

A Nightmare ON ELM STREET

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OPEN ON:

INT. NELSON RESIDENCE - LIVING ROOM - NIGHT

We see **TOMMY**, on the couch reading a book as we hear rain outside. suddenly, there's a knock on the door, he closes his book, setting it on the coffee table as he gets up and walks to the door, opening it to reveal **CASSIE**, nearly drenched

TOMMY
Cassie? What's wrong?

Cassie sighs

CASSIE
We gotta talk...

Tommy nods as it

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OPEN ON:

INT. NELSON RESIDENCE - TOMMY'S ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Tommy comes into his room with a towel in hand, he hands it to Cassie, standing by his bed and she grabs it, he scratches his head as she dries her hair, he sits in his chair

TOMMY
So, Lacey encountered Freddy and
told you about your dad going
missing and she somehow connected
that back to him?

Cassie nods

CASSIE
Pretty much.

Tommy nods, he thinks

TOMMY
That's a little insane, isn't it?

CASSIE
I know.

Tommy nods, he looks at Cassie

TOMMY
So. why did you leave your house?

Cassie sits on his bed, she looks at him

CASSIE
She tried telling me that I had to
process thing and. I just snapped.
I had to get out of there before
things got worse.

Tommy nods, he sits back in his chair

TOMMY
Do you think he's really your dad?
Or at least used to be?

Cassie shakes her head

CASSIE
I don't want to believe it. but, it
adds up.

Tommy nods as Cassie looks at him

CASSIE (CONT'D)
Where are your parents?

Tommy shrugs

TOMMY
Mom is working the night shift and
Dad is on a business trip in
Boston. why?

CASSIE
I. want to stay here for the night,
if that's alright. I just want to
talk to someone that won't look at
me like I'm crazy.

Tommy sits up, he nods

TOMMY

Of course.

Cassie looks at Tommy, she smiles as it

CUT TO:

INT. SPRINGWOOD MEDICAL - 2ND FLOOR HALLWAY - MOMENTS LATER

We see PETE, standing outside of CHUCK'S room, where his arm is in a cast and he's hooked to a ventilator, unconscious, Pete sighs as SHERIFF WALTER walks up to him, standing by his side

WALTER

Chuck's gonna be alright.

Pete looks at him

PETE (CONCERNED)

What happened?

Walter looks at him, he shrugs

WALTER

From the looks of it, he seemed to have. fallen asleep behind the wheel. there was no alcohol in his system and he wasn't high.

Pete nods

PETE

Where's his parents?

Walter shakes his head

WALTER

I tried calling but my guess is they're at work.

Pete nods, he scratches his head as Walter sighs

WALTER (CONT'D)

You should go home, Pete. I got it from here.

PETE

What do they have Clark on?

Walter looks at him

WALTER (CONFUSED)

What?

PETE

They have him on any dream
suppressants?

Walter thinks

WALTER

No. I don't know why they would.
why?

Pete looks around, he sighs

PETE

Shit. I gotta go.

Pete pushes past Walter, he looks at him as it

CUT TO:

EXT. SPRINGWOOD MEDICAL - PARKING LOT - MOMENTS LATER

Pete, now with his phone up against his ear, is walking
towards his car

PETE

Come on, pick up.

TOMMY (ON PHONE)

Pete, how's Clark?

PETE

Bad, he's knocked out with no dream
suppressants, I think Freddy is
going for round 2.

INT. NELSON RESIDENCE - TOMMY'S ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Tommy looks at Cassie, shocked

CASSIE

How do we wake him up?

PETE (ON PHONE)

I don't think you can. he's in a
deep sleep.

Tommy thinks

TOMMY

We gotta go in and save him.

Cassie looks at him

CASSIE

I can't, I already took a pill.

Tommy nods

TOMMY

It's fine, I didn't.

Cassie nods as we go back to

EXT. SPRINGWOOD MEDICAL - PARKING LOT - CONTINUOUS

Pete, now in his car, taps on the wheel

PETE

Guys, talk to me.

CASSIE (ON PHONE)

Pete, stay at the hospital, Tommy
is gonna fall asleep and try to see
if he can wake up Clark.

Pete nods

PETE

Is that even possible?.

TOMMY (ON PHONE)

We gotta try.

Pete nods as he hangs up, he gets out of his car and goes
back into the hospital as it

CUT TO:

INT. FOREST - DREAM

Clark is seen running, he looks around, seeing the seemingly
endless forest around him, he stops

CLARK (DESPERATE)

HELLO? ANYBODY?.

Suddenly, we hear laughter, Clark looks in the trees to see
Freddy, hanging off of a branch, he drops down, looking at
Clark

FREDDY
What's wrong, Clark? Trouble waking
up?

Clark backs up, he tries to run before he falls into a mud
pit, he pulls on his foot, only to sink lower, Freddy cackles

FREDDY (CONT'D)
You're a tough cookie. but all
things must die eventually.

Clark struggles, now up to his chest before Freddy pushes him
further down as it

CUT TO:

INT. WALLACE RESIDENCE - CLARK'S ROOM - MORNING

Clark suddenly falls through the roof and onto his bed, he
gets up, covered in mud, looking around, he looks out the
window to see the bright sun before his father, **BUCK**, walks
into the room, Clark looks shocked as it

CUT TO:

INT. NELSON RESIDENCE - TOMMY'S ROOM - MOMENTS LATER

Tommy is laying on his bed, Cassie is sitting on the chair,
timer in hand

CASSIE
Alright, you got 15 minutes to go
in, get Clark out and wake up.

Tommy nods

TOMMY
Let's hope we aren't too late.

Cassie nods as Tommy relaxes, he closes his eyes as it

CUT TO:

INT. WALLACE RESIDENCE - CLARK'S ROOM - MOMENTS LATER

Clark and Buck look at each other, Buck clicks his tongue as
he gets closer

BUCK
What did I do to deserve a piece of
shit for a son?

Clark shakes his head

CLARK
You. you're not real.

BUCK (AS FREDDY)
Is that what you tell yourself?
That's what makes the day easier?

Buck cackles before he morphs into Freddy, turning his laugh deeper and deeper

FREDDY
(sighs)
Well, it doesn't change the fact
that you let your daddy dearest
live HIS glory days through your
pathetic life.

CLARK
You don't know jack shit about my
dad.

Buck shakes his head

BUCK (AS FREDDY)
Oh, but I think I do. after all,
we're in YOUR dream. let's take a
trip down memory lane.

Freddy grabs Clark and **THROWS** him through the wall as it

CUT TO:

INT. SPRINGWOOD MEDICAL - 2ND FLOOR HALLWAY - MOMENTS LATER

Tommy walks along the empty halls, he looks around

TOMMY
Clark? Where are you?

No answer, Tommy sighs as he thinks

TOMMY (CONT'D)
If I was Clark, what would I dream
about?

PETE
I would try his house.

Tommy jumps before seeing Pete

TOMMY

(sighs)

What the fuck, Pete? Why're you here?

Pete shrugs

PETE

I wanted to help find Clark. and I think I know how to do it.

Pete looks at a wall, he holds his hand out as a door begins to form, Tommy looks at Pete, shocked

TOMMY

How can you even do that?

Pete looks at him with a smirk

PETE

This is the dream world, dude. Once you hone your craft, you can become just about anything your heart desires. lets go.

Pete opens the door, we see him and Tommy walk through it as we go to

INT. SPRINGWOOD MEDICAL - CLARK'S ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Where Walter is sitting in a chair, watching his closed eyes dart back and forth, he chuckles

WALTER

Must be having one hell of a dream.

CUT TO:

INT. SPRINGWOOD HIGH - BASEBALL FIELD - NIGHT

Clark lays on the baseball field, he looks around and realizes where he's at as he sees himself step up to the plate

CLARK

This is from the other night.

FREDDY

Yep. and it already looks like daddy isn't too happy with you.

Clark looks on as his past self hits the ball, he runs past second base and makes his way to third before he gets out, the crowd groans as Freddy laughs

FREDDY (CONT'D)
Now, lets see what happened at home.

Freddy grabs Clark as they teleport to

INT. WALLACE RESIDENCE - LIVING ROOM - LATER

Where Clark and Buck come in, a visible look of disappointment is on his father's face

BUCK
You could've had it, Clark.

PAST CLARK
I know, dad.

Buck grabs his son's shoulder, looking at him

BUCK
What happened?

Clark shrugs

PAST CLARK
I took my eyes off the ball, I don't know, it's just baseball.

BUCK
It's not just baseball.

Clark looks at Freddy, defiantly

CLARK
Stop this.

Freddy makes a "shush" gesture

FREDDY
We're getting to the good part.

Clark shakes his head as he runs to the front door, exiting the house only to fall down into the

INT. BOILER ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Clark looks around, he starts to cry, cowering on the floor

CLARK
Somebody please wake me up.

FREDDY (V.O)
That isn't going to work, Clark.

Clark looks around, scanning the area before Freddy appears behind him, Clark sees him and backs up in fear, Freddy flexes his finger knives

FREDDY (CONT'D)
It's time, Clark.

Clark shakes his head as Freddy gets closer, he laughs maniacally before a door appears behind him

PETE
Hey ugly.

Freddy, confused, turns around only to get a pipe through the chest by Tommy, Pete helps him push it into the ground as Clark gets behind them, Pete twists the top of the pipe downwards, Freddy groans as they back up

CLARK
How're you guys--

PETE
Save the questions, you have to wake up..

CLARK
I don't think I can.

Tommy looks at him

TOMMY
You gotta try, man.

Clark thinks, he sees Freddy pull himself off of the pipe, the gaping hole filling itself, Clark's eyes flicker

CLARK
Oh man.

Tommy and Pete see him fall to the floor and disappear

TOMMY
He woke up?

Pete shakes his head

PETE
I don't know.

Pete and Tommy look at Freddy, who's angry

FREDDY
I thought I killed all those damn
dream warriors.

PETE
Well. I wouldn't call myself that.
what're you planning?

Freddy laughs, he looks around

FREDDY
I'm doing what I do best. eat all
the souls I want, when I want.

TOMMY
But how? You've been dead for 35
years.

Freddy smiles, he thinks

FREDDY
You wouldn't understand even if I
told you.

Before they can do anything, Freddy snaps his fingers as it

SMASH TO:

INT. SPRINGWOOD MEDICAL - CLARK'S ROOM - MOMENTS LATER

Clark's eyes SPRING awake, he sits up, Walter looks in shock
as he stands up

WALTER
Holy shit.

Clark looks at Walter, shocked by what has happened before it

SMASH TO:

INT. SPRINGWOOD MEDICAL - WAITING ROOM- MOMENTS LATER

Pete JOLTS awake, he looks around, sighing in relief before
it

SMASH TO:

INT. NELSON RESIDENCE - TOMMY'S ROOM - MOMENTS LATER

Tommy **SPRINGS** awake, Cassie looks at him

CASSIE
Hey, hey, it's alright. what
happened?

Tommy looks at her, he smiles

TOMMY
We saved him.

Cassie smiles as they hug before it

CUT TO:

INT. SPRINGWOOD MEDICAL - CLARK'S ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Walter is standing by Clark's bed, who's laying down

CLARK
What happened?

Walter walks up next to his bed, he thinks

WALTER
Well uh. you got in a car crash and
was knocked out for a little bit.
you feeling alright?

Clark nods as he sighs

CLARK
I had the craziest dream. that's
all.

Suddenly, Pete comes into the room, smiling

PETE
You're awake.

Clark smiles as Pete walks to his bed, Walter smiles

WALTER
I'll give you a minute.

Pete nods as Walter leaves the room, Clark looks at him

CLARK
Please don't let this be a "I told
you so"

Pete shakes his head, he pats Clark on the shoulder

PETE

I'm just happy that you're alive.

CLARK

Thanks to you and Tommy. which by the way, when were you going to tell me you had dream powers?

Pete shrugs

PETE

It's something I discovered before all this Freddy bullshit happened.

Clark nods

CLARK

Well, I appreciate you guys for saving me. and i'm sorry for not believing you about Freddy.

Pete nods

PETE

Apology accepted, buddy.

Clark smiles and as does

CUT TO:

INT. NELSON RESIDENCE - TOMMY'S ROOM - MOMENTS LATER

Tommy and Cassie are sitting on the bed across each other, Cassie looks at him

CASSIE

So. what happened?

TOMMY

Me and Pete met up in the dream world. turns out he can open doors to different places and we managed to get to Clark before Freddy could kill him. and he woke up.

Cassie nods, she thinks

CASSIE

How can Pete open doors like that?

Tommy shrugs

TOMMY

He actually gave Freddy a run for his money. he called him a dream warrior for some reason.

Cassie nods, she sighs

CASSIE

So. we can have some sort of dream powers and Pete can dream hop. maybe that can be great use to us.

Tommy nods

TOMMY

Is this a win for us? Since we technically stopped Freddy from killing Clark?

Cassie shakes her head, showing a smile

CASSIE

Yes. but now we got to figure out how to get our "dream powers". We gotta get the group together tomorrow.

Tommy nods in agreement as it

CUT TO:

INT. HANNIGAN RESIDENCE - LIVING ROOM - MOMENTS LATER

LACEY is sitting in the living room, on the couch, looking at a scrapbook, she sees a picture with her and Cassie, noticeably a little smaller with both of them in the arms of a woman, she smiles at it before sighing

LACEY

Really wish you were here, mama.

Lacey turns the page to see a picture of a man, holding their mom in his arms, Lacey shakes her head before the man morphs into Freddy, Lacey is taken aback by this as she hears him laughing

FREDDY

You look just like your WHORE of a mother.

Freddy suddenly **CUTS** the woman's head off, there's screams of anguish before Lacey wakes up, the scrapbook still open to the picture of her and Cassie, she throws it across the room before she rubs her eyes as it

CUT TO:

INT. MOTEL - JESSE'S ROOM - MOMENTS LATER

JESSE is sitting on the bed, looking at the clock. Reading 11:36 PM. He thinks before he grabs the telephone off of the night stand, he dials a number and hears the phone ring before something picks up

ANGELA (ON PHONE)

H-Hello?

JESSE

Hey, it's me.

ANGELA (ON PHONE)

Oh, hey Jesse. wait, since when did Westin allow phone calls?

JESSE

I uh. checked myself out, Angela.

ANGELA (ON PHONE)

What? Why? Where are you?

Jesse thinks before looking around, he scratches his head

JESSE

Springwood...

There's an audible sigh from Angela, Jesse nods, that was the answer he was expecting

ANGELA (ON PHONE)

Why are you in Springwood?

Jesse looks around, he thinks

JESSE

(sighs)

I gotta help these kids, Angela. If no one does, they're going to get themselves killed..

ANGELA (ON PHONE)

What hotel are you in, I'm coming to ge-

JESSE
Bye, Angela.

ANGELA (ON PHONE)
Jesse, WAIT--

Jesse hangs up, he puts the phone down and sighs, he lays down before hearing a faint but familiar laugh, he gets up, looking at the door, he gets up, cautiously walking to the door as he opens it, smoke blows out from it as he walks through into

EXT. WALSH RESIDENCE - FRONT PORCH -MORNING

Jesse walks out, noticeably a lot younger, now wearing a blue flannel that has shades of orange on it, tucked into blue jeans, he notices the backpack on his back as his mother, **CHERYL WALSH**, wearing an orange shirt and white pants, comes out of the house

CHERYL
Ready for your first day back?

Jesse looks dumbstruck, but he smiles and clears his throat

JESSE
Yeah, I am actually.. I mean, it's not often to get second chances like this...

Cheryl smiles

CHERYL
I'm glad..

She goes in for a hug, Jesse hugs her back

CHERYL (CONT'D)
It's so nice to have you home, Jesse...

Jesse nods as he looks at her

JESSE
I am too, mom.

Cheryl nods before a bus stops in front of the house, Jesse turns around as he walks towards it, he stops as the doors open, he enters the

INT. SCHOOL BUS - CONTINUOUS

He passes several students before seeing a pair he recognizes.

LISA WEBBER, 17, wearing a nice shirt and black pants, with her friend KERRY HELLMAN, her hair all frizzy and wearing a purple button up tucked into her pants, visibly hung over, Jesse sits with Lisa, in awe seeing them

LISA

Nice to see you make it..

Jesse smiles, he nods

JESSE

Thanks...

Kerry leans over the seat, looking at Jesse

KERRY

Is it everything you ever hoped for, Jesse?

Jesse looks at her, confused

JESSE

What?

Kerry smiles as Lisa looks out the window

KERRY

Coming back. Was it worth it?

Jesse thinks, he looks at Lisa and smiles, he looks at Kerry

JESSE

I'd say so..

Kerry nods before her demeanor grows dark, she looks at him

KERRY (AS FREDDY)

Are you sure?

She laughs as Jesse looks shocked, Kerry sits back before Freddy's arm BURSTS through her chest, blood splashing on Jesse's face, he gets out of the seat in shock as Lisa looks at him

LISA

Jesse, what's wrong?

Jesse starts to hyperventilate as Kerry stands up, the arm still in her chest

KERRY (AS FREDDY)
Yeah, Jesse. IS SOMETHING WRONG?

Kerry's torso begins to rip in half as Freddy comes out, like a butterfly coming out of a chrysalis, her corpse goes onto the seat as Lisa still looks at Jesse, he backs up as Freddy goes into the aisle, he laughs as he grabs Lisa, Jesse looks on in horror

FREDDY
Ah, the sounds of her scream.. it
gives me good memories..

Lisa screams before Freddy **STABS** her in the gut, Jesse looks away as Freddy laughs, throwing her body through the back door, breaking it off, Freddy laughs as Jesse backs up in horror

JESSE
You-you're dead, you're SUPPOSED to
be DEAD...

Freddy wiggles his blood stained finger knife as he gets closer

FREDDY
You never killed me, Jesse.. just
sent me back to where I belonged.

Jesse stands up, he goes to the front of the bus, seeing the bus driver being **RON GRADY**, his chest slashed, he smiles

RON
This is your stop, Walsh..

Ron opens the bus doors as Jesse **FLIES** out of the bus and into the

INT. WALSH RESIDENCE - JESSE'S ROOM - MORNING

Jesse **SPRINGS** awake on his bed, screaming, he darts his eyes around before Cheryl bursts into the room

CHERYL
Jesse, what's wrong?

Jesse looks at her, he shakes his head

JESSE
This isn't real, it's NOT real,
Kreuger...

Jesse stands up as he **PUNCHES** Cheryl, she falls to the ground before Jesse runs **THROUGH** the window before it

SMASH TO:

INT. MOTEL - JESSE'S ROOM - NIGHT

Where Jesse wakes up, gasping before looking around, he gets up and walks towards the door, **SWINGING** it open only to find a motel clerk, they startle each other before she looks at him

MOTEL CLERK

Jesus, man..

Jesse looks around before looking at the clerk

JESSE

Sorry..

MOTEL CLERK

It's fine, we got a call from next door about a noise complaint.. is everything all right?

Jesse nods

JESSE

Yeah, I uh... I just had a bad nightmare, sorry if I... caused a disturbance..

The motel clerk nods, she looks at him

MOTEL CLERK

It's fine. Just be more quiet, Jesse...

Jesse nods before he realizes, his face grows dark

JESSE

How uh... how do you know my name?

The motel clerk looks at him, she smiles sinisterly before the door **SLAMS**, Jesse turns around, seeing **FREDDY**. Before he can do anything, Freddy puts him up against the door by the throat, Jesse struggles as Freddy laughs

FREDDY

Looks can be deceiving, can't they...

Freddy laughs once more before Jesse looks at him, he thinks

JESSE
Go... to. HELL...

Jesse suddenly **RIPS** Freddy's sweater before biting himself,
he groans in pain before it

SMASH TO:

INT. MOTEL - JESSE'S ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Jesse wakes up on the floor, he looks around, seeing the
clock that reads 12:05 **AM**, he sighs in relief before seeing
the sweater piece in his hand, as well as the bite mark, he
gets up and sits on the bed, he thinks as it **SMASHES TO BLACK**