



# WIZARD and his FRIENDS

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# OUT OF MY WAY

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# Vic FLINT

I WAS STILL  
LOOKING FOR  
MY MYSTERY -  
CLOSELY MISSING  
GUN WHEN...



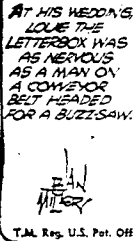
FLINT  
SPEAK-  
ING. MY NAME'S KIMBLE...  
FRED KIMBLE, I'VE GOT  
TO SEE YOU RIGHT  
AWAY.



I AM ON  
MY WAY  
TO WEDDING.  
TODAY  
THEY  
PLEASE!



AT HIS WEDDING  
LOUIE THE  
LETTERBOX WAS  
AS NERVOUS  
AS A MAN ON  
A CONVEYOR  
BELT HEADED  
FOR A BUZZSAW.



--TAKE THIS WOMAN TO BE  
YOUR LAWFUL WEDDED WIFE?



I I, D-D-D--  
SURE!



LATER, AT THE RECEPTION...

HATE TO RUN OUT ON THE PARTY,  
MANNIE, BUT A CLIENT INSISTS ON  
SEEING ME TONIGHT.



FELLOW NAMED KIMBLE  
PHONED ME JUST BEFORE I  
LEFT FOR THE CHURCH. SAID  
IT WAS URGENT.



KIMBLE LIVED AT A ROOMINGHOUSE THAT  
LOOKED LIKE IT WAS WAITING FOR AN  
EARTHQUAKE.



AS I  
STARTED  
DOWN  
THE HALL  
TOWARD  
HIS  
DOOR...



I FOUND KIMBLE... AND I HAD A HUNCH I'D  
FOUND THE GUN I WAS MISSING!



MMM! SMELLS GOOD!  
WHEN D'YA FIGGER  
IT'LL BE READY  
TO EAT?



WOULDA  
BE ABOUT  
READY NOW,  
I RECKON!  
Mmmmm...

HEY! WHAT  
ABOUT MY  
HALF?



WHATCHA MEAN,  
YOUR HALF? THIS  
HAS ONLY GOT  
TWO HALFS AN'  
BOTH OF THEM'S  
MINE!



WULL, GEE WHIZ, Y'BROUGHT  
ME WAY OUT HERE TELL  
YOU WITH SOME STUFF,  
I DIDN'T CHAP?



SURE...  
BUT I DIDN'T  
SAY ANY-  
THING ABOUT  
FEEDING  
YOU!



OF ALL TH' CRUMMY  
DEALS I EVER  
HEARD OF! WHY  
YOU EVEN USED  
MY AX!

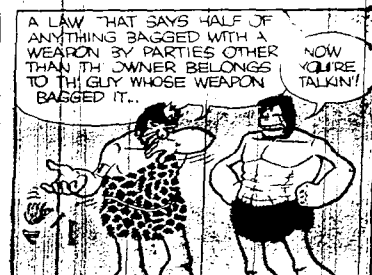
YEH...  
'AT'S RIGHT,  
I DID,  
DIDNT I?



YAH...AN' I FIGGER  
I'M ENTITLED TO  
HALF OF ANYTHING  
MY AX BAGGS!



UHM...YEH AWRIGHT,  
OOP, I TELL YUH  
WHAT I'LL DO, I'LL  
PASS A LAW...  
WHAT KINDA  
LAW?



A LAW THAT SAYS HALF OF  
ANYTHING BAGGED WITH A  
WEAPON BY PARTIES OTHER  
THAN TH' OWNER BELONGS  
TO TH' GUY WHOSE WEAPON  
BAGGED IT...



NOW  
YOU'RE  
TALKIN'!

...PROVIDED...  
OH,  
OH!



..TH' GUY WHOSE WEAPON  
DONE TH' BAGGIN' GETS  
THERE IN TIME TO  
COLLECT TH' HALF HE'S  
GOT COMIN'! NOW,  
Y SATISFIED?



WELL, I AM,  
I GUESS,  
BUT....



BUT? BUT  
WHAT?



BUT MY  
STUMMICK  
AIN'T!



THERE! Y'SEE?  
THERE JUST AINT  
NO PLEASIN'  
SOME PEOPLE!



