

La Cauchemar

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INT. LIVING ROOM, EARLY EVENING

LAURA, 20s, sits on a couch. She holds in her hands a journal. On the page are several entries. She writes "January 15th, 2015 - She's back again."

Laura puts down the journal. On a coffee table are bottles of caffeine pills, Red Bull energy drink and Mountain Dew. She opens a bottle of pills, takes a handful out, puts them in her mouth and washes them down with a Red Bull.

INT. LIVING ROOM, LATER

Laura, still sitting on the couch, starts to nod off. Her head dips and she suddenly jerks herself upright. She looks straight ahead into the distance.

INT. LIVING ROOM, NIGHT

A shadow moves across the wall

Laura lays on the couch, asleep. A shadow creeps across her body. Laura's eyes open suddenly.

Sitting on Laura's chest is LA CHAUCHEMAR, female, 7, she wears a tattered yellow night gown and her skin is pale white. On her forehead is THE YELLOW SIGN. La Cauchemar stares down at Laura. Laura tried to move but can't.

La Cauchemar raises a finger that glows yellow, reaches down and marks Laura's forehead with the yellow sign.

INT. LIVING ROOM, MORNING

An alarm clock blares.

Laura quickly sits up. She looks to the alarm clock, reaches over and turns it off. La Cauchemar is gone.

She pulls a compact out of her purse, opens it and looks into the mirror. The yellow sign is not there.

She opens the journal and writes "January 16th, 2015 - Tonight she marked me. Fuck that little bitch."