOLLO, SATURN GIRL, AND GREMLIN

She looks lovingly at Apollo.

EVILLO

Drag the Legionnaires to where the Triplicate Girls are!

CENTAUR (V.O.)

Yes, sir!

EVILLO

Saturn Girl...

She scowls as she looks at him.

SATURN GIRL

Yes?

EVILLO

Tell me whether or not the Viking has defeated the Bodyguards. We lost contact with them when the Gremlin destroyed your flight rings.

GREMLIN

You told me to do that! So they couldn't fly away to safety!

EVILLO

And you did well. I commend you.

SATURN GIRL

Calm down, Gremlin. Let me check on the Viking.

She closes her eyes and puts her fingers to her temples.

THE VIKING, THE BODYGUARDS, AND R.J.

The villain still blows the heroes against the wall while he takes a torch out of his pants pocket. He presses a button on the torch, and it creates a long, bright fire.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

I see he was prepared for a Polar Boy ice storm and a Color Kid blackout.

Stone Boy turns into his rocky form. He drops a few inches.

SATURN GIRL (V.O. CONT'D) Stone Boy tried to hit the floor in his heavy rocky form. But the wind kept him from causing an earthquake that would have knocked the Viking on his nass.

Chlorophyll Kid shakes his head as he realizes something.

SATURN GIRL (V.O. CONT'D) Chlorophyll Kid thought he could make a gigantic tree grow over the Viking and knock him out. Or kill him. But then he realized that the tree might grow too large and crush everyone.

The wind forces Fire Lad's head to look at Night Girl.

SATURN GIRL (V.O. CONT'D) And Fire Lad can't use his fiery breath without burning Night Girl.

DREAM GIRL

She strikes a sexy pose with a sultry smile as she puts her fingers on the straps of her bathing-suit costume.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)
(with a forceful tone)
That's it, Nura! Force yourself!

CAMERA ZOOMS IN ON HER FACE as she exposes her breasts.

SATURN GIRL (V.O. CONT'D) (in a regular tone)
And Dream Girl is totally helpless.
As usual.

THE STUNNED VIKING

He stops blowing into the horn as he looks at the off-camera Dream Girl with a lusty expression.

SATURN GIRL (V.O. CONT'D) The Viking is blowing the smoke and hot air at the Bodyguards. They're close to passing out.

The torch ices over, and the Viking shivers a lot.

SATURN GIRL (V.O. CONT'D)

(with a forceful tone)

Now knock him out and make R.J. switch clothes with him! Quickly!

The rocky Stone Boy flies into the Viking and knocks him out. R.J. lands and starts to disrobe. The male heroes land and strip the Viking with the human Stone Boy's help. Night Girl lands and turns her back to the men.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

(in a regular tone)

Three of them have already passed out. Give the Viking a few more minutes, and they will all be unconscious.

EVILLO, APOLLO, AND SATURN GIRL

EVILLO

(beams with evil glee)

Perfect.

(yells to the side)

Hag, bring Kid Psycho down here with the other Legionnaires!

THE CENTAUR AND THE UNCONSCIOUS LEGIONNAIRES

He holds up Cosmic Boy and Lightning Lad in his hands. Star Boy and Shrinking Violet lie on his equine back. The Centaur quickly approaches the bound Triplicate Girls.

HAG (V.O.)

Yes, Evillo!

Kid Psycho materializes next to the Legionnaires while the Centaur drops his captives.

RESUME EVILLO, APOLLO, AND SATURN GIRL

Saturn Girl opens her eyes and lowers her hands.

SATURN GIRL

The Viking is the only one standing in the flying room.

EVILLO

Perfect.

(to the side)

Hag, I now want you to teleport the Viking, Brande, and the Bodyguards here.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

And her answer will be...

THE LEVITATING HAG

She looks downward to the side.

HAG

They're too far away! I'll need to teleport to them first!

EVILLO (V.O.)

So be it!

HAG

Hostages, coming right up!

She disappears.

RESUME EVILLO, APOLLO, AND SATURN GIRL

Evillo looks at her.

EVILLO

Now I want you to hypnotize the Legionnaires into becoming loyal only to me. Evillo.

SATURN GIRL

Yes, master. But it is going to take me several minutes.

APOLLO

Of course, dear. Now please do it.

SATURN GIRL

Yes, Apollo.

She walks over to the Legionnaires. Then she closes her eyes and puts her fingers to her temples.

INT. THE FLYING ROOM - NIGHT

The Bodyguards fake being unconscious on the floor. The disguised Viking lies face down. The disguised R.J. has his back to the camera. He bends down and examines the Viking. Then the Hag materializes in the air with her back to the camera.

HAG

Good work, Viking. Now get ready to--

THE DISGUISED R.J. AND THE HAG - ANOTHER ANGLE

R.J. turns around and blows the horn. It creates a mighty wind that slams the Hag into the wall. She is dazed.

DREAM GIRL (V.O.)

Oracles! It is Xola!

THE BODYGUARDS

They get up off the floor. R.J. stops blowing the horn and stays with the Viking.

NIGHT GIRL

How can you tell?

DREAM GIRL

She gives off my twin's vibes!

They run to the dazed Hag. Dream Girl points to her.

DREAM GIRL (CONT'D)

I cast this spell to change you back! Now transform into Xola Aq!

The Hag turns into the stunned White Witch. Color Kid looks at Dream Girl.

COLOR KID

I thought you were the prophet!

DREAM GIRL

Prophetess. Sorcerers sometimes lose their identities when they change their looks for the first time. And they also are the victims of the evil wizards' shapeshifting spells. So each sorcerer has a trusted loved one to transform her or him back to normal if need be.

COLOR KID

(totally confused)

Allllll right.

WHITE WITCH

What the spell?

DREAM GIRL

(smiles knowingly)

You were turned into the Hag by the Devil's Dozen.

WHITE WITCH

The Devil's Dozen?

DREAM GIRL

Evillo's group of super-villains.

WHITE WITCH

Wait. It's all coming back to me. I took away your prophecy power as the Hag. So how do you know about the Devil's Dozen?

DREAM GIRL

Saturn Girl told us everything with her telepathy.

WHITE WITCH

But she fell victim to Apollo's love spell. How did she betray him?

DREAM GIRL

Easy. Telepaths are really good at mind games.

The others look at her.

APOLLO, EVILLO, AND THE ASSASSINS

Evillo projects black beams from his horns. They shine on the Assassins. The six disappear, and he stops emitting the beams. Evillo smirks as he caresses his horns.

EVILLO

So much for our rivals.

APOLLO

Why did you send them to the Realm of Darkness? Why not have Saturn Girl hypnotize them into joining us?

EVILLO

She said that the Dark Man had warped their minds. So they might be immune to her telepathy. Or her power may drive them insane. You want to take on some berserk super-villains?

APOLLO

You could have at least saved the women for me.

EVILLO

You want women with super-strength and sharp claws? Kinky. Not to mention hazardous to your health.

Evillo looks at Apollo's pelvis. Then he groans and shudders with imaginary pain. Apollo scowls at him.

APOLLO

I wasn't going to let them touch me down there!

EVILLO

I know I wouldn't!

Fire Lad materializes in front of them. The hero projects flames out of his mouth. The flames burn the villains' faces, and they scream in pain. Fire Lad then inhales the flames, which puts out their fiery heads. Apollo and Evillo have third-degree burns on their faces. Fire Lad quickly smashes their heads together, and they pass out.

MORLO AND THE CHEMOID

Polar Boy materializes in front of them. The hero freezes the Chemoid completely while he creates an ice club in his free hand. Then Polar Boy knocks Morlo out with the club.

AMNESIA

Stone Boy materializes in front of her in his flying rocky form. He crashes into her.

THE ALCHEMIST

Dream Girl materializes in front of him. She gestures with her ring hand, and he quickly flies upward, crashes his head on the metal ceiling, and passes out. When he falls down, the part of the ceiling he touched turns into gold.

SPIDER GIRL

Chlorophyll Kid materializes behind her and quickly throws some seeds at her. The seeds instantly grow into vines that bind Spider Girl and her hair.

CHLOROPHYLL KID
Mardru prison vines! Complete with
their own adhesive sap!

Spider Girl tries to make her tresses slip out of the vines, but her hair is stuck to them. He grins as he tips her over.

THE CENTAUR

He twirls his lasso as R.J. materializes in front of him. R.J. blows into the horn, and its mighty wind slams the Centaur into the wall. He passes out.

THE GREMLIN

GREMLIN

No! You won't catch me that easily!

He gestures to the side.

R.J.

The horn hanging around his neck breaks apart while the strap snaps in two. The pieces fall to the floor.

RESUME THE GREMLIN

He turns around, and the White Witch materializes over him. She points at him. He slowly passes out and falls to the floor. She smirks at him.

WHITE WITCH

I barely had to move my finger.

THE WEIGHT WIZARD

He quickly leaps with giant strides like he barely weighs an ounce. He goes to the crying Saturn Girl and the unconscious Legionnaires. His voice-over reflects his racing thoughts.

WEIGHT WIZARD (V.O.)

What to do? What to do? Knock out Saturn Girl first! Then threaten to crush the Legionnaires to death! Then force R.J. to--

The scene quickly fades to black.

WEIGHT WIZARD (V.O. CONT'D)

N000000000!

THE WEIGHT WIZARD IN THE DIM LIGHT

He falls down. Then Night Girl materializes in front of him. He struggles to get up. She grabs his shirt and yanks him off his feet.

WEIGHT WIZARD

Oh, nass!

She punches him, and he goes flying.

COLOR KID IN THE DIM LIGHT

He is lost in the darkness. Then Weight Wizard crashes into the wall next to him. The villain passes out.

COLOR KID

Is that everyone?

NIGHT GIRL (V.O.)

Yes, Ulu! You can turn the lights on now!

Color Kid gestures, and the dark room instantly lights up. Color Kid rubs his eyes as he adjusts to the light. Then he looks all around.

HIS POV PANNING THE ROOM

Fire Lad stands over the unconscious Evillo and Apollo.

Polar Boy stands over the unconscious Morlo. The hero tips the frozen Chemoid over, and it shatters into many pieces.

The mostly-human Stone Boy stands over the unconscious Amnesia. His head and fists are in their rocky forms. He waves a fist to the off-camera Color Kid.

Dream Girl strikes a sexy pose as she levitates over the unconscious Alchemist. The ground beneath him is gold.

Chlorophyll Kid bends down and puts a magenta plant over Spider Girl's nose and mouth. She slowly passes out. Then he makes more seeds grow into magenta plants next to her.

White Witch hovers over R.J. and the unconscious Centaur and Gremlin. She gestures, and the unconscious and levitating Viking materializes next to R.J. She gestures once more, and R.J. and the Viking change costumes. R.J. feels his outfit, sniffs the air, beams, and loudly exhales.

R.J.

Ahhhhhhh! Thank Grife for clean clothes!

Night Girl comforts Saturn Girl, who wipes tears from her cheeks.

NIGHT GIRL

Don't cry, Imra. We're here now, and everything is all right.

SATURN GIRL

Nothing is all right! I feel like I betrayed Garth!

NIGHT GIRL

You were under a love spell. After all, it's not the first time that a Legionnaire was mind controlled. Garth will understand. Remember. Lars Hanscom hypnotized him into becoming the evil Starfinger.

COLOR KID AND THE UNCONSCIOUS WEIGHT WIZARD

The puzzled hero looks into the camera and silently mouths, "Starfinger?" Then he looks at the villain. Color Kid half-smiles while he arches his eyebrows because he thinks Weight Wizard is cute.

COLOR KID

What a waste of a hot hunk.

THE WHITE WITCH'S MONTAGE

She frees the Triplicate Girls from their bonds, and they merge into one girl again. The White Witch turns Cosmic Boy's costume back to normal. Then she restores Chameleon Boy's memory as evidenced when he shakes his head, looks at her, and silently says, "Nura!" She also repairs Brainiac Five's belt and the Legionnaires' flight rings.

EVILLO AND HIS VILLAINS

They lie unconscious on the floor with magenta ether plants on their faces.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

Good work, Ral. They're completely unconscious. Now I'll tell the Legionnaires how you Bodyguards defeated the Devil's Dozen with my secret help.

FLASHBACK - EVILLO, APOLLO, SATURN GIRL, AND GREMLIN

EVILLO

Saturn Girl...

She scowls as she looks at him.

SATURN GIRL

Yes?

EVILLO

Tell me whether or not the Viking has defeated the Bodyguards.

FREEZE FRAME

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

Evillo thought that because I was Apollo's love slave, I would obey his orders. Actually, I would only obey Apollo's orders.

THE DISGUISED R.J., THE DISGUISED VIKING, AND THE BODYGUARDS

The heroes lie down and fake being unconscious while R.J. makes sure that the Viking remains asleep.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

So I lied to Evillo and told him that the Viking had defeated the Bodyguards. All the while I was setting the Devil's Dozen up with my thought control. First I had Dream Girl distract the Viking so R.J. could take his place.

R.J., THE BODYGUARDS, AND THE LEGIONNAIRES

Saturn Girl stands in the middle of the scene. She has her eyes closed and her fingers to her temples. Star Boy gives Dream Girl a dirty look while they talk in front of the others.

STAR BOY

That's how you defeated the Viking?

DREAM GIRL

Oh, cool up, Thom. You just be glad that he wasn't a homosexual.

STAR BOY

That's supposed to make me feel better?

DREAM GIRL

It worked, didn't it?

Saturn Girl interrupts without opening her eyes or lowering her hands.

SATURN GIRL

Anyway!

FLASHBACK - APOLLO, EVILLO AND THE ASSASSINS

Evillo's horns project black beams on them, and they vanish.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

Apollo told me to obey Evillo's order to hypnotize my friends. So I had to do it. Then Evillo sent the Assassins into the Realm of Darkness. While I was disgusted that I couldn't stop it, it gave the Bodyguards some extra time to prepare for battle.

THE DEVIL'S DOZEN AND BODYGUARDS' MONTAGE

The heroes materialize next to the villains.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

I secretly separated the villains here. Then I had the White Witch teleport each Bodyguard to one villain. Except for Fire Lad.

FLASHBACK - EVILLO, APOLLO, AND FIRE LAD

Fire Lad burns their faces with his fiery breath.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

I made sure that Evillo stayed next to Apollo no matter what. Which was hard to do because I was in love with Apollo.

FLASHBACK - THE CHEMOID AND LIGHTNING LAD

The rubber robot absorbs the hero's lightning.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

But I saw what the Chemoid did to Lightning Lad, which sprocked me off. And my love for Garth gave me the strength to resist Apollo's love spell.

The Chemoid stretches its arms and enlarges its fists. Then he knocks Lightning Lad out.

LIGHTNING LAD (V.O.)

Ah, Imra. That's the nicest thing you ever said about me. That was worth almost having my jaw broken.

FLASHBACK - THE GREMLIN AND THE DISGUISED R.J.

The villain destroys the horn.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

I also made the Gremlin afraid of the Viking's horn so he wouldn't hit us with his hexes.

The White Witch materializes over the Gremlin and makes him pass out.

SATURN GIRL (V.O. CONT'D)

Which delayed him long enough for Xola to get done with all of her teleportation spells.

LIGHTNING LAD (V.O.)

Uh, Irma, dear. I think we got the picture. You're showing off again.

SATURN GIRL (V.O. CONT'D)

Whoops. Sorry, everybody.

POLAR BOY, SATURN GIRL AND THE UNCONSCIOUS REJECTS

Saturn Girl has her eyes closed and her fingers to her temples. Again.

SATURN GIRL

Most of the villains here are Legion rejects. Now I'm going to tell you how they all became the Devil's Dozen.

POLAR BOY

Great. More exposition telepathy.

She points to the side. He looks in that direction.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

Evillo...

THE UNCONSCIOUS EVILLO

COLOR KID (V.O.)

That can not possibly be his real name.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

Strangely enough, that is his real name. Now be quiet, newbie.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

Yes, ma'am!

THE UNCONSCOIUS MORLO AND THE FROZEN CHEMOID PIECES

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

He made contact with Dr. Mantis Morlo, who created the Chemoid robot. It could become different elements, compounds, and alloys.

R.J. (V.O.)

The mad scientist and his monster. Check.

THE UNCONSCIOUS APOLLO

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

He also made contact with Apollo. Apollo seduced the Countess Krantur into financing the Devil's Dozen.

R.J. (V.O.)

Oh, no! Is she all right?

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

She's fine, R.J. Apollo made her fall asleep in her own bed.

R.J. (V.O.)

Oh, thank Grife!

MORLO AND THE CASUALLY DRESSED ALCHEMIST

Morlo operates the machine on the cart. The dazed Alchemist wears headphones that are connected to the machine.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

The Countess lured the rejects to her penthouse with the promise of employment. Then the Mnemonic Kid ...sorry, Amnesia...erased their memories. And finally, Morlo used his Mnemosyne powder and memory—implant machine to give them evil identities.

POLAR BOY (V.O.)

Mnemosyne powder?

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

It makes false memories permanent.

SATURN GIRL

She keeps her eyes closed and her fingers to her temples.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

Evillo wanted a telepath to join his team. So naturally he thought of me. And who could blame him?

LIGHTNING LAD (V.O.)

Imra!

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

Sorry. The Devil's Dozen watched us Legionnaires revive at the Plaza on the hologram. So Evillo sent Apollo to mesmerize me. Apollo thought it would be easy once we linked minds.

FLASHBACK - THE LEVITATING WHITE WITCH AND APOLLO

She smiles in delight as she flies down to him. He smiles back at her.

SATURN GIRL (V.O.)

But by the time he arrived at the plaza, we were already gone. He did see Xola relaxing in the sky, however. Thinking she was a new Legionnaire, he seduced her in order to pick her brain. Imagine his surprise when he found out that she was the White Witch.

SATURN GIRL AND POLAR BOY

She approaches a console and rubs her forehead.

SATURN GIRL

And you know the rest. Now if you all will excuse me, I'm going to sit down with one nassy headache.

She sits down. White Witch approaches her.

WHITE WITCH

Save a seat for me. I'm feeling rather weak myself.

White Witch sits down while Brainiac Five approaches them. He stands in front of White Witch.

BRAINIAC FIVE

Let me examine you, Xola. You look absolutely terrible.

WHITE WITCH

(sarcastically)

Oh, you charmer you.

(frowns at him)

Why Supergirl picked you to be her boyfriend, I'll never know.

Brainiac Five takes a small device from inside his belt.

BRAINIAC FIVE

Cute. Now sit still.

He adjusts the controls on his device. Then he touches her forehead with it. The device makes an annoying buzzing noise. Brainiac Five grimaces at his machine.

WHITE WITCH

Uh, oh.

BRAINIAC FIVE

Your magic is almost completely gone. Your mystic scale is down to over one percent. You really should have let me repair my belt and the flight rings.

WHITE WITCH

But I had to repair those things. I couldn't restore Nura's power because undoing my spells cost me too much magic. You all had to be prepared in case of an emergency.

COLOR KID AND NIGHT GIRL

He whispers to her.

COLOR KID

The Legion doesn't have any extra flight rings?

NIGHT GIRL

Only about seven. They're made out of Valorium, which is the antigravity metal. It's very rare and can't be duplicated. Even Element Lad can't reproduce it with his transmutation power.

COLOR KID

Oh. So why didn't Brainiac Five give the Legionnaires their own force-field belts? Are the belts' components also very rare?

NIGHT GIRL

No, strangely enough. But only the Coluans can make the belts create their force fields. They run on the Coluans' personal bio-energy.

COLOR KID

But Brainiac Five doesn't have a few spare belts for himself?

NIGHT GIRL

No.

(a beat, ponders)
Okay, that doesn't make any sense.

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.) Coluan law prevents me from having more than one belt.

The heroes are startled as they look to the side.

NIGHT GIRL

You heard us whispering from all the way over there?

BRAINIAC FIVE AND WHITE WITCH

He puts the device on her wrist under her palm. He looks at the Interlac numbers on the screen.

BRAINIAC FIVE

I have excellent hearing.

INTERCUT - NIGHT GIRL AND BRAINIAC FIVE

NIGHT GIRL

So tell us about the belt law.

BRAINIAC FIVE

There's not much to tell. Some Coluans have nervous breakdowns after overworking themselves in their laboratories. Especially those Coluans stationed on other worlds.

NIGHT GIRL

What does that have to do with anything?

BRAINIAC FIVE

Imagine if they had a large supply of those belts at their disposal. Now you talk about weapons of mass destruction.

NIGHT GIRL

Of course. One force field could be contained somewhat easily. But a lot of them could do major damage.

BRAINIAC FIVE

Exactly.

BRAINIAC FIVE AND WHITE WITCH

BRAINIAC FIVE

And speaking of damage, you are very lucky that you did not hurt yourself, Xola. Until your magic fully recharges itself, I am officially relieving you of your duties.

WHITE WITCH

No! You can't do that!

BRAINIAC FIVE

I must. You are too valuable an asset to the Legion.

R.J. AND DREAM GIRL

They nod in agreement as they both say, "Amen!" in unison.

BRAINIAC FIVE (V.O.)

And to the Bodyquards as well.

RESUME BRAINIAC FIVE AND WHITE WITCH

BRAINIAC FIVE

Starting immediately, you are on a one-week paid vacation. And no casting spells. Doctor's orders.

WHITE WITCH

I have to live like a mortal? But that's a fate worse than death!

RESUME R.J. AND DREAM GIRL

They nod in agreement and say, "Amen!" in unison again.

WHITE WITCH (V.O)

Oh, shut up!

COLOR KID AND NIGHT GIRL

COLOR KID

Wait a minute. Duplicate Boy of the Heroes of Lallor can use any super-power. I'm sure if Shrinking Violet asked him nicely, he would take Xola's place temporarily.

SHRINKING VIOLET AND COLOSSAL BOY

She speaks sheepishly while he gives her a look of jealousy.

SHRINKING VIOLET

Uhhh, he can't duplicate magical powers. Sorry.

COLOSSAL BOY

Hmph! So he does have one weakness!

She gives him a confused look.

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

And the sorcerers of Zerox will not replace me...even temporarily... because they are quite busy keeping Mordru the Merciless in check now.

BRAINIAC FIVE AND WHITE WITCH

BRAINIAC FIVE

I deduce that this Mordru is the most evil and powerful wizard in the universe.

WHITE WITCH

Well, they're not going to keep the nicest and weakest wizard in check. Duhhhhhh.

He crosses his arms and glares at her.

BRAINIAC FIVE

I see that *somebody* is going to be a cranky patient.

The White Witch quickly becomes contrite.

WHITE WITCH

I do apologize for snapping at you, Querl. It isn't your fault that I overtaxed myself.

She crosses her arms and her legs while she frowns.

WHITE WITCH (CONT'D)

I just hate being one of the crowd.

RESUME R.J. AND DREAM GIRL

They are about to speak in unison when they hear:

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

And don't you two dare say, "Amen!"

SATURN GIRL, BRANIAC FIVE, AND WHITE WITCH

WHITE WITCH

Now what are we going to do with the Devil's Dozen?

BRAINIAC FIVE

Evillo, Apollo, and Morlo will be going to Takron-Galtos. But even I'm stumped as to what to do with their amnesia victims. I don't know anything that would restore their memories.

Saturn Girl puts her hand to her chin in contemplation.

SATURN GIRL

I may know someone.

BRAINIAC FIVE

Who?

SATURN GIRL

I don't know her actual name, but her official title at the Titan Institute is Lady Memory. She has an excellent record in making our amnesia victims recover their memories.

BRAINIAC FIVE

"Our amnesia victims?" She only helps your fellow Titanites?

SATURN GIRL

Well, yes. Of course, our being telepathic helps.

BRAINIAC FIVE

No wonder I never heard of her. Do you think she can help these poor people?

SATURN GIRL

It's worth a try. I'm sure that I
can have Xamuel Ivar send her here.

COLOR KID AND NIGHT GIRL

He whispers to her.

COLOR KID

Xamuel Ivar?

NIGHT GIRL

He's the Prime Minster of Titan. And one of Imra's best friends in their government.

COLOR KID

I take it every Legionnaire kisses every nass of their home world's officials.

NIGHT GIRL

Well, that's what makes the United Planets go round.

R.J. (V.O.)

Tell Ivar to charge Lady Memory's trip here to me, Imra.

RESUME SATURN GIRL, BRAINIAC FIVE, AND WHITE WITCH

SATURN GIRL

Yes, R.J.

BRAINIAC FIVE

I'll arrange for the amnesia victims to be transported to the Coluan Embassy. The scientists will keep them sedated and hooked up to intravenous tubes. I know that they would like to see if Lady Memory is successful with non-telepaths.

WHITE WITCH

What about the Assassins?

SATURN GIRL

I sense they were still alive when Evillo sent them to the Realm of Darkness. But when Evillo tried to retrieve his previous victims from there, they were always dead.

WHITE WITCH

Maybe I can save them with my magic.

Brainiac Five glares at her. She returns the dirty look.

BRAINIAC FIVE

Xolaaaaaa...

WHITE WITCH

After I rest and recharge my magic. Cool up, Brainiac Five.

R.J. AND DREAM GIRL

R.J.

Just tell me where you want to go, and I'll pay the bill, Xola.

DREAM GIRL

I know where you should go, sis. There's a vacation planet called Karak. You can take in the sights and be part of their festivities.

WHITE WITCH (V.O.)

But I don't want to go by myself.

R.J.

You won't. I think we've all earned a vacation. So pack up your things, Bodyguards. We're going to Karak.

Star Boy approaches Dream Girl.

STAR BOY

Do you mind if I join you there, Nura? I'm the next Legionnaire scheduled for a vacation.

DREAM GIRL

Do I mind?

She passionately embraces and kisses him. His eyes pop out. Then she lets him go. He inhales very deeply.

DREAM GIRL (CONT'D)

Does that answer your question?

They look lovingly into each other's eyes. They close their eyes and are about to kiss again. R.J. puts his hand between their lips. They kiss it instead and open their eyes.

R.J.

That's enough of that.

They look at R.J., who wipes his hand on Star Boy's cape.

R.J. (CONT'D)

I'll pay for your trip and hotel room, Thom. But I do want you and the Bodyguards to remain at Xola's side at all times. I don't want her left alone.

STAR BOY

You can count on me, sir.

A WORLD IN OUTER SPACE

SUPER: THE PLANET KORLON

DARK MAN (V.O.)

Uli Algor, attend me.

RAINBOW GIRL (V.O.)

Yes, sire.

DARK MAN (V.O.)

It is time to test your new powers on my slaves.

INT. A DUNGEON - DAY

Several MALE SLAVES are in computerized prison cells. There is one slave per cell. RAINBOW GIRL enters via the hallway between the cells. She is a pretty woman with light brown hair. She is also hypnotized. The slaves grunt with lust and reach out for her. Then they become berserk.

RAINBOW GIRL

Master! They are unruly!

DARK MAN (V.O.)

Behave, slaves!

The slaves become hypnotized. They calm down and stand back.

DARK MAN (V.O. CONT'D) Use your red power on a slave.

Rainbow Girl projects a red ray on SLAVE ONE. He becomes immobile. Then she stops projecting the ray.

DARK MAN (V.O. CONT'D) Good. You stopped his muscles so much that his heart no longer beats. He can not even fall with his muscles being locked. Now use your orange power on another slave.

She projects an orange ray on SLAVE TWO. He instantly sweats and becomes flushed as she stops projecting the ray. He groans as he falls to his knees. Then he bursts into orange flames. He quickly turns into ashes.

DARK MAN (V.O. CONT'D) Good. You created spontaneous human combustion. Now use your yellow power on another slave.

She projects a yellow light on SLAVE THREE. He blinks very quickly. Then he covers his eyes while she stops projecting the ray.

DARK MAN (V.O. CONT'D) Good. Your brilliance disabled his optic nerves temporarily. Now use your green power on another slave.

She projects a green light on SLAVE FOUR. He falls on the floor as his body convulses. She stops projecting the ray as he shakes uncontrollably.

DARK MAN (V.O. CONT'D) Good. You activated his muscles so that they were always on the go. Now use your blue power on another slave.

She projects a blue light on SLAVE FIVE. He shivers while his teeth chatters. Then his skin turns blue, and he dies.

DARK MAN (V.O. CONT'D)
Good. You negated his body heat
(MORE)

DARK MAN (V.O. CONT'D)

to the point of death. Now use you violet ray on another slave.

She projects a violet ray on SLAVE SIX. He disappears. She stops projecting the ray.

DARK MAN (V.O. CONT'D)

Good. You rendered him invisible. Now use your perfume spray to make the living slaves normal again.

She takes out a small spray pump from her dress pocket. She sprays a liquid mist into the empty cell. Slave Six becomes visible again and smiles. Then she sprays the convulsing Slave Four. He stops shaking and stands up. Then she sprays the blind Slave Three. He shakes his head, blinks his eyes, and widens them. Then he looks at her.

INT. A FUTURISTIC LIVING ROOM - DAY

The DARK MAN stands in silhouette in the foreground. Rainbow Girl wears a lavender dress with rainbow armbands and lapel.

DARK MAN

Now activate the auras and smile like you are a celebrity.

RAINBOW GIRL

Yes, sire.

She smiles as she touches the armbands and lapel. Then her head and hands glow in rainbow auras. She quickly strikes a pose worthy of paparazzi's pictures.

DARK MAN

Good. Now no one will suspect your true identity. From this moment on, you are Rainbow Girl.

RAINBOW GIRL

Yes, sire.

DARK MAN

Kenz Nuhor, attend me.

KENZ (V.O.)

Yes, sire.

The hypnotized KENZ NUHOR approaches them. He is a stern-looking and muscular man about Dream Girl's age. He is also hypnotized.

DARK MAN

Tell me your destiny while you use your power.

KENZ

Yes, sire.

Kenz sits on the couch and instantly falls asleep. At first he smiles. Then he screams in agony. He wakes up in a cold sweat and gasps for air.

DARK MAN

Compose yourself. Now.

Kenz quickly becomes hypnotized again. He breathes normally.

KENZ

Yes, sire.

DARK MAN

What did you foresee?

KENZ

Star Boy will definitely kill me tomorrow night on Karak, sire.

DARK MAN

In front of Dream Girl and the White Witch?

KEN7

Yes, sire. Just like you planned.

A ROCKET CRUISER IN OUTER SPACE

Kenz steers the stylized spaceship while Rainbow Girl sits next to him.

DARK MAN (V.O.)

And Brande and his SUBS?

KENZ (V.O.)

They will be restoring Karak's environment during my murder.

DARK MAN (V.O.)

Good. That's the perfect diversion.

R.J. (V.O.)

Listen up, Bodyguards. I decided to invest in Karak's land deals. But I'm going to need your help.

MONTAGE

Color Kid makes Chlorophyll Kid look like Brainiac Five. Then the disguised hero "uses his gun" to create more trees, fruits, and vegetables while Color Kid and R.J. hover next to him. Then Color Kid camouflages them to match the trees' leaves as a joke.

Polar Boy and Fire Lad hover over a reservoir with little water in it. Polar Boy projects coldness at Fire Lad, who projects fiery breath at him. Their powers combine between them and form a waterfall. The water quickly fills up the reservoir.

The nocturnal Night Girl holds the rocky Stone Boy up by his feet like he was a giant bat. Then she swings his head at the walls of several burnt buildings and knocks them down.

EXT. A FUTURISTIC PATIO AND SWIMMING POOL - NIGHT

White Witch wears a one-piece bathing suit and swims in the pool. Dream Girl and Star Boy both wear swimming suits with tops while they lay on the lounge chairs. An armed SCIENCE POLICE WOMAN stands guard by the glass door. Dream Girl wakes up, sits up, and yells to the White Witch.

DREAM GIRL

Xola! Get out of the pool! I had a
vision that you were drowning!

White Witch flies out of the water and lands on the edge of the pool. Star Boy sits up and looks at Dream Girl.

STAR BOY

What happened in your vision?

She ignores him and runs to the woman.

DREAM GIRL

We've got to get you out of here! Right now! Someone is going to kill you! You must believe me!

The woman takes her ray gun out of her holster.

WOMAN

I do! Now follow me--

The woman glows in a red aura. She screams and throws her gun at Star Boy's feet. Then she falls dead. The heroes yell in horror. Then Kenz hurls his body through the glass door. The shards cut into Dream Girl's body and swimsuit.

WHITE WITCH AND STAR BOY

NURA!

As Dream Girl bleeds and cries, Kenz stands up and aims his gun at Star Boy. He and White Witch point at him. Star Boy falls to the ground like he cannot support his own weight. White Witch falls unconscious into the pool.

DREAM GIRL

XOLA!

She flies into the pool. Kenz steps under the awning as he grimaces at Star Boy. Kenz aims his ray gun at the hero.

KENZ

Hello, Star Boy! I'm Kenz Nuhor!
I'm Nura's real boyfriend!

Dream Girl flies out of the water with the unconscious White Witch in her arms. Dream Girl gapes at Kenz.

DREAM GIRL

Kenz? Oh, no!

Kenz faces her. He talks way too calmly for comfort.

KENZ

I forgive you, Nura. I know you really love me. But you have to obey your visions. And they told you to be with this...Legionnaire!

DREAM GIRL

What did you do to him? And Xola?

KENZ

I now have the ability to make any super-power backfire. So Star Boy made himself super-heavy. And Xola cast a sleep spell on herself.

Star Boy slowly reaches for the woman's gun. Dream Girl sees this and keeps Kenz talking.

DREAM GIRL

How did you get that ability?

KENZ

I'm surprised at you, Nura.

Dream Girl levitates White Witch over the sidewalk near the pool. Kenz keeps his eyes on her.

KENZ (CONT'D)

You know Naltorian scientists are second only to the Coluans.

Dream Girl sets White Witch on the sidewalk.

KENZ (CONT'D)

My friends were able to give me this super-power fairly easily.

DREAM GIRL

But why, Kenz? Why did you kill that woman?

KEN7

Because she was the Science Police Officer acting as your bodyguard on this vacation planet. Standard operating procedure here for you superhuman law-enforcement agents.

DREAM GIRL

You didn't have to set your ray gun to kill!

KENZ

Oh, but I had to! Because I have to kill Star Boy!

Kenz starts to look at Star Boy, who stops reaching for the ray gun.

DREAM GIRL

No! You can't!

Kenz looks at her again. Star Boy tries for the gun.

KENZ

But I must! Once he's dead, you and I can be together again!

DREAM GIRL

Kenz, listen to me! Leave him and Xola alone, and I'll run away with you! We can be together forever!

KENZ

I wish that I could believe you. But I know that you're just saying that to save his life. I also know that we'll be happy again once he's dead. I saw it in my visions. Kenz turns to Star Boy, who uses the ray gun to fire a light beam at him. Kenz screams in agony as he fires his ray gun. His ray blast barely misses Star Boy. Kenz falls down dead. Star Boy groans as he lets go of the ray gun. Dream Girl flies to him.

DREAM GIRL

Thom! Are you all right?

STAR BOY

My weight will return to normal in a few minutes! But Grife! You need to stop your bleeding! Use our towels as tourniquets!

DREAM GIRL

Let me check on Kenz first!

She goes to Kenz while Star Boy glares at her.

STAR BOY

Nura!

DREAM GIRL

He was my boyfriend, Thom! I have to know if he's all right!

She examines him. Then she widens her eyes and covers her mouth in horror.

DREAM GIRL (CONT'D)

Oracles! He's dead!

STAR BOY

What?

DREAM GIRL

He's dead! Thom! You killed him!

They stare at each other.

INT. A HOTEL RESTAURANT - LATE NIGHT

R.J. and the Bodyguards sit at a long table. They look at the hologram of Dream Girl and White Witch that is projected from R.J.'s flight ring. Dream Girl is crying.

DREAM GIRL

The Karak Science Police took our depositions. But they're still talking to Thom. I haven't seen him for hours.

She wipes away her tears.

DREAM GIRL (CONT'D)

I'm afraid to use my power and find out his fate. I couldn't live with myself if he's found...

She lets out a loud sob. White Witch hugs her.

WHITE WITCH

Everything is going to be all right, Nura. Remember. Blame is for Kenz. Thom only acted in self-defense.

DREAM GIRL

If only I had distracted Kenz for a few more seconds.

WHITE WITCH

The woman's ray gun switched to the kill setting after she dropped it. Thom wouldn't have had time to change it to stun.

DREAM GIRL

But I could have--

R.J.

You did what you could under a very stressful situation, Nura. Please don't worry. If Thom needs legal representation, I will pay for it.

Dream Girl starts sobbing again. White Witch hugs her with all her might.

WHITE WITCH

Thank you, R.J. I hope it doesn't come to that.

Dream Girl lets out a small wail. White Witch looks at her.

WHITE WITCH (CONT'D)

Now, Nura, calm down. And give R.J. your heartfelt thanks.

Dream Girl composes herself.

DREAM GIRL

You're right, Xola. Thank you, R.J. I can't thank you enough.

R.J.

Is there anything else I can do for you?

DREAM GIRL

No. No, thank you, R.J.

WHITE WITCH

I'm going to fly Nura to the Karak Bistro now.

DREAM GIRL

What? No! I can't leave Thom! I have to stay here!

R.J.

Nura, staying in the Science Police Station isn't going to help Thom. Besides, you need to keep your strength up after losing all that blood. And Xola needs to do the same after healing your injuries. Now I order you both to fly to the Karak Bistro and charge your meal to me.

WHITE WITCH

You heard our sponsor, Nura.

DREAM GIRL

All right. But we're flying back here as soon as we're done eating.

R.J.

Agreed. Now go.

WHITE WITCH

We're going. Goodbye, everyone.

R.J. and the Bodyguards say variations of "Goodbye."

DREAM GIRL

Goodbye. And thanks again.

The hologram fades away. R.J. and the Bodyguards talk.

COLOR KID

I thought the Legionnaires had a policy against killing.

POLAR BOY

They do.

CHLOROPHYLL KID

But Star Boy acted in self-defense. He didn't...kill kill. He only used deadly force to save himself. And the sisters.

(a beat, ponders)
Well, Xola anyway.

NIGHT GIRL

It doesn't matter, Ral. He's going to be expelled from the Legion.

STONE BOY

But he didn't know that the ray gun was set to kill.

RAINBOW GIRL (V.O.)

What in the name of Xolnar are you all talking about?

R.J

Xolnar? Dori? Dori Aandraison?

He turns his head to the side. The others do the same. They all smile except for Color Kid. He is confused.

R.J. (CONT'D)

Color Kid, let me introduce you to Rainbow Girl.

THEIR POV

Rainbow Girl stands next to VORM, a Science Police Man. She smiles while he stands quard.

RAINBOW GIRL

Color Kid, huh? I bet we have a lot in common.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

Rainbow Girl? You were a charter member of the Bodyquards!

VORM

Miss Aandraison, are these people R.J. Brande and his Special Unit Bodyquards?

RAINBOW GIRL

Yes, Vorm.

She smiles and points to him in a ladylike fashion.

RAINBOW GIRL (CONT'D)

This is Vorm, one of my Science Police bodyguards. My government wouldn't let me fly here without them.

(with mock egotism)
Because I'm just that important.

She giggles. Vorm scowls at her.

R.J., RAINBOW GIRL, THE BODYGUARDS, AND VORM

Vorm stands guard by the table while the others sit and talk.

COLOR KID

I saw on the hologram that your government drafted you to work on their anti-terrorist squad.

RAINBOW GIRL

You read right, Ulu. When the Dark Circle began massacring my people, Madame President ordered me back home.

(now beams)

And my glowing pheromones quickly brought the nassheads down.

COLOR KID

They did? How?

RAINBOW GIRL

Madame President had me meet all of Xolnar's officials. And as it turns out, the Dark Circle had infiltrated our government with many of their agents.

POLAR BOY

Holy Grife. Imagine taking orders from a spy.

RAINBOW GIRL

But I made them betray the Dark Circle by telling me everything about that operation. And just yesterday, we captured the last of them.

R.J.

Congratulations, Dori.

RAINBOW GIRL

Thanks, R.J. I wish I didn't have to leave the Bodyguards. But I do take pride in saving my people from more terrorist attacks.

NIGHT GIRL

As well you should.

RAINBOW GIRL

Thanks, Lydda. Anyway, Madame President thought I was overdue for a vacation. And when I saw on the hologram that you were all here, I thought I would surprise you, and we could have an impromptu reunion.

(a beat, now frowns)
But I never imagined that someone would try to kill Thom.

POLAR BOY

It certainly cast a pall on the celebrations.

The WAITRESS approaches them with a floating cart that has their food and drinks on it. She is very perky.

WAITRESS

Hello again, everyone. Now I hope you gourmets are hungry. Because I brought you the best food on Karak.

She starts handing them the plates and goblets.

INT. R.J.'S HOTEL PENTHOUSE/LIVING ROOM - NIGHT

Vorm stands guard at the door. R.J., the Bodyguards, and Rainbow Girl sit on the sofa and chairs. They chuckle while they sip from their drinks. Color Kid looks at Rainbow Girl in astonishment.

COLOR KID

I don't believe this! You secretly used your power to win the Miss Xolnar contest?

RAINBOW GIRL

It was the only way I could make the trip to Earth for the Miss United Planets contest. Then I tried out for the Legion. She now scowls.

RAINBOW GIRL (CONT'D)

Saturn Girl rejected me because my pheromones only worked on the people close to me.

(now smiles)

So I offered my services to R.J. as his mesmerizing bodyguard.

R.J.

And thanks to Dori here, I found out that Markx Grimbor wanted to abduct me. That's the last time I use a locksmith from Leland's List.

Everyone chuckles except for Vorm. Then Rainbow Girl sighs and looks out the window.

RAINBOW GIRL

I wish I didn't have to leave my flight ring on Earth. I really miss flying. But Madame President was afraid that the Dark Circle would shoot me down if they saw me in the air. I'd give anything to fly one last time.

She gives an exaggerated wink to R.J. as she says, "Hint! Hint!" Then she laughs while he mockingly frowns at her.

R.J.

Well, that was subtle.

(now with a smile)

Would you like to borrow my flight ring, Dori?

RAINBOW GIRL

R.J.! I was kidding!

R.J.

Well, I'm not.

He takes off his ring and hands it to her.

R.J. (CONT'D)

Why don't you and the Bodyguards do a little late-night flying right now?

Vorm walks to them.

VORM

Uh, Miss Aandraison, I cannot allow you to do that. My orders are to keep you in my sight at all times.

R.J.

Oh, I forgot. I'm sorry, Dori. I don't want you to get in bad with your government.

RAINBOW GIRL

Cool up, Vorm. What if I fly just outside this penthouse where you can see me?

VORM

I guess that will be all right.

EXT. THE PENTHOUSE - NIGHT

R.J. and Vorm stand below the floating Rainbow Girl and Bodyguards. Rainbow Girl, Chlorophyll Kid, and Color Kid are a bit unsteady.

RAINBOW GIRL

Grife! Am I rusty!

POLAR BOY

I'm surprised at you, Dori. You were always our best flier.

NIGHT GIRL

You always could outmaneuver us.

RAINBOW GIRL

(with a vicious smile)
And speaking of outmaneuvering

you...

Rainbow Girl quickly lands and rubs her flight ring with her left hand's fingers. It sparkles. Then the Bodyguards' rings sparkle. The heroes crash onto the terrace floor.

R.J.

What the sprock?

Vorm aims his gun at R.J.

VORM

Stand perfectly still, R.J. While you still can.

Rainbow Girl shines a violet ray on Color Kid. He vanishes.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

I'm blind! I can't see! I can't
see! Where is everybody? Help me!

R.J.

Grife! You turned him invisible!

COLOR KID (V.O.)

I'm invisible?

Rainbow Girl shines a blue beam on Fire Lad and an orange ray on Polar Boy.

RAINBOW GIRL

Chills and fever, anyone?

Polar Boy points at her. She stops projecting the lights.

POLAR BOY

Sprock! You're not Dori!

Polar Boy suddenly becomes flushed as he sweats. Fire Lad shivers as he chatters his teeth.

RAINBOW GIRL

No nass, Zendak! Uli Algor at your service!

She turns around and shines a green beam at Chlorophyll Kid.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

Uli Algor? Who are you?

Chlorophyll Kid convulses violently, falls onto the terrace floor, and moves his arms, legs, and head uncontrollably.

NIGHT GIRL (V.O.)

I've got to get into the shadows!

Night Girl runs to a darkened area of the terrace with a lounge chair. Stone Boy runs to Rainbow Girl with his head and fists in their rocky forms. She turns and shines a red ray on him. He becomes immobile.

RAINBOW GIRL

Turn completely into stone or die!

STONE BOY (V.O.)

Holy Grife! I can't feel my heart beating anymore!

He turns completely into stone.

STONE BOY (V.O. CONT'D) I'm still alive! But if I change back, what will happen to me?

Night Girl lifts the lounge chair and is about to throw it when Rainbow Girl shines a yellow beam at her. Night Girl screams as she drops the lounge chair. Then she covers her eyes.

NIGHT GIRL I can't see! I'm blind!

COLOR KID (V.O.)

You, too?

NIGHT GIRL What did you do to me?

COLOR KID (V.O.) What did you do to us?

Rainbow Girl quickly approaches Night Girl as she keeps shining the yellow light on the heroine.

RAINBOW GIRL

First things first, Color Kid! Now come with me, Night Girl! I don't want you pounding the ground like Colossal Boy! And if you resist, Vorm will shoot R.J.!

Rainbow Girl drags Night Girl to the others and turns off the yellow light. Then Rainbow Girl looks at the visible Bodyguards.

RAINBOW GIRL (CONT'D)
I used the unique energy in my
body to deactivate your flight
rings! But first I had to wear one
in order to short-circuit them!
Now you can't use your com links
to call Dream Girl and the White
Witch!

VORM

And don't count on Dream Girl to use her power and find out what's happening here! I made sure that she would be too scared to have a vision!

NIGHT GIRL

You arranged it so Star Boy would kill that man?

R.J. gapes at Vorm.

R.J.

You're the Dark Man?

VORM

No nass, Zendak!

R.J.

Why are you doing this?

VORM

I'm just using my power to control twisted minds. So I can become the king of the universe.

R.J.

The usual sort of thing, huh?

VORM

Cute. I do admit that having Doctor Zan Orbal under my control helps. He's the scientist who gives my slaves their super-powers.

R.J.

So he really created the League of Super-Assassins?

VORM

Didn't I just say that?

R.J.

Actually, no. You implied it. But you didn't say it.

VORM

Anyway. He also gives them plastic surgery if need be. Which is very ironic since he can't have plastic surgery done on his face.

R.J.

Even with our modern technology?

VORM

What can I say? It was one mass of a lab accident.

R.J.

I take it that you don't want to kill us. Otherwise, you would have done it by now. So what do you want with us?

VORM

Just twist your minds so much that I can control them.

R.J.

Oh, is that all? And how do you intend to do that?

VORM

"Rainbow Girl" accomplished phase one of my plan. She incapacitated your Bodyquards.

COLOR KID (V.O.)

She made me invisible so I can't use my power! The light waves bend around my body! So I can't change any colors! It also explains why I'm blind! I don't have Invisible Kid's infra-red eye implants!

VORM

But we do.

VORM'S POV

Color Kid and his background give off psychedelic versions of the color scheme.

VORM (V.O.)

I can see your thermographic image just fine. So can Uli.

COLOR KID

Oh, my Grife!

VORM (V.O.)

So don't try to sneak up on us.

RESUME VORM, R.J., RAINBOW GIRL, AND THE VISIBLE BODYGUARDS

VORM

Now I'm going to use my ray gun to warp your minds. And then I'll take you all to Doctor Orbal. And (MORE) VORM (CONT'D)

he'll give you extra super-powers. More than enough for you all to defeat the Legionnaires. Then I'll warp their minds, too. And all of you heroes will become my slave army. A simple but effective plan, wouldn't you say?

Vorm walks closer to R.J. and aims the ray gun at his head.

R.J.

(with a brave smile)
Give it up, Vorm! The Science
Police knows what you're up to!
When I said, "What the sprock?"
it activated the radio signal in
my armband! And it relayed your
words to the nearest precinct!

VORM

(with a vicious smile)
Sorry to tell you this, Jimmy
Olsen, but your signal watch is
worthless. I thought you might
pull something like that. So I
jammed every signal possible
with my belt-buckle device. And
if you scream for help, my device
will keep your voice at a regular
level.

(with a head shrug)
I thought of everything.

R.J.

Son of a nass!

VORM

Now don't worry, R.J. You'll have a five-minute migraine. And then you'll become my sponsor slash slave. Hey, that's better than getting killed, isn't it?

R.J.

(dryly)

I guess.

Vorm and Rainbow Girl scream. Then they cover their eyes. R.J. punches Vorm, who drops his gun. Then R.J. karate kicks Vorm in the groin. Vorm groans and falls to his knees. R.J. knocks him out with a double karate chop to his neck.

Then R.J. runs to Rainbow Girl, but he collides into the invisible Color Kid. The unseen Bodyguard falls into Rainbow Girl, who falls on her back, knocks her head against the terrace floor, and passes out.

R.J

Ulu, are you all right?

COLOR KID (V.O.)

I'm fine! What happened to them?

R.J.

They're unconscious!

COLOR KID (V.O.)

Good! It worked!

R.J. gets up and approaches Vorm.

R.J.

What did you do?

PURE WHITENESS

COLOR KID (V.O.)

I made the thermographic images here a pure and blinding white! I didn't know I could do that!

RESUME R.J., VORM, RAINBOW GIRL, AND THE VISIBLE BODYGUARDS

NIGHT GIRL

Thank Grife you did!

R.J.

I'll second that!

R.J. yanks the belt-buckle device out off of Vorm. Then R.J. smashes it under his foot.

R.J. (CONT'D)

Now everyone be quiet!

He talks to his armband.

R.J. (CONT'D)

What the sprock?

(a beat, louder)

Science Police, send help to the penthouse suite of the Interlac Palace in Karak City! Two super(MORE)

R.J. (CONT'D)

villains tried to kidnap us! And please contact Dream Girl and the White Witch! They should be at the precinct where Star Boy is being held!

DREAM GIRL, STAR BOY, AND WHITE WITCH

They stand over the unconscious Vorm and Rainbow Girl. Star Boy holds the sleeping Dream Girl. White Witch casts a spell on the villains. Dream Girl moans in delight in her sleep. Then she wakes up.

DREAM GIRL

Good news, Xola. You won't have to restore our friends to normal. Vorm had Uli carry an antidote spray. Just in case she accidentally used her light powers on him.

Dream Girl takes the pump spray out of Rainbow Girl's dress pocket. The heroine also presses Rainbow Girl's armbands and lapel. These actions turn off the auras around her head and hands.

MONTAGE

Dream Girl uses the spray on the Bodyguards. First she makes Chlorophyll Kid stop convulsing. He rubs his sore head while the White Witch casts a spell on him. He smiles in relief as he stands up.

Then Dream Girl makes Color Kid visible. He hugs her and smiles in relief. Then she restores Night Girl's sight. She evens out Polar Boy and Fire Lad's temperatures. Then she sprays Stone Boy. He turns human again and clutches his heart. White Witch gestures at him, and he smiles in relief.

The SCIENCE POLICE MEN carry out the unconscious Vorm and Rainbow Girl. She is bound inside a reflective fabric that is attached to a mirrored space helmet.

constraints on this world?

NIGHT GIRL (V.O.)
Maybe the natives here are kinky.
I just hope that Saturn Girl can
find out where Vorm has hidden this
Doctor Orbal.

INT. R.J'S HOTEL PENTHOUSE/LIVING ROOM - NIGHT

R.J., Star Boy, White Witch, and the Bodyguards sit on the furniture. Everyone looks at Dream Girl, who is distressed.

DREAM GIRL

Thom, no!

STAR BOY

Nura, I've got to know!

WHITE WITCH

You might as well find out his destiny. He'll learn it anyway.

Dream Girl sighs. Then she falls asleep. She quickly groans.

HER VISION OF BRAINIAC FIVE AND STAR BOY

Brainiac Five stands next to the sitting Star Boy. In front of them is a miniature exhibit. The Kenz figurine stands over the supine Star Boy figurine. The figurines aim ray guns at each other. The Kenz figurine also stands under the miniature awning.

STAR BOY

Yes. This miniature scene shows everything just as it was before I fired the ray gun.

BRAINIAC FIVE

I ask that you direct your power at the model awning over the model Kenz Nuhor's head.

Star Boy gestures at the awning. It falls down on the Kenz figurine. Star Boy is shocked.

STAR BOY

Oh, no!

BRAINIAC FIVE

Oh, yes. If you had directed your power at the real awning, it would have pinned Kenz down without any need to kill him. Which means you have no claim to self-defense.

RESUME R.J. AND THE SUPER-HEROES

DREAM GIRL

N00000!

She wakes up with a start and has tears in her eyes. She turns to Star Boy.

DREAM GIRL

I'm so sorry!

STAR BOY

Oh, Grife!

Dream Girl looks away in despair. Tears run down Star Boy's cheeks. He can barely speak.

STAR BOY (CONT'D)

What am I going to do?

COLOR KID

I know.

Star Boy looks at him in puzzlement. Color Kid grins.

COLOR KID (CONT'D)

It's simple. You replace me as the newest member of the Bodyguards.

Star Boy is pleasantly surprised. Dream Girl kisses his cheek while the others act up in glee. Then they quiet down.

R.J.

So what do you say, son?

STAR BOY

Yes, I'm joining the Bodyguards!

The others cheer. Star Boy looks at Dream Girl.

STAR BOY (CONT'D)

Now we can always be together!

DREAM GIRL

Thank Grife!

They kiss again while the others say, "Whoooooo!" in unison. Then everyone looks at the camera.

ALL

LONG LIVE THE BODYGUARDS!

Color Kid gestures to the camera. Then we see:

FADE TO BLACK

THE END