

Daily Life - New Guy in Town (C0011)

A: Oh, I don't know if you heard, but someone moved into that old house down the road.

B: Yeah, I know. I met the owner of the house yesterday as he was moving in. His name is Armand.

A: Really? What's he like? You have to fill me in.

B: Actually, he's a bit strange. I don't know... I've got a bad feeling about him.

A: Really? Why?

B: Well, yesterday I brought over a housewarming gift, but Armand started acting really weird, and then he practically kicked me out! I tried to, sort of, peek into his house, but everything was so dark inside that I couldn't really get a good look.

A: Well, you'll never guess what I saw this morning. A delivery truck pulled into his driveway, and it dropped off a long, rectangular box. It almost looked like a coffin!

B: You see! Why would he...

C: Hello ladies...

B: Ah, Armand! You scared the heck out of me! This is my friend Doris.

C: A pleasure to meet you...If you are not doing anything tonight, I would like to have you both for dinner. I mean...I would like to have you both over for dinner.

Key Vocabulary

I don't know if
you heard

phrase

phrase used to introduce a piece of information

fill me in	<i>phrase</i>	tell me about it
a bad feeling	<i>phrase</i>	a sense or feeling that something bad is going to happen
weird	<i>Adjective</i>	strange, unusual
kick out	<i>principle verb, past simple</i>	make or force someone leave when they don't want to
creep me out	<i>phrase</i>	make me feel uncomfortable and a bit scared
you'll never guess	<i>phrase</i>	phrase used to introduce a piece of news
scare the heck out of me	<i>phrase</i>	cause someone to feel a lot of fear

Supplementary Vocabulary

bizarre	<i>Adjective</i>	strange or unusual
creepy	<i>Adjective</i>	strange or scary, causing people to feel nervous and afraid

vampire	<i>common noun, sin- gular</i>	a dead person who drinks the blood of liv- ing people
have you heard	<i>phrase</i>	phrase used to intro- duce a piece of gossip
guess what	<i>phrase</i>	phrase used to intro- duce an interesting or surprising piece of in- formation