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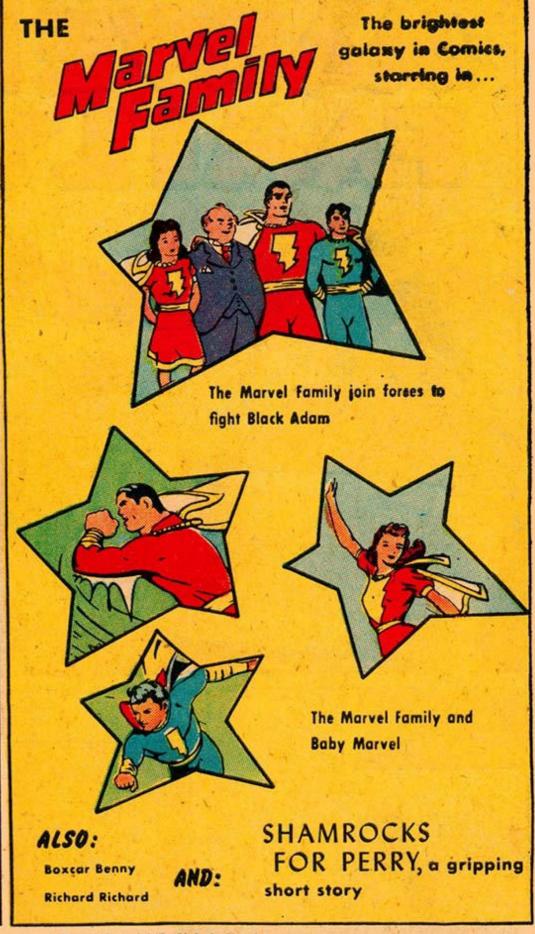
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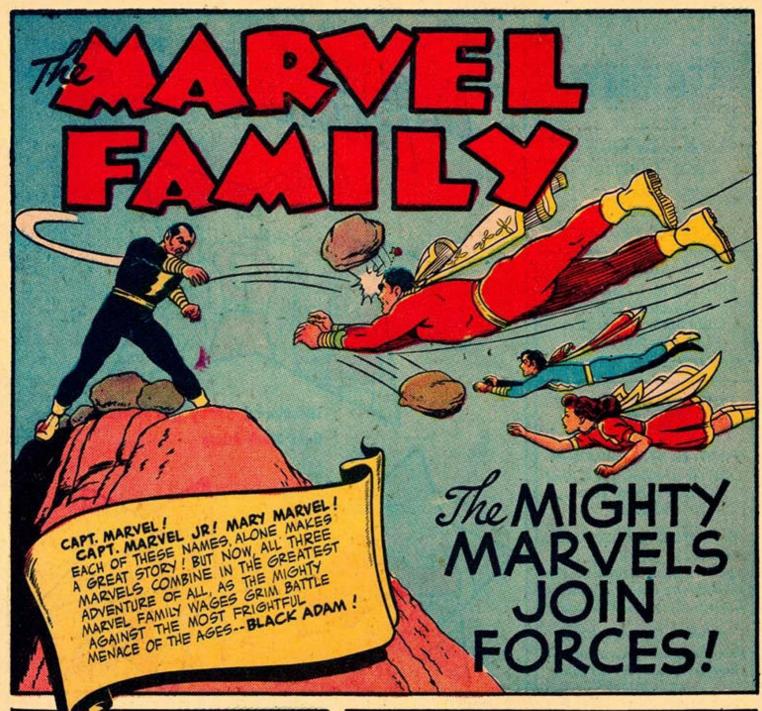
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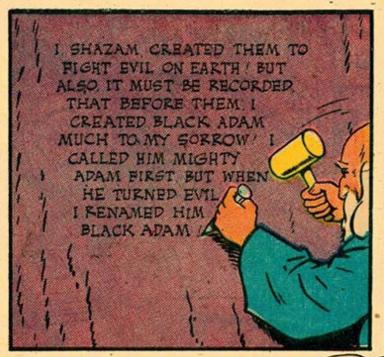
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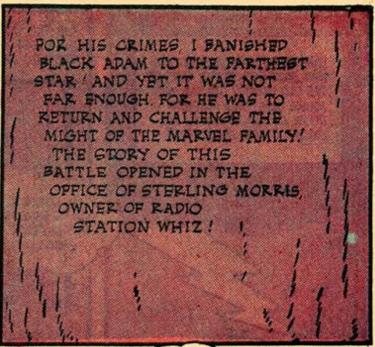
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BILLY BATSON, STAR BOY NEWSCASTER FOR STATION WHIZ, RECEIVED AN AG-SIGNMENT FROM HIS BOSS!

BILLY, THE ASTRONOMICAL OBSERVA-TORY REPORTS AN UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT APPROACHING EARTH FROM FAR OUT IN SPACE! GO AND SEE WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT!



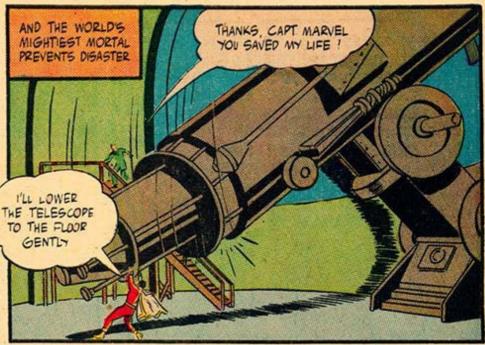
















HE PASSED THE STATUES OF MANS SEVEN DEADLIEST ENEMIES AND CAME TO MY SECRET ABODE











CAPT. MARVEL THE WORLD'S MIGHTIEST MORTAL, WAS BORN



BUT EVEN AS THE ANCIENT WIZARD SPOKE. A BLOCK OF STONE, SUSPENDED BY A MERE THREAD ABOVE HIS HEAD FELL, AND ...



BUT THEN, THE SPIRIT OF THE DEAD SHAZAM AROSE FROM THE DEBRIS!

HARKEN, CAPT. MARVEL! YOU ARE EN-DOWED WITH ALL THE POWERS AND WISDOM OF THESE SIX GREAT GODS! YOU WILL FIGHT EVIL ON EARTH! THAT IS YOUR MISSION!



NOW I MUST GO! IF EVER YOU NEED ME LIGHT THAT INCENSE - BURNER, AND I WILL RETURN! GOODBYE, CAPT. MARVEL!

AND THAT WAS HOW CAPT MARVEL WAS CREATED! BUT TO CONTINUE THE RECORD OF BLACK ADAM. BILLY BATGON LEFT THE OBSERVATORY AFTER CAPT. MARVEL HAD SAVED THE ASTRONOMER ...

AND MADE HIS WAY TO THE NEWSSTAND OF FREDDY FREEMAN, HIS FRIEND!

HI, BILLY! WHAT. DO YOU THINK THIS MYSTERIOUS

I DON'T KNOW, FREDDY! I'VE JUST BEEN TO THE OBSERVATORY AND THEY DON'T KNOW WHAT IT IS THEMSELVES!



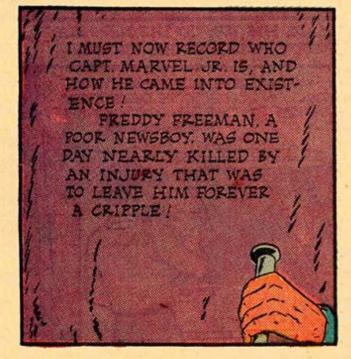














RESCUED BY CAPT. MARVEL, THE DYING BOY

THE MARYEL FAMILY



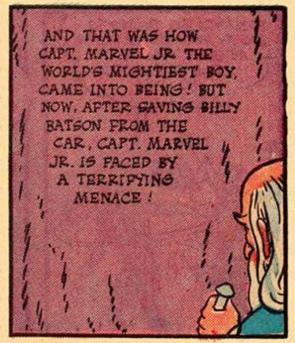




AS THE WONDERING
BOY MURMURED HIS
HERO'S NAME, THERE
WAS A BLINDING
FLASH OF LIGHTNING THAT CHANGED
HIM INTO CAPT.
MARVEL JR.

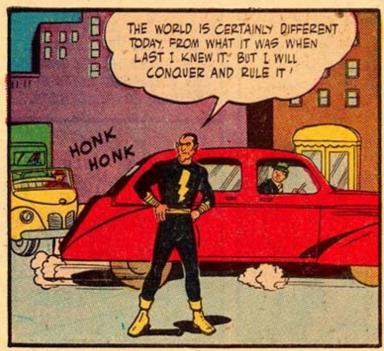




























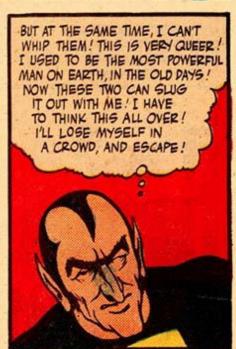


















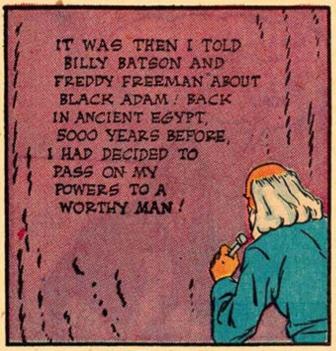












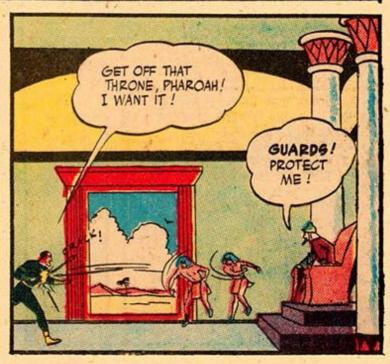






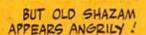












YOU HAVE TURNED EVIL, MIGHTY ADAM! I CHANGE YOUR NAME TO BLACK ADAM! YOU MUST BE PUNISHED!















BUT MEANWHILE, BILLY'S SISTER, MARY BATSON, RECEIVES A PHONE CALL FROM STATION WHIZ!

MARY ? THIS IS STERLING MORRIS! DO YOU KNOW WHERE BILLY 15 ? HE MISSED HIS LAST BROADCAST!

NO, MR. MORRIS I HAVEN'T SEEN BILLY ALL DAY !

DUDLEY WHAT HAPPENED TO BILLY 2

> TUT, TUT. CHILD! MAYBE HE JUST WENT TO VISIT FREDDY FREEMAN! COME WELL GO TO FREDOY'S NEWSSTAND

FREDDY IS GONE TOO! ON UNCLE , SOMETHING TER-I JUST KNOW IT! HMM! THIS IS

THIS IS JUST A HUNCH, BUT LET'S GO TO OLD SHAZAM! HE ALWAYS SAID TO SEE HIM IN CASE OF DEEP TROUBLE ! THAT'S RIGHT, UNCLE! LET'S HURRY !











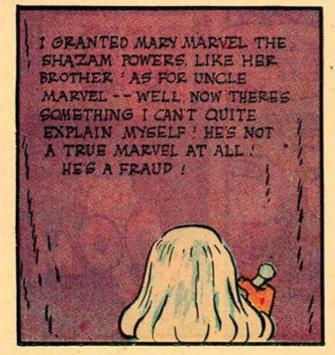




MARY BATSON SAID
THE MAGIC WORD FOR
THE FIRST TIME AND
INSTANTLY THERE
WAS A BLINDING
FLASH OF LIGHTNING
AND MARY MARVEL
APPEARED









HE SHOUTS MY NAME AND ALWAYS PRETENDS TO CHANGE BY MAGIC TOO BUT HE REALLY JUST WHISKS AWAY OUTER CLOTHING REVEALING A RED SUIT THAT HE MADE!











LOOK! HE'S TURNING INTO A WITHERED OLD MAN!

> YES, MY CHILDREN! YOU SEE, HE IS OVER 5000 YEARS OLD! THE MOMENT HE CHANGED BACK TO HIS MORTAL FORM OF TETH-ADAM, HE AGED! HE WILL ONLY BE A SKELETON IN A MOMENT!



MY DEEPEST THANKS!
YOU HAVE DESTROYED MY
MOST TERRIBLE MISTAKE!
I AM GLAD I HAVE LEFT
MY POWERS IN THE
HANDS OF THE GREAT
AND GOOD MARVEL
FAMILY!
FAREWELL!



ADAM DESTROYED BY THE MIGHTY MARVEL FAMILY BUT THAT IS ONLY ONE OF THEIR MANY GREAT DEEDS! THERE ARE MANY MORE CHAPTERS OF THE MARVEL FAMILY STORY TO RECORD ON THE ROCK OF ETERNITY FOR THEIR FIGHT AGAINST ALL EVIL IS WASED TIRELESSLY AND UNCEASINGLY!

THE BABY MARVEL



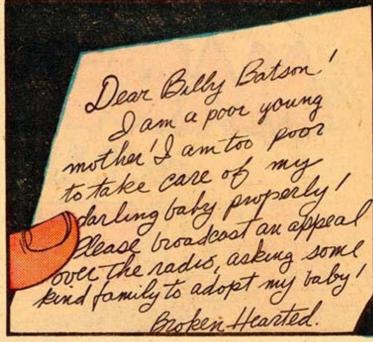
BILLY BATSON AWAKENS ONE MORNING, READY TO BEGIN HIS DAY'S DUTIES AS STAR BOY NEWSCASTER FOR STATION WHIZ.

































































































































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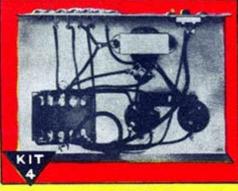
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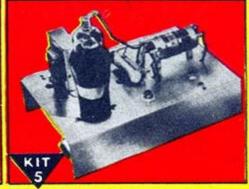
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