

SENTRY Q & A: WHAT IS SENTRY'S ACTUAL ORIGIN?

In the 1940s the Americans created a formula, which was capable of enhancing human beings into "super-soldiers". Steve Rogers was the first person, who took the super-soldier-serum, which enhanced his mind and body to peak levels. He ultimately became Captain America. The next goal of the Americans was to re-create the super-soldier-serum, but to improve the formula and make it 100.000 times stronger than before. They gathered various scientists and resources and started working on the new serum:

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20-30 years later "Project: Sentry" was outsourced and long forgotten. The professor was one of the last people, who were dealing with the serum, but he didn't really know about its significance.

Robert Reynolds was a young freshman at that point, working in the lab and also already there dealing with schizophrenia. To combat his schizophrenia* he went so far, that he started taking drugs. He stole the serum in order to get high, drank it and instantly realized that he became the Void**:

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* I think that it's important to point out that Robert Reynolds wasn't "simply" a junkie. He fell into the drug pit, because of his schizophrenia, which was bothering him. He was trying to ease his suffering by getting high, so that he wouldn't have to care about anything.

** Just like it was established in the upper posts Robert became the Void first, when he took the enhanced version of the super-soldier-serum.

Robert knew that the serum wasn't meant for him, but a trained operative. He states that he became addicted to the power of the Sentry and the Void and that they could have obliterated Earth in the first year.

The serum was destroyed and never re-created again, because if it worked on a nobody like a young drug addict, then it would have worked on everyone else and that was simply too dangerous:

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The professor and the others, who were working in the facility, were pretending that the Sentry needed more injections of the super-soldier-serum in order to boost his power and he played along. However, these injections were harmless saline and sometimes also most likely poison, since they were trying to kill the Sentry for years, but never figured out how:

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