



**Haunted by a
Prismatic,
Ethereal
Entity?**

**GHOSTLY
GLIMMERMAN?**

BXP

1
00:00:12,880 --> 00:00:10,600

[Music]

2
00:00:17,830 --> 00:00:12,890

[Applause]

3
00:00:21,990 --> 00:00:19,670

welcome to the best of first person

4
00:00:24,870 --> 00:00:22,000

episodes of phantoms and monsters

5
00:00:25,429 --> 00:00:24,880

please like subscribe and hit the bell

6
00:00:28,830 --> 00:00:25,439

icon

7
00:00:31,910 --> 00:00:28,840

so you'll be notified of all future

8
00:00:35,830 --> 00:00:34,150

glimmer man multiple encounters in

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00:00:37,830 --> 00:00:35,840

physical contact

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00:00:39,510 --> 00:00:37,840

i want to tell you about a series of

11
00:00:41,830 --> 00:00:39,520

events that have happened to me

12
00:00:43,590 --> 00:00:41,840

starting in 2012 and could still

13
00:00:45,910 --> 00:00:43,600

currently be happening

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00:00:48,150 --> 00:00:45,920

my story is what i have recently found

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00:00:50,310 --> 00:00:48,160

out could be called the glimmer man

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00:00:52,709 --> 00:00:50,320

i had never heard of anyone else seeing

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00:00:54,869 --> 00:00:52,719

anything like i've experienced before

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00:00:56,310 --> 00:00:54,879

and i have also never seen the movie

19

00:00:59,510 --> 00:00:56,320

predator i know

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00:00:59,990 --> 00:00:59,520

lame but i just never have my close

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00:01:01,830 --> 00:01:00,000

friend

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00:01:04,390 --> 00:01:01,840

nick is obsessed with all things

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00:01:05,030 --> 00:01:04,400

supernatural and i am obsessed with true

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00:01:07,109 --> 00:01:05,040

crime

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00:01:09,030 --> 00:01:07,119

so he suggested i watch the missing

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00:01:11,429 --> 00:01:09,040

4-1-1 the hunted

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00:01:13,590 --> 00:01:11,439

i did loved it and by the end i was

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00:01:14,870 --> 00:01:13,600

pretty disturbed because i had never

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00:01:16,870 --> 00:01:14,880

before heard of anyone

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00:01:19,510 --> 00:01:16,880

seeing something that was essentially a

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00:01:21,590 --> 00:01:19,520

translucent figure before like i had

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00:01:23,270 --> 00:01:21,600

it really took me back because for years

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00:01:24,390 --> 00:01:23,280

i have thought that either i had a

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00:01:26,950 --> 00:01:24,400

psychotic break

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00:01:28,870 --> 00:01:26,960

or that i'm a medium and can see ghosts

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00:01:30,789 --> 00:01:28,880

it never occurred to me that it could be

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00:01:31,590 --> 00:01:30,799

something paranormal or anything like

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00:01:35,590 --> 00:01:31,600

that

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00:01:37,429 --> 00:01:35,600

translucent being before

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00:01:39,990 --> 00:01:37,439

but that's all the detail i could admit

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00:01:42,149 --> 00:01:40,000

to him he told me i had probably

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00:01:43,670 --> 00:01:42,159

seen what's called a glimmer man and

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00:01:46,469 --> 00:01:43,680

sent me a podcast

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00:01:48,469 --> 00:01:46,479

so i could have my sanity validated i

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00:01:49,429 --> 00:01:48,479

have never told a single soul these

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00:01:51,670 --> 00:01:49,439

stories

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00:01:53,749 --> 00:01:51,680

i have tried to block it out of my mind

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00:01:53,990 --> 00:01:53,759

because i realized after the fact that

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00:01:57,990 --> 00:01:54,000

it

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00:01:59,670 --> 00:01:58,000

wasn't then i couldn't tell anyone

51
00:02:00,950 --> 00:01:59,680
because i was sure they would think i

52
00:02:03,030 --> 00:02:00,960
was insane

53
00:02:04,069 --> 00:02:03,040
this has really freaked me out for a lot

54
00:02:06,469 --> 00:02:04,079
of years now

55
00:02:08,630 --> 00:02:06,479
i vowed i would never tell anyone but

56
00:02:11,430 --> 00:02:08,640
after listening to the other stories

57
00:02:12,470 --> 00:02:11,440
i really think i need to i refer to this

58
00:02:14,150 --> 00:02:12,480
thing as a mass

59
00:02:15,510 --> 00:02:14,160
because that's the best way i could

60
00:02:17,670 --> 00:02:15,520
describe it

61
00:02:19,030 --> 00:02:17,680
physically it was translucent and had no

62
00:02:20,790 --> 00:02:19,040
discernible edges

63
00:02:22,390 --> 00:02:20,800

however i could tell it was made of

64

00:02:24,630 --> 00:02:22,400

something if you took

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00:02:26,309 --> 00:02:24,640

light got it to refract through a prism

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00:02:28,309 --> 00:02:26,319

and took a picture of it

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00:02:30,150 --> 00:02:28,319

the cut that picture into quarter inch

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00:02:31,350 --> 00:02:30,160

squares and faced them every single

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00:02:34,150 --> 00:02:31,360

direction you can

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00:02:35,430 --> 00:02:34,160

all at random that's what it looked like

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00:02:37,830 --> 00:02:35,440

i could see the blue

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00:02:39,750 --> 00:02:37,840

green and red bouncing back to my eyes

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00:02:41,589 --> 00:02:39,760

but it all moved like static

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00:02:43,430 --> 00:02:41,599

so i couldn't hook on to a single

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00:02:45,589 --> 00:02:43,440

section or color for long

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00:02:46,949 --> 00:02:45,599

this description is the same for every

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00:02:49,030 --> 00:02:46,959

time i've seen it

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00:02:51,110 --> 00:02:49,040

the shape and size are the only thing

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00:02:51,990 --> 00:02:51,120

that changed and it was by no means

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00:02:54,070 --> 00:02:52,000

smooth

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00:02:56,390 --> 00:02:54,080

usually the upper half would be sort of

82

00:02:57,430 --> 00:02:56,400

distended but in a very rough almost

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00:03:00,550 --> 00:02:57,440

rocky cliff-like

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00:03:02,550 --> 00:03:00,560

shape one last thing before i start two

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00:03:04,869 --> 00:03:02,560

months before the first incident

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00:03:06,790 --> 00:03:04,879

my roommate kylie made a suicide attempt

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00:03:08,309 --> 00:03:06,800

that lead to her accidentally drowning

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00:03:10,630 --> 00:03:08,319

in the boise river

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00:03:12,229 --> 00:03:10,640

it was not actually her intention but

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00:03:15,190 --> 00:03:12,239

very long story short

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00:03:16,790 --> 00:03:15,200

she passed away i say this because i

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00:03:18,070 --> 00:03:16,800

thought that this glimmer man was her

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00:03:20,630 --> 00:03:18,080

coming back as a ghost

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00:03:21,990 --> 00:03:20,640

at the time i thought she had come back

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00:03:23,910 --> 00:03:22,000

to talk to me

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00:03:27,030 --> 00:03:23,920

i wanted in my mind to believe it was

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00:03:29,030 --> 00:03:27,040

her i say that to explain why i did not

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00:03:29,990 --> 00:03:29,040

panic when i saw the thing on the first

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00:03:32,470 --> 00:03:30,000

incident

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00:03:33,509 --> 00:03:32,480

i can't explain why i was so calm on the

101
00:03:37,030 --> 00:03:33,519
second

102
00:03:39,430 --> 00:03:37,040
so here it goes october 2012 i had moved

103
00:03:41,910 --> 00:03:39,440
to portland oregon from boise idaho

104
00:03:44,789 --> 00:03:41,920
in the wake of my roommate's death i was

105
00:03:47,030 --> 00:03:44,799
in my room alone at about 11 p.m

106
00:03:49,110 --> 00:03:47,040
my room has a sliding glass door that

107
00:03:50,869 --> 00:03:49,120
connects straight to the backyard

108
00:03:53,190 --> 00:03:50,879
i looked over towards the door in the

109
00:03:55,270 --> 00:03:53,200
corner of the room and i see a strange

110
00:03:56,550 --> 00:03:55,280
mask that was about four foot tall and

111
00:03:58,390 --> 00:03:56,560
three foot wide

112
00:04:00,390 --> 00:03:58,400
i would estimate the depth to be three

113
00:04:01,589 --> 00:04:00,400

foot as well and was completely

114

00:04:03,670 --> 00:04:01,599

translucent

115

00:04:05,509 --> 00:04:03,680

i blinked because i had assumed it was

116

00:04:08,949 --> 00:04:05,519

my eyes playing tricks on me

117

00:04:11,589 --> 00:04:08,959

but it was still there i felt very calm

118

00:04:12,070 --> 00:04:11,599

the figure was very obviously focused on

119

00:04:14,390 --> 00:04:12,080

me

120

00:04:16,150 --> 00:04:14,400

it didn't have eyes but it's almost as

121

00:04:17,749 --> 00:04:16,160

if the top part of it was leaned in a

122

00:04:19,909 --> 00:04:17,759

little closer than the rest

123

00:04:21,590 --> 00:04:19,919

and if i moved around a room it would

124

00:04:24,310 --> 00:04:21,600

turn in my direction

125

00:04:26,230 --> 00:04:24,320

immediately i think this is a ghost it

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00:04:28,629 --> 00:04:26,240

needs to tell me something

127

00:04:30,950 --> 00:04:28,639

so i reached out my hand and the mask

128

00:04:33,430 --> 00:04:30,960

came towards me and lifted my hand

129

00:04:35,590 --> 00:04:33,440

very gently and weakly but i did not

130

00:04:37,590 --> 00:04:35,600

have to use the regular amount of muscle

131

00:04:40,310 --> 00:04:37,600

it takes to lift my own arm

132

00:04:42,150 --> 00:04:40,320

it was clearly lifting my arm for me i

133

00:04:42,710 --> 00:04:42,160

would describe the feeling as if you

134

00:04:44,950 --> 00:04:42,720

took two

135

00:04:45,830 --> 00:04:44,960

opposite magnets and tried to force them

136

00:04:48,150 --> 00:04:45,840

together

137

00:04:50,230 --> 00:04:48,160

not the strength of it but just like an

138

00:04:51,670 --> 00:04:50,240

invisible force that you can physically

139

00:04:53,749 --> 00:04:51,680

feel pushing you

140

00:04:54,710 --> 00:04:53,759

it was completely even pressure where it

141

00:04:56,710 --> 00:04:54,720

would touch me

142

00:04:58,070 --> 00:04:56,720

and it could move my hand and arm if i

143

00:05:00,310 --> 00:04:58,080

had it relaxed

144

00:05:01,510 --> 00:05:00,320

i held out my arm and asked it to tell

145

00:05:03,749 --> 00:05:01,520

me who it was

146

00:05:05,590 --> 00:05:03,759

the mass pushed on my arm to the left

147

00:05:07,670 --> 00:05:05,600

and led me through my room to group of

148

00:05:09,990 --> 00:05:07,680

magazine posters on the wall

149

00:05:12,150 --> 00:05:10,000

it lifted my hand up to the posters and

150

00:05:13,270 --> 00:05:12,160

put my hand over a picture of a band i

151
00:05:15,990 --> 00:05:13,280
had liked

152
00:05:16,550 --> 00:05:16,000
this is a band kelly loved as well so i

153
00:05:19,029 --> 00:05:16,560
said

154
00:05:19,749 --> 00:05:19,039
move my hand up if yes and side to side

155
00:05:22,230 --> 00:05:19,759
if no

156
00:05:23,270 --> 00:05:22,240
but are you killing the mass moved my

157
00:05:26,150 --> 00:05:23,280
hand up

158
00:05:28,230 --> 00:05:26,160
i got very emotional cried immediately

159
00:05:29,510 --> 00:05:28,240
but i held it together because i wanted

160
00:05:31,590 --> 00:05:29,520
to talk to her

161
00:05:33,749 --> 00:05:31,600
i went and got a blank notebook and a

162
00:05:35,189 --> 00:05:33,759
pen and asked the mask to write to me

163
00:05:37,670 --> 00:05:35,199

what it wants to say

164

00:05:39,990 --> 00:05:37,680

while i held the pen the mask would move

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00:05:42,390 --> 00:05:40,000

my hand while i had it on the paper

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00:05:44,950 --> 00:05:42,400

but none of the drawings made any sense

167

00:05:47,590 --> 00:05:44,960

so i asked it to move the pen instead

168

00:05:49,590 --> 00:05:47,600

i was barely holding on the pen i just

169

00:05:50,469 --> 00:05:49,600

had it between my fingers to keep it

170

00:05:52,469 --> 00:05:50,479

upright

171

00:05:53,510 --> 00:05:52,479

the mask started to move the pen across

172

00:05:55,749 --> 00:05:53,520

the page

173

00:05:57,749 --> 00:05:55,759

i realized that i couldn't be imagining

174

00:05:59,270 --> 00:05:57,759

things because i could literally see the

175

00:06:00,950 --> 00:05:59,280

pen moving by itself

176

00:06:02,629 --> 00:06:00,960

even though i was still holding the

177

00:06:05,590 --> 00:06:02,639

bottom of it slightly

178

00:06:07,590 --> 00:06:05,600

this went on for probably two hours i

179

00:06:08,790 --> 00:06:07,600

tried and tried to get this thing right

180

00:06:10,629 --> 00:06:08,800

something legible

181

00:06:12,950 --> 00:06:10,639

but nothing looked like any type of

182

00:06:14,070 --> 00:06:12,960

letter it was all just strange designs

183

00:06:16,070 --> 00:06:14,080

and shapes

184

00:06:18,550 --> 00:06:16,080

i believe i still have this journal in

185

00:06:21,029 --> 00:06:18,560

my parent storage area in idaho

186

00:06:23,590 --> 00:06:21,039

i plan on finding it in sending pictures

187

00:06:25,990 --> 00:06:23,600

of it once i leave alaska this fall

188

00:06:28,230 --> 00:06:26,000

this is where things get really nuts

189

00:06:30,390 --> 00:06:28,240

what i am going to say next is why i

190

00:06:31,670 --> 00:06:30,400

have never told anyone any part of this

191

00:06:33,909 --> 00:06:31,680

story before

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00:06:35,510 --> 00:06:33,919

if someone told me this i would never

193

00:06:37,830 --> 00:06:35,520

think they were sane

194

00:06:40,230 --> 00:06:37,840

my new roommate alexa came into my room

195

00:06:42,950 --> 00:06:40,240

to ask me who i was talking to

196

00:06:44,469 --> 00:06:42,960

all of the sudden the mask got very tiny

197

00:06:47,350 --> 00:06:44,479

like the size of a mouse

198

00:06:48,070 --> 00:06:47,360

and it sat in my hand i told her i think

199

00:06:51,110 --> 00:06:48,080

kylie is here

200

00:06:53,510 --> 00:06:51,120

talking to me and to watch this i say

201
00:06:55,670 --> 00:06:53,520
please move the pen for me the pen in my

202
00:06:58,550 --> 00:06:55,680
hand start to move across the paper

203
00:07:00,390 --> 00:06:58,560
and alexa freaked out she said this is

204
00:07:01,110 --> 00:07:00,400
insane and she doesn't know what's

205
00:07:03,110 --> 00:07:01,120
happening

206
00:07:04,390 --> 00:07:03,120
but she said i need to stay away from

207
00:07:06,710 --> 00:07:04,400
her for the night

208
00:07:07,990 --> 00:07:06,720
i was honestly too preoccupied to care

209
00:07:10,390 --> 00:07:08,000
about her reaction

210
00:07:11,990 --> 00:07:10,400
and we didn't get along well anyways so

211
00:07:14,230 --> 00:07:12,000
i just let her go

212
00:07:16,150 --> 00:07:14,240
she goes to bed and the mask gets really

213
00:07:18,070 --> 00:07:16,160

big skinnier than before

214

00:07:21,029 --> 00:07:18,080

but probably two foot taller than the

215

00:07:22,230 --> 00:07:21,039

start it starts pushing my hand left and

216

00:07:24,230 --> 00:07:22,240

leads me to the door

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00:07:27,270 --> 00:07:24,240

out to my living room and to my front

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00:07:28,390 --> 00:07:27,280

door i said no i'm not going and walked

219

00:07:30,550 --> 00:07:28,400

back to my room

220

00:07:32,629 --> 00:07:30,560

but it just keeps putting this pressure

221

00:07:33,909 --> 00:07:32,639

on my hand to get me to go out in the

222

00:07:36,390 --> 00:07:33,919

living room again

223

00:07:38,150 --> 00:07:36,400

i oblige because at this point i am

224

00:07:39,749 --> 00:07:38,160

convinced that this is like the lost

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00:07:41,189 --> 00:07:39,759

soul of my close friend

226

00:07:43,909 --> 00:07:41,199

and nothing she could do would be

227

00:07:45,189 --> 00:07:43,919

dangerous i go outside and it leads me

228

00:07:47,430 --> 00:07:45,199

to my car

229

00:07:49,830 --> 00:07:47,440

i must have gone back in for my keys and

230

00:07:52,230 --> 00:07:49,840

coat because i remember wearing a coat

231

00:07:53,589 --> 00:07:52,240

but i don't remember exactly how i got

232

00:07:55,670 --> 00:07:53,599

it or my keys

233

00:07:57,990 --> 00:07:55,680

at this point i'm in the car and i tell

234

00:08:00,230 --> 00:07:58,000

the mass move my hand left or right

235

00:08:01,110 --> 00:08:00,240

for turns up to stop and down for

236

00:08:03,510 --> 00:08:01,120

forward

237

00:08:04,469 --> 00:08:03,520

the mass leads me out of my neighborhood

238

00:08:06,550 --> 00:08:04,479

and down at least

239

00:08:08,950 --> 00:08:06,560

a full mile to an area that is sort of

240

00:08:09,749 --> 00:08:08,960

industrial but also like an abandoned

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00:08:12,230 --> 00:08:09,759

park

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00:08:14,230 --> 00:08:12,240

i don't know how to describe it totally

243

00:08:15,830 --> 00:08:14,240

and this is the only time i've ever been

244

00:08:17,909 --> 00:08:15,840

to this location

245

00:08:19,029 --> 00:08:17,919

there were several big trees surrounding

246

00:08:21,350 --> 00:08:19,039

this place

247

00:08:22,950 --> 00:08:21,360

it was like an open sort of park behind

248

00:08:24,950 --> 00:08:22,960

an industrial building

249

00:08:27,350 --> 00:08:24,960

so there were no lights and there were

250

00:08:27,909 --> 00:08:27,360

several random pieces of abandoned scrap

251
00:08:30,869 --> 00:08:27,919
metal

252
00:08:31,510 --> 00:08:30,879
just assorted random things everywhere i

253
00:08:33,509 --> 00:08:31,520
got out

254
00:08:35,909 --> 00:08:33,519
and it was very clear that the mass was

255
00:08:38,630 --> 00:08:35,919
putting pressure on me to go forward

256
00:08:40,630 --> 00:08:38,640
i'm going wherever it's telling me to go

257
00:08:41,430 --> 00:08:40,640
we get to this six foot tall and ten

258
00:08:43,670 --> 00:08:41,440
foot wide

259
00:08:45,190 --> 00:08:43,680
about metal structure that has a little

260
00:08:47,430 --> 00:08:45,200
ladder on the side

261
00:08:48,470 --> 00:08:47,440
it wants me to go up the ladder so i

262
00:08:50,870 --> 00:08:48,480
climbed it

263
00:08:52,790 --> 00:08:50,880

then it's jolting my hand forward but

264

00:08:55,030 --> 00:08:52,800

forward is the ground below

265

00:08:57,110 --> 00:08:55,040

it wants me to jump off the structure

266

00:08:57,829 --> 00:08:57,120

which i did one time because it wasn't

267

00:09:00,150 --> 00:08:57,839

too high

268

00:09:01,350 --> 00:09:00,160

and i sat down before i jumped to lessen

269

00:09:03,670 --> 00:09:01,360

the impact

270

00:09:04,710 --> 00:09:03,680

then the mass puts pressure on my hand

271

00:09:07,269 --> 00:09:04,720

side to side

272

00:09:08,070 --> 00:09:07,279

which we had agreed was no leads me back

273

00:09:10,870 --> 00:09:08,080

to the ladder

274

00:09:11,910 --> 00:09:10,880

and signals up like it wants me to climb

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00:09:13,910 --> 00:09:11,920

at this point

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00:09:15,750 --> 00:09:13,920

i'm realizing that i don't think this is

277

00:09:17,910 --> 00:09:15,760

my dead friend anymore

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00:09:20,070 --> 00:09:17,920

i'm thinking something is tricking me

279

00:09:22,230 --> 00:09:20,080

but i also didn't want to completely

280

00:09:24,310 --> 00:09:22,240

give up in case it was her i

281

00:09:26,550 --> 00:09:24,320

climb up one more time and stood at the

282

00:09:29,509 --> 00:09:26,560

top the mass signaled me to jump

283

00:09:31,829 --> 00:09:29,519

but i told it no i said it's not fair

284

00:09:34,150 --> 00:09:31,839

because i'm alive and this could hurt me

285

00:09:36,230 --> 00:09:34,160

so if you have something to tell me you

286

00:09:37,269 --> 00:09:36,240

need to find another way dot i climbed

287

00:09:39,590 --> 00:09:37,279

down from the ledge

288

00:09:41,509 --> 00:09:39,600

and the mass tried twice more to lead me

289

00:09:43,509 --> 00:09:41,519

back to the metal structure

290

00:09:45,910 --> 00:09:43,519

i just couldn't be there anymore alone

291

00:09:48,150 --> 00:09:45,920

in the dark in a weird part of portland

292

00:09:49,350 --> 00:09:48,160

i didn't want to be arrested or killed

293

00:09:52,230 --> 00:09:49,360

so i said enough

294

00:09:54,150 --> 00:09:52,240

i'm going home the mass tried to control

295

00:09:56,310 --> 00:09:54,160

my hand the entire ride home

296

00:09:57,670 --> 00:09:56,320

even getting out of my car and walking

297

00:09:59,990 --> 00:09:57,680

up to my house

298

00:10:00,870 --> 00:10:00,000

but keep in mind the pressure is not

299

00:10:03,670 --> 00:10:00,880

that strong

300

00:10:05,190 --> 00:10:03,680

so i was easily able to ignore it i

301

00:10:07,190 --> 00:10:05,200

walked straight to my room

302

00:10:09,829 --> 00:10:07,200

and i kept feeling the pressure on my

303

00:10:11,990 --> 00:10:09,839

arm trying to get me to go outside

304

00:10:13,190 --> 00:10:12,000

at this time and for the whole time we

305

00:10:14,870 --> 00:10:13,200

were on our outing

306

00:10:17,670 --> 00:10:14,880

the mass was about the size of a

307

00:10:19,750 --> 00:10:17,680

basketball i tried one last time to

308

00:10:20,389 --> 00:10:19,760

communicate with the mass via pen and

309

00:10:21,990 --> 00:10:20,399

journal

310

00:10:24,389 --> 00:10:22,000

but i still couldn't get anything

311

00:10:25,750 --> 00:10:24,399

legible so i decided to tell it that

312

00:10:28,389 --> 00:10:25,760

it's time to go

313

00:10:29,350 --> 00:10:28,399

i walked out back and told the mass it's

314

00:10:31,509 --> 00:10:29,360

time to go

315

00:10:32,389 --> 00:10:31,519

if you are killing then i hope you go to

316

00:10:34,710 --> 00:10:32,399

heaven now

317

00:10:35,829 --> 00:10:34,720

but i can't do anything further so you

318

00:10:38,389 --> 00:10:35,839

need to leave

319

00:10:39,670 --> 00:10:38,399

the mass went about 10 to 15 feet in the

320

00:10:42,069 --> 00:10:39,680

air and hovered

321

00:10:44,550 --> 00:10:42,079

it was big at this point at least seven

322

00:10:46,710 --> 00:10:44,560

feet and then i walked back inside and

323

00:10:49,110 --> 00:10:46,720

closed the sliding glass door

324

00:10:51,269 --> 00:10:49,120

i was hoping it was gone but i saw the

325

00:10:51,670 --> 00:10:51,279

mass a few more times out of the corner

326

00:10:54,550 --> 00:10:51,680

of my

327

00:10:55,350 --> 00:10:54,560

eye i chose to ignore it and just kept

328

00:10:57,829 --> 00:10:55,360

repeating

329

00:10:59,030 --> 00:10:57,839

you need to go away i can't do anything

330

00:11:01,670 --> 00:10:59,040

for you i'm sorry

331

00:11:03,509 --> 00:11:01,680

and eventually it was gone i didn't see

332

00:11:05,990 --> 00:11:03,519

it again for a long time

333

00:11:07,350 --> 00:11:06,000

i never talked about it and my roommate

334

00:11:09,590 --> 00:11:07,360

never brought it up

335

00:11:11,269 --> 00:11:09,600

i had decided i must have a strange

336

00:11:13,190 --> 00:11:11,279

ability to talk to ghosts

337

00:11:14,389 --> 00:11:13,200

but i obviously cannot tell the good

338

00:11:16,389 --> 00:11:14,399

from the bad

339

00:11:17,910 --> 00:11:16,399

so i knew that i couldn't communicate

340

00:11:21,110 --> 00:11:17,920

with them if i ever saw them

341

00:11:21,590 --> 00:11:21,120

for my own safety about six months goes

342

00:11:23,670 --> 00:11:21,600

by

343

00:11:25,670 --> 00:11:23,680

i moved into a new house in portland

344

00:11:27,990 --> 00:11:25,680

with my brother and close friend

345

00:11:30,069 --> 00:11:28,000

i drove down to southern california for

346

00:11:31,430 --> 00:11:30,079

the coachella music festival in april

347

00:11:33,269 --> 00:11:31,440

2013

348

00:11:35,430 --> 00:11:33,279

a friend and i drove down for the

349

00:11:37,910 --> 00:11:35,440

weekend and then had to drive all the

350

00:11:40,069 --> 00:11:37,920

way back up the i-5 back to oregon

351
00:11:42,069 --> 00:11:40,079
but he had to drive because i dropped my

352
00:11:42,870 --> 00:11:42,079
driver's license on the first day of

353
00:11:45,990 --> 00:11:42,880
coachella

354
00:11:47,430 --> 00:11:46,000
so i had no id as soon as we crossed

355
00:11:50,069 --> 00:11:47,440
over the oregon border

356
00:11:51,430 --> 00:11:50,079
we stopped in a town i believe ashland

357
00:11:53,509 --> 00:11:51,440
with a dmv

358
00:11:55,430 --> 00:11:53,519
so i could get a replacement temporary

359
00:11:57,910 --> 00:11:55,440
id and share the driving

360
00:12:00,069 --> 00:11:57,920
i had to fix my makeup before i went to

361
00:12:02,230 --> 00:12:00,079
get my picture taken and all that

362
00:12:03,670 --> 00:12:02,240
so we stopped into a grocery store to

363
00:12:06,470 --> 00:12:03,680

use the bathroom

364

00:12:07,829 --> 00:12:06,480

i believe it was a safe way as soon as i

365

00:12:10,790 --> 00:12:07,839

got into the bathroom

366

00:12:12,949 --> 00:12:10,800

i saw it a vibrating translucent static

367

00:12:14,069 --> 00:12:12,959

mass just standing in the corner very

368

00:12:15,910 --> 00:12:14,079

ominously

369

00:12:17,750 --> 00:12:15,920

i looked straight at it and assumed it

370

00:12:19,910 --> 00:12:17,760

was a ghost and i thought it was

371

00:12:21,269 --> 00:12:19,920

probably lost if it's just sitting here

372

00:12:24,230 --> 00:12:21,279

in this bathroom

373

00:12:26,550 --> 00:12:24,240

i can't explain why i did this i'm not

374

00:12:28,150 --> 00:12:26,560

actually a brave person whatsoever

375

00:12:29,829 --> 00:12:28,160

but at the time i just felt

376

00:12:32,389 --> 00:12:29,839

overwhelmingly calm

377

00:12:33,910 --> 00:12:32,399

i can't express to you how unlike myself

378

00:12:36,310 --> 00:12:33,920

that is for me to do

379

00:12:37,030 --> 00:12:36,320

i proceeded to fix all of my makeup in

380

00:12:38,790 --> 00:12:37,040

the mirror

381

00:12:41,350 --> 00:12:38,800

then i turned around and looked at the

382

00:12:44,230 --> 00:12:41,360

mask that was still very obviously there

383

00:12:45,750 --> 00:12:44,240

and i said you look lost you can come

384

00:12:47,910 --> 00:12:45,760

with me if you want

385

00:12:49,910 --> 00:12:47,920

my thought process at the time was that

386

00:12:51,750 --> 00:12:49,920

maybe i'll get another chance to help

387

00:12:53,990 --> 00:12:51,760

some lost soul or something

388

00:12:56,150 --> 00:12:54,000

i had blocked out most of my first

389

00:12:58,470 --> 00:12:56,160

experience and wasn't immediately

390

00:13:01,030 --> 00:12:58,480

remembering how terrifying it was

391

00:13:02,870 --> 00:13:01,040

i did not touch the mask this time but i

392

00:13:05,350 --> 00:13:02,880

could feel it following me in the same

393

00:13:07,430 --> 00:13:05,360

way you can feel something watching you

394

00:13:09,190 --> 00:13:07,440

i walked out of the store into the car

395

00:13:11,030 --> 00:13:09,200

where my car buddy was

396

00:13:12,470 --> 00:13:11,040

he never mentioned anything about the

397

00:13:14,550 --> 00:13:12,480

mass being in the car

398

00:13:15,910 --> 00:13:14,560

which could be because he slept almost

399

00:13:17,590 --> 00:13:15,920

the whole rest of the way

400

00:13:19,509 --> 00:13:17,600

but i could see it in the rearview

401
00:13:22,150 --> 00:13:19,519
mirror from time to time

402
00:13:24,150 --> 00:13:22,160
this mass never changed size or shape it

403
00:13:26,310 --> 00:13:24,160
was always about four foot tall

404
00:13:28,629 --> 00:13:26,320
and two to three foot wide sort of

405
00:13:31,190 --> 00:13:28,639
rectangular but very rounded

406
00:13:32,949 --> 00:13:31,200
as we drove i started to remember how

407
00:13:34,790 --> 00:13:32,959
bad of an idea this could be

408
00:13:36,949 --> 00:13:34,800
and realized i didn't want to do it

409
00:13:38,710 --> 00:13:36,959
anymore and that i didn't have anything

410
00:13:40,870 --> 00:13:38,720
left to say to the mass

411
00:13:43,110 --> 00:13:40,880
when we got back to portland the mass

412
00:13:45,430 --> 00:13:43,120
followed me inside my house and stayed

413
00:13:47,990 --> 00:13:45,440

in my room for the next two days

414

00:13:49,910 --> 00:13:48,000

i ignored it almost the whole time and i

415

00:13:51,750 --> 00:13:49,920

started to feel guilty about that

416

00:13:52,710 --> 00:13:51,760

because i had told it to come with me

417

00:13:55,110 --> 00:13:52,720

initially

418

00:13:55,910 --> 00:13:55,120

the night before the last time i saw it

419

00:13:58,150 --> 00:13:55,920

i told it

420

00:13:59,110 --> 00:13:58,160

i'm sorry i don't want to do this

421

00:14:01,189 --> 00:13:59,120

anymore

422

00:14:03,750 --> 00:14:01,199

i don't think i can help you you should

423

00:14:05,910 --> 00:14:03,760

leave so you can find someone who can

424

00:14:07,509 --> 00:14:05,920

the mass stayed in the corner all night

425

00:14:08,629 --> 00:14:07,519

and then the next day it was gone

426
00:14:10,870 --> 00:14:08,639
forever

427
00:14:12,790 --> 00:14:10,880
since that time there has been multiple

428
00:14:14,629 --> 00:14:12,800
occasions where i have seen something

429
00:14:15,110 --> 00:14:14,639
like the mass out of the corner of my

430
00:14:16,790 --> 00:14:15,120
eye

431
00:14:18,150 --> 00:14:16,800
but i have always avoided looking

432
00:14:20,629 --> 00:14:18,160
directly at it

433
00:14:22,790 --> 00:14:20,639
after a few years of avoiding looking i

434
00:14:24,949 --> 00:14:22,800
completely stopped seeing them

435
00:14:25,990 --> 00:14:24,959
i live in seaward alaska now with my

436
00:14:28,150 --> 00:14:26,000
boyfriend

437
00:14:30,470 --> 00:14:28,160
we have a house in the forest on five

438
00:14:32,389 --> 00:14:30,480

acres with a lot of tall trees

439

00:14:33,829 --> 00:14:32,399

he watched the hunted with me and

440

00:14:36,069 --> 00:14:33,839

afterwards i told him

441

00:14:37,269 --> 00:14:36,079

this really freaks me out because i have

442

00:14:39,269 --> 00:14:37,279

seen that before

443

00:14:41,509 --> 00:14:39,279

referring to the sarin rap like thing

444

00:14:43,750 --> 00:14:41,519

the woman in the movie had described

445

00:14:46,069 --> 00:14:43,760

he told me immediately that's what i've

446

00:14:48,069 --> 00:14:46,079

been seeing looking in our windows

447

00:14:50,710 --> 00:14:48,079

he told me he has seen these things

448

00:14:52,550 --> 00:14:50,720

multiple times and multiple at a time

449

00:14:55,350 --> 00:14:52,560

he is a hunter and he will see them

450

00:14:57,590 --> 00:14:55,360

almost every time he goes on hunts alone

451
00:14:58,470 --> 00:14:57,600
but almost exclusively out of the corner

452
00:15:00,710 --> 00:14:58,480
of his eye

453
00:15:02,629 --> 00:15:00,720
very rarely can he get a full front view

454
00:15:03,670 --> 00:15:02,639
of them he says they're following

455
00:15:05,430 --> 00:15:03,680
alongside him

456
00:15:07,990 --> 00:15:05,440
and they don't have any trouble getting

457
00:15:10,230 --> 00:15:08,000
over obstacles like trees or rocks

458
00:15:11,990 --> 00:15:10,240
he knows about bigfoot and skinwalker

459
00:15:13,910 --> 00:15:12,000
ranch but that is literally the

460
00:15:15,030 --> 00:15:13,920
extent of anything he knows about this

461
00:15:17,189 --> 00:15:15,040
sort of thing

462
00:15:19,269 --> 00:15:17,199
i know he could not have made this up

463
00:15:21,829 --> 00:15:19,279

and he said it to me before i told him

464

00:15:24,069 --> 00:15:21,839

any details from my experiences

465

00:15:25,350 --> 00:15:24,079

even now he knows far less than what

466

00:15:27,430 --> 00:15:25,360

i've written here

467

00:15:29,430 --> 00:15:27,440

it worries me that maybe the reason he

468

00:15:31,430 --> 00:15:29,440

sees them is because of me

469

00:15:32,790 --> 00:15:31,440

he said it's only been in the last two

470

00:15:35,030 --> 00:15:32,800

years that it has happened

471

00:15:36,790 --> 00:15:35,040

and that's how long we've been together

472

00:15:37,990 --> 00:15:36,800

evidently his sightings have been

473

00:15:40,230 --> 00:15:38,000

increasing lately

474

00:15:42,389 --> 00:15:40,240

which is why i feel like i can't waste

475

00:15:43,269 --> 00:15:42,399

any time in getting this information out

476
00:15:45,670 --> 00:15:43,279
to you

477
00:15:47,590 --> 00:15:45,680
one last thing my boyfriend has seen

478
00:15:48,710 --> 00:15:47,600
these so many times at our house in

479
00:15:50,949 --> 00:15:48,720
seward alaska

480
00:15:52,710 --> 00:15:50,959
and we live four miles from a location

481
00:15:54,710 --> 00:15:52,720
where michaela made her vanished on

482
00:15:56,870 --> 00:15:54,720
mount marathon in 2012

483
00:15:57,990 --> 00:15:56,880
during the annual fourth of july race up

484
00:16:00,629 --> 00:15:58,000
the mountain

485
00:16:01,910 --> 00:16:00,639
our town swells to over 10 000 people

486
00:16:03,990 --> 00:16:01,920
during this race

487
00:16:05,509 --> 00:16:04,000
so there were plenty of people to search

488
00:16:07,910 --> 00:16:05,519

or to have seen something

489

00:16:09,990 --> 00:16:07,920

but no trace of him was ever found after

490

00:16:12,069 --> 00:16:10,000

numerous searches of the area

491

00:16:13,990 --> 00:16:12,079

the animals all leave the area because

492

00:16:15,350 --> 00:16:14,000

of all the tourists and there was no

493

00:16:17,030 --> 00:16:15,360

evidence of an attack

494

00:16:19,189 --> 00:16:17,040

and this mountain is so close to

495

00:16:20,389 --> 00:16:19,199

downtown it's impossible he could have

496

00:16:23,030 --> 00:16:20,399

been lost

497

00:16:23,990 --> 00:16:23,040

makes me wonder if there is a connection

498

00:16:29,110 --> 00:16:24,000

js

499

00:16:32,550 --> 00:16:31,670

this is lon strickler if you like this

500

00:16:34,310 --> 00:16:32,560

program

501

00:16:35,670 --> 00:16:34,320

it would help us if you would give it a

502

00:16:38,550 --> 00:16:35,680

thumbs up

503

00:16:39,030 --> 00:16:38,560

then subscribe and click the bell icon

504

00:16:41,350 --> 00:16:39,040

so you

505

00:16:43,430 --> 00:16:41,360

get notification when we upload new

506

00:16:46,550 --> 00:16:43,440

first person encounters

507

00:16:47,269 --> 00:16:46,560

we have many more to come very soon and

508

00:16:49,350 --> 00:16:47,279

by the way

509

00:16:51,030 --> 00:16:49,360

if you have a suggestion or an