

opening extract from Billy Monster's Daymare

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In a darkish, spooky house...

In a darkish, gloomy bedroom...

There was a...

The bedroom door creaked open. 'What's wrong, Billy Monster?' Daddy Monster growled softly. 'Did you have a daymare?' Billy Monster nodded. 'Yes,' he sobbed. 'I dreamt I saw a...

a child'.

'Oh dear, said Daddy Monster. 'You poor baby.' He patted Billy Monster on the head.

'It was a boy child, said Billy Monster, 'with two little eyes, and two little ears, and no

horns at all! 'Ugh', snorted Daddy Monster. 'That IS horrible.' Daddy Monster tucked in Billy Monster again and howled a monster lullaby until Billy Monster fell asleep.