

Reasons To Hulk Out



Between 1977-1982, there was an American TV series about the Incredible Hulk. In this list are some of the reasons why mild mannered scientist Dr David Bruce Banner turned into an angry green monster.

Can you act them out?

Can you imagine any of them being used in a new Marvel movie? Again, act it out!

Can you imagine what might happen to Dr Banner if the opposite of the horrible thing had happened? What nice/happy being might he become then?

Inspired by this list, can you think of your own increasingly weird plot points for an Incredible Hulk episode?

1. Problems with a flat tyre
2. Nightmare
3. Thinking about either of his wives
5. Being hit over the head repeatedly with a metal object
7. Quicksand
8. Being mauled by a bear
9. Being bitten by a dog
11. Being punched, knocked unconscious, and thrown down a flight of stairs
10. Being placed in a car compactor, which could crush him
14. Being buried in a sand pit
15. Having a row of computers fall on him
16. Being hit with a blast of steam in the face while trying to turn off the nuclear reactor that is melting down
17. Receiving a lethal injection, and then having the person say, "Oh. I just gave you a lethal injection. Sorry, David."
18. Dropping a CO2 canister on his foot after being insulted
19. Being pushed down a mountainside by a Bigfoot [Yeti] impersonator
21. Getting into a car crash
22. Having a burning plank of wood fall on his head while trying to get a horse out of a burning barn
23. Being trampled by a crowd AND having the hot coffee spilled on his hand while trying to get to the sniper
24. Being tied up and fed soup by an elderly Japanese woman who doesn't understand words like "You've GOT to cut me loose!"
25. Grabbing a really really cold pipe
34. Handcuffed to a woman who is falling over the cliff
36. Somehow running into a bear trap
38. Placed in a small room with a ravenous black panther
44. Kicking over a beehive and then being surprised when the bees are mad at him

45. Being beaten up and thrown down a well
47. Being stuck in a cab in New York rush hour traffic, when he has somewhere to be at 4 o'clock
49. Beaten up and locked in the boot of a car
50. Receiving a speeding ticket
56. Somehow getting himself into a church bell tower and then realizing that a bell is there, just as it strikes the hour
58. Being forced to land a 747 without any training or instructions or help, at the risk of his life, and the life of everybody else on the plane as well
60. Not being able to get through to the police on the phone as no-one is answering it and the voice-mail messages are very annoying.
65. Buried in cement by the mafia
68. Being placed in a cage with an angry gorilla
72. Wandering across the army's training minefield
80. Having a lift fall on him.
89. Falling down the stairs and crashing into a giant flower pot.
90. Being hit by a car and knocked twenty feet so that he tumbles down a conveniently open manhole
92. Being trapped in the middle of a forest fire so that burning branches keep falling on him and setting him on fire, and a giant, burning tree falls directly on him as the last straw
101. Being punched and thrown onto a flowerbed full of spiky cactus plants
104. Being dipped in the sea by punks under Santa Monica Pier
106. Being fed poisoned sushi
108. Having several clay pots broken over his head in the middle of the now-burning room, and then knocking an entire case of same clay pots onto same head, and then, while lying very still and struggling not to get angry, having his trousers catch fire
116. Getting caught under a rockslide on a mountain, and having his hand hurted
118. No-one will sell him any petrol for his cab, when he is trying to drive a pregnant woman to the hospital to have her baby
122. Being lassoed by mean cowboys and dragged behind their horses across a bunch of dirt and rocks, and then being dragged into the river
123. Being thrown into a holding pen with an angry bull by mean cowboys, hitting his head on the ground, and while he's lying down trying to recover, having the bull literally kick his bum (and his side, leg, tummy, etc)
129. Wandering around inside the carnival funhouse, only to have someone turn on the machinery so that David is somehow caught in a rolling tumbler and flipped over a few times and then thrown down a convenient slide
131. Being in a room that was set on fire, and going on fire himself