

It's the End for Jinx, Methinks!

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We return to a deathtrap in progress: Jinx gasps for air inside a glass tank, as gas swirls around her.

NARRATOR

We last saw DareDoll Jinx in an airtight gas chamber. Will she get out, or is this episode already over?!

She escapes, and immediately calls CrimeBase on her wristcomp.

JINX

CrimeBase, it's me again. The Peepers really stunk up the joint trying to gas me to death but they didn't know about my reserved compressed-oxygen reserve.

CRIMEBASE

Ah, swell, Jinx. Now let's be sure to activate the anti-capture mechanism in your utility belt this time, okay?

JINX

I wondered why my belt was so heavy today.

CRIMEBASE

It's a new innovation for us. Should work wonders. Now proceed!

Jinx walks the maze, but at the end, she finds herself suddenly pulled to the wall by an invisible force:

JINX

CrimeBase, it's me again. No sight of the Peepers. I'm going to...uhhhh! Something's got me by the utility belt! It's like a giant magnet or something!

The villain(s) enter(s).

VILLAIN

It's not like a giant magnet, Jinx. It is a giant magnet! And I don't mean that metaphorically, either!

Now pressed up against the wall, the villain moves in...slowly!

VILLAIN

Now let's just see who's behind that mask of yours!

He slowly begins to pry off her mask, but is obviously only taunting her.

JINX

No, anything but this! My secret identity can't be exposed!

VILLAIN

Anything?

Spin-blur transition to our next predicament: Jinx is suspended in a basket over a tub of acid!

VILLAIN

The carbonated fizz in that tub of acid should do wonders to your nylons as you are dunked into it, oh so slowly, DareDoll. Any last words?

JINX

Only this, you fiend: You may dunk me like a doughnut, but that doesn't make me breakfast!

VILLAIN

True enough, but that concept will provide you little comfort as your body gets eaten in a most unpleasurable way.

The villains exit.

Jinx gnaws through the ropes binding her wrist, but hangs above the vat, like a kitten in a basket.

NARRATOR

And so we leave DareDoll Jinx on a somewhat optimistic note. But don't despair, lovers of superheroines in peril! She still has to get out of that basket!

Can she escape?