

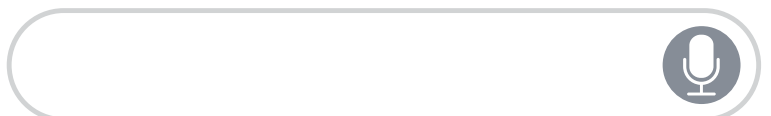
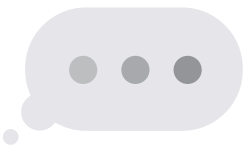


Glenn >

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Today 7:45 AM

I go early today because His Lordship Slaughtermark instructed me to depart at midday for the ceremony. I am watching the G.U.A.R.D. choppers go by overhead and imagine them exploding, despite how "secure" they think this city is. Fools. They have no idea what's coming for all of them. There will be acid and death and agony summoned from beyond the understanding of mere mortals.

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Richie >

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Today 7:46 AM

WTH U talking about???

Today 7:48 AM

Does it sound like a scary voice? Gonna write a book about this, and that’s the way I’ll write it. Gonna to call it CRUEL BUT COOL CTHUL LOL You should totally be here for this! 😂💧





Glenn >

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LOL You should totally be
here for this!

Today 7:54 AM

Love to but U know I can't.
Busy. Uber Corp thought
Halloween went over great.
U should see the crazy stuff
we're going to try for
Thanksgiving!

Today 7:59 AM

Your loss, my gain!

That girl from the bank
across the street is on the
bus again today, BTW. I
don't see it. How do you
figure she's Cthul material?
You wanna trade sacrificial
spit with her, don't you?





Glenn >

You wanna trade sacrificial spit with her, don't you?

Look at her eyebrows. IMO she looks like Bela Lugosi.

Today 8:57 AM

I pay obeisance to the mighty Ulgoth and whatever it deems worthy of its calling before my meeting with the tech team. (There's a bug in the finance coding...AGAIN.) I bow, pledge my mortal loyalty, and utter the sacred rites as given to me by His Lordship Slaughtermark.

Today 9:03 PM

OMG U doing that ritual craziness at work???





Richie >

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Today 9:06 AM

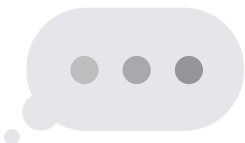
Yeah, but I have to whisper. There's a guy in the stall next to me who must've had beans for breakfast. Killing me. I wish we were sacrificing HIM for Cthul today.

Today 9:07 AM

If bad gas was all it took to get a guy sacrificed, they'd sac U.

Today 9:08 AM

Whatever, dude. Don't be a H8R.





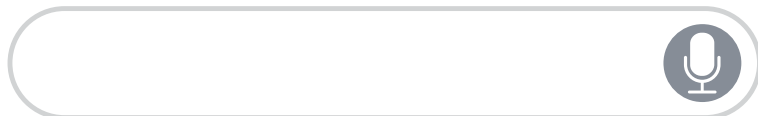
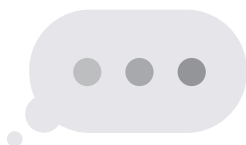
Glenn >

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Today 11:44 AM

The hour draws nigh. His Lordship Slaughtermark grants me the freedom to experience the highest of devotions—the sacrificial blood to learn the will of Ulgoth.

Dude, imagine me saying that in a deep, scary-ass voice. Gonna do the audiobook myself. This will be a bestseller if I can write and read the whole thing like that.





Richie >

U better be careful. Those Cthul people are nut jobs. They don't want anybody writing about them. It's like they have their own personal interdimensional demons.

Today 11:59 AM

B3. Unless they're all like Bob. I ran into him at the soda machine. He said I can go to lunch now and let HR know I got sick at Burgershack and won't be back until tomorrow. I said, THNX Bob and he got all bent out of shape. I M Lord Slaughtermark, he said. I said, Not at work, you're not. Self-important, right? Who else wears a tie all day when they work in IT?





Richie >

Bob tells me we're sacrificing a guy from Fast Track, that Uber Corp subsidiary we were contracting from last summer. When I told him we haven't had any Fast Track reps in the office for 2 months now, he got all pissy and said, well, that's who it is anyway. Whatever. MMW he's gonna get a 10% bonus at Christmas even though he's an idiot.

Today 12:05 PM

Really? Anybody I might know?

Today 12:08 PM

The sacrifice? Tucker from Fast Track Operations.





Glenn >

I know that guy. Liaison between us and Fast Track. Huh. Too bad. IMO he's OK.

Today 1:08 PM

LISTEN TO THIS, DUDE!
OMW to the cabal meeting, and I text to let HR know I'm out for the rest of the day. Remember Gina from the Halloween party last week? She texts back as "Ms. Forbeson" to tell me I've been let go because of excessive absenteeism! And you know who made that call? That's right—His Lordship Slaughter-Jerk, that's who! He's been having me leave early to take care of Cthul business all month, and now it comes back to bite me. Whatever. KMN.





Richie >

Today 1:11 PM

That sucks. Maybe skip this little wing-ding they got going on?

Today 1:16 PM

No way, dude. I'm cashing in on this craze. By the time I'm done, gonna be rolling in Cthul dough. But Bob better be careful. You know what would be sad? If those strike fighter pilots found out about the cabal meeting today. And if the name "Ulgoth" got dropped accidentally, who knows? Maybe even Sky Sentinel would have to show up to kick some tentacled butt. I'm going to talk to Bob about this first thing when I get to the warehouse.





Glenn >

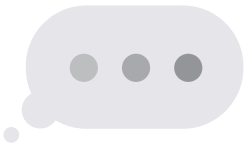
U B careful. Bob's not the only one who might get screwed over.

Today 1:17 PM

Nobody's here, dude! Bob gave me the wrong address or something. CWOT! This is really, really pushing my buttons. There was a plan, I can tell. The floor is painted with runes and symbols and whatever, and there are a bunch of candles. It also smells like a fish market in here.

Today 1:41 PM

Bummer. Go home, man.



W8. There are some peo





Richie >

W8. There are some people here. They're just hiding in the shadows like a bunch of schoolgirls.

Dude, you were right! That girl from the bank is here! I'll hook you up after we're done here!

Today 1:52 PM

No, thanks. I'm good.

Today 2:22 PM

Yo, Bob just showed up. I'm going to tell him what's what and then maybe knock some teeth out of his face. Everybody's greeting him as "Lord Slaughtermark." What a joke. They're starting to gather around him like he's a





Glenn >



Everybody's greeting him as "Lord Slaughtermark." What a joke. They're starting to gather around him like he's a big deal—they should see him in the office trying to get the server rebooted, right? Then they wouldn't think he was such a big deal.

Today 2:23 PM

Be cool, K?

Today 2:30 PM

Always.

Dude, it's hot in here.

Finally, here comes Bob. Time to face the music, Slaughtermark! Come get some.





Richie >

Today 2:31 PM

BTW, I thought you said they were sacrificing Tucker today. Well, they're not. I'm looking at him right now in the main conference room.

Today 2:32 PM

Exactly what I would expect from Bob. His left hand doesn't know what his right hand is doing. I have no idea what's going on then.

Today 2:33 PM

You might want to get out of there, man.

Today 2:34 PM

BRB. Bob is going on about something.





Glenn >

Today 2:35 PM

No, really, man, get out of there. This sounds messed up.

Today 2:40 PM

Richie?

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Today 2:45 PM

Richie

Dude?

Today 2:50 PM

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