

THE HAUNTED HOUSE

Years ago, my family and I went to Florida to live. I was very nervous because I didn't know anybody and I was going to miss my friends. We moved to Florida because my parents found work here.

When we arrived in Florida, we went to our new house and distributed the rooms. I didn't like the house, it was too silent and strange. The house was very big. There was five bedrooms, two kitchens, three toilets and later I saw there was a basement.

The next day, I went to my new school. At first, the people talked to me but when I said where I lived they ignored me. They were afraid of me. I went to my house to have lunch but I didn't say anything to my parents.

-I hate this house! I don't have friends –I shouted

Suddenly a voice answered me:

-I need help, Irene...

I was very afraid. I didn't understand anything. I went to sleep to forget everything but I couldn't stop thinking about that voice. That night I didn't go to school because I was sick. My parents went to work and my brother Tom to school. I was on own. I was watching TV when the phone started ringing.

-Who? –I said

-Look in the second drawer of the cupboard –a strange voice answered me

It was the same person of yesterday! In that moment, my parents arrived but my brother wasn't there.

-Where is Tom?

-We don't know. He isn't at school –answered me

-Oh, no! –I shouted while I went to the cupboard

In the second drawer of the cupboard there was a paper that said:

'I started with your brother, as I did with Emilly. If you want me not to kill your brother, you have to go to the basement and look for a box. Good luck.'

I didn't know where the basement was. I was looking for it for an hour until I found it. It was very little and there were many photos and games. The photos were of the previous family, the Hanson family, but in all of them appeared a girl. I thought that girl was Emilly, the girl who had died. I was confused, 'why was that there?'. Finally, I found the box and inside there was a letter that said:

'Go to the garden water well and throw the necklace'

I didn't understand anything. What necklace? Why did he say that? Where was the well?

It was already night and I went to have dinner and to sleep. I was very tired.

In the morning, I went to school and I made a friend, she was Sandra. We spoke for a long time and I told her:

-What do you know of Emilly Hanson?

-She was a friendly and very beautiful person

-And now is she dead? –I asked

-Emilly lived in your house. One day, she stopped coming to school and nobody knew anything about her. A week later, Emily disappeared. The police found footprints next to the water well, but didn't find her.

I said goodbye to Sandra and I went quickly to my house. When I arrived my parents still hadn't come and I went to the water well but I didn't have the necklace. I returned to the basement to look for it.

Suddenly, I saw a nice pearl necklace in the box where the letter was. I went to the water well and very calm I threw the necklace. Five minutes later, my parents rang the bell but they weren't only my parents, there was my brother too!

We ate all together and after lunch I went back to the water well. I sat on the grass to listen the birds and a voice told me: 'I am Emily, I was stuck with your brother. Now, I can return with my family. Thank you, Irene, you have done it very well! '.

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