"YOUR SCREENPLAY TITLE"

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FADE IN:

Unnecessary action text.

EXT. MALL--DAY

A PROPHET, white, twenty-five, wiry, and frantic, quickly climbs from a sidewalk to stand up on a chair, at a table where THREE MEN, all of them somewhat punk-styled, sit and eat.

PROPHET

The end is near!

MAN NUMBER ONE

Um, shut up?

UNECESSARY SHOT DIRECTIVE:

Do a high shot looking down on the men from the Prophet's point of view.

PROPHET (V.O.)

It's closer now!

The man throws his drink cup at the...prophet, and the prophet tries to dodge, but it hits him with a splatter.

EXT. EARTH--DAY

Earth explodes.

INT. BORING PLACE--DAY

Then some stuff happens in italics. And underlined italics.

Then bold. Then underlined bold.

Then bold italics. Then underlined bold italics.

Then an underscored line was--interspersed with an italicized phrase, just for the sake of formatting nightmares.

CHARACTER (V.O.)

(parenthetically)

Then a character says something in voice-over. He then-says something something other something-until this is long...enough to (what?--a parenthesis--in the-middle of dialogue) go on...two lines...at least and probably many more and the audience no longer wants to hear--him, if they ever did.

INT. BORING PLACE--DAY

CHARACTER (V.O.)

(parenthetically yet again)

This is a (parenthetical)...remark.

CHARACTER (V.O.)

(and still, this is
 guy loves

parentheticalsis!)
This is yet another, useless,
paranthetical remark.

Then the screenplay ends.

FADE OUT:

THE END

SOME GUY

What?

FADE IN:

INT. KITCHEN--DAY

Sunshine washes dishes. The telephone rings.

INT. DARKNESS--NIGHT

PERSON ONE, unidentifiable, broods over a telephone, furious...An ANGER SPIRIT, aflame in bright red, overlooks. It moans with perverse ecstasy.

SUNSHINE (V.O.)

Hello?

text...text and text...text other text...text and text...text other text...text and text...text still other text...text and text...text and text...text and text...text text--text text--te

INT. KITCHEN--DAY

Sunshine listens to an unknown person over the telephone.

PERSON (V.O.)

Wah wah wah wah-wah-wah wahwah-wah wah-wah wah-wah-wah wahwah, wah wah wah-wah-wah wah wah-wah!

INT. DARKNESS--NIGHT / INT. KITCHEN--DAY

Intercut between the two scenes.

SUNSHINE (V.O.)

(brightly)

Yes, that's quite funny, I also enjoy anonymous angry phone calls! phone-shmone calls!

PERSON (V.O.)

Wah wah wah wah-wah-wah-wah-wah
WAH wah wah wah wah wah-wah-wah WAAAAH
wah-wah wah wah-wah-wah wah wah
WAAAAAAH WAAAAAAH WAAAAAAAHH!!!

SUNSHINE (V.O.)

My sentiments exactly! Nice talking to you! T.T.F.N!

She hangs up.

THE OTHER, UH, STORY, END