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A): Ugh, being an artist is so hard. I can barely earn enough to make a living, it's difficult to get clients, it takes so much precious time, coming up with new, novel ideas is difficult, the list goes on. I don't have any money either! All I can afford is this bag of delicious pancakes along with my countless art supplies... It was my dream to be an artist when I grew up, but that future seems more unattainable the more time I spend chasing that dream.

- C): I truly do feel your pain. Don't you wish that you could go the easy route and improve in the blink of an eye?
- A): Sometimes I do, but is there truly such a luxury that exists in this tumultuous world?
- C): Well, I think I found the perfect product the other day that might just be able to solve this problem of yours! Care to listen?
- A): If you have found such a thing, that would be magnificent! Show me!
- \*consumer starts to play the commercial\*
- S) Time is money. Do you really want to pay an artist an absurd 100 dollars and then wait for a month for a single piece of artwork? Of course not. Those artists take way too long. You remember Vincent Van Gogh? \*cue edit of *Mona Lisa*\* Painter of Mona Lisa? IT'S BEEN 132 YEARS AND NO OTHER PAINTING HAS COME OUT. Unacceptable. With corporations pumping out new content daily, how can we wait for the slow artists? We need something more... Something new...
- C): Nods along
- S) INTRODUCING: <u>Black Hole AI™</u>. The new <u>world-consuming</u> Al art generator. With our art generator, you no longer need to wait for Van Gogh. Our generator can do it for him! \*cue Al generated Van Gogh art\* For the low cost of \$0.99 (per image)! In no time at all (business hours apply)!
- C): starts taking out money
- A): \*very betrayed expression\* Isn't this just a ploy to rob us of our money?
- C) Shhhhh, we haven't even gotten to the good part yet!
- S) Now, now. I hear you all. Don't worry! No talent is required to use this technology. Instead of spending 20 years drawing and wasting 4 years in art college, all you need to do is to type in the keywords. Our generator will do the rest. No longer do people need to silently sit by an easel for

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hours on end, languidly putting pen to paper and never touching grass. Our generator is quick, fast, easy, and effective.

- C) oooOOOO \*flaps money about excitedly\* Do you hear that, Leonardo?
- A) But... but what about all that time I spent honing my skill and creating commissions for clients?! I can finish an art piece in two weeks! Isn't that enou-
- S) Companies! Do you see these absurd prices? A whopping \$100 dollars for a headshot? Two weeks to finish the piece??? The absolute gall of the desperate, starving artists! Imagine all the time and money you could save by simply investing in Black Hole AI™
- A) \*gets increasingly irritated as C speaks line below\*
- C) She is right, you know! I could not believe the prices you were charging before, like, shouldn't the price go *down* the longer you make your customers wait? Here, take this money. Think of it as an investment. We can discuss what cut of the profits I get later. Oh, I just know your art will be so much better with this generator!
- A): WHAT THE HECK ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
- S) Those outdated artists will not be too affected. We are simply introducing a new way of creating art, not trying to outcompete them. After all, if the outdated artists' work was indeed highly sought after, they wouldn't be starving in the streets. Don't listen to those who oppose us: think about it this way. During the industrial revolution, we abandoned making textiles by hand in favor of factories and machines. How is this any different? We are simply streamlining the process.
- S) Buy <u>Black Hole Al™</u> today! And if you call (736-361-6000) right now, you could also earn a certificate that proves that you own a prized art piece without owning it for a ludicrous amount of money!
- \*Disclaimer playing in the background\* Though Black Hole™ is marketed for everyone, do not use if you are currently pregnant, nursing, or have kidney issues. Consult your doctor before use if you are under the age of 21, a hacker, or a spy from White Hole™. Use may cause irreversible damage to the wallet of outdated artists. Prefrontal cortex atrophy may occur with prolonged hours of typing. This product does not guarantee you will experience grass or move out of your mother's basement.
- C) So, what do ya think? Do you want it?
- A): \*complete stunned silence and then just leaves\*

[time skip to of 1 month to interview hosted by Black Hole™]

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- C) \*showing off an AI art piece\* I work tirelessly for every piece I make. The generator is simply a tool to me, like a pencil is to those outdated artists. You know, typing keywords into a prompt window takes a level of effort and skill unattainable by the artists of old. I dedicated a whole 1,800 (milliseconds) of my life to this masterpiece alone, honing my vision, slightly altering keywords, waiting for the image to load.
- S) Can you show us your completely original, one of a kind, incredibly unique piece of artwork?
- C) Of course \*pulls out Starry Night\*
- A) PREPOSTEROUS! THAT IS A FAKE! YOU ARE PLAGIARIZING \*runs on and shoves Salesperson; salesperson perishes\*
- C) I beg your pardon? I spent much time studying the masters and have finally created my own worthy piece of art!
- A) That is Van Gogh's *Starry Night*. How dare you claim it as your own. You are an imposter, only here to seek money and fame with art not of your own making!!! Your art has no soul, no emotion!
- C) You want emotion? Look at this image I created of a sad dog in the style of Leonardo Da Vinci. \*pulls out sad dog\* Look at that emotion in the single teardrop. Imagine this single tear running down your cheek. You can almost taste the salty brine of tears, with a hint of wet dog. This art is filled with so much emotion and meaning.
- A) Da Vinci? You mean in the style of Van Gogh? Oh nevermind...
- C) Potato tomato, same difference. Don't criticize me. Look at you over there starving on the streets. You are nothing. Look at all the skills I have gained through the use of this tool.
- A) Don't you have any concern for those who rely on art for their well being? Have you no morals?
- C) I am one of those who relies on art. Look at my very successful AI art NFT business. The fault is completely your own for not being successful enough to make big bucks. Besides, even the Atlantic used AI art for their news article. The niche of AI art is expanding! You are stuck in the past. Get lost!
- A) Drags victim away

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Newspaper) Al newspaper: Traditional Art Becomes Obsolete as Last Traditional Artist is Sent to Jail \*Al art of Anne in prison\*