

I am your Nightmare!



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The little masquerade party was bustling with laughter and a few of them were dancing to the music being played. The people around her were having a good time, most of them were friends she hadn't seen in quite a long time. Enjoying herself, chatting with friends and dancing a little, the time flew by and it was time to go home.

"I hope to see you all soon again," she said as she waved them goodbye.

Along the way they stopped to get a slice of pizza and were laughing as they were eating it. TV screens behind them had the news report all over them, but it was unclear what they were talking about.

Not minding the TV's they continued their walk back home as the sky took on a strange colouration.

The horizon, who would normally have a faint glow in the night sky, was now a rainbow. It stretched all around them and all the colours of the rainbow could be seen. Not thinking much of it they walked on home.

As they were walking up the stairs of their building and walked along the gallery towards their home, all the highest towers lit up. Red, green and blue umbrella shaped figures appeared on the tops of them, which were spinning around until a beam shot up from them, reaching far up into the sky above them.

As soon as that happened a foul smell filled the air and parts of the city around them fell into darkness. They started running towards her home and pulled the door open to get inside.

Around them the world slowly began to wrap and distort. The babysitter, who was watching their baby, startled and held the little one close to her.

Her friend stumbled in after her, coughing loudly from the smell and closed the door behind them. The room around them wrapped more, parts of the furniture seemed to meld into the floors and walls and the floor became like waves.

"Close the windows!"

The babysitter who was still a bit shocked gave the baby back to Aylin and ran off together with her friend to close the windows, climbing over the distorted furniture, but before they could reach them they fell into a coughing fit and fell to the ground a few inches short of the window.

Aylin looked at the little baby in her arms, who was happily drinking from his bottle. He pulled the bottle away from his mouth and gave her the most happiest smile it could do and then started to drink again. Within seconds the baby started to dissolve, green stuff flowing from its little body before falling onto the ground with a sickening thud.

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Aylin shot up in bed with a scream, sweat running from her body and looked around. She was back in her own little room, alone. Letting out a sigh of relief that it was only a dream she scooted to the edge of her bed.

“Why would I dream something like that? I have no family plans...”