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The Creepy Convenient Store

One normal day of middle school at John Young, there were 3 girls named Olivia, Amy, and Chloe. They planned a sleepover on Friday the 13th. “Cmon, Chloe, it will be so much fun!” said Amy and Olivia. “Ugh, fine,” said Chloe. “As long as you guys don’t prank me,” said Chloe stubbornly. “Well, we can’t promise you that,” said Amy. “But Friday’s tomorrow.” Chloe said. “Well, that means we won’t have to wait,” said Olivia. “Ok, I’m going to class, bye.” said Chloe. “Us too, bye.” said Amy and Olivia.

After school, Amy, Chloe, and Olivia rode home on the bus together, “Whose house are we going to?” asked Olivia. “Can we go to yours?” said Chloe. “Sure,” said Olivia and Amy. They got off the bus and went into Amy and Olivia’s house. “We have to plan what we’re going to do on the sleepover.” Olivia said. “Ooo, we can go to the gas station at 12:00 at midnight,” said Chloe. “YES, that would be so much fun!” said Olivia. “Yea, let’s do that!” Amy said, while writing down ideas on a piece of paper. They finished writing a bunch of ideas. “I’m going to go home now,” said Chloe. “Ok bye,” said Amy. Olivia is

Amy's adopted sister, after Olivia's parents passed away, Olivia got adopted by Amy's parents.

The next day on the bus "The sleepover is today!" Amy said. "I'm excited and scared," said Chloe. "Yeah, we haven't been to your house in a while, Chloe," said Olivia. "Yeah, the construction workers took SO LONG to redo the windows and bathrooms." said Chloe. The 3 girls got off the bus. "I'm going to get to class," said Amy. "Ok, us too." said Chloe and Olivia. Hours passed and school ended. The 3 girls rode on the bus and arrived at Chloe's house. "We're here!" said Amy excitedly. "Let the sleepover begin," said Chloe.

"What should we do first?" Olivia asked. "I have an idea. We should do those things that give you bad luck!" said Chloe. "So we should break a mirror, and walk under a ladder?" said Olivia, confused. "Yea, that would be fun!" said Amy. "I'll go get my old mirror!" said Chloe. "I'll get the ladder!" said Amy. The 2 girls bring back a ladder, the hammer, and an old mirror.

"I don't know about this, I mean it's Friday the 13th, what if something bad happens?" said Olivia. "We'll be fine, right Amy?" said Chloe. "Yea, superstitions are just a big fake lie, we'll be fine." Amy responded. "Ok, fine," said Olivia. First, they broke the mirror, then all of them walked under the ladder. "See, nothing happened." said Amy.

“Ok I guess,” said Olivia. Then they made bracelets and watched movies.

“Girls, go to sleep!” Chloe’s mom yelled. “Just a bit longer please!” Chloe said. “Fine, do whatever you want, just be back in the morning!” Chloe’s mom said. “Ok, it’s 11pm and we have until 7am to do WHATEVER we want!” said Amy. “We should go to the gas station and get some snacks!” said Olivia. “Yea, let’s go! There is a gas station really close to my house!” said Chloe. The three girls walked to the gas station.

Once they got into the store, they saw a rugged old man with a black cat. “I’m going to get a Snickers bar and some Doritos,” said Amy. “I’m getting Kit-Kats and Jolly Ranchers,” said Olivia. “I’m getting Reeses and Jolly Ranchers,” said Chloe. They went to the counter to pay. “Hi! We would like these things!” said Chloe. The creepy man didn’t say anything, he just scanned the snacks. He handed them a receipt and stamped it with an unusual design. The girls looked at the design confused. “Would you like your change back?” the man said. “Yes please,” said Chloe. He handed her the change, and it started mysteriously floating. The man’s face turned as white as a ghost. Chloe grabbed the change and stuffed it into her bag. “Let’s go guys.” said Chloe. “Yeah, let’s go.” said Amy and Olivia.

The 3 girls ran out of the store, confused and creeped out. “That was weird...” said Amy. “Did you see his face when the change started floating?” asked Olivia. “Yea, it was like he had something to do with it.” said Chloe. “I bet you, he did.” mumbled Amy. “What did you say?” asked Olivia. “Oh, nothing.” said Amy. “Amy, we know you said something, just tell us.” said Chloe. “Ok fine I said, I bet you he did.” said Amy. “What do you mean?” said Olivia. “I’ve seen that man and his black cat EVERY Friday the 13th. He’s been in a different place every year. Then after Friday the 13th, he just disappears.” said Amy. “That’s weird,” said Chloe and Olivia. “Also, did you see this creepy design he stamped on the receipt?” said Chloe, taking the receipt out of her pocket. Chloe showed Amy and Olivia a red square, with a big X in it and a bunch of numbers inside of the X.

“Hmm, 2277, is that a code for something?” asked Olivia. “I have no clue,” said Chloe. “Uhh guys we’ve been walking and talking for so long, we ended up in the forest.” said Amy. “How are we supposed to get back to your house, Chloe?” asked Olivia frustrated. “Well don’t blame this all on me. We can just go backwards.” Chloe said. They started walking. “Uhhh, Chloe? You might want to look behind you.” said Olivia nervously. In the corner of her eyes, she could see a black figure standing behind her.

Chloe turned around and the black figure was gone. They kept walking. “Oh, my mom just texted me and asked what we’re doing.” said Chloe. “Send her a picture of us and say we’re out on a walk,” said Amy. Chloe took a picture of the three girls and sent it to her mom. “Who is that behind Amy?” Chloe’s mom replied. “That’s Amy’s shadow.” Chloe replied. Chloe’s mom replied with, “Ok be safe.” “Um, I don’t think that’s Amy’s shadow,” said Olivia. “Wait, where is Amy?” said Olivia. “AMY! AMY!” yelled Olivia and Chloe.

They heard a voice say “She’s gone now.” It sounded like an old lady. “He has her.” she said, “Who has her?” “And who are you?!” yelled Chloe. An old lady came out from behind a tree and said, “He has her.” “WHO HAS HER?!” yelled Olivia, frightened that her sister was gone. “He’s in the tree house,” said the old lady. “Wait, I saw a treehouse earlier!” said Olivia.

“Ok where?” said Chloe. “Back that way!” said Olivia. They were about to run to the treehouse. “WAIT!” yelled the old lady.” “Yes?” said Olivia. “Take this to him, he will never bother you again if you do.” said the old lady. She handed Olivia a wand. “Okay!” “Thank you!” said Olivia. “Let’s get to that treehouse,” said Chloe. The two girls finally found the treehouse. “Ok, be quiet.” “We can sneak in through the back.” said Chloe. They snuck in through the back door.

“We’re in, where do you think he would’ve hid Amy?” asked Chloe. They walked forward from the door. “Let’s go that w-” Olivia’s voice turned into a scream, when a trap door opened and dropped her into a dark room.

“Olivia!” screamed Chloe. Chloe jumped down into the trap door. “Olivia?” said Chloe. “Chloe, where are you?” said Olivia. Olivia bumped into the wall and hit a light switch. “There you are!” said Chloe. “Let’s keep looking for Amy,” said Olivia. They saw another flight of stairs and were about to go down them when the creepy old man appeared behind them.

“Looking for your friend eh,” said the creepy old man laughing, while playing with something sharp in his hand. “WHERE IS SHE!” yelled Olivia. Olivia kicked him in the ankle. “You shouldn’t have done that,” said the man walking towards the two girls. “LISTEN, WHAT DO YOU WANT FROM US!?” screamed Chloe in terror. “Victims, I want victims.” said the man. Both Chloe and Olivia understood what he meant by victims and stood there in horror. “LEAVE US ALONE, AND GIVE OUR FRIEND BACK!” screamed Olivia.

“How about, no.” said the man. Olivia remembered what the old lady had given her. “Will you give us our friend back for this,” Olivia

said, pulling out the wand. The man's eyes widened. "Sure." the man said, laughing under his breath. "She's upstairs behind the moving bookshelf," said the man.

Chloe and Olivia sprinted upstairs, and moved the bookshelf. They found Amy and untied her, they hugged her and ran downstairs. They were about to leave when the man appeared again. "You thought you were leaving, didn't you." the man said laughing. Then the girls realized it had all been a trap, the wand, the old lady, the convenient store, it was all a trap, and to this day no one has seen the three girls. It's been years since they went to that convenient store, they never came back. No one knows what happened to them.