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The richest investors in the United States have banded together to form the Life Foundation, an organization designed to protect their spoils from postnuclear war scavengers in the event of such a catastrophe. Now, the sinister scions of the mysterious Foundation have loosed a terrifying plan that threatens the very survival of mankind! Once again, Venom and Spider-Man find themselves unlikely allies, overcoming their mutual hatred in order to prevent five new aliens symbiotes from bonding with their host bodies and spreading terror throughout the world! As our arachnid arch-rivals swing into the scene, the action moves deep underground, where darkness and shadow cannot conceal the evil that is growing. Create the next exciting episode as either Venom or Spider-Man -- or both!



1. Make sure the power switch is OFF.

2. Insert the Separation Anxiety™ Game Pak as described in your SUPER NINTENDO ENTERTAINMENT SYSTEM® instruction manual.

3. Turn the power switch ON.

When the Separation Anxiety™ title screen appears, you will see 3 choices:

One Player, Two Player and Enter Password.

Press UP or DOWN on the CONTROL PAD to highlight your choice, then press the START BUTTON to select it. Begin playing Separation Anxiety by pressing the START BUTTON.

### **ONE PLAYER GAMES**

This options allows one player to play as either Spider-Man or Venom.



### TWO PLAYER GAMES

One player plays as Spider-Man, the other as Venom.

COOPERATIVE MODE: In Cooperative Mode, players fight together and cannot harm each other.

### PICKUPS



#### **Partial Health**

Picking up this icon will partially restore your hero's health.



#### **Full Health**

Completely restore Venom or Spider-Man to full fighting strength when you collect this large heart icon.



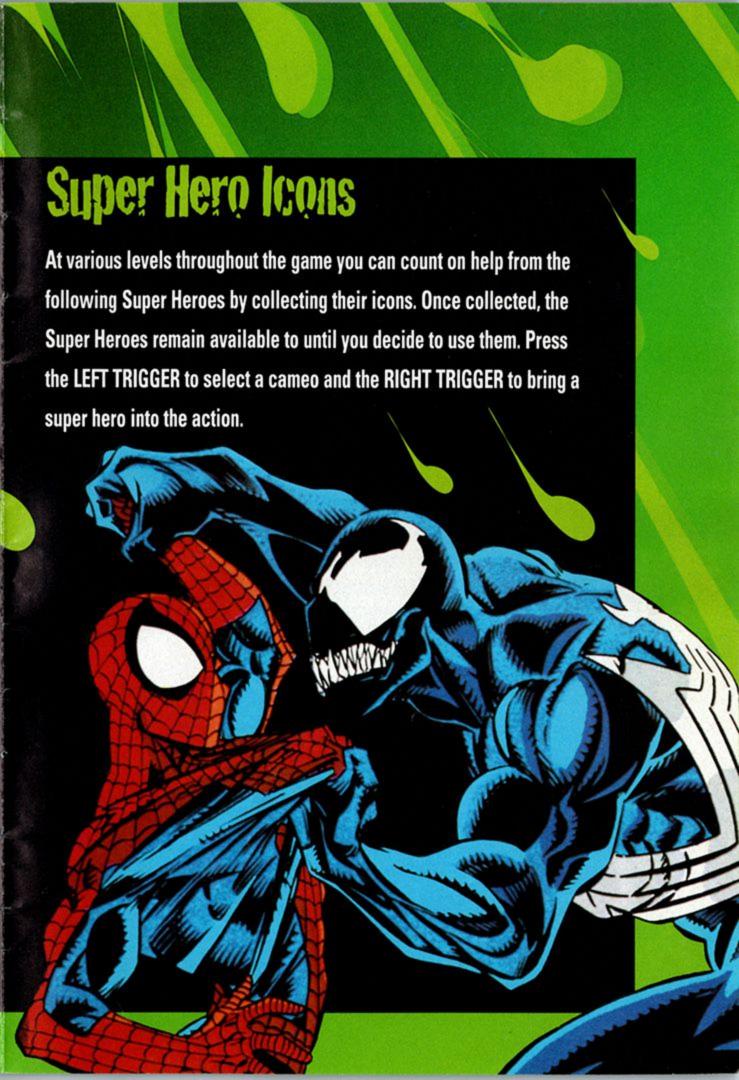
### Extra Life: Spider-Man

Give Spider-Man another shot at the bad guys! Number of lives appears in the counter at the top of the screen.



### Extra Life: Venom

Venom battles on when you pick up this valuable icon! Number of lives appears in the counter at the top of the screen.





### GAME SCREEN

Energy Meters Score Cameos Lives

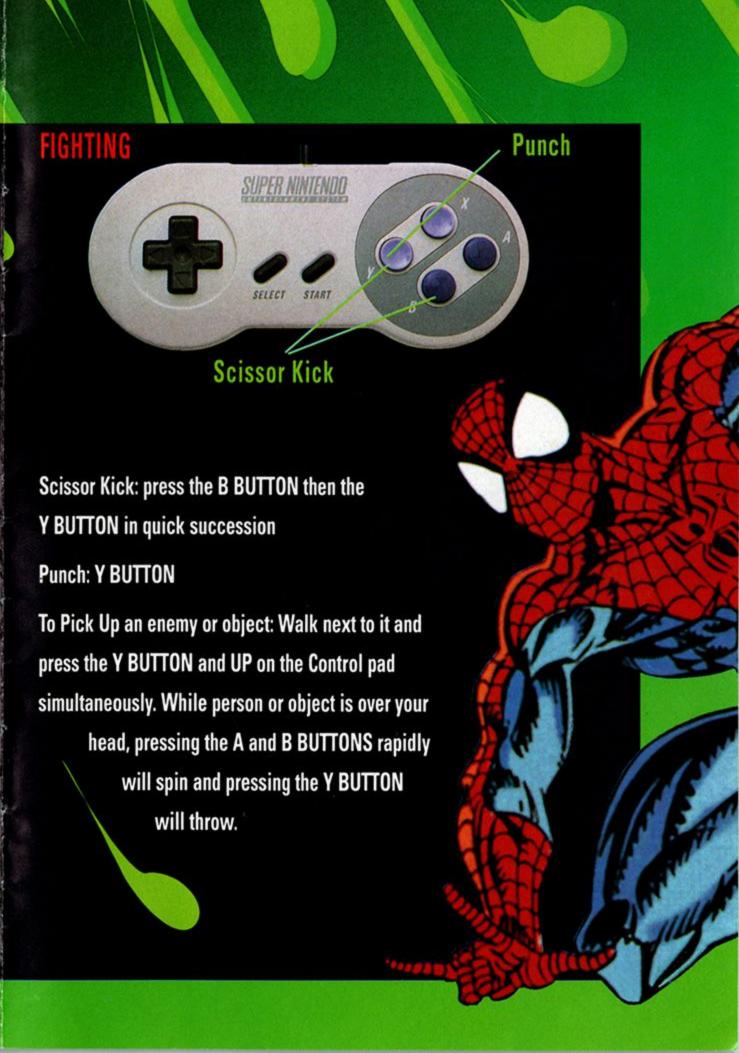


Energy: Spider-Man and Venom each have meters which measure their energy. As they sustain damage, the meters will go down. When energy meters are empty, your hero loses a life.

Lives: Each hero begins the game with 3 Lives. Gain extra Lives by picking up the proper portrait icon. When all Lives are lost, the game is over.

Scoring: Earn points by defeating bad guys, collecting pick ups and discovering hidden areas. Points appear above each player's energy meter.





### WEB CONTROLS

To Pull an Enemy Towards You: A

**BUTTON + Left of Right on Control Pad** 

Fire Web-Line: X BUTTON

Web-Shield: Hold A BUTTON

Fire Web Bolt: Tap A BUTTON

WHILE WALL CRAWLING

Climb: Up, Down, Left or Right on Control Pad

Jump on to or off of wall: B BUTTON

Fire Web-Line: X BUTTON

**Punch/Kick: Y BUTTON** 

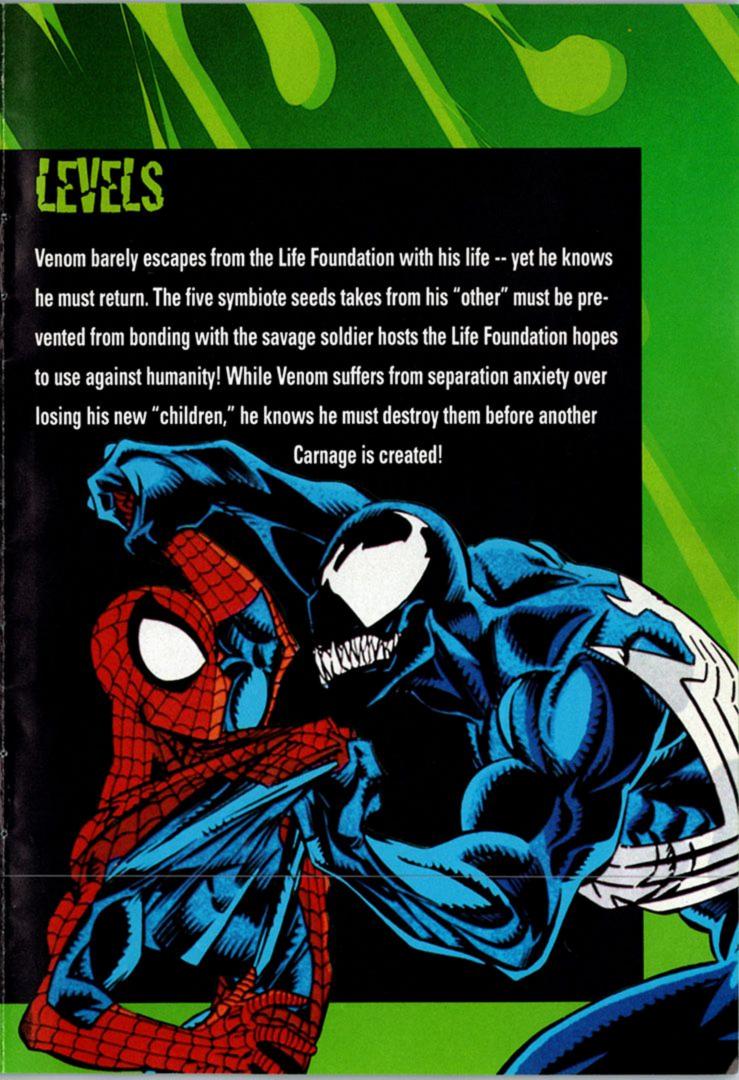
WHILE WEB SWINGING

Swing: Left or Right on Control Pad

Climb: Up or Down on Control Pad

Release Web: B BUTTON

Fire Web-Line: X BUTTON





Spider-Man in the battle to save all of humanity! The action ranges from a

modern metropolis to the Life Foundation's high security doomsday bunker far below the earth! Spider-Man and Venom face deadly symbiotes, troops of private soldiers, the fearsome five-man para-military group known as the Jury, and a host of high-tech robots! You'll need all your webbed wits to confound and beat these vicious enemies! At some levels, you may be abducted into the Trap Room by Jury members.

Note: Area descriptions assume a two player game. If you are playing a one player game as Spidey or Venom, you'll be facing these foes on your own!

### **NEW YORK CITY**

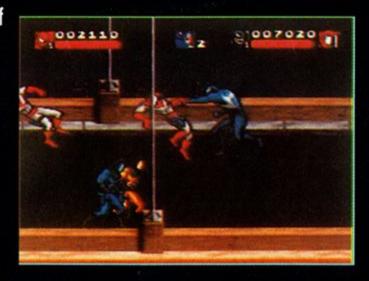
The city is alive and teeming with lurking criminals looking to teach some lethal lessons to Venom and Spider-Man. You'll need to defeat the many thugs and villains who are on punishment patrol throughout the city.



And agents of the Life Foundation also threaten to end your web-slinging careers! And if you can web your way through Manhattan in one piece, you'll confront a whole new challenge: Diggers who are breaking ground to build Venom and Spider-Man's permanent resting place!

### A BRIDGE TO BEDLAM

With the taste of the Digger's dirt still fresh, Venom and Spider-Man head upstate to find the Life



Foundation, in a desperate race against time to stop the paranoid patricians who would rule Armageddon. As the perilous journey begins, Venom and Spider-Man encounter a vast bridge under construction -- and a welcoming committee of Life Foundation soldiers!

Your spider-powers will be tested to the limit as you swing across gaps in the unfinished span and battle hand-to-hand with a Foundation Jury member.

Try to find the weakest spot in the heavily-armed division of armored soldiers that tops off this swingfest!

### INTO THE WOODS

The bridge behind them, our unlikely allies continue on towards the Life Foundation. Night closes in as they reach a wooded area, a forest full of determined soldiers and hidden pathways. Disliking the approach of any strangers, to say the least, the Life Foundation has sent

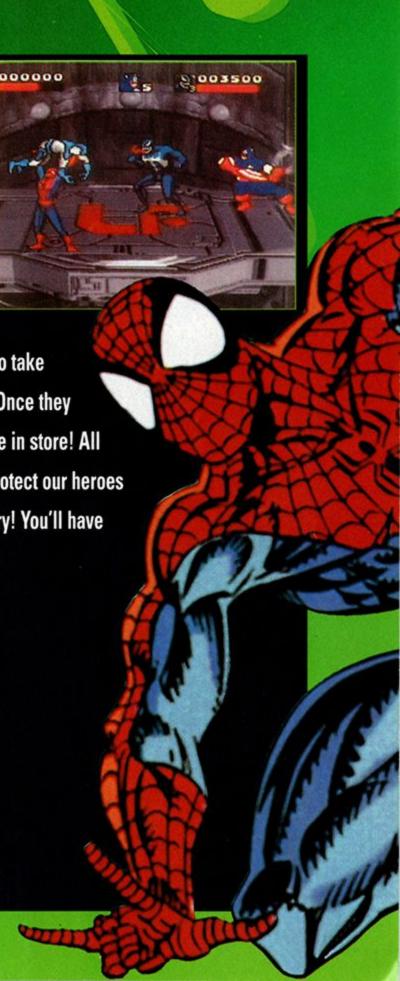
numerous
patrols out to
"discourage" Venom and
Spider-Man from pursuing their
quest. You must defeat all the
enemies who cross your path
if you hope to leave the
woods alive!





At last, Venom and Spider-Man breach the entrance to the Life Foundation -- this is no social call, our heroes mean business! A less-than-warm welcome awaits them: Spider-Man and

Venom must run a gauntlet as they try to take
the elevator all the way to the bottom. Once they
manage this feat, there's a new surprise in store! All
the web-swinging in the world can't protect our heroes
from heavily-armed members of the Jury! You'll have
to find a different approach if you hope
to continue!



### CITY BENEATH THE SOIL

Far below the surface, the persevering pair stumble onto a surreal scene: a vast underground city that defies belief! This spectacular setting holds many dangers for Spider-Man and Venom --



including laser-armed Life Foundation troops with a serious score to settle!

Not to mention one of the five deadly symbiotes hatched to protect the

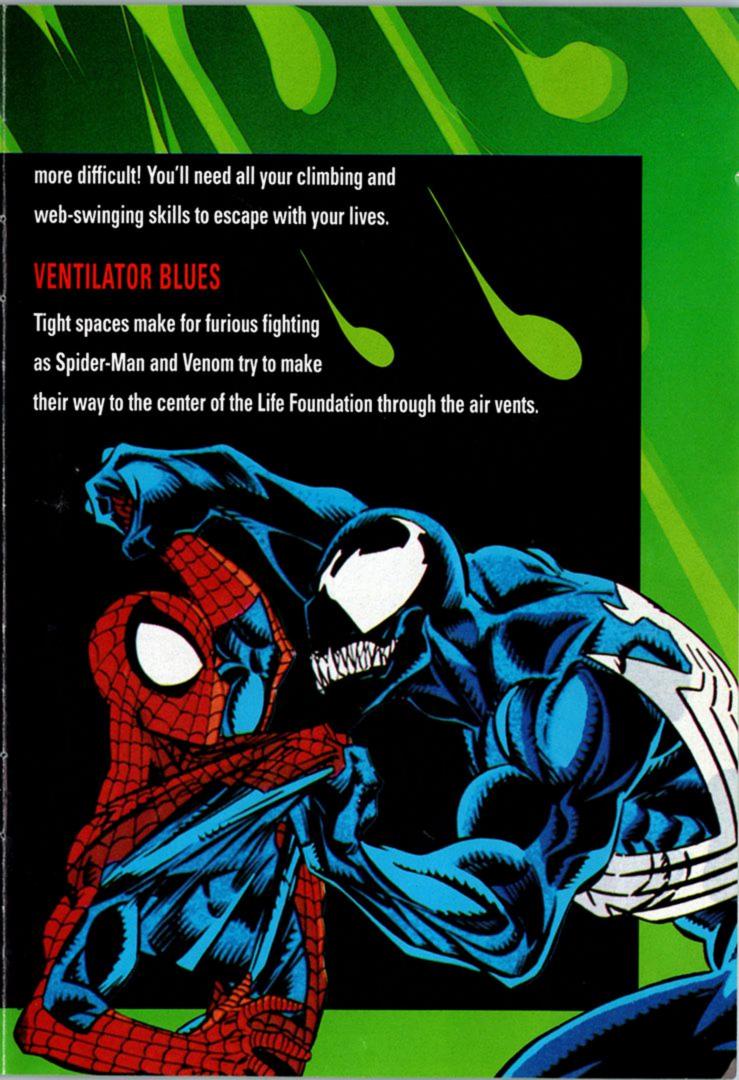
Foundation -- at the expense of everyone else!

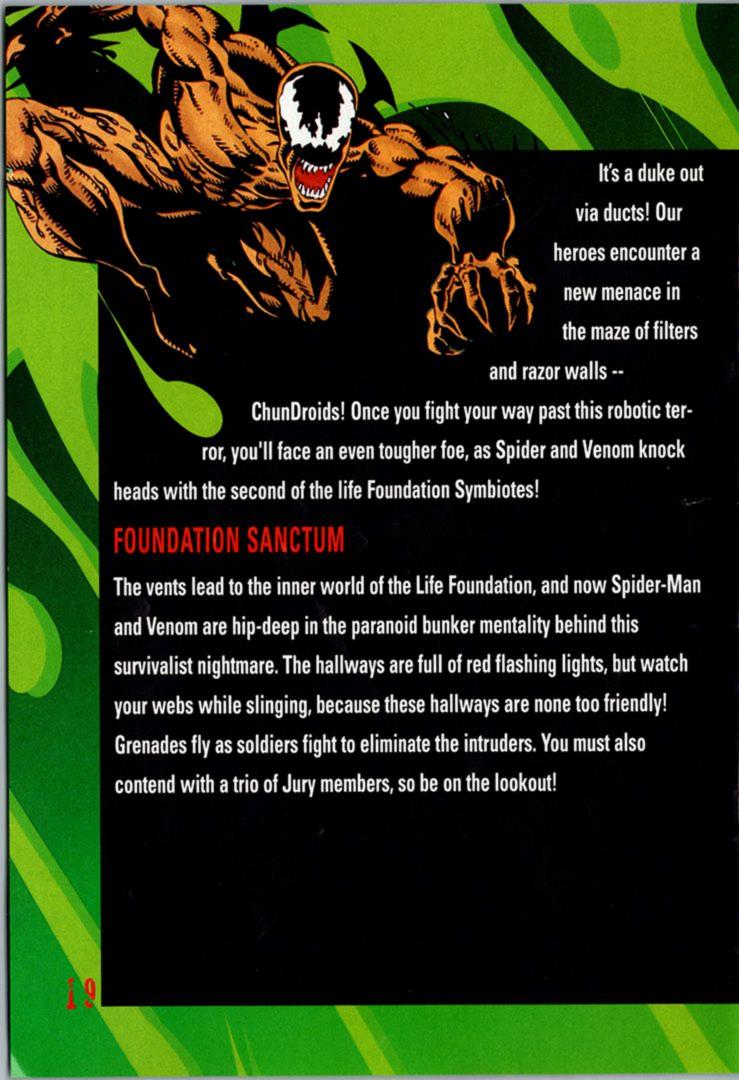
### PLAZA OF DOOM THE PERILOUS PLAZA

Realizing that the streets are too dangerous, Spider-Man and Venom search for another way to enter the center of the Life Foundation. This search leads



them through all the levels of a nearby... shopping mall? This punishing plaza is patrolled by Foundation soldiers, creating a sticky situation for our heroes! As if this weren't enough, two members of the Jury show up to make life even





### **INTERNAL SECURITY ZONE I**

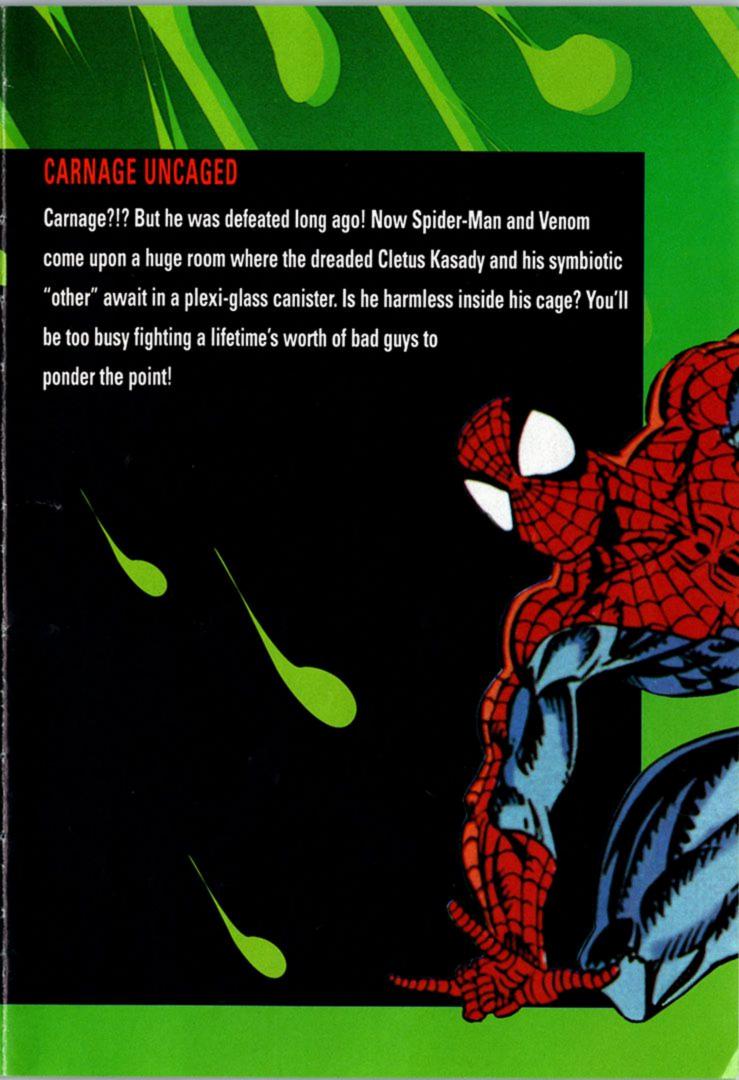
Venom and Spider-Man arrive at the first security check point, a hightech area protected by tough soldiers armed with lethal weapons. Special guardian robots are patrolling as well. Everywhere you turn seems to hold danger! This check point is a real test of your abilities -and your will to survive! Look out for the third symbiote!

### **GREEN HOUSE**

This futuristic greenhouse is the central air supply for the underground city. On a catwalk in this vast area, Spider-Man and Venom fight soldiers and other assailants. Further on, the dreaded ChunDroids make another appearance. Defeat these rampaging robots and you'll find yet another menace: the fourth symbiote, eager for battle!







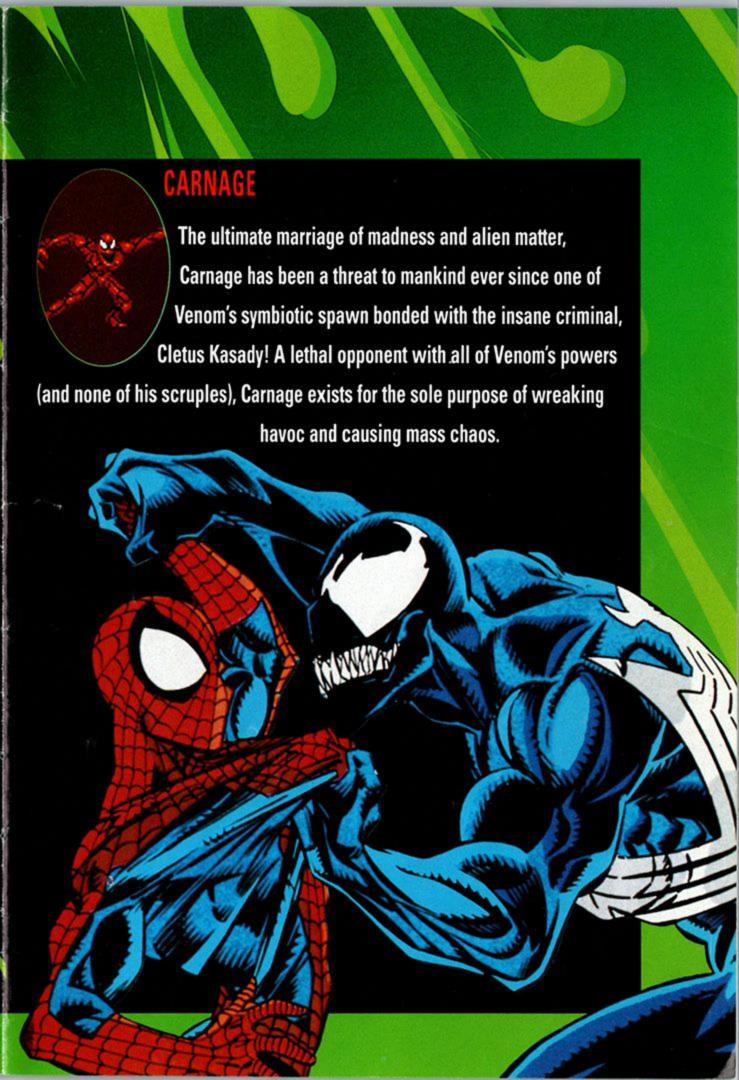
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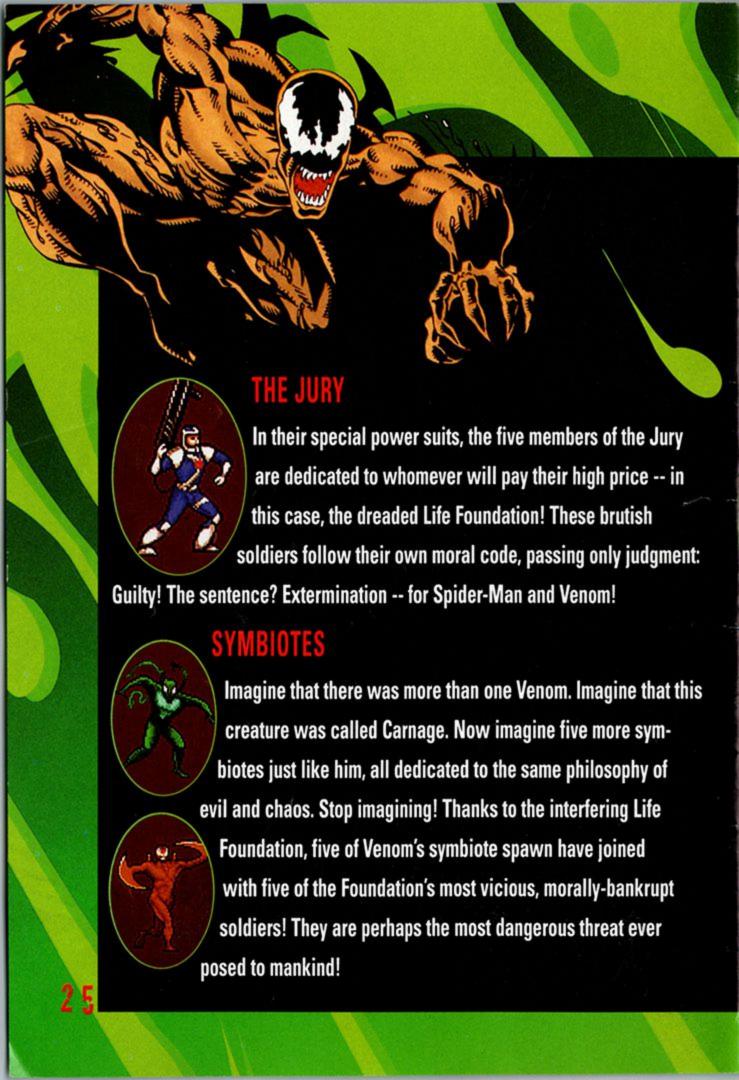
### SPIDER-MAN

Peter Parker was bitten by a radioactive spider,
and so acquired the proportionate speed, strength and
agility of the arachnid -- he found he could even cling to
walls! Creating a pair of wrist-mounted web-shooters, Peter
made a colorful costume for himself, and took the name SpiderMan -- dedicating himself to the principal that with great power, there also
comes great responsibility.

### VENOM

Sworn to defeat the amazing wall-crawler, Venom maintains a shaky alliance with Spider-Man. A former reporter for the Daily Globe, Eddie Brock left the newspaper in disgrace -- blaming Spider-Man for his downfall. When Peter Parker rejected the alien symbiote that he believed was merely a costume, the creature joined with Brock. Their mutual hatred of Spider-Man fueled a vicious entity which has come to be known as Venom!





### **LIFE FOUNDATION SOLDIERS**

They are the dregs of society -- immoral, idiotic muscleheads who follow any order, no matter how vile or foolish. When you tell them to jump, they ask how to! These moronic mercenaries are unthinking men of action who have been programmed for one thing: destroying Spider-Man and Venom!

### CAPTAIN AMERICA

1941... the world at war! Frail Army-reject Steve Rogers was offered the opportunity to serve his country by participating in Operation: Rebirth, becoming the sole recipient of the Super-Soldier formula. In the blink of an eye, Rogers was transformer into the super-heroic Captain America! His World War II heroics became the stuff of legend, before he was thrown into a state of suspended animation. Revived years later by the

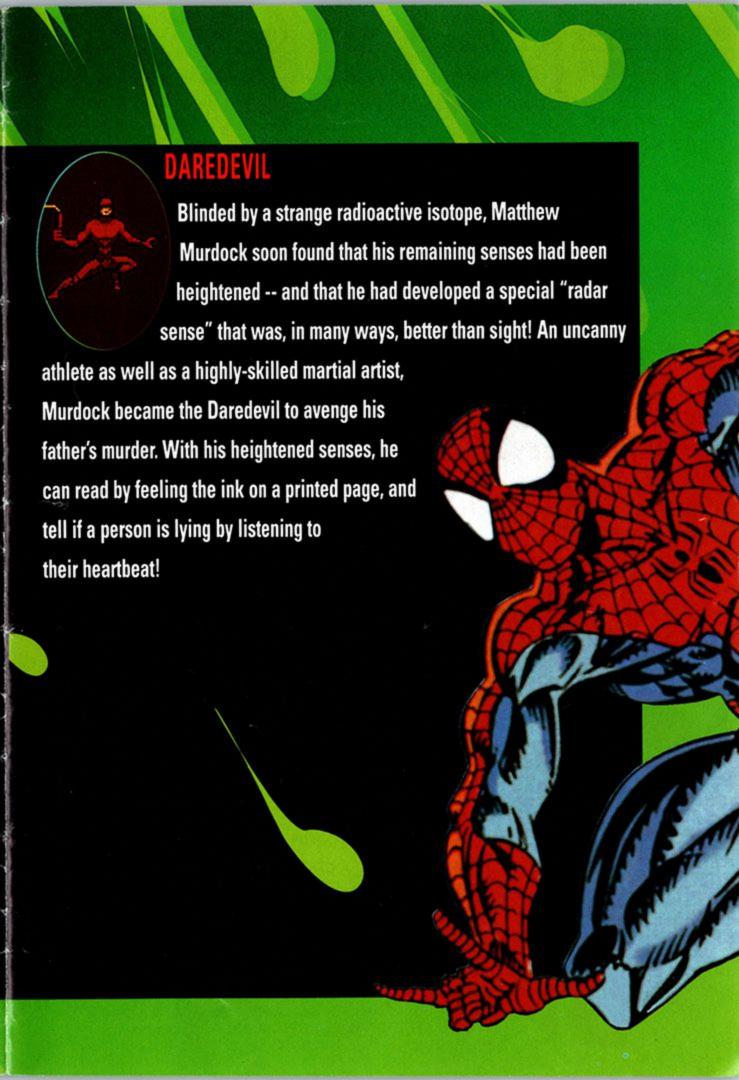
Avengers, Captain America now uses his trademark indestruc-

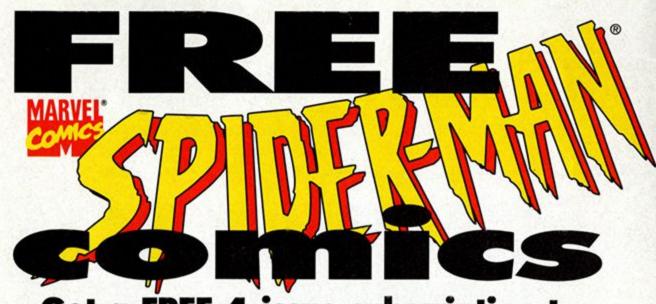
tible shield to fight evil in this day and age!



HAWKEYE

Ex-carnival performer Clint Barton was trained in martial arts and hand to hand combat by none other than Captain America himself! An ally and friend of Spider-Man, Hawkeye is an expert archer. He uses special arrows equipped with items like bolas, acid, and high explosives to thwart his opponents. A member of the Avengers, the stalwart Hawkeye is always ready to aid Spider-Man!





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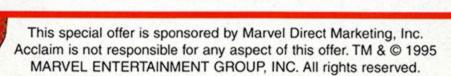
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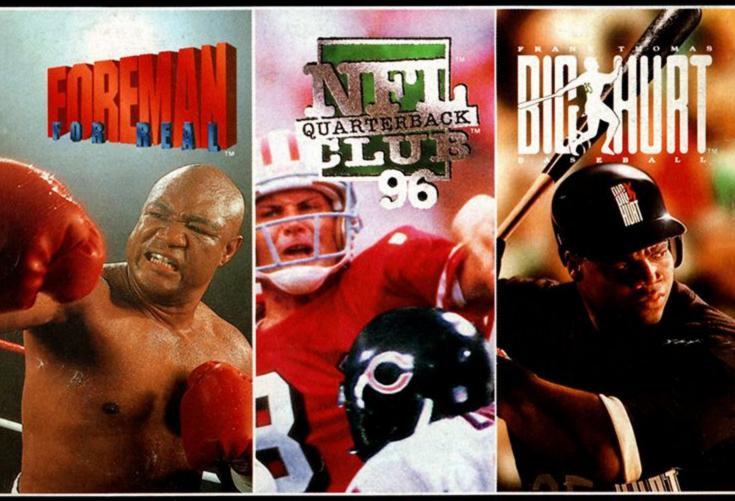
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