



MELVIN
The Nerdy Scientist

KATERINA TESLA

INT: NSA TOP SECRET NORTHEAST BASE.

MELVIN - A stereo typical science nerd (white coat, thick glasses and pocket protector) rushes in on Katerina while she is working on an X-80 HUNTER KILLER. The X-80 is an 8 foot robot that looks like a low tech version of the ZOOM SUIT.

KATERINA TESLA

(to herself)

You may just be the most
technologically advanced *human-*
built weapon on the planet.
Another couple billion and say six
or seven hundred years, and I'll
get you as dangerous as the alien
suit you're based on.

MELVIN

(moaning)

Oh! OOOHH! Oh! It's bad. I've
been looking all over for you.
You're going to be mad. It's bad.
Please don't be mad.

KATERINA TESLA

(nonchalantly)

Let me guess. You set the lab on
fire again by making s'mores with
the microwave emitters.

MELVIN

Simon Bane escaped with the alien
suit.

(tries to leave)

I have to go.

KATERINA TESLA

He what? Where? Where is he now?

MELVIN

We don't know, but Sutherland is
angry, very angry. General Nails
just arrived from McGuire Air
Force Base. I hear he's mad too .
. . oh boy.

Katerina runs out of the room and down the hall. Melvin is
left alone with the X-80s. He looks at them, gets scared
and runs out.