

Curious

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body of the camera lifts up. As soon as it opens, the toy can on the TV desk shakes and he hears the vibrated sound again. A LADY'S voice appears to be coming from the camera.

LADY(V.O.)

Camera, ready now. Please press the yellow button. Enjoy.

Tom looks shocked and stares at the toy can. He can see a flash, a very small lens and a speaker in front of the camera. With a look of amazement he presses the yellow button and takes a picture of the toy can which is still shaking. After few seconds, the camera beeps and Tom looks at the camera. A white photo comes out from the front. He takes out the photo and looks at it. He shakes it and watches as the photo slowly develops and shows an image of a same toy with laughing snake face.

Tom looks confused because the toy on the TV desk is not open. He looks at the photo again and walks over to the TV unit. He kneels down and looks carefully at the toy can. Suddenly, a laughing snake face comes out of the toy can. Tom appears to be terrified and falls back. Tom sees the same laughing snake face which matches the photo. Tom holds the camera looking confused. The same vibrated sound with static comes from the TV.

LADY(V.O.)

Reset. Please press the yellow button. Enjoy.

Tom smiles, He frames the TV in the camera's viewfinder and takes a photo of the TV. As Tom presses the button to take a photo the TV switches on and a 7 news broadcast can be heard. The camera beeps and another white photo comes out from the camera. Tom looks at the power cable and can see that it is not connected to the TV. Tom looks at the photo that has developed and shows a HOT GIRL in sports costume winking. Tom quickly picks up the remote and starts browsing the channels. He finds the channel with the Hot Girl doing aerobic exercises. He looks at the camera and gives a naughty smile. He goes near the TV with a photo in his hand and watches a girl closely. The girl finishes her exercises.

HOT GIRL

Thank you for watching this program. I hope you enjoyed today's session. Please keep moving your body. I will see you all next week. See ya!"

The show finishes and the Hot Girl winks. The TV switches off automatically. The camera vibrates and beeps on the table.

LADY(V.O.)

Reset. Please press the yellow button. Enjoy.

Tom looks at a magazine on the table, picks up the camera and takes a photo of the magazine. The camera beeps and another photo comes out. The photo slowly develops. Tom's eyes open wide in astonishment. The photo shows a picture of Tom with a gun in his right hand.

Tom appears nervous. He sits on a chair and puts the camera and photo on the table. He starts flipping through magazine pages looking for the picture that matches the photo. Tom sees an insurance ad with a picture of the gun. It's a same gun with marketing tag line - "We protect your future." Tom touches the page and feels that his fingers are going inside the page. He looks afraid and takes out his fingers from the magazine and inspects his hand. Tom picks up the magazine and looks underneath. Tom places the magazine back on the table and puts his hand in the magazine again. The camera shakes and the weird sound is heard. Tom panics, takes his hand out from the magazine and topples from the chair. He looks under the table and checks the surface. Tom confidently puts his hand inside the magazine. He shivers and takes out his hand which holds the gun. He looks at the magazine which now shows a blank page with only the marketing tag line. Tom looks at the photo in his shivering hand. We hear weird vibrated sound and a mirror cracking.

LADY(V.O.)

Reset. Please press the yellow button. Enjoy.

Tom slowly walks towards the mirror and observes the cracks. He puts the gun on his waist and steps backward. He frames himself in front of the mirror and presses the yellow button on the camera. There is a long beep from the camera and flash reflects from the mirror. Tom is blinded for a few seconds. Tom sees himself standing in the mirror, but unlike a normal mirror Tom's reflection is not mimicking Tom's actions. Curious Tom reaches out and touches the mirror. Tom's reflection looks at Tom confused. Tom's hand tentatively reaches into the mirror and pulls his reflection out of the mirror. The camera stops beeping. Tom and his clone are looking strangely at each other with confusion. A photo comes out from both the cameras. Their heart starts pounding. Tom looks at the photo. Tom's clone looks at the photo and panics. Tom and his clone stare at each other for few seconds with dread.

