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1 EXT. GAME: VILLAGE OUTSKIRTS - NIGHT

Here the player gains control of MC

MC

(to the owner)
What happened?!

OWNER

(shaking his head)
One of the wheels got stuck on this massive rock and broke. I apologise sorry, my dear guest.

I do not have a spare, unfortunately.

There are some houses nearby. I will run and ask for assistance. I will be back without delay.

Please, stay near the light of the lantern. Don't wander off!

OWNER runs towards lights in distance.

Player gets familiar with the movements and wanders around. The light from the lantern is flickering slowly. If the player steps into the dark - cue distant zombie sounds.

MC (upset) What was that?!

Player goes back to light, when near the lantern

- cue distant grandfather (PAWPAW) advice.

PAWPAW

Better light a candle than curse the darkness...

Instruct the player to pick up the lantern. The light stops flickering.

MC

(relieved)

sigh Let there be light!

Player can now wander off everywhere. Objective: find the OWNER. Player moves towards the distant lights. Two stones are in the path. If you trip over them - cue BOOK quote.

BOOK

Humans are the only creatures that trip over the same stone twice...

The zombie sounds are now more intense, maybe add MC scared voice. A bit before the first houses, MC encounters the OWNER.

OWNER

My dear guest!

I believe I asked you to stay put!

Nights here are... dangerous!

However, you survived. Brave American!

You are almost in town.

Go straight and you will arrive at the inn.

I will join you promptly!

OWNER goes back to fix the car.

Player can wander around but only the B&B is available for entry. They enter the B&B. The only option is to interact

will a bell on the reception. When they do - cue receptionist IGOR.

IGOR

(comes in from a door behind reception desk)

You rang?

MC

H-hello, I am-

IGOR

The American, yes. We have been expecting you. I will show you to your room.

IGOR takes MC to their room and leaves. Player can interact with items in the room, eventually they interact with the bed and option: Go to sleep? Y/N. If they go to sleep, we show the dream

2 INT. DREAM: PICTURE OF A BEDROOM/SITTING ROOM, ETC - NIGHT 2

We see ACE and GRANDPA (PAPAW), PAPAW sitting on an armchair reading the BOOK, ACE leaning/sitting on the arm of the chair, behind them a fireplace or some sort of lighting source. Maybe this scene is sepia or b&w or faded, because it's a dream.

PAWPAW

You see here, Asthore, banshees visit the families at night and warn them about people dear to them dying...

MC

My Papaw would always tell me stories about mythical creatures from all around the world. I was so fascinated... Now, I only have his book to keep me company...

3 INT. BEDROOM - DAY

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Next day the MC wakes up and the player has the freedom to roam around $\,$

Villager monologues/dialogues:

SHOPKEEPER

OLD LADY

YOUNG BOY (blocking the way to the castle)

TBC.