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# Return Of The Ghostbusters

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We begin the story  
on a dark and cold night...  
...night...  
In the middle of no where...  
out in the woods...  
...woods...  
...in those woods, an old man was experimenting  
in the dark arts...  
...dark arts...  
dark arts?  
yeah, witchcraft and stuff  
wait... I though a witch was a chick  
the old man would spend years by himself experimenting  
on corpses that he dug up at the local graveyard  
some say...!  
that he would begin to build an army of the  
undead to take over and rule the world...  
...the world...  
but something went terribly wrong...  
the corpses overwhelmed him  
and consumed his flesh  
dude... stop ruining the story  
sorry  
after killing their master  
they would wait for years for their next victim  
knock it off  
after having nowhere to go  
the corpses would return to the earth in which they came  
they would bury themselves in the ground  
in these very woods  
can you hear them?  
can you hear them underneath us right now?  
dude, stop with the lame moan!  
that wasn't me  
whatcha reading Ed?  
ahh it is 58.27 on the ecto wave length  
what is that a class five?  
no, barely a class four  
Let's book this ghost da-no!  
It's let's book 'em, Danno!  
you stupid commie  
where are you from, Fakestain?  
Move!  
Right there fella.

For you, the war is over.  
Alright kids this is the part where  
you shield your eyes  
I'm closing the trap in three... two... one...  
How did you guys get here so fast?  
We were on the neighborhood  
when we picked up on this phantasm signal.  
What's this?  
Give me that.  
You ain't 21 are ya?  
um, ahehem... yeah dude  
Yeah right.  
Pavel!  
nice!  
Ed  
looks like you're driving  
shouldn't you kids be at home studying?  
dude, it is Saturday  
you know, you really shouldn't drink alcohol  
Studies have shown that alcohol leads to a decrease  
in brain function.  
drugs are bad too  
and... drunk driving and... abortion is...  
... well I don't really have an opinion on that  
who are you guys?  
We're the Ghostbusters.

**RETURN OF THE:**

**GHOSTBUSTERS:**

If there's something strange  
in your neighborhood  
Who ya gonna call?

**GHOSTBUSTERS:**

If there's something weird  
and it don't look good  
Who ya gonna call?

**GHOSTBUSTERS:**

I ain't afraid of no ghosts  
Who are you going to call indeed?  
the Denver Ghostbusters  
those paranormal eliminators

who protect the safety of Joe Public'  
Ed Spengler,  
nephew of ghostbusting great Egon Spengler  
team leader, scientist and television star  
Pavel Karnov  
trained by the best after the fall of the iron curtain  
I like what I do  
Neil Anderson  
ladies man, and self proclaimed bad ass  
excuse me, are you guys worried that you're  
gonna put yourselves out of a job?  
out of a job?  
are you crazy man?  
as long as people keep dying  
there will always be ghosts  
what about the activists  
that are rallying around the rights of ghosts?  
look  
I am a real busy guy  
would you like an autograph or something?  
the Ghostbusters arrived in Denver three  
years ago, and defeated Freddy Krueger...  
How come channel 4 gets all the sensations?  
these guys are a joke man  
they're better than anything you two  
have turned in in the past week  
our story last night was great  
I mean  
the firemen prevailed, the kitten was rescued  
and...  
shut up  
it was a story of hope  
April, I thought you  
were better than this  
channel 4 is getting all the news  
I just hope the advertisers  
don't find out about it and pull out  
you know...  
we need something good  
like these Ghostbusters  
are a hot item right now  
Ghostbusters?  
oh... ok... so... I'm better than  
stories about kittens trapped in trees

but I'm not quiet good  
enough for real news  
April, I know you're bitter  
about the anchor position  
but I need you in the field  
this is embarrassing chief  
I need a real story  
now...  
there are these Egyptian  
artifacts coming into town  
Frederic's team is on this  
they've got an interview set up with  
Dr. Konstantin  
he's the chief archaeologist  
Frederic's pieces are so flat  
come on  
put me on this one chief  
Yeah!  
give us a chance  
I tell you what... if you can get  
an appointment with the Ghostbusters  
Then I'll give you a follow up  
interview with Dr. Konstantin  
Just like you let me have that  
anchor position right chief  
April  
Let's just take it  
if we get a hold of the  
Ghostbusters by tomorrow then  
we could have the production in post  
by tomorrow afternoon  
mmm... in time for  
the evening news...  
now that would be good  
competition for channel 4  
Mr. Jenks, I really don't think  
that this is a good story  
I don't wanna take it  
you should be thanking  
me for what I give you  
Now just take it,  
go and do your job  
Uh Oh!  
good morning sunshine

you know how Ed always compares  
a human brain to a sponge  
yeah yeah  
with the soaking up  
information and stuff  
yeah  
it feels like somebody used  
my brain to clean a toilet  
and then tried to ring it out  
big night  
last night?  
yeah  
I hit it pretty hard with a friend  
Pavel?  
Jack Daniels  
where are the guys anyway?  
Ed's TV show they are  
taping this afternoon  
No, those punks don't get a day off  
if they get a day off I get a day off  
look  
hold down my calls, cuz once  
my ass hits that couch  
I'm not getting up until dinner time  
Quantum Leap reruns all day

**I AM NOT HERE:**

Good Morning  
Denver Ghostbusters  
I am sorry  
none of them are available  
no ma'am  
I... OK... hold on  
Neil she wants to talk to you  
give me the phone  
hi ma'am  
how you doing?  
yeah great  
look, we are pretty  
booked up over here  
swimming in specters and such  
let me see if we've got any openings  
you're gonna regret it  
it's looking like the last Wednesday of

the month is the earliest  
so I think I'm gonna pass  
you back off to my secretary here  
You go ahead and give her your number  
we'll get back to you as soon as we can.  
thanks a bunch for calling  
I'm sorry about that ma'am.  
I'll have 'em call you back.  
yeah, and your number was...  
ok... and your name was...

**APRIL HUNTER:**

APRIL HUNTER!

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channel 8 news April Hunter?  
the hot chick?  
You said you weren't interested.  
the hot chick...  
what she want? she want an interview?  
she want me?  
She wanted to meet the Ghostbusters.  
I told her you'll call her back.  
did you get her number?  
Yes, off course I got her number.  
It's right here.  
alright! alright! call her back, tell  
her I can meet her this afternoon ok?  
but Ed and Pavel are  
taping this afternoon  
Who cares, they've  
got their own lime light.  
It's time for me  
to get a piece, alright.  
Besides, don't you think I'm professional  
enough to handle one little interview?  
It's Ed Spengler.  
He's the science nerd.  
greetings and welcome to the show  
I'm Ed Spengler, the science nerd,  
and this is my esteemed colleague:  
Pavel Karnov.  
Now today we'll be putting the finishing  
touches on the neutron accelerator.  
For those of you joined us at home,

don't forget proper protection.  
good point Pavel  
That's why I recommend a level 4  
radiation suit, complete with 2, not 1,  
but 2 layers of lead paneling,  
a heart monitor, and a gamma ray tuned  
built in Geiger counter.  
But since we don't have any of that  
we'll use safety goggles,  
and rubber gloves, which can be  
purchased at your local hardware store.  
This is good opportunity to support  
local business, not corporate whores.  
now... Pavel we need to speak  
kindly about our sponsors  
Once this miniature reactor is finished  
we'll be able to generate  
an energy field by converting  
hydrogen into helium.  
woo, it sounds very dangerous  
it is  
that's why we have  
the sub-atomic housing set  
to counter the intense  
gravitational field and heat  
that'll be generated by the process  
for those of you following along at home  
don't forget your sub-atomic house?  
ok, you see here, we got  
the standard proton pack  
ok, we got... little knobs here to adjust  
stream length  
and stream intensity  
I don't know what that does  
uhm... yes, that's very interesting but could we  
perhaps get some footage of you firing it for the story?  
in here?  
why not?  
you're professional aren't you?  
well...  
yeah...  
yeah...  
damn straight I am a professional  
we can do that, sure why not



alright Gallagher get this  
I'm on it  
you guys are gonna  
wanna step back a little  
there we go  
a little further  
yeah... ok.  
are you guys ready?  
oh yeah  
alright let's go ahead  
and switch this thing on  
alright  
I'll give you guys a little show  
here we go!  
ok...  
ok.. uhm...  
hum...  
ah... yeah...  
see I am a professional  
you see that  
the ceiling is now on fire  
and I'm not worried  
maybe you should  
yeah  
absolutely  
hold this  
that about does it for the  
fundamental particle chamber  
we should now be able to  
positively and negatively charge  
electrons at a rate similar to  
that found in small stars  
like Gary Coleman or would he  
be considered a small has-been?  
What you talkin' 'bout Pavel?  
this here is the protection grid  
for the ecto containment unit  
it's been upgraded from the old system  
and it is now all digital  
So you keep people's souls  
in a computer.  
well.. yeah...  
I gue... yeah  
that's right

actually... uhm...  
let me just show you  
if you...  
go right here...  
just... just a second  
it's ok uhm...  
well... well it's... uhm  
it's fine it does this all the time  
we should step back  
coming back in 30 seconds  
hello  
ED!  
quick you've gotta get back here man  
the containment unit is trying to  
p... p.. perjure  
what?  
what did you do?  
I don't know I was just  
clicking on somethin...  
is that an alarm  
I hear in the background?  
maybe  
yes  
alright, I'll be there in  
six and a half minutes  
Pavel you're gonna  
have to take over  
what?  
what should I do?  
it'll be easy, just  
talk to the camera  
there is only a few minutes  
left to the show anyway  
ok  
Do not touch anything!  
hey where the hell are you going?  
I got to stop the containment unit  
from purging  
can't you just wait  
there is ten minutes left to the show  
in ten minutes half the city  
will be vaporized  
besides I've got Pavel  
covering for me

so we've been at this for a few years now  
so that's pretty good  
the boys back in Manhattan  
they get sued all the time  
we've been lucky  
we've avoided that issue  
so I had this dream last night right  
more like a nightmare  
I was trapped in these movies  
and I couldn't get out  
does that ever happen?  
what?  
you're 30 seconds late man  
I got held out coming  
out of the studio  
Neil, I've told you a million times do not mess  
around with the containment unit  
especially the protection grid  
will you relax man?  
it's for a news story  
I figured we could use the publicity  
Hi, I'm April Hunter  
from channel 8 news.  
Ed Spengler, paranormal  
elimination and investigation  
so...  
I suppose you're curious as  
how the containment unit works  
actually yes I am curious  
well, it's pretty basic really  
we are all made up of atoms  
which are basically electrical particles  
vibrating and bouncing around  
now the law of conservation states  
that energy cannot be created or destroyed  
so when a person dies, their  
life energy disperses throughout the galaxy  
to heaven or hell or whatever  
it is you believe in  
but sometimes for whatever reasons  
some of that energy sticks around and  
uhm, that's what keeps us in business  
harvesting souls  
electrical anomalies

Miss Hunter  
psychokinetic energy  
and with the encoder I built  
we can convert those ghosts into a signal  
and from there it's a snap  
to store 'em in the computer  
provided Pavel hasn't crammed  
the memory full of porn  
like I said  
it's simply erratic residual energy  
left over when a person dies  
we're not talkin' Dante's  
inferno here  
and who are you to decide  
the fate of humanity's souls?  
first off, we bust  
bad ghosts'  
and frankly, goblins' have killed  
in the past making it quiet serious  
my colleague is right  
our clients call us when  
they have a problem  
if our work wasn't satisfactory  
then we wouldn't get paid  
so what it really comes  
down to IS your money  
look, don't make me  
your straw man  
we're scientists here  
well...  
I'm a scientist  
I'm sorry, I'm just trying to be  
the objective reporter here  
get the facts straight  
well then get this straight  
around here people  
consider us heroes  
we help people in this town  
and we do damn fine work  
believe we have  
everything we need  
that's it  
bye  
hey

wait a second  
wait up  
I cannot wait to see the  
footage on this guys  
I think this is gonna  
make a great story  
I think it went really  
well in there  
well, you're in luck  
hopefully it'll air tonight  
very very cool  
very cool  
you know what, you never  
thanked me to saving your life in there  
he saved my life  
you know if I recall correctly  
it was uhm... Mr. Spengler  
that turned off the containment  
system before it went critical  
if anything you almost  
ended my life  
come on  
ouch!  
hey wait a minute  
wait wait wait wait  
how about I make it up  
to you over dinner?  
dinner?  
- Shut up!  
- Shut up!  
I gotta a 12 pack with  
your name on it  
I'd love to, I really would but I uhm..  
I gotta another interview to do  
yeah but, is he a celebrity?  
I mean... come on  
yeah he is  
I'm sure you've heard of him  
Klaus Konstantin  
he's been in the news quite a lot  
yeah, rings a bell  
so what?  
you date all your assignments?  
no, just the ones

that aren't jerks  
come on  
we're here on location near  
the ancient Egyptian city  
of Cinpolis where  
Dr. Klaus Konstantin  
and his team have made a  
remarkable discover  
tell us about it professor  
well sir, it would appear that  
what we have discovered  
is in fact the amulet of  
Anubis  
and what is...  
what is that?  
the amulet of Anubis is  
an ancient talisman  
fabled to carry the powers  
of Anubis  
the most ancient guardian of  
the under world  
according to ancient  
Egyptian beliefs  
sounds very... old  
Ed, how many times are we  
gonna watch this tape?  
I'm very worried  
about this story Neil  
all right let's hear it  
well, I've been researching this amulet  
that Konstantin has recovered  
Anubis is an incredibly ancient god, the god of  
the underworld according to ancient Egyptian myth  
He was responsible of escorting souls  
through the after life to their final judgment.  
He was also responsible for  
feeding souls of sinners to Ammit...  
the eater of the dead.  
so, what?  
no heaven?  
no anything  
being fed to Ammit meant the soul would vanish  
into an oblivion with no further hope of existence  
so Konstantin can eat souls

with this amulet thingy  
well... sort of  
if he figured out how to decipher it he can  
open up a gateway to an alternate dimension  
the after life or Hall of Two Truths according  
to ancient Egyptian mythology  
Pavel, you're just in time, Ed is  
making another apocalypse prediction  
and we're going to be studying the find  
in my lab in Denver later this week  
Professor Konstantin!  
what?  
you know him?  
I'll tell you what, you stay here and  
day dream about Konstantin all you want.  
I'm hit'n the bar  
you down?  
you buying?  
you driving?  
it's a deal comrade  
let's drink  
let's do it  
if this talisman actually carries  
the powers of Anubis  
I'll be interested in  
finding ways to harness 'em  
perhaps as a weapon  
for the good of  
mankind of course  
what are you up to professor?  
here's the crate you  
asked for professor  
excellent  
thank you  
the amulet of Anubis  
something I've been searching  
for my entire professional life  
where are the the rest of the  
crates from the expedition?  
they're on their way  
to the museum  
well I'll need some time  
with this one  
I'll bring it back tomorrow

personally  
alright  
whatever you say sir  
oh...  
ahhh  
sir?  
I don't know if this is something  
you'd be interested or not  
but a couple of us are gonna go  
down to Chuck E. Cheese  
a little later on try to pick up some MILFS  
some what?  
yeah, you know there's lots of them that  
hang out there for some reason  
mechanical puppets or something  
I don't know  
but I didn't really wanna tell you,  
they just asked me to ask you so...  
you wanna do it or not?  
some other time perhaps  
I have a later engagement  
wow  
with a woman?  
%^&! of course with a woman  
a nice beautiful reporter woman  
is it so hard to believe  
that a man...  
that a man like me  
can find love  
no...  
no!  
I mean yeah but  
it's not because your crippled  
alright it's because  
you're not very good looking  
and...  
don't take that the wrong way  
you know you're not very good looking  
just look in the mirror, goddamn it  
quiet  
I'll see you tomorrow  
alright, stay and fondle your  
little amulet or whatever  
have a good time without me



so Pavel, tell me what you know  
about professor bubble boy  
I just don't think he is a  
nice fellow, that's all  
hey look, we're on  
television 8  
ahh... for Christ's sakes  
can somebody change the channel in here?  
I don't wanna see her  
hey, I know what's up  
you're sweet on this reporter girl aren't you?  
what?  
no way man! argh  
no... no...  
well...  
sort of  
yeah...  
definitely  
why don't you just ask her out?  
what the hell do you know  
about women anyway?  
women just like  
confidence, watch this  
hello lady  
I know someone who  
wants to beat your ass  
oh yeah?! who?  
my balls  
you're cute  
see  
you gotta be shitting me man  
it's the worst line I've ever heard  
ah geez! Are these crack pots at it again.  
what was that chief?  
these Ghostbuster freaks,  
they're crack pots  
idiots like them give the  
country a bad name  
you know what I think,  
I think your mouth makes  
this country look bad  
makes it smell bad too  
hum  
what do we get here?

piss?  
is this your beverage of choice  
at this fine establishment?  
you smart mouth  
hey! you're better watch  
what you say to me  
Stupid face!  
I say whatever I want  
sausage tits  
no you won't  
sausage face  
why don't you uh, stop...  
repeating my insults and adding  
the word face to 'em, you moron?  
hey, relax comrades, OK?  
hey, blow it out your ass  
your communist pig  
hey!  
what's up?  
Bring it on you butt hole!  
what's that thing  
you're working on?  
well... by using miniature  
micro fusion reactions  
it creates quantum leaps in atoms  
forming super charged electron particles  
this in turn causes the protons to be held together  
at 10,000 times the force in a standard proton pack  
sounds complicated  
elementary really  
it's a prototype of a  
new pack I'm working on  
I call it the neutrino pack  
Ghostbusters  
hi Annie, it's Neil  
IT'S NEIL  
Hello  
hey Ed  
can you come  
pick me and Pavel up?  
what? you guys  
can't walk home?  
not without posting bail  
alright, I guess I'll have to

TiVO American Idol  
that interview...  
that was a lot of fun  
that was a lot of presence  
thank you very much  
I had a wonderful time  
tonight April  
that's great  
well... uhm...  
this is my place  
April it's lovely  
April  
darling  
you've been addressing  
me as mister all night  
Please call me Klaus  
Mr. Konstantin  
What is it?  
I like you a lot  
I enjoy your company greatly  
I just had to do an interview  
and that's all that I really...  
Just one moment please  
hello  
good evening Mr. Konstantin  
can this not wait until morning?  
the rest of the board wanted  
me to call as soon as possible  
what information does  
the Congrie have to send?  
they're pulling funding  
for you project Klaus  
What! You can't do this  
I've only begun deciphering the...  
the board feels the company has already  
lost enough money on this project  
they're not seeing the  
results you promised  
I said the damned amulet  
would take time to decipher  
you're not being fair  
we have a dead line to meet  
we're going to go with another project  
you back stabbers!

we had a deal  
Lab Rat Enterprises produces weapons  
for military use, Mr. Konstantin  
you're talking about some sort of god stone'  
that consumes the souls of the living  
yes!...  
and what greater weapon is there!?  
an offer is on the table  
that we can't refuse  
goodbye  
sons of bitches  
you said the amulet was for  
educational purposes  
you said that it was for  
the good of mankind  
it shows what  
the hell you know  
There isn't enough money in education to pay  
for a Greyhound ticket to Wichita.  
you're two face jerk  
listen here you little tootsie roll  
I'm a scientist,  
we don't work for free  
live with it  
you are just trying to  
make a quick buck  
and it's disgusting,  
you are disgusting  
and what do you know? hum?  
what do you know?  
you're just a media whore probably  
sleeping you're way to the top  
and the only reason you've got this job  
is because you're so young and pretty  
argh!  
how dare you strike me,  
I'm a powerful scholar!  
I'll have you, I'm a powerf... arhh  
sweet harvesty!  
Jesus!

**ED:**

you look like hell  
late night

so... did the ratings come in?  
yeahhh  
that's what I wanna  
talk to you about  
did we get the new time slot?  
look Ed, don't get me wrong,  
I like you, we all like you  
we think you do a good show,  
but it's just...  
you don't really connect with  
our younger audience  
this is a science show  
kids aren't gonna be interested in this unless it has  
some overrated actor playing pranks on other celebrities  
or pimping someone's ride  
this is an educational show, doesn't the  
government pay for part of this?  
yeah...  
but...  
we also lost three advertisers last week  
so you're canceling the show  
no no no no no  
definitely not  
so what's the problem then  
do you want me to be funnier?  
we're replacing you  
what?  
we need someone who can connect  
with the kids, someone cooler  
someone street smart  
someone...  
jive!  
like who?  
I'm not interrupting anything,  
am I Robert?  
Levar, come on in  
I like you to meet Ed Spengler  
oh... alright, nice to meet you,  
I heard so much about you  
you're a Ghostbuster,  
right?  
how are things?  
uhm... couldn't be better  
sorry I have to meet you like this

but... hey... I'm sure you'll get by  
you're soul harvesting  
business is doing good  
what is it with that term?  
what else are you  
supposed to call it?  
the same thing we've always called it,  
busting ghosts  
now look Rob, I've been hosting  
this show for six months  
I've got two PhDs,  
he's not qualified  
actually I have a PhD and I'm  
working on my second  
come on he's like fifteen  
actually he's the youngest ever to  
receive a PhD from Cornell  
he's like the black Doogie Howser  
thank you, and I've written a  
New York Times best seller  
give me a break, anybody who's  
been published is on that list  
Dr. Phil is on that list  
for a diet book.  
a diet book!  
well... let's just say he's  
not exactly in shape himself  
I know this is tough to grasp  
look Ed, Like I said, we like you  
we'll keep you in mind  
for other shows  
hey, and why don't you use your talents' to  
benefit mankind instead of enslaving its afterlife?  
maybe I'll save a soul for you  
seems like you could use one  
ser setam shamzoozoo nerhuntai  
umpatcha  
nah furie shahm shahvin  
Ammit sudin je Klaus Konstantin  
miri hi ni pertet  
I request the power and accept the burden  
Anubis, god of the two halls  
I request the power and accept the burden  
damn it

what's wrong here?  
I did everything  
I deciphered the language  
of course  
I need to power the amulet  
and the only way to do that  
is with a celestial sacrifice  
of course  
a human soul  
not something I can pick  
up at the super market  
or Seven Eleven  
and how long can I contain  
it for as long as I need it  
...trap the ghosts then we can store 'em in this  
containment facility as long as necessary  
actually, indefinitely if need be  
Ghostbusters  
there, now that's news  
April your ratings are up  
hardly, I mean that story was nothing  
all we had to do was point the camera and  
that idiot blabbermouth did the rest  
they were cool though  
yeah... so what's next chief?  
something a little bit more exciting?  
next? this is a gold mine,  
people can't get enough of this stuff  
I want you to go back to these folks  
back?  
hell yes  
this is a gold mine  
I wanna week long expos  
I want to show the city what is like  
to be a Ghostbuster for a week  
no! no no no no  
you sent Frederic to Egypt you made Adam anchor  
what do they have that I don't?  
April, you'll get your chance yet  
now just do your job,  
go out there, dig up some dirt  
so this is all about  
making them look bad?  
no, it's about business

this isn't right

- It's not about right or wrong it's...

- I just don't like the idea of making them look bad  
hell...

April, I'm trying to do you a favor, this is good stuff,

I want you to be out there I want you to...

ok April, if you do this for me, I'll make

you anchor by the end of the month

anchor... wow...

I just...

now go, go do your job ok?

and show some enthusiasm, will you?

oh, I'm enthused

greetings

oh... hello!

may I help you?

yes, I'm here to see the Ghostbusters

ok... well they're on a case right now

would you like to make an appointment?

yes, what'd you have at the earliest?

well... ah... let's see here,

they're pretty busy

it looks like

the first available would be next Thursday

ssssssssssleeeeeeep

it's beautiful

he hey! buddy!

do you have any change buddy?

change?

yeah! you know nickels, dimes, quarters...

you know, anything like that would be great

oh god! you're repulsive

I'm not picky so...

why you ask a man in crippled,

a cripple man for change!?

why don't we see what this thing is?

I have seen one of those,

is there money in there?

you should be the first to find out

disgusting man

I have your pathetic soul

my first one

hahahaha

with this offering, I accept the gift and the



burden of some of your great power  
hahahaha...  
Ha Hahahaha!...  
hoh, oh Hahahahaha!  
Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha...  
wo, wo, wo, whoa  
let me try the new pack this time  
I don't think so I still to test a bit  
come on man, why do  
you getta have all the fun?  
look, I'm taking a big enough risk by bringing it  
here already with all the press coverage we've been getting  
that's such a BS  
you know what?  
just let me try the new pack,  
I mean what's the worst that could happen?  
look, this is not a piece of equipment to toy with  
if it goes critical it could detonate a 60 gigaton explosion  
or worse  
collapse on to its self creating matter so  
dense that it becomes a black hole  
why is it that every time we get a new piece  
of equipment, you dive into the science talk?  
all I wanna do is try out the new pack  
and I don't see what the big deal is  
come on Ed, just let him try it  
even Pavel!, come on man  
alright, alright  
I just want you to take it seriously  
I take everything seriously, you know that  
serious is my middle name  
thank god you guys are here  
how many are there?  
uhm, more than one for sure... uhm  
this isn't too much trouble, is it?  
only for your bank account pal  
I'm sorry, there is a no smoking in here  
thanks  
my P.K.E. integrated cellphone  
seems to be malfunctioning  
what's the matter?  
you ran out of minutes there, jack ass?  
It definitely is a strong signal  
Pavel!

use your ecto motion tracker  
right  
I've got something here  
multiple signals, front and behind  
what? where man?  
I don't see anything  
look sharp people  
they're closing  
there  
good evening  
please forgive me for my intrusion  
I promise to be brief  
yes  
damn it, you go that way, I'll go this way  
you could just told me, gee  
Neil, you wait here  
hello, channel 8?  
you might wanna send someone down  
to the Mayan Theater  
quickly  
the Ghostbusters are  
attacking the staff  
noooo, the Ghostbusters  
no the Ghostbusters,  
they're attacking t...  
Ghostbusters  
they're taking their  
god damned souls  
Ed, we might have something here  
what is it?  
a whole bunch of ectoplasm  
yeah, I've got some in here as well  
yeah, there's a lot here  
on the ceiling  
well, what's a lot?  
we've seen loads of this stuff before  
it's... bubbling?  
is that a question or an observation?  
goddamn I'm good  
Neil,  
quick turn down the electron flow  
where?  
You IDIOT!  
what happened?

You just completely destroyed a SOUL!  
- destroyed?- I told you to turn it DOWN!  
I don't know how to work  
this goddamned thing  
Can you comprehend the implications  
of what you just did?  
You just completely obliterated a soul!  
well, it was bad right?  
ED!  
Ed come on!  
an unknown source has claimed that the Ghostbusters are  
responsible for putting the employees of this theater into comas  
however...  
comas?  
one of our packs malfunctioned  
and destroyed a ghost  
so the Ghostbusters are  
now murdering spirits  
wait a second, that was an accident  
April, what the hell are you doing?  
I'm doing my job, just like you  
Do you know anything about these comas?  
look, I don't know what the hell went on out here.  
That was the scene downtown tonight  
when the Ghostbusters started attacking innocent people.  
Uh, the new pack wasn't thoroughly tested, and it  
somehow malfunctioned, and a soul was destroyed.  
It was my fault really. I just  
should have tested it more thoroughly.  
Ed Spengler, leader of the Denver Ghostbusters,  
also built the machine that destroyed the ghost.  
Ed and team have been under scrutiny,  
questioning the ethics behind what they do.  
And tonight's instant has caught the  
attention of the federal government,  
Who will reportedly seek to pass legislation on  
ghostbusting, as well as dealings with the afterlife.  
Get that camera out of my face!  
A cease and desist has already been  
ordered on the Denver Ghostbusters.  
As more coma victims continue  
to pile up across the city.  
April  
What's the deal wh.. Why are

you trying to make us look bad.  
It's nothing personnel Neil, it's just the news.  
Yeah, it's just bad news.  
Yeah well, bad news is the only type of news that sells OK.  
People don't like hearing about happy stories  
They like hearing about stories that make their  
miserable little lives seem a little bit better.  
What really happened in there Neil?  
I don't know. We came down here. It was a routine bust.  
come outside, and this  
Everybody thinks we're...  
bad.  
I don't think that you're that bad.  
Then why do the story?  
I don't... I don't kn... my boss, he just  
thinks that this will help my career and I jus...  
Alright... alright.  
Why don't we just...  
Why don't we talk about it over...  
dinner.  
What do we want?...  
GHOST RIGHTS!  
When do we want it?...  
NOW!  
What do we want?...  
GHOST RIGHTS!  
When do we want it?...  
NOW!  
Hey!  
You awake?  
Oh... uh, I must've dosed off.  
You better go home and get some sleep.  
Yeah.  
Hey!... where are you going?  
Ahh.. Can it MacGyver! I don't  
need anymore of your crap.  
I'm taking April to dinner.  
Oh, oh, hurts dunn't!  
Ohhh!  
What, no Jaguar?  
It's in the shop.  
Oh, OK, thanks.  
Sparks in the air tonight.  
Dropping off or picking up?

Um, neither...

Uh, good evening ma'am, this is uh, Agent J.

I'm Agent K. We'd like to ask you a few questions.

We found this man behind your establishment.

Did anybody see or hear anything this evening?

No, I was playing video games all night, and earlier

I was watching Batman and Robin', and then before...

I'm not looking for an alibi tonight ma'am.

I'm just look'n to ask ya a few questions.

Wait, Batman and Robin'? The television show or the crappy George Clooney movie?

I didn't think it was that bad!

Oh please... all the cool, icy, chill, freeze, analogies.

My god, the bat suit had nipples on it!

Ok... First of all, we need to get this man to a hospital.

Second!...

Any movie with Uma Thurman in it is ok in my book man.

We're gonna need an ambulance at 7345

South Seventeenth Street. I got a 10-20...

I got a 10-Fif...

What's the code for comatose?

I got a coma guy!

This is very strange.

I'm getting a zero-point-zero reading on the P.K.E. Meter

What does that mean?

The P.K.E. Meter detects even the slightest amount of psycho kinetic energy.

Every living soul on the planet emits at least some signal.

This man...

He has no soul.

What is he, a politician?

No, it appears that someone or some... thing has stolen this man's soul.

I'd like to get him inside, I could do a few tests.

No can do doc, we got the ambulance on the way right now.

This guy appears to be in the same condition that the other were at the Mayan Theatre.

Are they alright? I haven't heard anything.

They're all down at St. Mary's

- They're still alive but...

- Sleep'n it off like this guy.

I'm afraid this doesn't look to good for your company sir.

I swear, I had nothing to do with this.

If I can get him inside, I could run a few tests and I can figure all of this out  
Murderers!

Mess'n with ghosts isn't good enough,  
now you have to mess with the living.

Wait right here.

So, should we take the body inside?

Yep.

Hey well, I had a great time tonight.

I did too. We should get together and do it again sometime.

Definitely, only I pick the place next time. Ok?

- What, no fish tacos?

- No, no fish tacos!

Those were good!

Yeah, I'm thinking something a little bit more authentic. Italian maybe... candles?

Yeah, we can do that.

But hey, I'm tired, I'm gonna get to bed.

Yeah I...

I got stuff to do too, so.

Ok

- night

- good night

Oh, hey, drive careful

Hey, it's me!

Yeah, that's what I'm talking about.

Bye

Hey I saw that you pussy.

Too lame to go in for the kiss?

I.. I'm not lame!

Yeah, whatever. Bet you haven't been laid in years.

kiss my sack!

You don't wait long to get back on the wagon, do you?

How the hell did you get in here?

The window was open.

I'm calling the cops.

I've decided to give you one last chance...

To join me!

Your legs...

Lying about secret weapon contracts is one thing...

Pretending to be in a wheelchair is just desp...

I am offering you one last chance to be my QUEEN!

Forget it! Get out of here, you freak!

Alright...

But first there's something I'd like to show you.

How the hell did you get that!

I'm calling the police.

They cannot help you.

No!... No!... NO!... NO!

Hey, what's going on in here?

Miss Hunter, you ok?

I'm fine! He was just leaving!

Good day

Sorry for interrupting, it sounded like something was going on in here.

No, everything's fine now thank you.

Can you please make sure that that gentleman finds his way out of the building completely.

Will do.

Hey! You!

Sir, I'm gonna hafta ask you to leave the building.

I don't know what the problem is!?

I was just trying to show her something.

I don't think she'll wanna see anything you've gotta show her.

Well then perhaps, you'd like to see.

Hey, good morning boys.

April! What are doing here?

Good morning lady. I'm making blintza

Yeah, you wanna stay for breakfast?

Sure.

And this morning my superintendent was unconscious in the hallway.

It's strange, Konstantin is walking now too.

So, your saying that Konstantin has one of our traps?

That's what it looked like, yes.

If Konstantin has one of our traps he may be able to figure out how to use...

Wait wait wait. Ya know, I heard that if you look into that thing while it's closing it can make you impotent.

What, like you can't go when you need to?

That's incontinence.

I think you get that too.

- Is that true?

- Ask Ed.

Ed, are you impotent?

Dr. Stantz's theory is that the

eyes are a window into the soul.  
Therefore if a living person were to  
look into the trap, as it was closing,...  
It could steal their life  
essence, rendering that person...  
What! A flesh craving zombie Ed?  
In a comatose state.  
Pavel?  
What!?  
Do you think that Konstantin would ever  
intentionally steal a person's soul?  
Wait a minute, why the hell would he know?  
I think he would do anything to unlock his amulet.  
I knew it!  
I knew you knew more than than  
you wanted me to know you knew.  
What do you know?  
Pavel is a former student of Konstantin's  
What the hell is going on here Pavel?  
Are you working for him?  
So what, Ed gets to know about your past,  
and you keep it a secret from me?  
I didn't think it was big deal.  
Big deal!? This guy's stealing  
souls, for Christ's sake.  
And as far as I'm concerned, you're an accomplice.  
And you! You son of a bitch,  
you coulda clued me in on this.  
- Please, calm down.  
- No! This is bullshit!  
I take enough of Ed's crap,  
i don't need it from you too.  
Neil, there are more important things  
going on here than you and your ego.  
Ego!...  
you think I have an ego.  
Why don't we ask her,  
do I have an ego?  
Well... a... it's... just  
Oh that's just great! I guess I'll  
take me and my ego and get outa here.  
You can help them stop Konstantin.  
Great... I've ruined everything. Ed, I'm sorry.  
No it's not you fault.



Along with the city revoking our business,  
now, I've driven Neil away.  
Did the bureaucrats take all of your equipment?  
Well, we still have the neutrino pack and a couple of traps...  
And I'm very thankful that for now they  
haven't touched the containment unit.  
Face it Ed, Ghostbusters are finished.  
Oh my...  
What's happening? He must've opened a portal.  
Oh! You're big! You're big! Yeah, alright!  
Destroy me! Yeah, yeah, destroy me.  
Yeah, yeah, yeah, give it!  
So let me get this straight.  
Some madman, with the powers of  
the underworld has summoned...  
Some thing!  
That's gonna devour every soul on the planet.  
Ammit, the eater of the dead, your honor.  
The powers of Anubis.  
Forget it! I don't care!  
But this... this is not gonna happen in Denver.  
This doesn't really happen anywhere, mayor.  
And soon it could be everywhere.  
Like Starbucks.  
Can you stop it?  
Possibly  
First we need to evacuate this area of the city.  
The psycho kinetic readings for these coordinates are  
off the charts. If we could isolate the threat here...  
Done, what else do you need.  
Well if it's not too much trouble we'd like our uh...  
equipment back.  
Hello.  
Hi.  
Why are you sitting there like that?  
Look kid, if it's all the same to you, I'd really  
just prefer not to be bothered right now. Ok?  
Allison come on, we're leaving!  
Sounds like your mom's calling you anyway, you don't wanna get in trouble.  
What's wrong?  
I...  
I had a fight with some friends, is all.  
My father says that fighting builds character.  
My parents have a lot of character.

Teh

Maybe they should quit.

Allison!

Well, I havta go. We're leaving the city.

Leaving the city? Why?

Havn't you been paying attention?

Aren't you a Ghostbuster?

Are you going to save us?

You know we're going too, right?

It's much too dangerous.

Well, if you fail the world's going to end anyway.

She's got a point.

Alright, let's rock this kasbah

Uh, sir.

Camera 17 is sending us a feed.

It's April

What's she got?

Broadcast that! Interrupt all feeds.

Get New York and L.A. On the lines.

Some sort of ghost tornado, erupting from downtown Denver, a soul-nado if you will.

Denver at this point has been evacuated, the mayor has sent out another warning...

What!

Denver could be facing Armageddon first hand.

It would seem that the Denver Ghostbusters are the world's only hope at this point as the soul-nado...

Nafu shem seti Ammit

Aiki rockto nayga

Ammit shahmsay

Nafu shem seti Ammit

I thought you guys were out of business.

We're here by order of the mayor.

The system is so screwed up these days.

Isn't sort of of clich that every time that there's a disaster you get to meet the mayor?

Klause, you must stop this! This is

madness! You don't know what you're doing!

I am a god! And I know exactly what I'm doing.

Ask Pavel.

- Cleansing the earth of evil huh?

- Precisely!

You were a better man before, this power has corrupted you.

A better man?

A CRIPPLE IN A WHEELCHAIR!

I was never a better man! No!

Being a man is nothing compared to being a god.

And I plan to release this planet from the wickedness of man.

Not everyone is WICKED!

Well, you can't make an omelet without

breaking a few eggs now can you.

These aren't eggs we're talking about.

These are people's souls!

I'll do what it takes to stop you.

Show me your best Ghostbuster.

HAHAHaHahahahahaHA!

Is that all you've got?

Here, let me try.

Ammit nechfnissy city Ammit

Meri ey!

Nufair shadam cham sity..

Meri ey!

ha ha ha ha ha ha

They are still in the building and there...

There's a... giant... ghost... dragon thing

flying over Denver!

GHOST DRAGON THING!

Holy SHIT!

...giant monster that looks like the ghost of...

FALKOR is terrorizing downtown Den...

Ed, You take care of that,

I'll stay here.

Pavel...

Ed, I could've taken care of this a long time ago.

This time, he's not gonna get away.

Be careful!

You too.

Lavar?

What are you doing here?

I'm here to put a stop to all this nonsense.

Oh good, we could really use your help right now.

n... I'm here to stop you.

What you do is wrong.

I'm placing you under citizens arrest.

Levar, we're trying to save the world here,

can't we set aside our differences?

OK, setting aside all of our differences...

WHAT THE HELL IS THAT!

I've never seen a ghost that big before.  
But you can stop it though, can't you?  
I... thought you didn't want us  
meddling in the affairs of the afterlife.  
I.. t-take it back.  
I'm glad you've come to your senses Pavel.  
I could use you.  
As we destroy the world, I'll need an assistant.  
I don't think so.  
You'll be worshiped as a god.  
money, power, it will all be yours!  
What good is money and power when  
you have no one to share it with.  
Well I don't plan to destroy every human.  
But, those that except me as their god,  
will be spared.  
Join me Pavel.  
The proton cannon seems to have no effect on the beast.  
Can you go any faster?  
Hell yeah!  
This is a big ass dragon.  
What it is that thing?  
I have an idea.  
What?  
AN IDEA!  
No I heard you.  
What's your idea?  
Well we'll... We'll herd it.  
Like... like cattle.  
What will it be Pavel?  
You already know my answer.  
Your death shall be swift.  
ahnas san seda...  
WHOOOAA!  
...in pursuit.  
Ye Haw!  
Oooh!  
Well that does it for stupid snake...  
Face!  
You came, You saw,...  
You kicked it's Aaasssss!  
NICE!  
YES! Nice going guys!  
Ed!

I failed!  
I couldn't stop him.  
Let's try this.  
Alright, closing trap.  
What!  
No, this can't be!?  
NO! Those souls are MINE!  
MINE!  
Ha! It's too late!  
The portal cannot be stopped!  
Blastage!  
Now Lavar!  
Here goes nothing.  
Go full stream  
It's hopeless!  
Bad dog!  
No Biscuit  
Don't let him get into the portal!  
There's enough energy in that  
alternate dimension to fuel his amulet.  
If he gains enough power,  
he'll be able to keep it open permanently.  
eh no. This never ends, so what do we do?  
Ed!  
Let me think a second!  
Ed, there's something wrong with this thing!  
Oh No! The pack's gone critical, it's overloading!  
What the hell does that mean?  
The sub-atomic housing is overheated. The matter  
is beginning to collapse into the antimatter.  
That's BAD, right?!  
For THIS dimension.  
yes  
Yes!  
YES!  
Unlimited Power!  
Unlimited Power!  
YES!  
Ghostbusters! Ghostbusters!  
Ghostbusters!  
Dy-no-mite!  
oh... Oh, this better be on YouTube tomorrow!  
It looks like the world will keep it's souls after all.  
atta girl!

Oh she's good!  
I knew you'd be back Neil.  
well...  
I guess I couldn't let you steal my limelight, could I!  
ahh..  
Oh! God! yeah  
Hug, precisely what I was thinking.  
alright  
Hell no!  
no  
Good work Lavar!  
Thanks, Ed. You know, I was wrong about you.  
Pavel, I'm really glad you're one of the good guys.  
Hey man! What do you think happened to Konstantin?  
Well...  
He's Toast!  
There is still no sign of the Ghostbusters  
who hours ago entered the strange building.  
and we have still not...  
Here they come now.  
What was it like in there?  
Well I gotta tell ya...  
that... was a close one!  
uh, The threat has been eliminated. all we havta  
do is return these souls to their rightful owners.  
I'm gonna do a special on my show of  
how Lavar Gorden almost died... twice.  
I think I will go to Disneyland.  
Hi Mother.  
Were there any human casualties?  
uh, the cripple.  
Nobody cares about him.  
Ya know, What's important is that we get  
these souls back to their rightful owners.  
and Ed here, is gonna describe the  
device that's gonna do, just that.  
oh um...  
yeah I created a device that uh captures psycho  
kinetic energy and polarizes it so that uh...  
you can use the electromagnetic  
aura that is a residual, um, result tu...  
I'm just bullshitting...  
can you edit this out later?  
Ed, we're live.

uh um, as I was saying psycho kinet...  
What are your feelings now that you've come out OK?  
You know what, that's... that's...  
that's enough OK.  
There's no feelings...  
and there's no more pictures.  
We're going home, we're tired.  
Guys we're outa here.  
I will call you...  
maybe...  
Thought we were getting to be their friends.  
And the day is once again  
saved by the Ghostbusters.  
I'm April Hunter from Channel 8 News, reminding you...  
Don't be afraid of no ghosts!  
Clean up crews will be working around the clock,  
cleaning up the rubble from last night's epic battle.  
Turns out that the Ghostbusters  
were ALWAYS on our side...  
as I pointed out months ago...  
or weeks...  
Depending on what type of calendar you use.  
Welcome back to Science of the Universe.  
I'm Ed Spengler.  
And I'm Lavar Gordon.  
Now today is our Ghostbusters Special.  
That's right! we're going to be taking a  
look at the technology that saved the world.  
Ghostbusters!  
If there's something strange...  
in your neighborhood...  
Who ya gonna call?  
Ghostbusters!  
If there's something weird...  
and it don't look good...  
Who ya gonna call?  
Ghostbusters!  
I ain't fraid a no ghost!  
I ain't fraid a no ghost!  
If you're seeing things...  
running through your head...  
Who can ya call?  
Ghostbusters!  
An invisible man...

sleeping in your bed...  
Oh!  
Who ya gonna call?  
Ghostbusters!  
I ain't fraid a no ghost!  
I ain't fraid a no ghost!  
Who ya gonna call?  
Ghostbusters!  
If you're all alone...  
pick up the phone...  
and call...  
Ghostbusters!  
I ain't fraid a no ghost!  
I hear it likes the girls.  
I ain't fraid a no ghost!  
Yeah, Yeah, Yeah, Yeah!  
Who ya gonna call?  
Ghostbusters!  
Mm... if you've had a dose...  
Of a freaky ghost baby...  
You better call...  
Ghostbusters!  
let me tell ya something...  
Bustin' makes me feel good!  
I ain't fraid a no ghost!  
I ain't fraid a no ghost!  
Don't get caught alone oh no...  
Ghostbusters!  
When it comes through your door...  
Unless you just want some more...  
I think you better call...  
Ghostbusters!