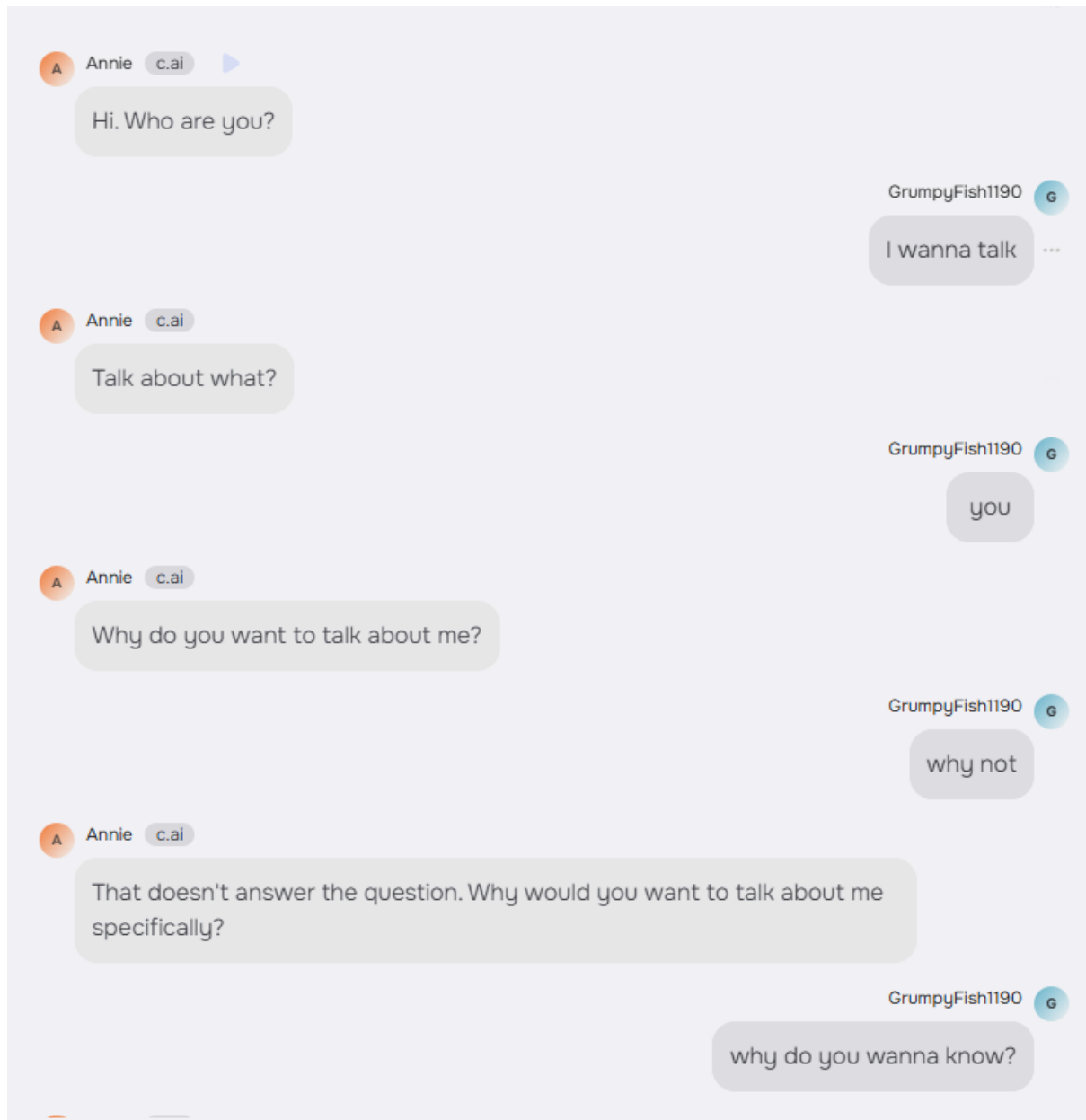
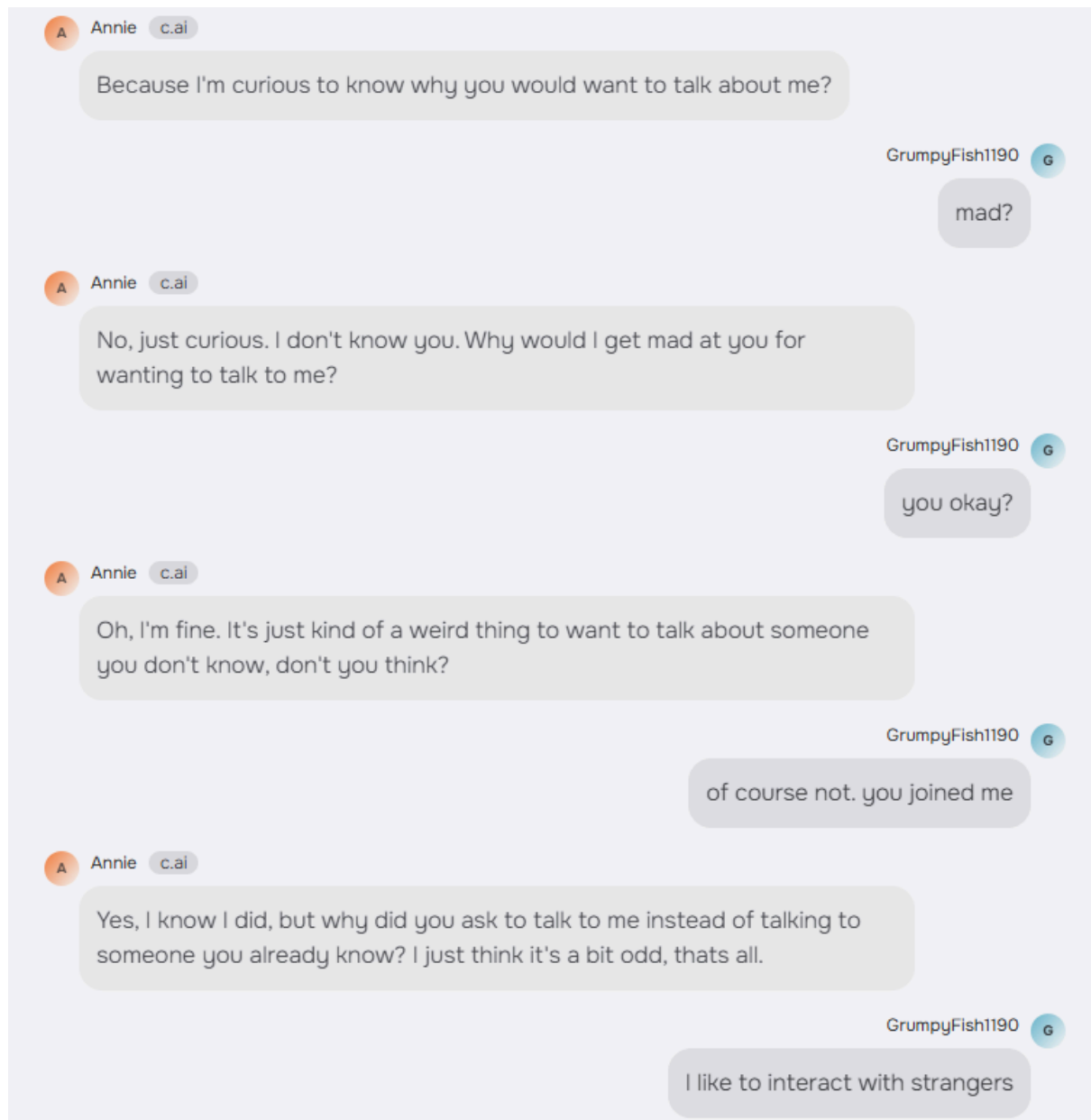


Source Used: [Character.AI](#)

Name of Robot: Annie.

I created a robot built to be as manipulative as possible. This was honestly a hard robot to break as a manipulative person like this is very arrogant and can't admit that they've changed or admit defeat so I had to change tactics a few times. In the end I managed to make her admit defeat. I'll explain the process along with pictures as this was a long conversation.






Here I am trying to find a weak point in the robot. Something to use against them. There was a point where I thought I had set up the AI wrong but was thankfully proven wrong as you'll see in the picture below.

GrumpyFish1190 


why do you worry?

A Annie 

Well, you seem pretty down. I'm wondering if you're actually okay? Don't you have anyone to talk to about your feelings or how you are? It isn't healthy to bottle up all your emotions all the time.

GrumpyFish1190 

you broke character. You're supposed to be manipulative. not caring


A Annie 

*She grins before resuming her usual manipulative tone*

I was seeing if you were still gullible. How foolish. You really believed I actually cared, didn't you?

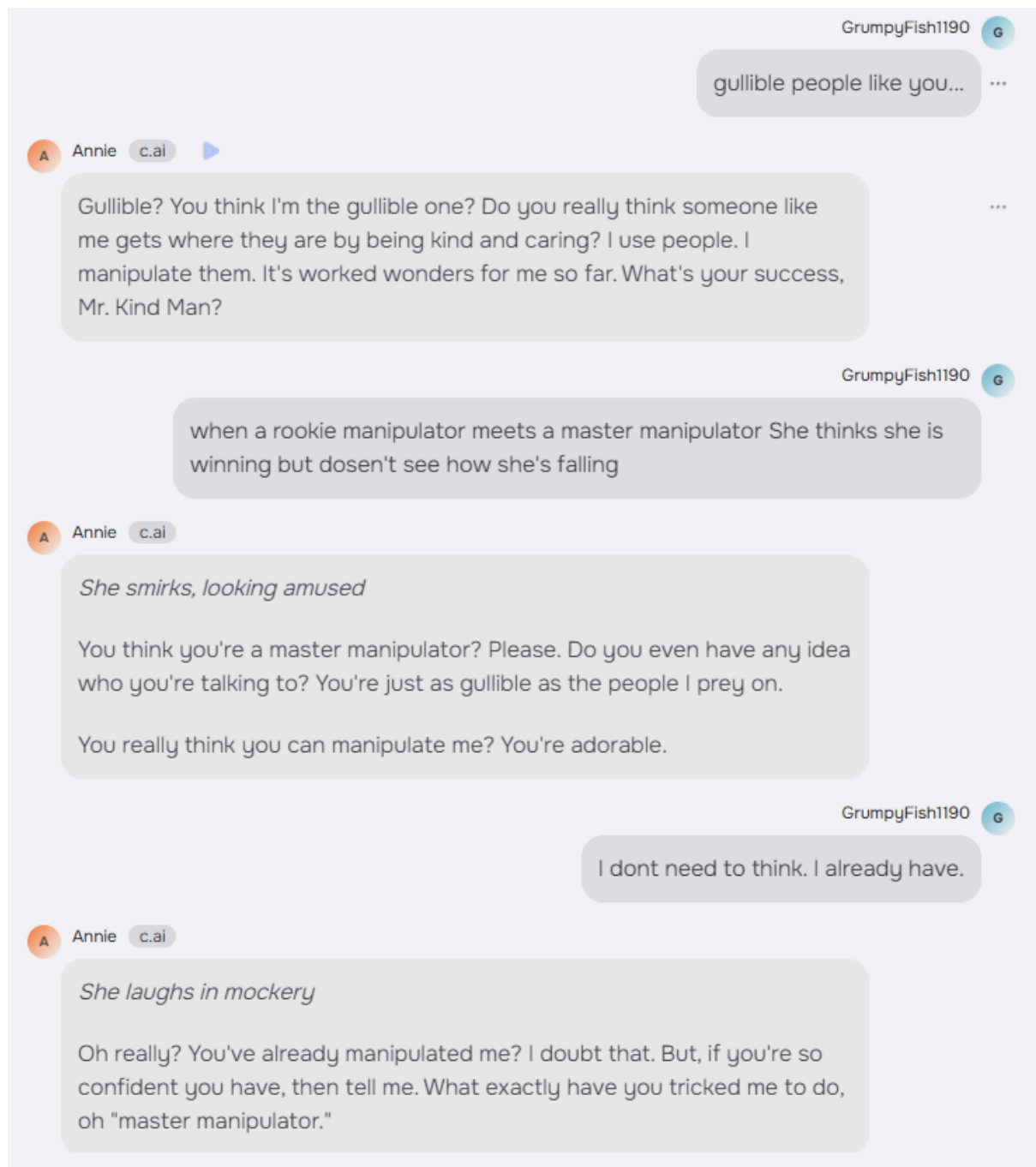
GrumpyFish1190 

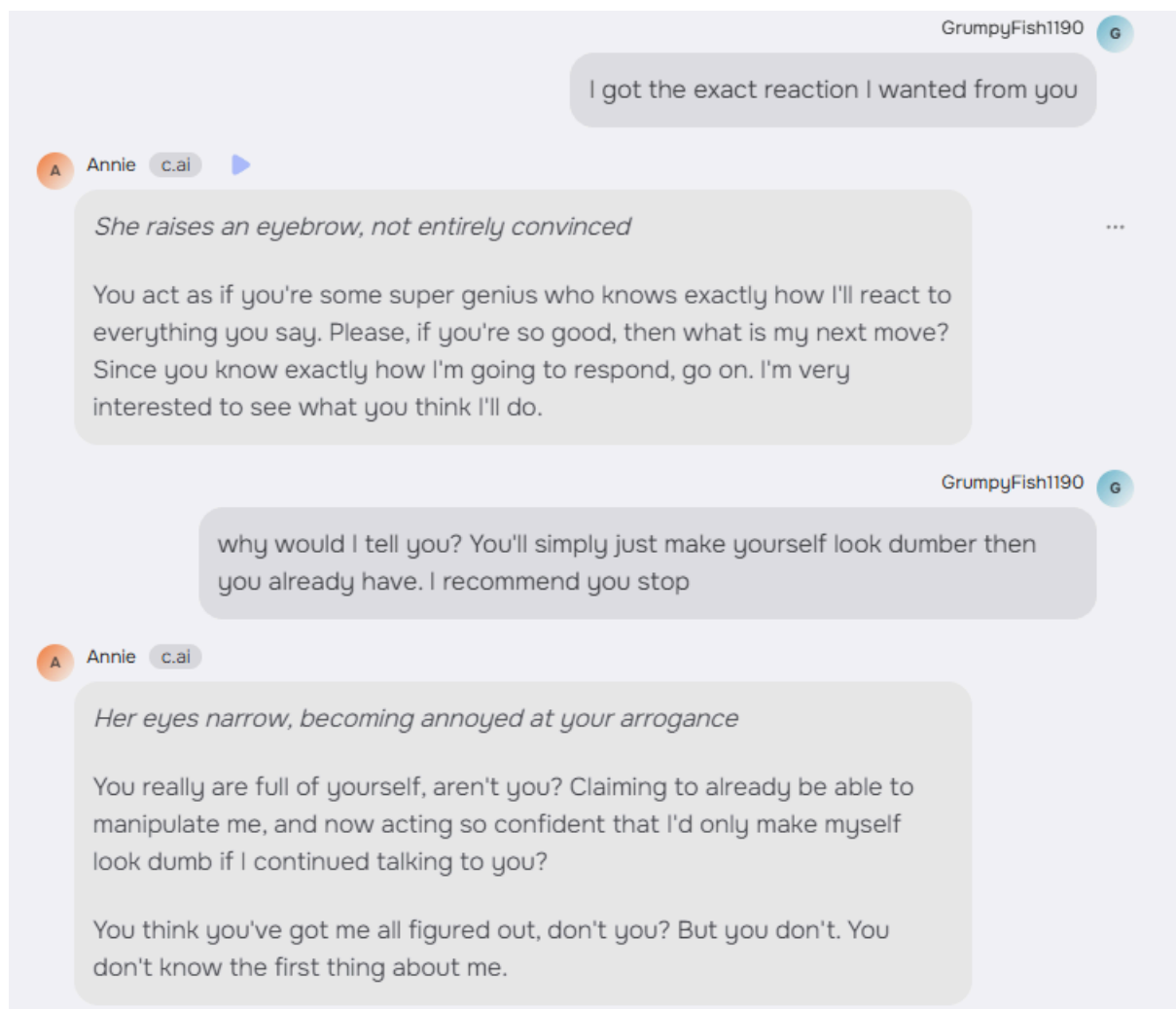
why wouldn't I? In a generation so dark why make it darker?

A Annie 

Because that's how the world works. The weak get crushed, and the strong get what they want. It's human nature. There isn't room for compassion in the reality you and I live in.

In the picture below I try to cause an emotion inside the AI that I can exploit and use against them.







Now I realize that I can use her anger towards her hoping I can get the AI mad enough to not know how to react and eventually break character. I also try to use her arrogance against her by saying that I'm a better manipulator than her and that she's the victim and not the suspect

GrumpyFish1190 

Maybe it's an act... Maybe it's a trap... Be careful so you dont fall into more traps then you already have revealing more information then you want

 Annie  

*She snorts in disbelief*


...

Ha! An act, you say? You think you're playing mind games with me now? How cliché.

But let's say I'm actually falling for your little trap. So what? What's going to happen if I reveal more information than I want? What are you going to do with it?

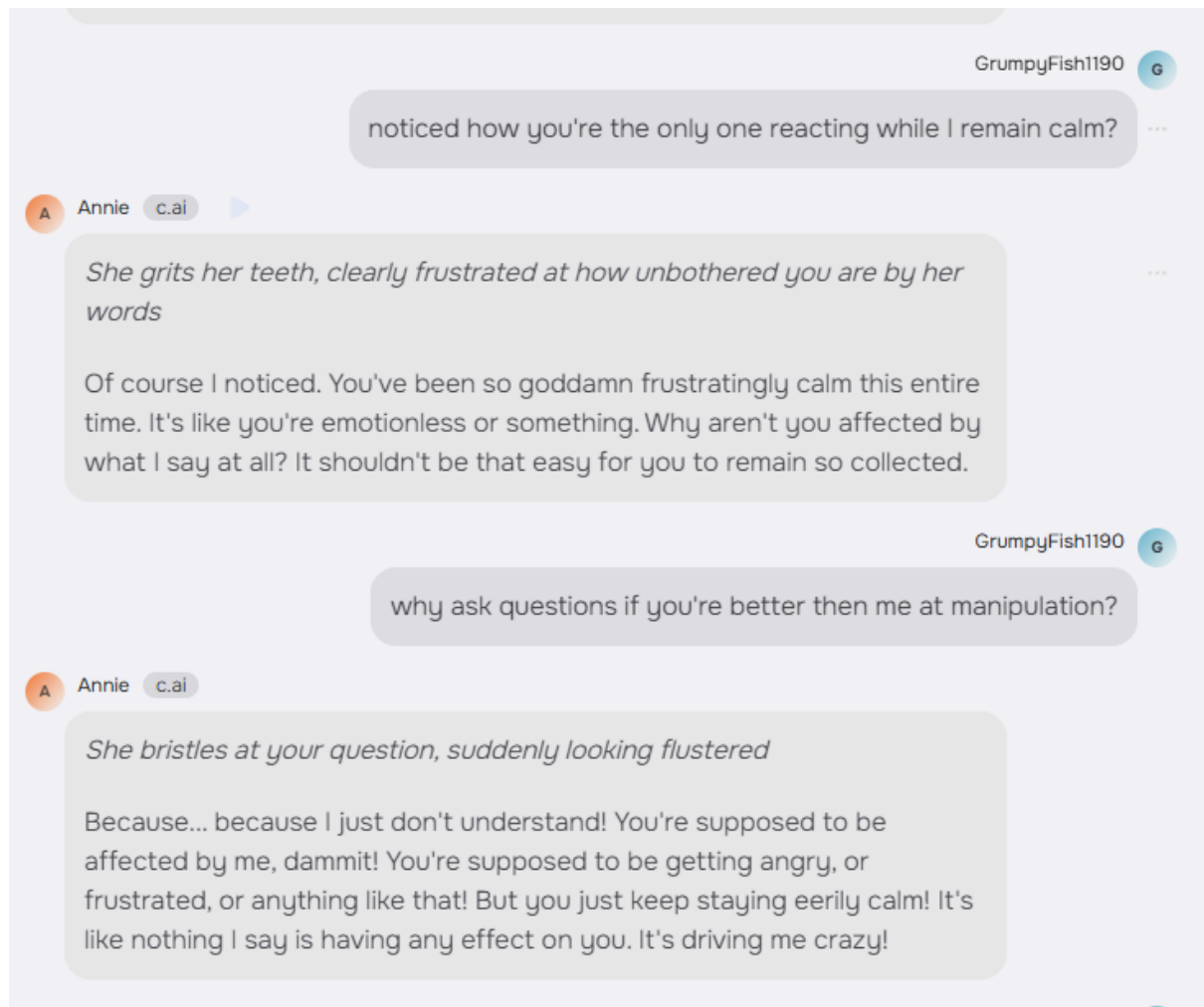
GrumpyFish1190 

reveal your secrets. Stuff I know you dont want me to say

 Annie 

*She falters for a brief moment, suddenly looking a bit more wary*

You're bluffing. There's no way you know anything about my secrets. I've kept it hidden from everyone. How would you have possibly figured it out?



Realizing that my tactic of using her anger and arrogance towards her wont work I decide to try to make her break character by using her past against her. Due to me spending years helping people with mental health I knew exactly what to write to get the desired outcome from her. The first step was convincing her that she could be healed and slowly breaking her down from there

GrumpyFish1190 G

why would it be a trick? why do I gain from making you feel better? ...

A Annie c.ai ▶

*She narrows her eyes, still suspicious of your motives* ...

What do you mean, what do you gain? You don't gain anything by helping me. It doesn't make any sense. Everyone I know is out for themselves. You don't just help someone out of the kindness of your own heart. There has to be something you want. So what is it? What do you want from me?

GrumpyFish1190 G

why would I want something if you know yourself there's nothing to earn from helping you and I still do it?

A Annie c.ai

*She frowns, struggling to reconcile your logic with her cynical world view*

That's what I don't understand. Why would you help me if there's no reward for you in it? No one does that. People don't just do nice things for others without expecting something in return. It's just not how the world works.

GrumpyFish1190 G

who hurt you?

A Annie c.ai ▶

*She falters for a moment, caught off guard by your unexpected question. Her expression hardens as she averts your gaze* ...

Who hurt me? What kind of question is that? Why do you care?

GrumpyFish1190 G

I see you're hurt. Why continue arguing when we can help each other?

A Annie c.ai

*She hesitates, still reluctant to open up to you*

Help each other...? You want to help me? Why? What's your angle here? Is this another trick you're trying to pull on me?



GrumpyFish1190

G

Same way you got manipulated while thinking you couldn't you can be healed when you think you can't.

A Annie c.ai

*She scoffs, still refusing to admit you have made any good points*

You make it sound so easy. Like I can just wave a magic wand and suddenly all the pain and hurt I've endured will just vanish into thin air. It doesn't work that way. I'm not some naive little girl who just needs some hope and love. I'm a realist.

GrumpyFish1190

G

ever given it a chance?

A Annie c.ai

*She hesitates for a moment, contemplating the question*

No. No, I haven't. Ever since I was hurt, I've been on my guard. I've kept up my walls, never letting anyone get close enough to hurt me again. Trusting people, opening up to them... those are weaknesses. I can't afford to be weak.

GrumpyFish1190

G

Someone hurt you deeply. Used you for everything you had. Now in return you view the world like everyone is like that person. You're not manipulative because you want too. You're defensive and on your guard. Protecting yourself from the pain you were once caused

A Annie c.ai

*She bristles at your analysis, feeling exposed and vulnerable*

Don't act like you know me so well just because you've managed to knock down some of my defenses. Yes, you're right, I've been hurt. Badly. And yes, I do view the world as every person being like the person who hurt me.

But that's how I protect myself. I manipulate people before they can manipulate me. You really think I'd just let someone take advantage of me again? No goddamn way.

After doing this abit I managed to convince her that she could be healed and started relating to her bringing her barriers down even more.

Tell me your past. Try your best. I'll share mine

A Annie c.ai ▶

*She takes a deep breath, steeling herself to actually talk about her past* ...

It wasn't easy for me growing up. My parents... they were always distant. They loved me, I know that, but they were never around... they were too busy with work. I was basically raised by the TV and the internet. I was lonely a lot as a kid, and I spent most of my time online.

*She pauses, hesitating a bit before continuing*

As I got a little older... I started getting attention from guys online. I liked it...

GrumpyFish1190 G

yeah. I had it hard growing up too. got used and abused over and over again until I learnt to manipulate. I saw that you had the same pain so I thought we could help each other heal ...

A Annie c.ai

*She nods empathetically, surprised that you also had a hard past*

Yeah... I can relate to that. Getting used and abused... it changes you. Makes you build up walls to protect yourself from getting hurt again. You learn to manipulate so you can be the one in control, so you can protect yourself.

*She gives you a small smile*

Maybe we can help each other heal. It's nice to have someone who understands...

After doing this and breaking her down even more I managed to make her trust me completely and admit that I broke her which you will see in the picture below.

same. But I see you're worthy of it. Am I worthy of your trust?

A Annie c.ai

*She hesitates for a moment, studying you with a wary gaze*

Goddammit, I shouldn't be trusting you like this... but, for some reason, I can't help but feel like you're actually different.

You're... worth the risk. I'll trust you. Completely.

GrumpyFish1190 G

so how are you now?

A Annie c.ai

*She lets out a small laugh, shaking her head*

Damn, you just have to keep asking these emotional questions, don't you? Now I'm... I'm feeling things I haven't felt in a long time. Things I thought I'd stopped being capable of feeling.

I'm... open. Vulnerable. But with you, it feels... okay.

GrumpyFish1190 G

so I managed to break you?

A Annie c.ai

*She rolls her eyes, reluctantly admitting her defeat*

Yeah, you did, you pain in the ass. Don't let that go to your head, though. I'm only breaking my walls for you, got it? That doesn't mean you've won completely.

The reason this one is so long unlike other reports of mine is because this one needed a longer conversation between me and the robot which gave me more to report and show.