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It was kind of our last year of freedom and fun before the rest of our lives began.

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Hey, did you come up to my room last night?

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Something in my room completely changed.

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It gave me this creepy feeling.

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Like, I was being watched.

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I was becoming so paranoid.

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It was overwhelming.

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And I kept saying, stop watching the horror movies.

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I'd had the sense that you stayed with me tonight.

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I wasn't alone.

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I'm right as it is.

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Wendy!

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It wasn't my roommates. It wasn't me.

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There was something in the house.

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It's just a dream.

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It was fall of 2004, and I was heading into my final year of art school.

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I'm an artist. I love color, obviously, my hair.

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I was really looking forward to still having some parties and fun times.

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Not having to worry about life stuff.

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Hey!

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Hey, honey.

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So easy.

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Lindsay and I knew each other in high school.

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How was your day?

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Not bad.

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Lindsay was a life of the party.

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She influenced us, you know, with that and helped me develop who I was, you know, just by being her friend.

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And she was just a blast.

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Reba, you know, I loved her.

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No matter what time of day it was, if you had a problem and you needed to talk, you know, she would sit down with you.

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Where's Amber?

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We met Amber in the dorm.

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We just became best friends, all three of us.

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The three of us got along great.

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It's okay. We haven't been waiting long.

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We enjoyed spending a lot of time together.

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We always had fun.

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Don't ask.

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From the moment we met Amber, we just loved her.

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You know, she was just such a fun person to be around.

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We are three completely different people, but we were kind of like the three musketeers.

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Okay, Migos.

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Today, we nailed this, okay?

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I like this one.

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It was very difficult to find a three bedroom place.

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That's a no.

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We really went back and forth. We were, you know, coming up with ideas and none of them seemed to work.

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I'm not doing that one.

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We just kind of pounded the pavement and it was starting to look pretty bleak.

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Like, okay, maybe we're not going to have this work out.

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Oh, hi.

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Hi.

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00:03:13,840 --> 00:03:14,840

Welcome.

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00:03:14,840 --> 00:03:15,840

Nice to meet you.

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I'm Rebecca.

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Finally, we ended up at the realty office in camp.

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You as well.

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Have a seat, ladies.

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First thing she said was,

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These have all been rented already.

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My heart just sunk and I thought, are you kidding me?

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I'm just a little too late.

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How can there not be three bedrooms? This seems crazy.

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Um, actually, I may have one.

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Hang on one second.

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She opened a drawer and she pulled out a folder.

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Okay.

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And she flipped it open.

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And the first thing she said was, this could work.

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It is a three bedroom house.

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The house itself was beautiful.

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It looks great.

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Any three girls in a college town, I mean, that's the kind of house you want.

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I like it.

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It looked perfect on paper.

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You know, it had everything that we wanted and we really couldn't understand why she wouldn't offer this up from the get-go.

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Actually, I'm not sure it's a perfect match for you.

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Um, why was she being so negative?

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Why didn't she think this would work out?

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What's wrong?

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And she said, you know, they had head issues with tenants in the past.

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Well, we're good people.

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Yeah.

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Okay.

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Okay, I'll talk to the landlord.

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Thank you.

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Is this your bed?

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Yeah, you just put it on the ground.

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Oh my God.

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So we got the keys.

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We were extremely excited to move in.

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We really thought we got a great deal.

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We're excited that we were able to find a place together.

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It just seemed like the perfect house.

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Hey.

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00:04:59,840 --> 00:05:00,840

Hey.

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00:05:02,840 --> 00:05:03,840

How you liking it?

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Oh, it's great, right?

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My boyfriend Adam was a big help in moving us in.

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We'd been dating for a year.

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We just got along and it was a very easy thing.

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She made me laugh and she was always joking.

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Don't I deserve a kiss for helping you move in?

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Later.

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I don't know how she managed it, but somehow Lindsay got the best room in this house.

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After unloading stuff in my bedroom and I shut my bedroom door, I don't know something odd.

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There were two dead bolts on my bedroom door.

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Come check this out.

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Not just a little lock. Two large, large deadbolt locks. One, two.

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Two dead bolts on the back of the door and you would think maybe it's a college place.

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You live with some shady roommates and they might be taking stuff so you want to have that privacy.

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In this case, the lock wasn't on the other side.

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It was on the inside.

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And it was very odd to me as if, you know, somebody was trying to keep themselves locked in or something locked out.

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It had been a long day, you know, we were pretty exhausted and we went to bed.

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All of a sudden the room was really cold.

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00:07:03,840 --> 00:07:07,840

You could feel a breeze blowing past your face.

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What's up?

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00:07:15,840 --> 00:07:17,840

The fan turned on.

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00:07:25,840 --> 00:07:31,840

I rubbed my eyes, clicked off the light and we went back to sleep.

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00:07:40,840 --> 00:07:42,840

The doorbell rings.

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00:07:52,840 --> 00:07:54,840

Click, click, click, click.

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00:07:56,840 --> 00:07:58,840

You could hear the fan blade again.

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00:07:59,840 --> 00:08:01,840

As soon as she flipped the switch,

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00:08:07,840 --> 00:08:08,840

it stopped.

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This is ridiculous, right? So I got out of bed.

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You just stopped.

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Dendrit's tracks.

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We were standing there looking towards the floor.

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The plug is laying right there on the floor.

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00:08:31,840 --> 00:08:43,840

It's not plugged in and yet we heard it and we felt it.

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We heard the door.

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The door was literally moving, shaking.

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00:08:58,840 --> 00:09:00,840

I had called out Rebecca.

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00:09:03,840 --> 00:09:04,840

Amber.

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00:09:14,840 --> 00:09:15,840

Hello?

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00:09:17,840 --> 00:09:18,840

And it was still moving.

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00:09:21,840 --> 00:09:22,840

Hello?

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00:09:23,840 --> 00:09:26,840

I like somebody trying to come in.

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00:09:32,840 --> 00:09:33,840

Rebecca?

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00:09:36,840 --> 00:09:37,840

Amber?

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00:09:52,840 --> 00:09:53,840

Rebecca?

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00:09:54,840 --> 00:09:55,840

Amber?

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00:09:59,840 --> 00:10:02,840

As soon as I go to put my hand on the door,

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00:10:07,840 --> 00:10:08,840

it stopped.

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00:10:10,840 --> 00:10:12,840

Just stop moving.

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00:10:13,840 --> 00:10:15,840

Madam opened the door.

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00:10:15,840 --> 00:10:16,840

Hello?

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00:10:17,840 --> 00:10:18,840

I'm sorry.

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00:10:18,840 --> 00:10:20,840

Madam opened the door.

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00:10:20,840 --> 00:10:21,840

Hello?

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00:10:26,840 --> 00:10:27,840

Hello?

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00:10:30,840 --> 00:10:31,840

Nothing.

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00:10:32,840 --> 00:10:33,840

There's nobody there.

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00:10:34,840 --> 00:10:37,840

There was no way that somebody could come up those stairs

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00:10:37,840 --> 00:10:39,840

or go down them without you hearing them.

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00:10:42,840 --> 00:10:43,840

And I couldn't understand that.

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00:10:43,840 --> 00:10:44,840

You know what?

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00:10:44,840 --> 00:10:45,840

This is just something odd.

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00:10:45,840 --> 00:10:46,840

Don't worry about it.

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00:10:48,840 --> 00:10:49,840

We were exhausted.

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00:10:49,840 --> 00:10:52,840

We were tired and we didn't give it any more thought than that.

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I was sitting at my desk.

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00:11:02,840 --> 00:11:03,840

I needed to write a paper.

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00:11:03,840 --> 00:11:05,840

It was due in the next few days.

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I took my studies very seriously and I worked really hard.

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All of a sudden, I heard this loud pounding sound

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00:11:12,840 --> 00:11:14,840

and it was like, thump, thump, thump, thump.

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I really had no clue what it was.

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00:11:28,840 --> 00:11:29,840

I was so nervous.

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I was so nervous.

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I was so nervous.

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I was so nervous.

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I was so nervous.

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00:11:36,840 --> 00:11:37,840

I was so nervous.

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00:11:39,840 --> 00:11:41,840

It sounded like somebody going up and down the stairs.

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Guys, come on!

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00:11:44,840 --> 00:11:46,840

I just thought, oh, it's Adam and Lindsay.

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00:11:47,840 --> 00:11:48,840

It was really close.

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00:11:49,840 --> 00:11:51,840

Adam and Lindsay, the stairs are going to...

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00:11:55,840 --> 00:11:56,840

Nobody was there.

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00:11:58,840 --> 00:11:59,840

Lindsay, is that you?

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00:12:03,840 --> 00:12:05,840

I felt like they were playing a joke on me.

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00:12:05,840 --> 00:12:06,840

Adam?

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00:12:14,840 --> 00:12:16,840

I just thought they were totally stunned, like,

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00:12:17,840 --> 00:12:18,840

okay, what am I missing here?

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00:12:18,840 --> 00:12:19,840

Did somebody run off?

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00:12:28,840 --> 00:12:30,840

I thought it had to be Lindsay and Adam,

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or one of two of them,

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00:12:31,840 --> 00:12:34,840

because they were the only ones that would go up that staircase.

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I was so tired.

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I had finally gotten to sleep.

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It seemed as quickly as I had fallen back asleep.

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I realized I'm streaming.

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00:13:06,840 --> 00:13:08,840

I couldn't move my arms.

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00:13:10,840 --> 00:13:11,840

Couldn't move my legs.

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00:13:13,840 --> 00:13:14,840

I was pinned.

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I want to scream.

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00:13:23,840 --> 00:13:25,840

I want to scream at the top of my lungs.

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00:13:26,840 --> 00:13:27,840

Help me.

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00:13:28,840 --> 00:13:29,840

But I can't...

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00:13:29,840 --> 00:13:30,840

I can't...

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00:13:33,840 --> 00:13:34,840

In the shadows.

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00:13:36,840 --> 00:13:37,840

I can see a figure.

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She was shaking.

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00:13:57,840 --> 00:13:58,840

It's okay.

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She was just beside herself.

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00:13:59,840 --> 00:14:00,840

Everything's okay.

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00:14:01,840 --> 00:14:03,840

I realized it had only been a dream,

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00:14:04,840 --> 00:14:06,840

but my heart was still pounding.

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00:14:07,840 --> 00:14:09,840

I was covered in sweat, my hair was wet.

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00:14:10,840 --> 00:14:13,840

I was just trying to kind of bring her back down.

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00:14:15,840 --> 00:14:18,840

That feeling that something was in the room in my dream

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00:14:18,840 --> 00:14:20,840

was actually still with me in my bedroom.

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00:14:21,840 --> 00:14:22,840

It was so scary.

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And I was terrified to look around.

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00:14:25,840 --> 00:14:27,840

It felt real.

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I was just trying to get her back down.

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I was just trying to get her back down.

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One afternoon I was taking a nap.

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Turned over and was facing the wall.

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You know how you can tell when somebody is there?

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I slowly opened my eyes.

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00:14:58,840 --> 00:15:03,840

There was a giant black spider

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00:15:07,840 --> 00:15:08,840

right next to my bed.

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00:15:12,840 --> 00:15:14,840

I was totally terrified.

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00:15:15,840 --> 00:15:17,840

It gave me this creepy feeling.

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00:15:17,840 --> 00:15:19,840

Like I was being watched.

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00:15:19,840 --> 00:15:21,840

Like something was watching me through it.

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00:15:29,840 --> 00:15:32,840

It had a silver diamond down the back.

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00:15:42,840 --> 00:15:47,840

It just went straight down my wall.

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00:15:47,840 --> 00:15:50,840

Faster than anything I've ever seen move.

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So I jumped out of bed.

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I tore the sheets off.

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00:15:54,840 --> 00:15:55,840

I was tearing my room apart.

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00:15:58,840 --> 00:16:00,840

I combed through my whole room.

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00:16:00,840 --> 00:16:01,840

I had to get rid of it.

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And I couldn't find it.

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00:16:08,840 --> 00:16:12,840

I was so spooked by this that I had to figure out

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00:16:12,840 --> 00:16:13,840

what this thing was.

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You know, I should be able to find this in a book.

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So I went to the library.

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00:16:18,840 --> 00:16:20,840

Got a bunch of spider books out.

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Looked through all the pictures.

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And I couldn't find anything that looked like that.

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00:16:23,840 --> 00:16:26,840

Not in Ohio, not in any other state.

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00:16:26,840 --> 00:16:28,840

Anything that was the right size or the right color.

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00:16:30,840 --> 00:16:31,840

I went back to the house.

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00:16:31,840 --> 00:16:33,840

Nobody that I knew of was up.

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00:16:37,840 --> 00:16:38,840

I heard it again.

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00:16:38,840 --> 00:16:39,840

Thump, thump, thump.

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00:16:45,840 --> 00:16:46,840

I heard it again.

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00:16:46,840 --> 00:16:47,840

Thump, thump, thump.

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00:16:47,840 --> 00:16:48,840

I heard it again.

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00:16:48,840 --> 00:16:49,840

Thump, thump, thump.

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00:16:51,840 --> 00:16:53,840

And then I heard the cackling laugh.

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00:17:04,840 --> 00:17:08,840

I, I thought for sure it was Lindsay playing a joke on me.

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00:17:22,840 --> 00:17:26,840

I was really upset because, you know, she was my oldest friend.

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00:17:26,840 --> 00:17:29,840

And now all of a sudden she's behaving like this.

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00:17:51,840 --> 00:18:02,840

Reba came out of her room and just said,

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00:18:02,840 --> 00:18:04,840

So what was going on last night, guys?

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00:18:04,840 --> 00:18:05,840

Pardon?

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00:18:05,840 --> 00:18:08,840

You know, you guys are just so disrespectful.

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00:18:08,840 --> 00:18:12,840

The noise all night from 1 a.m. to 4 a.m. and the night before.

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00:18:12,840 --> 00:18:14,840

Hey, you using her anything?

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00:18:18,840 --> 00:18:20,840

She starts just kind of yelling.

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00:18:20,840 --> 00:18:23,840

You know, I have a big test today and I haven't slept in two nights now.

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00:18:23,840 --> 00:18:25,840

Rebecca, I have no idea what you're talking about.

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00:18:25,840 --> 00:18:28,840

Running up and down the stairs all night.

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00:18:28,840 --> 00:18:30,840

Rebecca, I wasn't even here last night.

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Lindsay looked genuinely puzzled.

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Her face kind of said it all.

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But still, you know, in the back of my mind,

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00:18:39,840 --> 00:18:42,840

I kind of built it up, you know, as it's got to be them.

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So I'm the only one that heard this.

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They're pretty much all staring at me at this point,

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looking at me like I'm totally nuts.

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00:18:50,840 --> 00:18:52,840

Yeah, right.

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00:18:52,840 --> 00:18:58,840

It was very out of character for Riva to kind of be that confrontational.

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00:18:58,840 --> 00:19:01,840

Somebody has been working too hard.

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I really felt like I was on my own at that point.

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I shut myself off, you know, didn't really talk to anybody.

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Didn't trust them.

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And for them to not take me seriously, at least that's what I felt

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when I told them these things, it really hurt my feelings quite a bit.

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All of a sudden we move into this place and it's like, poof, it's just like,

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everything's different.

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Like, oh, they must be, you know, trying to play a trick or whatever on me.

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Why would I think that of her?

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Something was driving me to think that way.

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And I really think that it was something in the house.

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Rebecca started to become very distant.

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She didn't socialize anymore.

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She wasn't part of the group.

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She was not normal Riva.

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It come to a point we weren't even speaking anymore.

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These are a group of girls who were extremely close.

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And now they're extremely distant.

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Rebecca was the first to move out.

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00:20:12,840 --> 00:20:14,840

It was sad.

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00:20:14,840 --> 00:20:17,840

The house that was supposed to bring us so much joy and bring us together

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00:20:17,840 --> 00:20:21,840

and be the best year of our college was tearing us apart.

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I was just so tired. I was so exhausted.

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The minute I put my head on the pillow, I fell asleep.

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00:21:08,840 --> 00:21:10,840

I woke up.

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00:21:15,840 --> 00:21:17,840

I woke up.

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00:21:20,840 --> 00:21:27,840

My television had turned on full volume to just static.

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00:21:27,840 --> 00:21:42,840

Static was just shaking, rattling my room.

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00:21:42,840 --> 00:21:44,840

It was so loud.

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00:21:58,840 --> 00:22:01,840

And I walked back to bed.

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00:22:05,840 --> 00:22:10,840

Suddenly, this horrific sound...

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00:22:16,840 --> 00:22:21,840

I was being sucked into the darkness back into the nightmare.

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00:22:27,840 --> 00:22:30,840

I was being sucked into the nightmare.

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Sometimes you're in a dream.

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00:22:38,840 --> 00:22:40,840

You can talk yourself out.

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00:22:40,840 --> 00:22:42,840

There was no way out.

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00:22:49,840 --> 00:22:53,840

In the shadows, it was a woman.

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She's coming towards me.

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00:23:09,840 --> 00:23:12,840

I did not want to see her face.

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00:23:23,840 --> 00:23:30,840

Her hair was covering me.

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00:23:54,840 --> 00:24:00,840

It was visceral. It was tactile.

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00:24:00,840 --> 00:24:04,840

I could feel the tension and I could feel the fear.

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00:24:04,840 --> 00:24:09,840

And I was so terrified that what had just happened in a dream

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00:24:09,840 --> 00:24:12,840

was about to happen to me for real.

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00:24:17,840 --> 00:24:19,840

She was so scared.

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00:24:19,840 --> 00:24:22,840

And she needed someone to confide in.

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Adam wasn't there.

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00:24:24,840 --> 00:24:28,840

And I still couldn't figure out why she was so scared.

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I feel like I'm losing my mind to Amber.

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Every time I go to sleep, I see her.

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00:24:34,840 --> 00:24:36,840

I just kept telling her...

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I've got to calm down.

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00:24:38,840 --> 00:24:40,840

Lindsay, I'm sure it's just your imagination.

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Lindsay, there's really nothing going on.

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00:24:43,840 --> 00:24:46,840

You have to stop scaring yourself.

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00:24:46,840 --> 00:24:48,840

It's just a dream.

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00:24:48,840 --> 00:24:51,840

I kept trying to reassure her.

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I'm like, you know, this isn't happening.

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00:24:53,840 --> 00:24:55,840

I'm not seeing this.

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00:24:55,840 --> 00:24:58,840

There's no logical reason for any of this stuff to be bothering you.

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00:24:58,840 --> 00:25:00,840

Can you stay with me tonight?

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00:25:16,840 --> 00:25:20,840

One night, the girls are all at class.

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00:25:20,840 --> 00:25:22,840

And I had the place to myself.

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I was looking forward to it, just having a night,

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having control of the TV for once.

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00:25:39,840 --> 00:25:42,840

For some reason, I just... I didn't feel comfortable.

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00:25:44,840 --> 00:25:47,840

I could feel the kind of the air pressure around me,

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00:25:47,840 --> 00:25:49,840

kind of building and building and building.

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00:25:51,840 --> 00:25:53,840

I'm a college guy, right?

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00:25:53,840 --> 00:25:56,840

I'm a young dude. It's supposed to be masculine.

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00:25:56,840 --> 00:25:58,840

I was becoming, like, so paranoid.

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00:25:58,840 --> 00:26:00,840

It was overwhelming.

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00:26:00,840 --> 00:26:02,840

Why am I feeling like this?

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00:26:10,840 --> 00:26:12,840

I got up.

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00:26:20,840 --> 00:26:22,840

What?

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00:26:38,840 --> 00:26:41,840

Paul, Lindsay's painting's in the living room.

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00:26:43,840 --> 00:26:45,840

They were just staring at me.

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00:26:46,840 --> 00:26:48,840

And I just snapped.

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00:26:50,840 --> 00:26:52,840

I had this feeling of being watched.

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00:26:54,840 --> 00:26:56,840

I didn't want to look up.

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It was almost like a chant in the card.

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00:26:59,840 --> 00:27:01,840

Do not look up at that window.

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00:27:01,840 --> 00:27:03,840

Do not look up at that window.

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00:27:12,840 --> 00:27:15,840

This was real. This woman was real.

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00:27:15,840 --> 00:27:17,840

I called Lindsay.

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00:27:17,840 --> 00:27:19,840

Lindsay, Lindsay. I saw her.

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00:27:19,840 --> 00:27:21,840

I saw the woman.

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Woman in your nightmare.

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00:27:23,840 --> 00:27:27,840

As if that woman stepped right out of Lindsay's dreams

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00:27:27,840 --> 00:27:29,840

and right in front of me.

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00:27:29,840 --> 00:27:31,840

Maybe I'm not going crazy.

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00:27:31,840 --> 00:27:33,840

She was standing at your window, just like you said she was.

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00:27:33,840 --> 00:27:35,840

I had seen her in my dreams,

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00:27:35,840 --> 00:27:37,840

and now he had seen her in the flesh.

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Lindsay, I'm scared.

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00:27:40,840 --> 00:27:43,840

We both knew at that very moment that this was real.

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00:27:48,840 --> 00:27:51,840

I started worrying about Lindsay's safety.

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I come from a pretty religious family.

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My father was a subdeacon in our church.

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00:28:00,840 --> 00:28:03,840

Adam said I think that he's the one to talk to.

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00:28:05,840 --> 00:28:08,840

Lindsay, how nice to see you.

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00:28:08,840 --> 00:28:11,840

I don't know where to start.

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00:28:13,840 --> 00:28:16,840

Dreams keep recurring over and over.

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00:28:16,840 --> 00:28:18,840

He didn't seem to be judging me.

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00:28:18,840 --> 00:28:20,840

He's scared to sleep. He believed me.

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00:28:20,840 --> 00:28:23,840

I think I may have something that will help you.

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00:28:23,840 --> 00:28:25,840

100%.

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00:28:27,840 --> 00:28:29,840

I'm going to give you a lot of holy water.

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00:28:29,840 --> 00:28:33,840

This holy water will help to purify your house.

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00:28:33,840 --> 00:28:37,840

He gave us this small icon,

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00:28:37,840 --> 00:28:41,840

and he said this holy icon

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00:28:41,840 --> 00:28:44,840

will help to protect you against evil.

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00:28:44,840 --> 00:28:48,840

This will prevent anything from ever coming in your bedroom again.

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00:28:50,840 --> 00:28:53,840

The icon he was giving us had to do with a patron saint

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00:28:53,840 --> 00:28:56,840

who was known for kind of warding off evil spirits.

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00:29:02,840 --> 00:29:04,840

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

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00:29:04,840 --> 00:29:05,840

Thy kingdom come.

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00:29:05,840 --> 00:29:08,840

I thought I'm going to go from the bottom to the top of the house.

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00:29:08,840 --> 00:29:11,840

I will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

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00:29:11,840 --> 00:29:13,840

Give us this day.

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00:29:13,840 --> 00:29:14,840

Good day.

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00:29:14,840 --> 00:29:15,840

Good day.

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00:29:15,840 --> 00:29:16,840

Really, bread.

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00:29:16,840 --> 00:29:18,840

And forgive us our trespasses.

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00:29:20,840 --> 00:29:22,840

Let's forgive those trespasses.

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00:29:22,840 --> 00:29:23,840

Jesus.

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00:29:23,840 --> 00:29:24,840

Let's leave this room.

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00:29:24,840 --> 00:29:25,840

Hey.

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00:29:25,840 --> 00:29:28,840

At this point, I thought they were nuts.

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00:29:28,840 --> 00:29:30,840

You guys have got to get a grip.

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00:29:30,840 --> 00:29:32,840

Quit watching so many movies.

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It's just a house.

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00:29:33,840 --> 00:29:38,840

They had such fear and such, you know, anxiety.

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It was starting to get overwhelming.

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00:29:40,840 --> 00:29:42,840

Something not right here, Amber.

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00:29:42,840 --> 00:29:45,840

Yeah, you guys are not right here.

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00:29:45,840 --> 00:29:48,840

I thought, is everyone losing their mind?

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00:29:48,840 --> 00:29:52,840

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

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00:29:57,840 --> 00:29:59,840

Do you think that's enough?

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00:29:59,840 --> 00:30:00,840

I think so.

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00:30:03,840 --> 00:30:08,840

I took the icon and I hung it just beside my door.

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00:30:13,840 --> 00:30:16,840

Something in my room completely changed.

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00:30:16,840 --> 00:30:19,840

The air in that room was different.

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00:30:19,840 --> 00:30:22,840

It was the first time I felt safe in my own room.

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00:30:25,840 --> 00:30:26,840

You all right?

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00:30:26,840 --> 00:30:28,840

Yeah.

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00:30:28,840 --> 00:30:32,840

For whatever reason, it felt different.

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00:30:32,840 --> 00:30:34,840

It felt lighter.

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00:30:34,840 --> 00:30:38,840

It felt like a weight had kind of been lifted.

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00:30:42,840 --> 00:30:44,840

I was upstairs sleeping.

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00:30:44,840 --> 00:30:46,840

Lindsay was downstairs.

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00:30:51,840 --> 00:30:54,840

I remember just hearing this bang.

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00:31:13,840 --> 00:31:17,840

And then hearing like two other bangs.

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00:31:20,840 --> 00:31:21,840

Boom.

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00:31:23,840 --> 00:31:24,840

Boom.

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00:31:24,840 --> 00:31:25,840

Boom.

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00:31:42,840 --> 00:31:45,840

Lindsay's paintings had fallen on the floor.

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00:31:45,840 --> 00:31:49,840

Every single painting except one.

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00:31:58,840 --> 00:31:59,840

Lindsay!

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00:32:08,840 --> 00:32:09,840

Lindsay!

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00:32:12,840 --> 00:32:13,840

Lindsay!

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00:32:24,840 --> 00:32:25,840

Are you okay?

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00:32:25,840 --> 00:32:28,840

The paintings that I had been hanging in every single room.

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What happened?

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00:32:29,840 --> 00:32:31,840

Had fallen off the wall.

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00:32:32,840 --> 00:32:37,840

Whatever was in the house was angry, was violent.

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It did not want us there.

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Do you see now?

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00:32:44,840 --> 00:32:45,840

It can move things.

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00:32:45,840 --> 00:32:47,840

Adam kept telling me, do you see now?

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It's strong.

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00:32:48,840 --> 00:32:49,840

It's showing us what it can do.

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00:32:49,840 --> 00:32:52,840

And I kept saying, Adam, you're talking crazy.

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00:32:52,840 --> 00:32:54,840

Baby, the nails just weren't secure.

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Come on.

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00:32:55,840 --> 00:32:56,840

Are you serious?

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00:32:56,840 --> 00:32:59,840

All the paintings fell down upstairs and down here.

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00:32:59,840 --> 00:33:00,840

Look.

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00:33:00,840 --> 00:33:02,840

Amber was clearly still in denial.

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00:33:02,840 --> 00:33:05,840

Even after she saw every single painting.

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00:33:05,840 --> 00:33:07,840

Like, what coincidence is that?

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00:33:07,840 --> 00:33:10,840

But it doesn't necessarily mean what you think it means.

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00:33:11,840 --> 00:33:14,840

You have got to be kidding me that you do not believe

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00:33:14,840 --> 00:33:16,840

that this is the house.

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00:33:18,840 --> 00:33:19,840

I thought it was a little weird,

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00:33:19,840 --> 00:33:22,840

but there was nothing to explain it.

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One night I came home from class.

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00:33:31,840 --> 00:33:33,840

I had a very small window of time

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00:33:33,840 --> 00:33:36,840

to get from class to work.

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00:33:40,840 --> 00:33:44,840

I brushed home, got changed, got something to eat.

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I went to the bar to see if there was anything to eat.

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00:34:08,840 --> 00:34:09,840

I yelled out.

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00:34:09,840 --> 00:34:10,840

Lindsay?

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00:34:10,840 --> 00:34:12,840

To see if Lindsay or Adam was in the house.

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00:34:12,840 --> 00:34:13,840

Adam.

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00:34:13,840 --> 00:34:15,840

No one was in the house.

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00:34:42,840 --> 00:34:45,840

So I get into the car.

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00:34:45,840 --> 00:34:48,840

I start the car,

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00:34:48,840 --> 00:34:51,840

and something draws my attention to the house.

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00:34:51,840 --> 00:34:54,840

Something telling me to look up.

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00:35:01,840 --> 00:35:03,840

I go to the bar,

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00:35:03,840 --> 00:35:05,840

and I see a little girl.

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00:35:05,840 --> 00:35:07,840

She's a little girl.

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00:35:07,840 --> 00:35:09,840

She's a little girl.

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00:35:10,840 --> 00:35:12,840

Oh, my God.

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00:35:12,840 --> 00:35:15,840

I could very clearly see a woman standing in the window.

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00:35:15,840 --> 00:35:17,840

I'm staring at her.

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00:35:17,840 --> 00:35:20,840

Her staring directly back at me.

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00:35:22,840 --> 00:35:26,840

Everything, everybody has been telling me was true.

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00:35:27,840 --> 00:35:28,840

Lindsay?

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00:35:28,840 --> 00:35:29,840

This woman was real.

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00:35:29,840 --> 00:35:30,840

Okay.

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00:35:30,840 --> 00:35:32,840

I believe you.

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00:35:32,840 --> 00:35:33,840

Everything that you've been telling me,

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00:35:33,840 --> 00:35:35,840

everything that you've been trying to explain to me.

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00:35:35,840 --> 00:35:37,840

Wait, you mean to me?

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00:35:37,840 --> 00:35:38,840

I saw her.

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She said, I saw her.

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00:35:40,840 --> 00:35:41,840

I'm so sorry.

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I didn't believe you.

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00:35:42,840 --> 00:35:44,840

It was a bittersweet moment

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00:35:44,840 --> 00:35:46,840

because she was scared.

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But it was good for me

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00:35:48,840 --> 00:35:50,840

because someone else saw her

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00:35:50,840 --> 00:35:52,840

proving that I hadn't lost my mind.

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00:35:54,840 --> 00:35:56,840

It united all of us.

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00:35:56,840 --> 00:35:58,840

We are now on the same team.

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00:35:58,840 --> 00:36:01,840

There's no more amber thinking that we're crazy.

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00:36:01,840 --> 00:36:03,840

Everybody take one.

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00:36:03,840 --> 00:36:07,840

I had the idea that we've all seen this figure.

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00:36:07,840 --> 00:36:09,840

So why don't we all sit down

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00:36:09,840 --> 00:36:12,840

and why don't we draw what we saw?

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00:36:12,840 --> 00:36:14,840

Let's put pen to paper.

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00:36:20,840 --> 00:36:21,840

Ready?

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00:36:21,840 --> 00:36:24,840

Flip your papers over and let's see what we got.

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00:36:26,840 --> 00:36:27,840

One.

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00:36:31,840 --> 00:36:32,840

Two.

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00:36:34,840 --> 00:36:35,840

Three.

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00:36:38,840 --> 00:36:39,840

Four.

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00:36:42,840 --> 00:36:44,840

All of us have the same figure

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00:36:44,840 --> 00:36:46,840

on the piece of paper.

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00:36:55,840 --> 00:36:57,840

The dark hair,

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00:36:57,840 --> 00:37:00,840

the gnarly, nasty teeth.

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00:37:01,840 --> 00:37:04,840

At that point, I couldn't believe

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00:37:04,840 --> 00:37:07,840

that we were all experiencing the same thing.

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00:37:09,840 --> 00:37:12,840

For Amber, you know, I think it was the biggest revelation

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00:37:12,840 --> 00:37:15,840

because she went from being a complete skeptic

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00:37:15,840 --> 00:37:18,840

to somebody who absolutely believed.

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00:37:24,840 --> 00:37:27,840

If anyone was going to have any information about the house,

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00:37:27,840 --> 00:37:29,840

it was going to be the historical society.

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Your property is one of the oldest houses in Kent,

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00:37:33,840 --> 00:37:34,840

if not the oldest.

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And I thought, wow, he knows our house.

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00:37:36,840 --> 00:37:37,840

And he said,

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00:37:37,840 --> 00:37:39,840

Over 90 years ago,

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00:37:39,840 --> 00:37:42,840

a doctor lived in that house with his wife.

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00:37:45,840 --> 00:37:47,840

Their marriage broke down.

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00:37:47,840 --> 00:37:50,840

She became unfaithful.

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00:37:50,840 --> 00:37:52,840

And he lost his mind.

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When he said that,

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my heart began to beat so hard in my chest.

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Now I have some very disturbing things to tell you.

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He attacked her.

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He stabbed her.

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He mutilated her face.

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And then he killed her.

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All the pieces fit.

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That's the woman.

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Everything made sense to me.

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She's the one we've been seeing.

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This woman was real.

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This is the woman that's been haunting us.

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I'm sorry to have had to tell you this.

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This woman had been killed in our house,

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had been murdered in our house.

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You okay?

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Suffered.

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Who knows what kind of brutalities.

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I looked at Amber and I said,

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Amber, I think she wanted us to suffer like she suffered.

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I think she wanted me to feel the fear she felt.

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And this was the woman that we had all been seeing.

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There was no doubt in my mind, not at all.

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This was who Amber had seen, who Adam had seen,

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and who I had been dreaming about.

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I flipped off the light.

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I lost all control.

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I ran.

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Turn the corner to my stairs.

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I literally feel too much pain.

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I feel so much pain.

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I feel so much pain.

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I feel so much pain.

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I feel so much pain.

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I feel so much pain.

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I literally feel two hands grab my ankles

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and pull me down so hard.

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Lindsay!

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I am just completely frozen.

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She starts to growl.

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She starts to growl.

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Like animalistic.

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From your gut roar.

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And I kept...

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I slam it shut.

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I began here, violent scratching.

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Door moved, the door handle was turning.

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It got quieter and quieter and quieter.

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Door closed.

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helps

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It all tore us apart.

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It took a toll on us.

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Yeah, it did.

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It was several years before any of us

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were able to truly talk about what happened to all of us

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in that house.

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The best thing to do was to just leave the house.

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They had been friends since they were teenagers,

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and this situation just completely shredded all of that.

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Ready?

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Yeah.

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What we went through in that house, you know,

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it changed us forever.

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It altered every single one of us.

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This woman had caused some pretty long-term damage.