

## HM Opening Dialogue

A: ... wa ... u ...!

D: ...

A: Please, you need to wake up!

D: Agnes? What- what is wrong?

A: Oh, I am so glad you are in town, something horrible has happened. I- I know you came here to visit your friend J-Jack, and- and...

D: Yes, we've not seen each other in years. Agnes, your hands are shaking, what is it?

A: You- You might want to sit down.

A: ...

A: Jack was found this morning.

D: Found?

A: Y-Yes. He- he was killed last night.

D: What?!

A: Sheriff Short found him behind the saloon when he was making his morning round. I tried to talk to him already, but he won't tell me much.

A: I'm so sorry. I know you were friends for a long time now. I- I thought you'd want to hear from someone familiar, so...

D: ...Thank you, Agnes.

A: Of course.

D: Any hunch on who did it?

A: I don't know... I mean, he was a vampire, like you. Maybe his d- death had something to do with that? I've wondered before if there is a werewolf in town. You usually don't get along all too well, do you?

D: We usually don't, no.

A: Short's not a bad Sheriff, I'd wager he has some ideas already, but-

D: I will find out who did it.

A: I- I don't know if this is a good idea, you-

D: Jack saved my life. The least I can do now is find out who ended his.

A: ...

A: I know I can't talk you out of this. But... be careful.

D: I will find the bastard who did this and I will bring them to justice.

A: ...

A: Please just promise me you will make sure you know what you are doing before you challenge anyone to a duel.

D: I will. But where should I start?

A: You- You could probably talk to Sheriff Short and ask him if he suspects anyone. I heard he also has Jack's c- corpse. Maybe you can find out something useful?

A: Or maybe ask Elizabeth at the saloon? She always seems to know what's going on and the- the body was found around there... Elizabeth is a vampire as well. Maybe she knows something the Sheriff doesn't?

D: ...Thank you, Agnes.

A: Of course. Friends help each other out. I hope you can find out who's behind all of this. Just- Just the thought of whoever did this being here in town with us, free to do whatever, is horrifying.

A: I will be over at the Apothecary if you need to talk to me. Good luck and... be careful.