

**Who or what is
impersonating
my family?!**

**SHAPE-
SHIFTERS?**

BXP



1
00:00:05,790 --> 00:00:04,590

[Music]

2
00:00:10,540 --> 00:00:05,800

[Applause]

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00:00:12,890 --> 00:00:10,550

[Music]

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00:00:17,830 --> 00:00:12,900

[Applause]

5
00:00:21,990 --> 00:00:19,670
welcome to the best of first person

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00:00:24,870 --> 00:00:22,000
episodes from phantoms and monsters

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00:00:28,830 --> 00:00:24,880
please like subscribe and hit the bell

8
00:00:31,990 --> 00:00:28,840
icon so you'll be notified of all future

9
00:00:35,350 --> 00:00:34,389
screaming mimic humanoid terrifies young

10
00:00:37,270 --> 00:00:35,360
witness

11
00:00:38,950 --> 00:00:37,280
i haven't told anyone besides some

12
00:00:41,830 --> 00:00:38,960
family members this

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00:00:44,229 --> 00:00:41,840

this happened when i was about 13 or so

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00:00:46,950 --> 00:00:44,239

it was summertime and i was on vacation

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00:00:49,110 --> 00:00:46,960

with my parents we had hit the road and

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00:00:49,670 --> 00:00:49,120

driven quite a ways to visit my older

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00:00:51,590 --> 00:00:49,680

sister

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00:00:54,150 --> 00:00:51,600

who lived across the country in british

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00:00:55,270 --> 00:00:54,160

columbia about 20 kilometers outside of

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00:00:57,590 --> 00:00:55,280

victoria

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00:01:00,150 --> 00:00:57,600

after spending time together and sharing

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00:01:02,790 --> 00:01:00,160

supper we decided to call it a night

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00:01:04,549 --> 00:01:02,800

my parents slept in my sister's bedroom

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00:01:06,070 --> 00:01:04,559

and she slept in the neighboring room

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00:01:07,990 --> 00:01:06,080

with her small son

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00:01:09,109 --> 00:01:08,000

it's important to note a few things at

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00:01:11,429 --> 00:01:09,119

this point

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00:01:13,830 --> 00:01:11,439

my mother is a round short woman with

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00:01:16,070 --> 00:01:13,840

very delicate feminine features

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00:01:17,590 --> 00:01:16,080

she has round glasses and that night

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00:01:20,550 --> 00:01:17,600

went to bed in a long blue

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00:01:22,710 --> 00:01:20,560

nightgown my sister on the other hand is

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00:01:24,870 --> 00:01:22,720

very tall and athletically built

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00:01:26,310 --> 00:01:24,880

taking after my dad in regards to her

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00:01:29,030 --> 00:01:26,320

facial features

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00:01:30,789 --> 00:01:29,040

she too has glasses but unlike my mother

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00:01:32,950 --> 00:01:30,799

hers were square shaped

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00:01:34,390 --> 00:01:32,960

she went to bed in a shorter orange and

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00:01:36,710 --> 00:01:34,400

striped nightgown

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00:01:37,749 --> 00:01:36,720

these small but substantial differences

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00:01:40,230 --> 00:01:37,759

are key

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00:01:42,230 --> 00:01:40,240

now since all of the bedrooms were full

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00:01:43,910 --> 00:01:42,240

i was given a blanket and pillow to

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00:01:46,630 --> 00:01:43,920

sleep on the couch with

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00:01:47,510 --> 00:01:46,640

of course like any kid i watched tv for

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00:01:50,149 --> 00:01:47,520

a few hours

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00:01:51,990 --> 00:01:50,159

well into the night at around 4am it

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00:01:52,789 --> 00:01:52,000

dawned on me that we had plans for the

49

00:01:55,510 --> 00:01:52,799

next day

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00:01:55,990 --> 00:01:55,520

so i should try and get some rest after

51
00:01:58,230 --> 00:01:56,000
tossing

52
00:02:00,630 --> 00:01:58,240
and turning for about an hour or so i

53
00:02:02,550 --> 00:02:00,640
gave up and just laid on my back staring

54
00:02:03,429 --> 00:02:02,560
at the stars visible from the nearby

55
00:02:05,429 --> 00:02:03,439
window

56
00:02:06,630 --> 00:02:05,439
as the natural light flooded the room

57
00:02:09,190 --> 00:02:06,640
from the sun rising

58
00:02:10,469 --> 00:02:09,200
i flipped through some photo albums i

59
00:02:13,110 --> 00:02:10,479
did this for a while

60
00:02:14,949 --> 00:02:13,120
not having slept of all the entire night

61
00:02:15,589 --> 00:02:14,959
at this point i was pretty bored and

62
00:02:17,589 --> 00:02:15,599
lonely

63
00:02:18,630 --> 00:02:17,599

hoping someone would wake up soon and

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00:02:21,350 --> 00:02:18,640

talk to me

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00:02:23,589 --> 00:02:21,360

around 8 am i heard a door slowly open

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00:02:25,990 --> 00:02:23,599

and someone came out into the hallway

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00:02:26,710 --> 00:02:26,000

at my sister's house the living room is

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00:02:28,949 --> 00:02:26,720

sunken in

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00:02:30,949 --> 00:02:28,959

and a small staircase of maybe three

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00:02:32,070 --> 00:02:30,959

steps leads to the raised kitchen and

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00:02:34,470 --> 00:02:32,080

dining room

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00:02:35,990 --> 00:02:34,480

the hallway is also in this raised area

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00:02:37,030 --> 00:02:36,000

and connects to the bathroom and

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00:02:38,869 --> 00:02:37,040

bedrooms

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00:02:40,869 --> 00:02:38,879

in the living room there is a doorless

76
00:02:42,390 --> 00:02:40,879
archway that leads down to the basement

77
00:02:44,309 --> 00:02:42,400
and laundry room

78
00:02:46,229 --> 00:02:44,319
this means that i could look up and see

79
00:02:47,430 --> 00:02:46,239
what was going on in the dining area

80
00:02:49,270 --> 00:02:47,440
from the couch

81
00:02:51,110 --> 00:02:49,280
this person hummed a little and then was

82
00:02:51,990 --> 00:02:51,120
caught off guard by a table in the

83
00:02:54,070 --> 00:02:52,000
dining room

84
00:02:55,830 --> 00:02:54,080
full of framed pictures of family my

85
00:02:57,670 --> 00:02:55,840
sister had on display

86
00:02:59,030 --> 00:02:57,680
i don't know how to describe the way

87
00:03:01,030 --> 00:02:59,040
they looked at the photos

88
00:03:03,110 --> 00:03:01,040

besides saying they were bewildered by

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00:03:06,070 --> 00:03:03,120

them maybe even enchanted

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00:03:07,509 --> 00:03:06,080

letting out an occasional low and ah i

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00:03:09,589 --> 00:03:07,519

could tell it was a woman

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00:03:12,309 --> 00:03:09,599

but i wasn't sure if it was my mother or

93

00:03:12,790 --> 00:03:12,319

sister this was strange because like i

94

00:03:14,869 --> 00:03:12,800

said

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00:03:16,149 --> 00:03:14,879

they looked alike but were also very

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00:03:18,470 --> 00:03:16,159

distinguishable

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00:03:20,390 --> 00:03:18,480

i also felt this weird feeling because

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00:03:21,670 --> 00:03:20,400

everyone in my family has seen these

99

00:03:23,910 --> 00:03:21,680

photos many times

100

00:03:26,149 --> 00:03:23,920

and i'd even say may own a few copies of

101
00:03:29,670 --> 00:03:26,159
their own of those exact same photos

102
00:03:32,710 --> 00:03:29,680
so why act so amazed by them i said hey

103
00:03:33,990 --> 00:03:32,720
ma what are you doing in a nervous yet

104
00:03:37,589 --> 00:03:34,000
warm voice

105
00:03:40,149 --> 00:03:37,599
no response okay then it was my sister

106
00:03:42,309 --> 00:03:40,159
hey good morning what are you making

107
00:03:45,750 --> 00:03:42,319
your dear sibling for breakfast

108
00:03:46,550 --> 00:03:45,760
no response huh i knew i was definitely

109
00:03:49,030 --> 00:03:46,560
loud enough

110
00:03:51,270 --> 00:03:49,040
they had heard me for sure that uneasy

111
00:03:53,350 --> 00:03:51,280
feeling in my stomach grew stronger now

112
00:03:55,350 --> 00:03:53,360
and i had no idea why

113
00:03:57,509 --> 00:03:55,360

the likeness of my sister and mother was

114

00:03:58,470 --> 00:03:57,519

there so it wasn't like a stranger or

115

00:04:02,149 --> 00:03:58,480

something

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00:04:04,710 --> 00:04:02,159

were wearing a knee-length

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00:04:05,910 --> 00:04:04,720

blue and orange striped nightgown their

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00:04:08,710 --> 00:04:05,920

height wasn't short

119

00:04:10,869 --> 00:04:08,720

but it wasn't tall either it was average

120

00:04:12,550 --> 00:04:10,879

they had a muscular build but could not

121

00:04:14,710 --> 00:04:12,560

be called skinny either

122

00:04:15,830 --> 00:04:14,720

the hair was the same color as both my

123

00:04:18,310 --> 00:04:15,840

sister and mother's

124

00:04:19,990 --> 00:04:18,320

and so was the skin color my heart

125

00:04:20,710 --> 00:04:20,000

skipped and i thought who the hell is

126

00:04:23,110 --> 00:04:20,720

this

127

00:04:23,990 --> 00:04:23,120

maybe someone stayed overnight but how

128

00:04:26,230 --> 00:04:24,000

could they have

129

00:04:27,189 --> 00:04:26,240

i had laid right beside the front door

130

00:04:28,870 --> 00:04:27,199

all night

131

00:04:30,790 --> 00:04:28,880

when they turned around and went to

132

00:04:32,070 --> 00:04:30,800

inspect another photograph on a wall

133

00:04:34,629 --> 00:04:32,080

near that staircase

134

00:04:36,629 --> 00:04:34,639

their face made my heart sink it was a

135

00:04:37,990 --> 00:04:36,639

hybrid of my mother and sister's most

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00:04:39,830 --> 00:04:38,000

discernible features

137

00:04:42,070 --> 00:04:39,840

with glasses that were round on the

138

00:04:43,990 --> 00:04:42,080

bottom but squared on the top

139

00:04:46,230 --> 00:04:44,000

their eyes were not my mothers or my

140

00:04:47,990 --> 00:04:46,240

sisters they were very white and

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00:04:49,749 --> 00:04:48,000

unnerving and darted all around the

142

00:04:52,710 --> 00:04:49,759

walls very quickly

143

00:04:54,629 --> 00:04:52,720

very excitedly it was as if my mother

144

00:04:56,629 --> 00:04:54,639

and sister had been frankenstein ed

145

00:04:58,790 --> 00:04:56,639

together into one person

146

00:05:00,710 --> 00:04:58,800

my knee-jerk reaction after seeing the

147

00:05:03,270 --> 00:05:00,720

face was to scooch my legs in

148

00:05:05,670 --> 00:05:03,280

and pretend i was sleeping i could feel

149

00:05:07,909 --> 00:05:05,680

the veins in my neck beating very hard

150

00:05:08,710 --> 00:05:07,919

and my breathing became very loud and

151
00:05:10,870 --> 00:05:08,720
labored

152
00:05:12,790 --> 00:05:10,880
whoever the hell it was came down the

153
00:05:14,629 --> 00:05:12,800
stairs and looked around the living room

154
00:05:17,029 --> 00:05:14,639
with that same excitement

155
00:05:19,189 --> 00:05:17,039
i don't know how to explain how scared i

156
00:05:21,189 --> 00:05:19,199
was as it came closer to me

157
00:05:22,629 --> 00:05:21,199
i thought maybe if i stayed quiet it

158
00:05:24,629 --> 00:05:22,639
would pass by me

159
00:05:27,430 --> 00:05:24,639
i was also scratching and pinching

160
00:05:28,550 --> 00:05:27,440
myself now in case i was asleep without

161
00:05:31,590 --> 00:05:28,560
realizing it

162
00:05:33,670 --> 00:05:31,600
the pain was very real i was awake the

163
00:05:35,830 --> 00:05:33,680

thing i watched with my eyes squinted

164

00:05:37,189 --> 00:05:35,840

took up an interest in a photo album i

165

00:05:40,230 --> 00:05:37,199

had left on the table

166

00:05:41,590 --> 00:05:40,240

very close to me then probably the worst

167

00:05:44,310 --> 00:05:41,600

thing that could have happened

168

00:05:45,189 --> 00:05:44,320

happened my sister's portable home phone

169

00:05:47,590 --> 00:05:45,199

rang

170

00:05:49,670 --> 00:05:47,600

my sister had answered a call last night

171

00:05:51,749 --> 00:05:49,680

and had put the phone on the couch frame

172

00:05:54,310 --> 00:05:51,759

between the wall and its cushions

173

00:05:56,390 --> 00:05:54,320

the thing's face became very alarmed and

174

00:05:57,350 --> 00:05:56,400

it turned in my direction and saw me and

175

00:06:00,230 --> 00:05:57,360

became very

176
00:06:02,469 --> 00:06:00,240
very angry i opened my eyes and looked

177
00:06:05,350 --> 00:06:02,479
at it in its face and just stared back

178
00:06:06,550 --> 00:06:05,360
with my entire body trembling its eyes

179
00:06:08,710 --> 00:06:06,560
were pure black

180
00:06:10,870 --> 00:06:08,720
total darkness like two huge pupils

181
00:06:13,029 --> 00:06:10,880
staring right at me and furious

182
00:06:14,469 --> 00:06:13,039
it opened its mouth unnaturally white

183
00:06:16,070 --> 00:06:14,479
and screamed no

184
00:06:17,909 --> 00:06:16,080
then it turned and darted down the

185
00:06:18,710 --> 00:06:17,919
stairs to the basement where i heard a

186
00:06:21,830 --> 00:06:18,720
door slam

187
00:06:24,469 --> 00:06:21,840
shut and it kept yelling no no no no no

188
00:06:26,550 --> 00:06:24,479

i stared at the archway for a long time

189

00:06:27,270 --> 00:06:26,560

still shaking and digging my nails into

190

00:06:29,110 --> 00:06:27,280

my arm

191

00:06:30,629 --> 00:06:29,120

begging to wake up because i was so

192

00:06:33,270 --> 00:06:30,639

afraid it would come back

193

00:06:34,150 --> 00:06:33,280

wishing i was just dreaming i literally

194

00:06:36,070 --> 00:06:34,160

could not move

195

00:06:38,150 --> 00:06:36,080

because i was too scared to get up in

196

00:06:38,710 --> 00:06:38,160

case it came back or was waiting at the

197

00:06:41,350 --> 00:06:38,720

arch

198

00:06:42,790 --> 00:06:41,360

and i could not speak for the reason my

199

00:06:45,189 --> 00:06:42,800

brain abandoned me

200

00:06:46,230 --> 00:06:45,199

an hour must have passed like that i did

201
00:06:48,230 --> 00:06:46,240
not move

202
00:06:50,230 --> 00:06:48,240
it had stopped yelling and this was for

203
00:06:52,150 --> 00:06:50,240
some reason even scarier than when it

204
00:06:53,749 --> 00:06:52,160
had been yelling because at least then i

205
00:06:55,749 --> 00:06:53,759
was sure it was downstairs

206
00:06:57,670 --> 00:06:55,759
and not slowly climbing back up the

207
00:06:59,670 --> 00:06:57,680
stairs to fill it me alive

208
00:07:01,589 --> 00:06:59,680
i then wondered why no one in the family

209
00:07:03,510 --> 00:07:01,599
was awakened by the screams

210
00:07:05,749 --> 00:07:03,520
then i heard a door open again from the

211
00:07:08,230 --> 00:07:05,759
hallway upstairs and stared at it

212
00:07:08,950 --> 00:07:08,240
full of adrenaline at this point it was

213
00:07:10,710 --> 00:07:08,960

my mom

214

00:07:13,189 --> 00:07:10,720

exactly herself and in the right

215

00:07:15,510 --> 00:07:13,199

nightgown she was humming as she put on

216

00:07:18,390 --> 00:07:15,520

coffee and started making toast

217

00:07:19,990 --> 00:07:18,400

another door opened my sister this time

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00:07:21,510 --> 00:07:20,000

the same as she had looked before

219

00:07:23,749 --> 00:07:21,520

heading off to bed

220

00:07:25,270 --> 00:07:23,759

she and my mom talked for a bit and i

221

00:07:27,430 --> 00:07:25,280

just stared at them

222

00:07:29,110 --> 00:07:27,440

my sister eventually saw me staring at

223

00:07:31,990 --> 00:07:29,120

her over the banister and yelled

224

00:07:33,270 --> 00:07:32,000

ha ha what the hell why are you just

225

00:07:35,749 --> 00:07:33,280

staring at me

226

00:07:37,909 --> 00:07:35,759

why didn't you say something i replied

227

00:07:40,309 --> 00:07:37,919

back in a very shaky voice i did

228

00:07:41,189 --> 00:07:40,319

twice they looked at each other as if to

229

00:07:43,830 --> 00:07:41,199

say huh

230

00:07:45,510 --> 00:07:43,840

i told my mom i hadn't slept yet and she

231

00:07:48,390 --> 00:07:45,520

said that was a big mistake

232

00:07:50,790 --> 00:07:48,400

etc i ate breakfast with them and then

233

00:07:53,589 --> 00:07:50,800

realized eventually i was awake and had

234

00:07:55,749 --> 00:07:53,599

really not slept at any point that night

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00:07:57,189 --> 00:07:55,759

i decided against my judgment to tell

236

00:07:59,749 --> 00:07:57,199

them what had just happened

237

00:08:01,749 --> 00:07:59,759

in case it came upstairs to hurt them

238

00:08:04,150 --> 00:08:01,759

they pretty much laughed at me and told

239

00:08:04,710 --> 00:08:04,160

me i had just fallen asleep and imagined

240

00:08:07,430 --> 00:08:04,720

it

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00:08:09,430 --> 00:08:07,440

they basically told me i was nuts my

242

00:08:09,990 --> 00:08:09,440

sister told me to go sleep with my

243

00:08:12,070 --> 00:08:10,000

nephew

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00:08:14,390 --> 00:08:12,080

and asked me to try and fix the screen

245

00:08:15,990 --> 00:08:14,400

in her room as it had somehow fallen out

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00:08:16,710 --> 00:08:16,000

of the window onto the floor in the

247

00:08:19,029 --> 00:08:16,720

night

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00:08:20,469 --> 00:08:19,039

on my way to her room i walked by that

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00:08:22,629 --> 00:08:20,479

table in the dining room

250

00:08:25,029 --> 00:08:22,639

and noticed all of the frames were moved

251
00:08:27,350 --> 00:08:25,039
and in different places than last night

252
00:08:28,309 --> 00:08:27,360
i pointed this out very excitedly like

253
00:08:30,469 --> 00:08:28,319
cece

254
00:08:32,550 --> 00:08:30,479
and my sister just shrugged it off and

255
00:08:34,949 --> 00:08:32,560
said her son liked looking at them

256
00:08:37,029 --> 00:08:34,959
i kept pressing the issue so my sister

257
00:08:39,190 --> 00:08:37,039
much to my hysterical protest

258
00:08:41,029 --> 00:08:39,200
went to the basement in every room just

259
00:08:43,670 --> 00:08:41,039
to make me shut up about it

260
00:08:45,030 --> 00:08:43,680
she didn't see anything unusual i laid

261
00:08:47,670 --> 00:08:45,040
in the bed and did not

262
00:08:48,630 --> 00:08:47,680
sleep a wink i still think about it from

263
00:08:50,550 --> 00:08:48,640

time to time

264

00:08:52,710 --> 00:08:50,560

and did not ever sleep on that couch

265

00:08:54,630 --> 00:08:52,720

again opting instead to sleep in the

266

00:08:56,150 --> 00:08:54,640

floor of the room my parents were in

267

00:09:06,710 --> 00:08:56,160

unlocking the door

268

00:09:09,910 --> 00:09:08,550

shape-shifting entity in northeast

269

00:09:12,070 --> 00:09:09,920

pennsylvania

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00:09:13,269 --> 00:09:12,080

my grandparents have a cabin in a town

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00:09:15,750 --> 00:09:13,279

in pennsylvania

272

00:09:16,470 --> 00:09:15,760

south of scranton every summer we

273

00:09:18,630 --> 00:09:16,480

usually go

274

00:09:20,389 --> 00:09:18,640

up for a few weeks as a family event

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00:09:22,790 --> 00:09:20,399

ever since i was little

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00:09:24,870 --> 00:09:22,800

a few years ago we decided to go up in

277

00:09:26,710 --> 00:09:24,880

the winter because my family wanted to

278

00:09:28,870 --> 00:09:26,720

go skiing at some point

279

00:09:30,870 --> 00:09:28,880

after we got there the weird things

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00:09:33,509 --> 00:09:30,880

started happening really quickly

281

00:09:35,430 --> 00:09:33,519

and seemingly out of nowhere the house

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00:09:37,750 --> 00:09:35,440

was built in the 1920s

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00:09:40,230 --> 00:09:37,760

old brick and wood home the doors are

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00:09:41,910 --> 00:09:40,240

these giant almost church looking doors

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00:09:44,389 --> 00:09:41,920

and the style of the home is very

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00:09:45,829 --> 00:09:44,399

medieval definitely adding to the creepy

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00:09:47,670 --> 00:09:45,839

vibes of the home

288

00:09:49,590 --> 00:09:47,680

the first night was seemingly calm

289

00:09:51,430 --> 00:09:49,600

through the house but whenever i went

290

00:09:51,910 --> 00:09:51,440

there i always felt there was something

291

00:09:54,150 --> 00:09:51,920

there

292

00:09:55,990 --> 00:09:54,160

or something lurking through the holes

293

00:09:57,430 --> 00:09:56,000

the first night i got up to go to the

294

00:10:00,150 --> 00:09:57,440

bathroom at around 3

295

00:10:01,990 --> 00:10:00,160

10 a.m which is also interesting because

296

00:10:03,030 --> 00:10:02,000

i never get up to go to the bathroom

297

00:10:04,630 --> 00:10:03,040

back at home

298

00:10:06,230 --> 00:10:04,640

most nights i sleep right through

299

00:10:08,310 --> 00:10:06,240

without waking up

300

00:10:10,389 --> 00:10:08,320

there were eight of us in the house my

301
00:10:12,630 --> 00:10:10,399
two parents my grandparents

302
00:10:13,590 --> 00:10:12,640
my aunt and uncle and my two male

303
00:10:15,190 --> 00:10:13,600
cousins

304
00:10:17,430 --> 00:10:15,200
i went to one of the three main

305
00:10:18,630 --> 00:10:17,440
bathrooms four in the house if you count

306
00:10:20,389 --> 00:10:18,640
the master

307
00:10:21,910 --> 00:10:20,399
so when i heard someone in there i

308
00:10:23,910 --> 00:10:21,920
thought that was interesting

309
00:10:25,750 --> 00:10:23,920
because i was one of the few people who

310
00:10:28,069 --> 00:10:25,760
doesn't share the bathroom

311
00:10:30,310 --> 00:10:28,079
but i stood outside waiting to make sure

312
00:10:33,430 --> 00:10:30,320
i did not intrude on anything going on

313
00:10:35,269 --> 00:10:33,440

in there as my one cousin has ibs and i

314

00:10:37,269 --> 00:10:35,279

didn't want to bother him

315

00:10:39,110 --> 00:10:37,279

what was extremely weird is the fact

316

00:10:40,550 --> 00:10:39,120

that whatever was in there didn't sound

317

00:10:42,949 --> 00:10:40,560

human in its movements

318

00:10:45,269 --> 00:10:42,959

it seemed to drag its feet around which

319

00:10:48,069 --> 00:10:45,279

made me nervous that he may be sick

320

00:10:49,670 --> 00:10:48,079

i called out his name a few times drew

321

00:10:51,590 --> 00:10:49,680

are you okay in there

322

00:10:54,710 --> 00:10:51,600

it's been a long time and i want to go

323

00:10:57,190 --> 00:10:54,720

to bed or something along those lines

324

00:10:59,509 --> 00:10:57,200

a few seconds later he comes out of his

325

00:11:00,550 --> 00:10:59,519

bedroom and tells me why i'm making so

326

00:11:02,710 --> 00:11:00,560

much noise

327

00:11:04,150 --> 00:11:02,720

and he's trying to sleep and slams his

328

00:11:06,230 --> 00:11:04,160

door behind him

329

00:11:07,190 --> 00:11:06,240

before i could freak out he had already

330

00:11:09,190 --> 00:11:07,200

shut the door

331

00:11:11,829 --> 00:11:09,200

and i was too scared to even yell back

332

00:11:13,590 --> 00:11:11,839

to him i never realized before that the

333

00:11:14,230 --> 00:11:13,600

door wasn't even locked in the first

334

00:11:16,790 --> 00:11:14,240

place

335

00:11:18,949 --> 00:11:16,800

which made me feel even more uneasy

336

00:11:19,910 --> 00:11:18,959

between the banter i never realized the

337

00:11:21,910 --> 00:11:19,920

sound stopped

338

00:11:23,430 --> 00:11:21,920

and it seemed like nobody was even in

339

00:11:25,910 --> 00:11:23,440

the bathroom anymore

340

00:11:28,550 --> 00:11:25,920

i still even tell myself this was just

341

00:11:30,630 --> 00:11:28,560

my imagination going wild but i'm not

342

00:11:32,470 --> 00:11:30,640

known for sleepwalking or having any

343

00:11:34,870 --> 00:11:32,480

type of sleep disorder

344

00:11:37,509 --> 00:11:34,880

i decided to just open the door brushing

345

00:11:39,350 --> 00:11:37,519

it off as my two vivid imagination

346

00:11:41,190 --> 00:11:39,360

when i opened the door it really looked

347

00:11:43,910 --> 00:11:41,200

like nothing strange had happened in

348

00:11:45,670 --> 00:11:43,920

there but when i was washing my hands i

349

00:11:47,910 --> 00:11:45,680

realized the window was open

350

00:11:49,110 --> 00:11:47,920

and i froze thinking someone had broken

351
00:11:51,430 --> 00:11:49,120
into the house

352
00:11:53,030 --> 00:11:51,440
but this was on the second story with

353
00:11:55,430 --> 00:11:53,040
nothing to climb up on

354
00:11:56,150 --> 00:11:55,440
making it almost impossible to climb up

355
00:11:57,990 --> 00:11:56,160
there

356
00:12:00,470 --> 00:11:58,000
the next day nothing happened in the

357
00:12:02,710 --> 00:12:00,480
daytime making it seem more to me that

358
00:12:03,910 --> 00:12:02,720
it was just a figment of my imagination

359
00:12:06,470 --> 00:12:03,920
in reality

360
00:12:08,710 --> 00:12:06,480
but that night i had to let my dog out

361
00:12:09,509 --> 00:12:08,720
she is elderly and never really barks

362
00:12:12,389 --> 00:12:09,519
much

363
00:12:13,829 --> 00:12:12,399

nor does she run fast so this definitely

364

00:12:16,790 --> 00:12:13,839

is a case for concern

365

00:12:18,470 --> 00:12:16,800

i thought when i let her out she bolted

366

00:12:19,670 --> 00:12:18,480

to the edge of the woods and vanished

367

00:12:21,829 --> 00:12:19,680

inside them

368

00:12:24,069 --> 00:12:21,839

i tried to follow her barking but

369

00:12:25,910 --> 00:12:24,079

honestly i was too scared to go into the

370

00:12:28,389 --> 00:12:25,920

woods past the tree line

371

00:12:29,910 --> 00:12:28,399

when i finally got her to walk back her

372

00:12:32,150 --> 00:12:29,920

back leg seemed off

373

00:12:33,990 --> 00:12:32,160

almost like a person pretending to be a

374

00:12:35,990 --> 00:12:34,000

dog walking on the ground

375

00:12:38,069 --> 00:12:36,000

her eyes were also off they looked

376

00:12:40,870 --> 00:12:38,079

human-like not a usual dark

377

00:12:42,470 --> 00:12:40,880

almond eyes i freaked out and ran back

378

00:12:44,310 --> 00:12:42,480

inside without her

379

00:12:45,750 --> 00:12:44,320

when i got inside she was sitting

380

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

panting by the door

381

00:12:49,750 --> 00:12:47,920

so she must have ran back in when i was

382

00:12:50,470 --> 00:12:49,760

yelling into the woods to try to find

383

00:12:52,310 --> 00:12:50,480

her

384

00:12:54,310 --> 00:12:52,320

at this point i didn't even want to

385

00:12:55,750 --> 00:12:54,320

leave that house for fear of what was

386

00:12:57,590 --> 00:12:55,760

lurking in the woods

387

00:12:59,829 --> 00:12:57,600

the last night we stayed there was the

388

00:13:01,350 --> 00:12:59,839

most interesting and confusing turn of

389

00:13:03,750 --> 00:13:01,360

events that had happened

390

00:13:04,870 --> 00:13:03,760

we all had skied all day so we went to

391

00:13:07,829 --> 00:13:04,880

bed quite early

392

00:13:08,389 --> 00:13:07,839

around nine to ten i never fall asleep

393

00:13:11,190 --> 00:13:08,399

early

394

00:13:13,670 --> 00:13:11,200

as i am usually a night owl but i woke

395

00:13:15,350 --> 00:13:13,680

up around 12 a.m to sounds of my cousin

396

00:13:17,750 --> 00:13:15,360

drew yelling outside

397

00:13:19,590 --> 00:13:17,760

i woke up in a fog and tried to quickly

398

00:13:21,750 --> 00:13:19,600

rush to the door and open it

399

00:13:23,430 --> 00:13:21,760

i didn't even take into consideration

400

00:13:24,389 --> 00:13:23,440

that the door was still locked from the

401
00:13:26,870 --> 00:13:24,399
inside

402
00:13:28,949 --> 00:13:26,880
when i got outside his voice seemed to

403
00:13:31,430 --> 00:13:28,959
be coming from multiple directions

404
00:13:32,790 --> 00:13:31,440
and echoing through the valley i saw him

405
00:13:34,710 --> 00:13:32,800
by the cars yelling

406
00:13:35,910 --> 00:13:34,720
and when i started to go outside and

407
00:13:38,470 --> 00:13:35,920
call out his name

408
00:13:39,509 --> 00:13:38,480
he looked at me quickly his eyes got

409
00:13:41,590 --> 00:13:39,519
huge and he ran

410
00:13:43,030 --> 00:13:41,600
into the woods with a beckoning gesture

411
00:13:45,990 --> 00:13:43,040
for me to follow

412
00:13:47,670 --> 00:13:46,000
i decided that was definitely a bad idea

413
00:13:49,750 --> 00:13:47,680

so i woke up his parents

414

00:13:51,030 --> 00:13:49,760

and he ended up being asleep in his room

415

00:13:53,269 --> 00:13:51,040

the whole time

416

00:13:54,230 --> 00:13:53,279

i still have no idea what was out there

417

00:14:02,310 --> 00:13:54,240

that weekend

418

00:14:04,870 --> 00:14:02,320

and i haven't been back since cr

419

00:14:05,750 --> 00:14:04,880

this is lon strickler if you like this

420

00:14:07,509 --> 00:14:05,760

program

421

00:14:08,870 --> 00:14:07,519

it would help us if you would give it a

422

00:14:11,750 --> 00:14:08,880

thumbs up

423

00:14:12,230 --> 00:14:11,760

then subscribe and click the bell icon

424

00:14:14,550 --> 00:14:12,240

so you

425

00:14:16,629 --> 00:14:14,560

get notification when we upload new

426

00:14:19,750 --> 00:14:16,639

first person encounters

427

00:14:20,470 --> 00:14:19,760

we have many more to come very soon and

428

00:14:22,629 --> 00:14:20,480

by the way

429

00:14:24,230 --> 00:14:22,639

if you have a suggestion or an