

Lavender

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GoCat logo plays with dialogue in background

NEWS BROADCASTER  
Continuous creature attacks!

NEWS BROADCASTER 2  
Rapid, undefined creatures!

NEWS BROADCASTER 3  
Stay inside.

PERSON 1  
It's allergic to lavender

PERSON 2  
Garlic

PERSON 3  
It hates light!

NEWS BROADCASTER  
Only comes at dark.

PERSON 4  
Hide!

PERSON 5  
Scream

PERSON 6  
Kill yourself before it kills you!

NEWS BROADCASTER  
It's unstoppable.

PERSON 7  
Can't be contained.

PERSON 8  
We're done for.

CUT TO:

INT. BATHROOM- NIGHT

A pile of clothes sit on the bathroom floor. The sounds of water raining down in a tub ring in the background. Droplets of water spray on and around the clothes. A girl sighs and the water stops. The curtain pulls back, leaving a bright line of light over the clothes. A girl, now fully dressed, dries her hair with a towel and leaves the room.

CUT TO:

INT. DORM ROOM- NIGHT

The girl makes eye contact with her roommate, they nod and start to barricade the door, they put tape over the windows. And leave one piece of lavender at each entrance. The roommate goes to sleep, and the girl sits in a chair facing the door, holding nothing but a flashlight. And she waits.

CUT TO:

INT. BATHROOM- NIGHT

Water drips from the faucets. Wet foot prints glisten. It's quiet. Deathly quiet.

CUT TO:

INT. DORM ROOM-NIGHT

The girl is falling asleep in her chair, still gripping the flashlight.

CUT TO:

INT. BATHROOM- NIGHT

In the reflection of a growing puddle, a dark form appears, enlarging.

CUT TO:

INT. DORM ROOM-NIGHT

Under the doorframe she sees the figure, and shines the light on it. It roars growing louder, and louder, the room starts shaking, the blinds wipe around as it tries to break into the room. Her roommate wakes up and hides behind the flashlight and they shine it all about it hoping to scare the monster off!

It gets louder and louder! Shakier and shakier! Until the lavender falls off the tape.

CUT TO BLACK:

All that's heard is the loudest roar imaginable, and their screams overlayed together.

Credits roll.

The only sound is something dripping.

End credit scene:

The faucet is still dripping, but it's not water.