

FLASH GORDON

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AFTER SHOOTING FLASH AND RECAPTURING GUNDAR AND DESIRA, BRAZOR DRIVES HIS CRIPPLED AMPHICAR ASHORE AND VANISHES. MEANWHILE, A GREAT SEA MONSTER, RISES FROM THE DEPTHS, CARRYING FLASH'S BLEEDING BODY. AS IT LUMBERS SHOREWARD, A MIGHTY WATER-WORM WRIGGLES FROM ITS LAIR AT THE WATER'S EDGE.



MADDENED BY THE SCENT OF HUMAN FLESH, THE RAVENOUS WORM SLITHERS TOWARD THE MONSTER, WHICH MAKES THE DAWN HIDEOUS WITH ITS BELLOWS OF RAGE AND DEFIANCE.



MEANWHILE, THE SEARCH FOR BRAZOR CONTINUES, WITH FLASH AND GUNDAR'S MEN COMBING ALL HIGHWAYS LEADING TO THE CAPITAL. DALE AND KOLAN ARRIVE AT THE ROAD-BLOCK, AND THE WOODSMEN WHO HAD PUT FLASH AND GUNDAR ON BRAZOR'S TRAIL DO THE SAME FOR THE YOUNG LIEUTENANT.



THEY SOON DISCOVER THAT THE FOREST ROAD ENDS AT A CLIFF: "DIDN'T TURN AROUND," KOLAN OBSERVES. "THEY MUST HAVE ROCKETED OFF INTO THE WATER--- A DANGEROUS STUNT!"

"THEN LET US DO IT," DALE BEGS--- HURRY!"



THE LIEUTENANT ROCKET'S OFF THE CLIFF AND LANDS WITH GREAT SKILL. AS THEY RACE UP THE RIVER, THEIR ATTENTION IS DIVERTED TO THE SHORE WHERE THE TWO BEHEMOTHS OF THE DEEP THRASH IN MORTAL COMBAT OVER THE BODY OF FLASH GORDON!

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