



Scripts.com

# Wer

By William Brent Bell

There you go.

Okay.

Ready?

Mrs. Porter,

what do you remember from that night?

It was dark,

but I could see.

The sky was

so bright.

There was

a full moon.

It was beautiful.

Stop!

Peter.

Peter Porter,

come here please.

Good work

on the fire, bud.

Look at this.

This is a very

beautiful spot.

What about this full moon?

You could get a moon tan.

So tell us about

the meteor shower.

And do you know what

a meteor shower is?

It's the ice and

debris that's...

Well, actually,

the sun is melting the ice off the comet

and that's when

the debris falls loose.

- Do you believe him?

- No.

I don't believe

you either.

Check out

our campsite.

Are you guys hungry?

Yeah, what'd

you bring to eat?

- Hot dogs?

- "Sot" dogs.

This is the Porter family.  
Can you turn the little...  
Look at that!  
...yard this big and  
our dog will always be happy.  
- Wow. Okay. Oh!  
- Hello.  
Oscar.  
- Oscar!  
- Oscar!  
What is he doing?  
- Oscar!  
- Shit!  
Excuse me?  
Crap. Don't repeat that.  
Oscar! Oscar!  
Oscar!  
Do you see him?  
Is everything okay?  
Baby?  
Okay, do you  
remember anything else?  
I just remember  
screaming.  
Mom!  
He was eating  
my boy alive.  
Very,  
very sketchy details here.  
An American man and his young  
son holidaying in France  
were brutally  
killed last night...  
The circumstances are very graphic.  
...what police believe was  
a vicious animal attack.  
In what authorities  
believe was a brutal animal attack...  
...an attack  
that has shocked police officers.  
Authorities have confirmed the  
death of 36-year-old Henry Porter  
And Peter Porter.  
...found mutilated.

He was just seven years old.  
The young mother is the only survivor.  
Claire Porter...  
...taken by ambulance.  
Authorities are hopeful  
she will recover...  
I have lived here,  
my whole life.  
Cannot remember  
anything like this ever.  
People are wondering  
what type of animal...  
A breed of animal has  
yet to be determined.  
Police are urging  
people to be patient  
as they continue with  
their investigation.  
He was tall and thin.  
It had hair all over.  
His hands,  
they were huge.  
You said "he."  
A major turn in  
this tragic case.  
This is now officially  
a murder investigation.  
Now,  
suggesting that there may be someone...  
...responsible for the death  
of the Porter family.  
This is not  
an animal attack.  
Not an animal attack.  
What type of man could be  
capable of such things?  
The question many in  
France are asking...  
One of the  
biggest manhunts in recent times.  
An entire community living in fear.  
A very peaceful place and what has  
happened has shattered that peace.  
Major developments in the huge manhunt.

A local man was  
taken into custody.

**At 14:**

suspect at his residence.  
Police have identified a man...  
...involved in the Porter tragedy.  
- The suspect's name is Talan Gwynek.  
- ...Talan Gwynek.  
- The only suspect...  
- ...accused of murder.  
This monster of a man...  
...refusing to answer police questions.  
We also learned that  
Gwynek's home in Cerdon...  
...is only two miles from  
the location of the attack.  
Gwynek has been  
transferred from Cerdon to Lyon.  
But the question,  
the validity of the charges.  
No clear motive.  
No prior criminal records.  
Some legal analysts are calling his  
arrest an abuse of human rights.  
Well, at this stage  
there is no factual evidence  
to indicate anything more  
than an animal attack.  
Katherine Moore...  
Gwynek's court-appointed attorney...  
There is a vague description by a  
woman who was very much in shock.  
Europe has a long and sordid  
history of animalistic murderers.  
To be honest,  
I'm not convinced  
this is an act  
of murder at all.  
The French legal system  
values hard evidence  
more than eye  
witness testimony.  
That nuance is certainly

relevant to this case  
and I believe it will  
work in our favor.

You're an American living in France,  
an expatriate.

Well, um, both my parents  
were human rights lawyers.

My father was French,  
my mother an American.

When they divorced

I spent every summer  
in France with my father.

Mrs. Moore,

were you hesitant to accept this case,  
considering the victims are American  
and the defendant is French?

What matters to me would be to see  
an innocent man sent to prison.

Okay.

I think we got it.

Great.

Hey.

Hey.

You look great.

Yeah, you too.

How are you?

I'm good, good.

Mmm. Oh...

Uh, how was your flight?

It was fine.

So, uh...

Good.

So you're doing  
TV interviews now.

Yeah, I'm not used to that,  
that's for sure.

Did I look as nervous  
as I felt?

No, you looked like you'd  
been doing it for years.

Good. Um...

Oh, here, let's just move out here.

Um...

Been a while. So...

Damn, I didn't want  
this to be awkward.  
Mmm...  
Oh, hey.  
Problem.  
Mmm. Monsieur?  
Oh, shoot, uh, Eric,  
this is Dr. Gavin Flemyng.  
Kate, come on.  
It's Gavin. Gavin.  
Oh, okay.  
He doesn't  
speak French.  
- Very well. The Gavin, right?  
- Mmm-hmm.  
Yeah, I heard a lot about you.  
Come on in.  
Thanks for  
helping out.  
Ah, of course. Um...  
Didn't realize  
you were American as well.  
- Do you have a PhD in wildlife forensics?  
- Yeah.  
Probably just  
set up right here.  
Kate said you did an amazing  
job on a similar case  
where you helped  
redirect the investigation  
from murder  
to animal attack?  
Oh, no,  
he more than helped.  
His testimony  
was instrumental.  
Oh,  
I hope you can do the same for us.  
Here's the initial stuff.  
Oh.  
I just wanted to thank  
you for your time.  
Uh, if you need anything, like bios,  
statistics, police reports,

hash... Anything.  
Anything. Anything.  
Um, actually,  
I've already put a request  
to examine the victims'  
bodies as soon as possible.  
Maybe you can make, uh,  
a request to the judge  
so we can get a quick response?  
I'll lean on him.  
Okay, so, uh,  
back to the Claire Porter interview.  
The investigative judge  
agreed to let you  
review the tape,  
so we're good on that.  
He's also okayed you  
sit down with Talan.  
All right,  
and who's investigating?  
Uh, yes, Captain Klaus Pistor.  
Ex-military pilot.  
Been heading up murder  
investigations for nearly a decade.  
Every Thursday  
he eats lunch at Pierre's,  
orders the Croque-Monsieur  
with Bleu d'Auvergne cheese.  
Hates raisins,  
like crazy.  
I think there's an  
allergy issue there.  
So if you want to kill him  
that's the way to do it.  
Hang on a second.  
Is there a...  
Yeah.  
It's good to see  
you again, Kate.  
Mmm.  
Give it time.  
You just got here.  
I just remember  
screaming.



He was tall and thin.  
It had hair all over.  
His hands,  
they were huge.  
You said "he."  
He was eating my boy alive.  
Voila.  
I'm sorry, uh,  
you don't speak French.  
Of course,  
you're English.  
But you see there was  
a camera malfunction  
and, uh, Claire Porter's  
condition was so poor  
that the judge concluded  
the interview.  
So, you took Talan Gwynek into  
custody based on her description?  
Yes, I did.  
He more than fit the description,  
don't you think?  
I am aware his  
appearance is unique,  
but did you pursue other leads?  
Uh, yes,  
apart from surveying the crime scene,  
the entry points and  
the attacker's footprints.  
Uh, footprints?  
We didn't, um...  
We didn't see that evidence  
in the investigation dossier.  
Were they  
photographed or cast?  
No, the heavy rain  
had washed them away,  
but the measurements  
matched the suspect's.  
Okay. Um...  
I do find it a bit unusual that  
you took my client into custody  
based on an inconclusive eyewitness  
account and not hard evidence.

Uh, we have  
the camera malfunction,  
the footprints  
being washed away...  
This investigation's had some issues,  
Commissaire.  
You agree?  
The test results for your  
client's DNA at the crime scene  
will be back in  
less than 48 hours.  
So, I suggest we continue  
this conversation then.  
That is if Gwynek's DNA doesn't  
show up at the crime scene.  
Very good.  
So why don't we go see your, uh, client?  
Thank you.  
Follow me.  
Your team will stay in  
the observation room.  
You all right?  
Mmm-hmm.  
Very important.  
You do not touch him.  
You do not hand him anything  
unless I say it's okay.  
But your guards will not  
be allowed to be in here.  
It's my client's right.  
I guess it is.  
Okay, you have, uh,  
only five minutes for the initial meeting.  
Five minutes?  
Yes, believe me, it will be long enough.  
He hasn't spoken a word  
since we arrested him.  
You can angle  
these cameras?  
Take it off, now!  
Okay.  
Okay, he's all yours.  
Good luck.  
Bonjour, Talan.

Talan...

Pistor.

Uh, I would like to  
remove his handcuffs.

Oh, no, no, no.

I take full responsibility for my security.

Absolutely, not.

No, categorically not.

His feet are chained  
to the floor.

And you have guards  
right outside this door.

Don't let me regret this,

Ms. Moore.

Okay, Rineaux.

What's she doing?

Thank you.

You speak English?

Did your mother teach you  
how to speak English?

Yes?

My mother,  
how is she?

She's very worried  
about you.

And your father,  
I have yet to speak with him.

My father...

He...

Your father?

Listen, everything is going to be okay.

We will talk again soon.

Until then, do not speak to anyone  
else about this case but me.

Help me.

Everything happened so fast.

I got in there,  
scratched my arm.

My glasses went flying.

- Are you okay?

- Jesus Christ.

No, I'm fine,

I'm fine.

The whole thing just

happened so quickly.  
You all right?  
Yeah.  
You didn't get  
hurt, right?  
Yeah, thanks for  
that back there.  
I'm just your regular  
knight in shining armor.  
Did you hear what he said to me?  
He said, "Help me."  
That's what he said?  
Yes.  
Wow.  
You sure this is  
the right case for you?  
Yeah, more than ever.  
This doesn't make any sense.  
You could have been really hurt back there,  
you know?  
The guy can barely move.  
There's no way he could have  
committed these crimes.  
If his mobility is as  
limited as it seems,  
and, you know,  
with those attacks,  
then there's no way he could have done it,  
you know?  
There's no way.  
Wait. Do you know  
where you're going?  
God sakes, Katherine.  
Yes, I know where I'm going.  
I'm going to look  
it up on my GPS,  
because I know your whole,  
uh, brain GPS is...  
You're like an old married couple,  
you two.  
What?  
- Bloody hell!  
- Jeez.  
Nice driving skills,

Eric, really.

- Thanks, I got the instinct.

You all right? - I'm good.

All right.

Shall we?

Mrs. Gwynek,

can you tell us

what you remember

about the night

the Porters died?

He was home that night.

He was very sick.

He did not leave.

He couldn't.

Sick, how?

Talan's condition...

He can't move.

Can't even get out of bed

for days sometimes.

- What was he like as a child?

- Mmm...

He was a happy boy,

a kind boy.

Children made fun of him,

called him names.

He didn't ever want

to leave the farm,

so we choose to

school him at home.

I take it you taught

Talan English as well?

Yeah, but he speaks

much better than me.

He's very smart.

Mrs. Gwynek,

your accent is Eastern European.

It's Moldavian?

Uh, Romanian.

I was born there,

but we moved to France when I was young.

We had family

all over Europe.

Not so much anymore,

but we still remember.

Do you see me?  
And this is your mother?  
Oh, Mama.  
She's beautiful.  
And what about  
this gentleman here?  
Oh, was my uncle,  
Tavis.  
He had the same  
condition as Talan,  
only he died before it became too severe,  
in the war.  
Uh,  
what can you tell us about this condition?  
Well, it's sometimes passed  
down to the men in our family.  
Their bones too long and  
too weak for their bodies.  
- Has there been any official  
diagnosis too? - No.  
No, no one's ever  
been able to help.  
We tried, but...  
I'm sure you did  
all you could.  
Yeah.  
What was it like  
for Talan growing up?  
He spent the most time  
with his father.  
He died last year.  
I'm so sorry  
to hear that.  
Mrs. Gwynek, um,  
if you don't mind,  
would you speak about  
what happened there?  
It was a car accident.  
Uh, he was just  
driving home late,  
lost control...  
Mmm.  
That must have been  
very hard on you.

It was hardest on Talan.  
Mrs. Gwynek,  
I'm having a really hard time understanding  
why they've decided  
to target Talan.  
Do you know why they are  
convinced that he's guilty?  
Our land.  
Your land?  
Mmm.  
They've always  
wanted this land.  
If I give up my land,  
will they give me back my boy?  
Holy shit!  
Hang on.  
What is it? You okay?  
What is it? No!  
"Killer." It says "Killer."  
No!  
No, he's not killer!  
Please, please, people need to know that!  
No!  
He's no monster!  
People need to  
know that, please!  
- We're gonna help him.  
- We're gonna help him.  
So,  
the government wanted  
to turn the Gwynek's land into a  
storage site for nuclear waste,  
which would have given the  
town a sizeable contract,  
but the  
Gwyneks refused.  
What's so special  
about their land?  
The clay down there  
is extremely dense,  
which makes it  
safe for storage.  
For nuclear waste?  
Yeah.

I mean, nuclear energy powers about 80% of France, so their land is unique. Valuable, I bet. How much was the contract? Um, about 30 million euros. It also says here that Klaus Pistor is on a committee trying to win that contract. You think he had anything to gain? That's a lot of money. Especially down there. You thinking about his father's death? Yeah, I am. Yeah, me too. I just remember... Kate! Eric! ...screaming. I just, uh... I was speaking to a doctor friend of mine from Oxford and, um... Excuse me. Excuse me. Um, we were discussing Talan's appearance and symptoms, and there's a very rare disease called porphyria. Um, symptoms include, um, excessive facial and body hair and receding gums which obviously makes the teeth look longer. And yeah, it also causes crippling chronic joint pain, muscle weakness, all sorts of nerve damage, even seizures. So, people with this can barely move? Exactly and it's so rare that some



doctors haven't even heard of it.

Okay, great.

Uh...

What's up?

Uh, my necklace,  
it's gone.

Oh,

I haven't seen it.

Sure it's around.

Uh, anyway, um, this condition,  
how do we test for it?

It's actually  
pretty complicated.

It needs a pretty specialized facility  
in order to handle the tests.

There's only one hospital  
around here that can handle it.

How does one... Is it genetic?

How does one catch it?

I'm not too sure,  
you're gonna...

But, uh,  
it's certainly a good start.

Okay, perfect.

We'll request an evaluation for  
Talan tomorrow first thing.

Good. Good. Good.

Um...

I'm gonna go home.

Okay.

Kate, do you want...

Do you want to just go grab a drink,  
catch up for a second?

Um...

I'm beat. It's just... It's  
been a hell of a day, so...

- Okay.

- Okay. All right.

Um, all right.

Good night. Good night.

What the hell  
are you doing, man?

What's that?

What are you doing?

Here with her?  
What's going on?  
Um, look, Eric.  
I don't know you,  
and you don't know anything  
about my relationship with Kate.  
Actually, I know a lot about  
your relationship with Kate.  
I don't give a shit about  
your personal life, man.  
I really don't.  
I just hope you're not  
trying to win her back here.  
We don't need that  
kind of distraction.  
Right, well, first off, it's  
been five years. Mmm-hmm.  
Besides,  
I'm in a relationship so you can rest easy.  
No, you're not.  
Yes, I am.  
No, you're not.  
You looking into  
my private life?  
I'm just doing  
my job, man.  
You mind your  
own business, mate.  
How do I know  
I can trust a man  
who steals information for a living?  
Mmm.  
And actually,  
that reminds me,  
why is it exactly that you  
don't work in the States, Eric?  
You should go home.  
Oscar!  
Oh, by the way,  
we received the DNA results,  
but, uh, unfortunately,  
they were contaminated.  
We're relying  
on those results.

Of course, we all were.  
Right. Are you familiar with the  
offer made on the Gwynek land  
for federal storage  
and nuclear waste?  
Of course. Of course, in fact,  
I talked to the judge already  
and he said  
it was irrelevant.  
The land dispute complicates  
the investigation,  
and personally  
I agree with him.  
Uh-huh.  
Oh, I'm still adding it to the dossier.  
Well, you know,  
that is your right, I know.  
But remember this  
is a murder case,  
not a land dispute. Okay?  
Okay, the offer made on the  
land would have brought  
30 million euros to this community.  
That type of motive...  
The motive?  
Ms. Moore, come on.  
Let's remember  
who's on trial here.  
No one is on trial yet,  
Commissaire.  
Wow, he didn't want to touch that, did he?  
No, he didn't.  
Can you get me the police report on...  
Talan's father's death.  
Got it. Thank you.  
Let's go.  
Well, I hope you  
have strong stomachs.  
Oh, God.  
You don't have  
to be here for this.  
Oh, no problem.  
You all right?  
I'm fine.

Want a glass of water?  
No, thank you.  
Okay. I'll try and do this  
as quick as possible.  
Okay...  
Bodies have been preserved in a  
negative temperature chamber,  
so there's minimal  
to no decomposition.  
Very vicious  
clawed attack.  
Um, the back  
of the skull  
has been completely ripped away.  
There's also a  
discernible bite pattern,  
consistent in  
a large animal attack.  
The left femur being completely exposed.  
Bottom jaw's been  
completely ripped away.  
Also the tongue been partially consumed.  
Moving down here  
to the femur,  
there's evidence  
of severe mauling.  
Once again,  
no evidence of  
any type of weaponry  
and the same  
bite pattern.  
An animal did this.  
Fucking hell!  
Oh!  
You okay?  
Fucking hell.  
Let's take a look  
at the boy.  
Right.  
No.  
Okay.  
So I had hoped  
to bring you some good  
news about the DNA,

but the samples were  
cross-contaminated.  
It's nothing  
to worry about.  
It was just a mistake  
at the lab.  
It happens all the time.  
And they're running  
the new tests now.  
But I do have some  
good news for you.  
We may know the condition  
you suffer from.  
It's called porphyria.  
Did any doctors ever mention this  
to you or your family before?  
No?  
The symptoms of this disease and what  
you suffer from are very similar.  
And if you  
do test positive,  
it will help prove that you  
were not physically able  
to commit  
these crimes.  
Uh, we'll have to move you to  
a hospital for some tests.  
Is that something you'd  
feel comfortable with?  
Yeah?  
Okay.  
I would like to talk about  
the night of the deaths.  
Do you remember where  
you were that night?  
I cannot remember things  
when I am sick.  
Okay, I understand.  
We call those blackouts.  
Uh...  
I thought I lost that.  
It was bent,  
but I straightened it.  
Thank you, Talan.

It was my father's ring.  
I lost my father  
not long ago also.  
I know how  
that feels.  
Thank you.  
Hey.  
Hey.  
Is that Talan's  
arrest video?  
He didn't even  
put up a fight.  
His father's accident report.  
Oh, good.  
Pistor investigated this case and  
Rineaux was first on the scene.  
Really?  
Mmm-hmm.  
Single car collision,  
no foul play, ruled an accident.  
Yeah, but check out  
the toxicology report.  
He had Phenobarbital  
in his system.  
He had 15 times any  
normal prescribed amount.  
Fifteen?  
I talked to Mrs. Gwynek.  
So she swore that her husband  
has no history of drug problems.  
No depression problems,  
no medical problems at all.  
Okay, guys,  
do you want to come in here a minute?  
I've just sorted through  
my findings for the, uh,  
Henry Porter examination.  
Yeah, uh, so  
why didn't Pistor  
investigate his death  
as a possible homicide?  
Money makes people  
do strange things.  
It certainly does.

Right, so, um,  
Henry Porter...  
For the bite marks,  
first of all, indiscernible.  
I can't tell you what  
animal they're from.  
Um, also, Henry Porter's  
skull was crushed  
and it takes 1400 PSI  
to crush a human skull.  
And obviously a human's bite  
is maximum 200 pounds.  
Good, so not human.  
No, no...  
Um, so...  
Sorry, excuse me  
a second.  
What's up with him?  
I don't know.  
Fuck.  
He's a prick is  
what's up with him.  
Okay.  
I mean,  
he's an animal expert.  
There are thousands of them.  
Why him specifically?  
'Cause he's best  
for the case, Eric.  
Is that right?  
Yeah.  
He can't even tell us  
what animal that is.  
Let me ask  
you something.  
You tell him what happened  
to me in the States?  
What happened?  
No! Why, did he  
say something?  
It wasn't her, mate.  
It was me, I found out myself.  
It wasn't difficult.  
You sold privileged

attorney-client  
information for cash.  
Solid work.  
Cash? You don't know what you're  
talking about, all right?  
So, please,  
shut the fuck up.  
Eric.  
What's going on?  
Did you get sick or what?  
Yeah, I don't know.  
Yeah, I think it's just the food here.  
Yeah,  
France is really known for shit food.  
Eric.  
Oui.  
I'm sorry.  
Yeah.  
So, right, anyway, um...  
Where was I?  
Uh, the bites.  
So, it's definitely not human, then?  
Oh, yes.  
So, no, no.  
Uh, no, this was a huge animal.  
Good. Oh, my God.  
The hospital...  
Claire Porter went into  
septic shock and died.  
Oh, Jesus.  
Okay.  
So the judge authorized your  
request for a medical evaluation.  
It seems that you made  
an interesting point  
concerning your client's  
physical deficiencies.  
Uh, thank you, Ms. Moore.  
We'll keep you informed.  
Uh, actually,  
Commissaire, if I may.  
Uh, I was going over  
the police report  
issued for Jorge



Gwynek's car accident.

You investigated  
this, yes?

Yes, that's correct.

Then, I'm sure you're well  
aware that he had 15 times  
the prescribed amount of  
Phenobarbital in his system.

What's your point,

Ms. Moore?

As the  
investigating officer,  
I feel like you have ignored certain  
elements pertaining to my client.

Why didn't you at least  
investigate the crash further?

Because I think that  
he's a drug addict.

There is nothing in  
his medical history  
to suggest that he had any  
substance abuse problems. Nothing!

If you have any requests,  
why don't you put it in writing?

Wait, please.

A farmer from  
outside the city  
reported that some kind of  
animal attacked his horses.

He was standing  
on two legs,  
over two meters tall,  
covered in hair,  
and called it

a "monster from hell."

That sure sounds like the animal  
that killed Henry Porter.

We'll follow you.

Yes, why don't  
you do that?

Oh, my God.

Jesus!

That's impossible.

There hasn't been a bear,

a wild bear in this region for...  
A hundred years.  
This has to be the bear  
that attacked the Porters.  
It's all consistent, the area,  
the size of the animal. Gavin?  
We'll have  
to run some tests,  
but this is  
looking good.  
DNA results.  
We need Gavin.  
Gavin.  
I was just, uh, reading that there  
are certain strains of porphyria  
that are not only passed genetically,  
but in rare cases,  
they can be transmitted through  
blood or any mucous membrane.  
Just gonna turn  
this light on.  
So, um, I need you  
to look at this.  
Talan's DNA results,  
cross-contaminated again.  
Well, get them to  
do the test again.  
Actually, can you, um,  
ask them to send me  
both DNA analysis reports  
for both tests?  
Here.  
Hey.  
What's wrong?  
I don't know.  
I'm worried about you.  
No, don't.  
You should be worried  
about the case.  
Right,  
'cause I'm never worried about my cases.  
Nothing's changed  
there then.  
Yeah. Mmm.

Do you think he could have done it,  
Gavin?

Look, there is no way a man could  
have done anything like that.

Yeah. Yeah.

You're doing  
a great job, Kate.

Thanks for saying that.

And you were right  
to move here.

I should have  
come with you.

I miss you, Kate.

I miss you too.

The day has come for  
Gwynek's specialized testing  
which could  
produce results that  
exonerate him of  
all criminal charges.

Jesus!

Um...

Stop.

Why are you  
helping me, Kate?

Mmm.

Because I was taught  
from a very young age  
that everyone  
deserves to be heard.  
Especially the ones that  
think they don't deserve it.

They'll get  
what they want.

Do you want  
me to quit?

You thought about it though?

Mmm. Yeah.

Yeah, come in.

Oh.

Uh, Talan,  
these are my partners Eric and Gavin.  
You haven't  
officially met yet.

Talan.

Uh, Gavin is gonna explain a few of the specifics about the exam.

So, okay?

Okay, so, um, Talan, along with the normal battery of tests, the lead physician is also going to administer, um, uh, a corneal impression to get a cell sample of one of your eyes.

Um, this will be the early indicator of the porphyria.

After that, he's going to attempt a photic-induced seizure.

A photic-induced seizure?

It's strobing lights that will cause stress and trigger an attack.

It's the only way to confirm the porphyria and allow it to be admissible in court.

All right, we should get going.

Guards!

It's gonna work, right?

It has to.

Mrs. Gwynek, okay.

Rineaux.

Commencing the examination of patient Talan Gwynek.

Okay, we will now do the corneal impression.

Relax, Talan.

The early indicator for porphyria is positive.

Excellent, excellent.

Now let's move on to seizure induction.

Hmm.

I will need you to stare at the flashing light.

Uh, doctor?

No, no, it's normal.

We need to stop

this right now.  
This is unusual.  
Doctor, please!  
Help, somebody!  
No, no, no! Gwynek, don't!  
How did this happen?  
He could barely move.  
That was not Talan.  
I hope you're happy, I hope you're happy!  
All this is on your head!  
How the hell were  
we supposed to know  
that this was going  
to happen?  
I knew! You got  
him transferred.  
He killed three people  
and now he's gone!  
I promise I was only doing what I  
thought was best for my client!  
I don't give a fuck! Just go!  
Go! Let me do my job. Go!  
Go! Go! You go!  
Fuck!  
Reports from Lyon  
indicate four more dead.  
Gwynek's whereabouts  
remain unknown.  
Where would our werewolf legends be?  
Put "luna" in  
the word lunatic.  
Researchers tracked down  
more than a thousand reported attacks  
and compared the dates  
with the lunar cycle.  
The most dangerous time  
following a full moon.  
Eric? You here?  
Eric?  
Hey.  
Hey.  
Did you spend  
all night here?  
Yeah.

How you doing?  
You all right?  
Listen, uh,  
I'm glad you're here.  
Um, you know how we were wondering  
how it was even physically possible  
for Talan to destroy  
that hospital?  
Yeah.  
Okay, so, bear with me.  
You know how people  
say the full moon  
can make people  
go mad, crazy?  
Yeah?  
Okay. So, watch this.  
Put "luna" in the word lunatic,  
but do we really know what effect  
the moon has on our lives?  
Okay, look.  
The sky was so bright.  
There was a full moon.  
There's been these  
studies on epileptics  
where a full moon triggers  
these prolonged seizures.  
They have these  
violent outbursts  
and they get almost this,  
like, super human strength.  
It has something  
to do with water.  
You know how like the moon  
affects the tides, right?  
Mmm-hmm.  
Well, human beings have almost 60% water.  
I mean, it kind of  
makes sense, right?  
They even have  
a name for it.  
It's called  
the Lunar Effect.  
Okay, so...  
So you think he

becomes what he is  
under the influence  
of the moon?  
What are you saying?  
Hey.  
Hey.  
Last night the moon  
was 98%.  
Tonight, full moon.  
What's this?  
It seems there's  
no more running for Gwynek.  
Police have  
the building surrounded.  
However, details on  
how he escaped  
a heavily guarded hospital  
wing remain unclear.  
I'm going. Yeah.  
I'm going to get my coat.  
Why? Pistor doesn't  
want you there.  
He's my client, Gavin.  
I have a responsibility.  
But he's a murderer, Kate.  
Leave it alone.  
I know he's  
a murderer, Gavin.  
I'm done defending him.  
- I don't know, I mean, if this  
Lunar Effect... - You coming?  
You're making  
a mistake, Kate!  
Yeah, I'm coming.  
A lot of people have died.  
I don't want them to die  
because of me, okay?  
Yeah, well, the person you're  
trying to save is a fucking animal!  
I know that, Gavin!  
What do you want me to say to you?  
Haven't you helped him  
kill enough people, Kate?  
What?

All right,  
you need to stay here.  
I don't want to see you.  
Can you pull your shit together, please?  
Go, go, go!  
Uh, Katherine Moore...  
Pistor!  
What are you doing here?  
I told you to stay away.  
He is my client.  
I don't want to see anyone  
else hurt either, all right?  
Don't worry.  
He's on the eighth floor.  
He hasn't killed  
anyone yet.  
We have the situation  
under control.  
Control? You have no idea what  
you're dealing with here.  
Oh, really? Why don't you  
tell me, Mr. American.  
What are we  
dealing with here?  
I think he has this condition where  
his behavior is affected by the moon.  
The moon?  
What are you talking about?  
His violence  
isn't naturally there.  
Okay, okay, okay.  
All I know is  
I don't want any more  
innocent people  
killed by that maniac.  
He moves,  
he's dead.  
Fuck.  
Oh, fuck.  
Talan Gwynek.  
Pull your men back.  
Pull your men back. Right now!  
He's right.  
I don't want anyone else to die, all right?



We got it.  
Get them out of there now!  
You don't know what you're talking about,  
okay?  
What have we done?  
Based on eyewitness reports,  
authorities believe he is  
headed to his home in Cerdon.  
Get in.  
Get in. Get in.  
I tried to tell you, Kate.  
I know, Gavin!  
Fuck, what happened  
to your eye?  
I saw the news,  
what happened?  
It was unlike anything I've ever seen, man.  
The guy fell 10 stories.  
It was like Planet of the Fucking Apes.  
He was standing right  
in front of us, Gavin.  
That thing inside of him,  
it was not Talan Gwynek.  
- It's like he wasn't even...  
- He wasn't even human?  
- Exactly.  
- I don't think he is.  
I looked at the DNA analysis  
reports Eric sent back to me.  
The results were exactly  
the same both times.  
The contamination  
patterns were identical.  
- The DNA just wasn't classifiable.  
- He's non-human?  
Yeah. He's non-anything.  
I don't know what he is.  
It looks like  
we're too late.  
She's not here.  
What's with  
all the security?  
I'd say she was afraid.  
What was she

afraid of, huh?  
Now she's gone.  
She probably left to meet him somewhere.  
Fuck!  
What if that was  
her plan all along?  
No. What choice  
did she have?  
What are you talking about?  
Hang on, hang on, hang on.  
Think about it.  
If 500 years ago  
someone saw a man  
with Talan Gwynek's same appearance,  
that condition, okay?  
And that man was under  
the influence of the moon.  
This Lunar Effect,  
and it made him predatory  
and it made him this killer,  
this man eater.  
Wait, it sounds like you're  
talking about a loup-garou.  
A werewolf?  
Yes, they'd say that he was not human.  
He was a man and a beast  
like Talan Gwynek.  
All the more reason that his whole  
family should be exterminated.  
What?  
For 50 years they lived in peace.  
And then something  
bad happened.  
Talan's father was killed so that  
you could profit from their land.  
Kate.  
I just need some air.  
All right?  
Mrs. Gwynek?  
Mrs. Gwynek,  
are you in here?  
It's Katherine Moore.  
It's just me, okay?  
I know about the secret

you've been hiding  
about your family.  
I know you're...  
I know you're, um...  
You're just trying  
to protect your son.  
If they killed your husband,  
we can help you.  
But Talan has  
to be stopped.  
Please come out.  
Please.  
- Fuck!  
- Sorry.  
Eric.  
Sorry.  
You go. You're not  
supposed to be here.  
Eric, I have  
an ax in my hand.  
Don't sneak up on me.  
What are you  
doing in here?  
Nothing. I thought  
I saw something.  
Yeah, I was  
worried about you.  
Let's get out of here.  
Where did  
the cop...  
Jesus Christ!  
Police!  
Talan Gwynek!  
I don't know.  
I don't know.  
At the rate he's moving,  
he could be anywhere.  
I don't think he's going  
to leave the forest.  
It's his home.  
The cave system here, he and his  
father spent a lot of time there.  
He grew up  
in those caves.

Okay, we leave  
in one minute.  
He trusts you,  
so you're going to help me bring him in.  
Let's go!  
I'm not going.  
Why?  
I just need to figure  
some things out, Kate.  
I can't explain  
right now. I can't.  
Gavin, come on.  
What the hell is going on, really?  
What is this about?  
Show us your arm.  
Listen,  
what's going on?  
Mmm?  
Let me see your arm.  
Gavin!  
Gavin, let me go.  
Let me go!  
What is that?  
Oh.  
I got, uh...  
I got infected  
by Talan, um,  
in the police station.  
And that's why you're changing?  
Where did  
you get that?  
It doesn't matter.  
If I do anything,  
you use the gun.  
Okay?  
I'm scared.  
Me too.  
I hope you know  
who you're trusting.  
Gavin.  
If you decide to meet at the convoy,  
I'm ready to take you.  
Thank you, Officer.  
Shh!

They found something.  
Let's go.  
Oh, my God.  
Stop. Stop. Stop.  
There's something.  
It's coming from that hole.  
Quiet. Shh!  
Hold on.  
Come on, you motherfucker.  
Show yourself.  
Fuck!  
What is that?  
Oh, shit!  
Talan! Talan.  
Talan, you don't  
want to hurt him.  
Okay?  
Talan.  
I know what this  
man did to you.  
Just...  
Just let him go.  
That's right.  
That's right, Talan.  
No one else has to die.  
That's right.  
Okay.  
- Kate?  
- Hey, are you feeling okay?  
Yeah, yeah,  
I feel pretty good.  
Listen, I've found  
a basement here.  
I think it was used as  
a holding cell for Talan.  
His mother  
knew all along.  
He's dead, Gavin.  
Hang on,  
I can hardly hear you.  
I tried to plead with him.  
They're taking his body to the morgue.  
Listen to me. If you  
start feeling anything...

Kate, come on.  
I feel fine.  
Just be careful.  
Watch Pistor, Kate.  
He can't be trusted.  
Oh, Jesus! Let's see.  
Come back here.  
Oh, Jesus Christ!  
Okay, come here. Come here.  
Who did this to you?  
Can you tell me who did this to you?  
Look, I'm gonna get  
you some help. Okay?  
You said you'd protect him.  
Now look what you did.  
What's gonna  
happen to me?  
I don't know.  
I'm not your mother!  
But you won't  
ever be like him.  
Not with  
what you did.  
Your son did this to me.  
You all said  
you'd protect him.  
Your son did  
this to me.  
So what did Gavin tell you?  
Is he all right?  
He said he was fine,  
but I don't know.  
We don't know.  
It might be too late for him.  
He could be turning into what Talan is.  
A fucking animal.  
We don't know that. I pulled Gavin  
into this and I'm gonna help him.  
No matter what it takes.  
Fuck, fuck, fuck!  
Pistor's gonna do  
what he wants to do.  
He's gonna kill him and  
who's to say he's wrong?

This is all about money to  
Pistor and I'm not gonna let him  
get away with killing  
Talan's father or Gavin.  
Eric!  
Get in the car!  
Eric, fuck,  
what are you doing?  
Sixty, 70 miles an hour.  
I couldn't catch him.  
I couldn't  
catch up with him.  
And they shot him, like,  
10 times, and he didn't die.  
He didn't die, Kate.  
What does that mean? He can't be killed?  
Is that what that means?  
He can't be killed?  
Maybe they have to  
shoot him in the head.  
Is that what it is?  
Is that the only way that he can die?  
Eric!  
No!  
Kate, run.  
Talan, it's okay. No!  
It's fine.  
Talan, please, come on.  
None of these people  
understand you,  
and they never will.  
They're scared of you.  
But I can help you.  
Please, Talan.  
Talan. Talan, no.  
Talan, Talan, please, Talan.  
No, no, no, Talan, Talan.  
Talan, no!  
Talan, no! Talan!  
No!  
No!  
Fuck!  
Fuck!  
No! No!

No!  
No! No! Please! Please!  
Gavin?  
No.  
No.  
It's a case that has horrified France...  
...because of its brutality.  
This story raises such  
questions about humanity  
and what human beings  
are capable of.  
Gwynek is now responsible  
for killing more than 40 people.  
Including two  
dozen law enforcement officers,  
his own mother, whom  
he bludgeoned to death,  
and Eric Serran,  
a member of his defense team.  
Gwynek is assumed dead,  
however, officials have  
not recovered his body.  
Katherine Moore  
remains in serious condition.  
Doctors are cautious,  
but remain hopeful for her recovery.  
Deceased Judiciary  
Officer Klaus Pistor has been implicated  
in a conspiracy  
to commit fraud  
and the murder  
of Jorge Gwynek.  
Another disappearance  
near the Luxembourg border.  
There's growing concern  
that Talan Gwynek is still at large.  
Another disappearance  
near the Luxembourg border.  
After being  
released from the hospital,  
he has agreed to  
an exclusive interview.  
I'm glad to be here.  
Thanks for having me.



Yes, it's hard to believe  
it's almost been a month.  
A couple found mutilated.  
I'm fine, thank you,  
and Kate's recovering well.  
A pregnant woman has  
been reported missing.  
No, no, I don't think  
he's dead at all.  
Family members say their son  
was on a backpacking trip...  
...son was on a  
backpacking trip across Europe.  
But you ask how  
a human can do that  
and my answer is simple.  
He isn't human.  
A brutal slaying  
near Cologne.  
No, no, the reports are  
not embellished at all.  
I've seen what he can do.  
You've seen what he can do.  
Have you felt any side effects?  
Have you been  
affected in any way?  
An entire community  
is living in fear  
of what they're calling  
The Beast of Strasbourg.  
I'm completely serious  
when I say to you  
that Talan Gwynek,  
by the mere definition  
of the word...  
Is a werewolf.