

For clarification, this is a transcription of the first hour or so of Auri's (one of Cry's victims) stream that has now been deleted by Twitch itself. The first hour was the most filled with information with her side of the story. She manages to answer questions from chat and proceeded to transition into a rather normal conversation about other topics (plus a few more questions answered, some repeated) for the remaining 4 hours.

- "Thank you guys so much for your support it really means the world"
- "I want to start by prefacing kind of how we met. Kind of like everything that went down I guess. And if there's any questions I'll answer them if that's okay with you guys"
- "I've never really streamed before..."
- "Back in 2014, I had a tumblr account and I was one of the artists within the community"
- "I wasn't really, like as popular as a lot of the other artists, which I have taken into account and everything especially after recent events... I've just become really ashamed of it I guess"
- "Cry reaches out to me in 2014. I had posted some art and he told me that he really liked my art and we chatted for a little bit and he gave me his Skype."
- "I'm trying to not get emotional I'm sorry" (I just want to put emphasis on the fact that she did sound very emotional and genuine throughout the stream)
- "He was a really good friend for the (time) that we chatted"
- "Yeah he was always really good friend. And he never really... tried to like pressure me to do anything. He never really made me feel uncomfortable. Which I think is so something that is really important to be said right now. I never felt pressure to do anything, I always did things on my own call."
- "I've got it written down in front of me but I'm just like, staring at it"
- "I guess I should also say I'm really sorry to anyone who recently found out about this. I know how it just feel from a viewer's perspective. Cry has always had this chill persona. I'm just really sorry."
- She proceeds to apologize for looking away from chat for a bit because she's "not used to getting this much support" and because she's felt "helpless" for a really long time
- "He was a really good friend... I think it was around a year that we were actually talking consistently"
- "I've written down actual months, timelines here"
- "So it was October of 2014 that we met, I was 15 at the time. I know that might be important to mention. I was 15 when we met.... I was an artist within community, I posted on tumblr. He reached out and told me he really liked my art. And so he gave me his Skype, we chatted, he became a really good friend. We grew really close over time but like I said, just as friends."
- "He was around March of 2016, so I would've been 16 at the time.... Our conversations became a little more involved, nothing sexual or anything like that. Nothing happened like that. It was kind of just, we showed interest in each other. I had feelings for him for a very, very long time."

- “But obviously I was 16 and that’s not right, he was 26. Cry is 10 years older than me. And so when our conversations started that on that little bit more of a romantic turn I guess, I felt like that was the time to tell him my age. I hadn’t told him prior because it never really came to mind. He didn’t ask my age at any point. I said on Twitter I think that’s because as soon as anyone shows him any sign of affection, he kinda just jumped at it. He’s not used to getting affection, I think it’s something that he’s never really experienced in the real world. I’m not sure if you guys saw his tumblr posts way back in the day, but he did ran a little back about his dad and about his family life..... I think that added to how he never really went outside. He really didn’t. I don’t know when the last time it would’ve been that he’s like, interacted with someone face to face that isn’t his family. My best bet would honestly probably be when he was with Cheyenne. To be completely honest I think he’s always been very shut in. Not that justifies what he’s done. It really doesn’t justify anything that he’s done”
- “So yeah, I told him my age. And he backed off. And we kinda just, stopped talking after that. I think we both just truly felt that it wasn’t right to continue what we were doing. But also I wasn’t super involved with the community while this was happening. I kind of just spoke to him.”
- “I’ve never spoken to any of the other crew members. I don’t think I knew of Cheyenne at the time. I think they would’ve been dating... in 2016” (this is based on her timeline)
- “Eventually it was 2017.... October of 2017 I had just turned 18. And so I was friends with another artist within the community and I had expressed that I missed Cry and that I wanted to reach out to him, again. And so the artist gave me his discord and so I thought he’s not going to remember me. I’ll shoot my shot I guess. And he accepted the friend request and I hit him up like ‘yo I’m not sure if you remember me or not but a lot has happened since we stopped talking. You’ve always been a really good friend. I miss you and I really want to reconnect with you.’”
- “And so that’s also a really important aspect to remember. It was me who reached out to him, he didn’t reach out to me. Again, that’s not something that makes anything that he did okay. He did not reach out to me. He did not wait for me to turn 18, to my knowledge. Again, I’m only one person, he could’ve done that to so many people. I’m not trying to justify anything he’s done”
- “It was around... I think only kept in contact for around 3 months. And the conversations did get explicit very very quickly. But I thought it was okay because I was 18. Now... it never did cross my mind that it could’ve been a pattern or anything. And the guilt just got up to me really quickly. It was around this time that I found out about the lolcow form and started reading through them. And it was all information that I didn’t know.”
- “I found the lolcow forms a month into talking with him and I brought it up to him and he has confirmed that he has read them. He’s told me that he’s read them and so he’s aware that people are aware of what he was doing.”
- “He’s very aware of the lolcow forms. I spent a lot of time kinda just scrolling through them and staying updated with them and then I found out about Ocean..... lolcow is a very, very big rabbit hole. A lot of it I didn’t know if it was true, but a lot of it did seem true.”

- “A lot of the chat logs and everything posted did line up with the way he typed and the way that he spoke... and he handled conversations. I don’t know how to explain it... it seemed a lot like it was him.”
- “And I guess that’s kind of.... what brought on so much guilt because I didn’t realize it at the time.”
- “Please do not go on lolcow if you haven’t already been on it. It’s a very big rabbit hole, it has fucked with my mental health so so much, I can’t describe it. But it’s also helped me in so many ways. But please, do not go there. Just stay off it... It’s not worth getting invested in.”
- She explains how she feels like she’s been awful at explaining her story.
- “I’ve talked to 2 people very briefly who have been in a similar situation, I haven’t (gone) into depth. We have talked very briefly. I haven’t talked to Cheyenne in private or anything. Everything interaction I’ve had with Cheyenne has been public.” (Chat asked if she has talked to other victims)
- “No, I wasn’t aware of anybody else that he was doing this with” (chat asked if Cry ever mentioned names at the time)
- “I feel like a lot of people will hate me for saying it but I don’t think he’s a bad person. I really don’t. I really want him to be able to redeem himself. And that might be coming from me still being in love with him, I still have feelings for him. I’m not going to deny that. I just... I really want him to be a better person. But as Snake said, apparently he was doing this with someone just 2 days ago. I don’t know what to think at this point” (for clarification, Snake claimed that Cry was doing inappropriate things with an adult 2 days before he released the video)
- “No, he hasn’t reached out to me at all. He hasn’t reached out to any of us as far as I’m aware. He didn’t even reach out before he made the video. He didn’t tell anybody about it” (chat asked if cry has reached out)
- “I think it’s a very thin line... I do feel betrayed but I don’t feel manipulated. It’s a very, very thin line”
- “No, i Havent talked to him since 2018... I think, Jund and snake both said that he had a shift in personality.... I think bipolar disorder was brought up which does make sense. I’m not sure if he’s been professionally diagnosed but from what I’ve experienced and his recent behavior I’ve heard of, it does make sense.” (Chat asked if she knows what prompted the video)
- “That is, I cried a lot about that last night. That is my number one fear cause he is a very sensitive person and I just don’t want him to do anything stupid. I don’t want him to hurt himself in any way. That is my number one concern right now” (chat asked if she’s afraid of him doing anything stupid)
- “Yes, definitely, 100%” (chat talked about how Cry may have an unstable mind set since he jumps from person to person to get affection and he tells the girls he’s dating how his breakdowns)
- “No that’s completely news to me. I haven’t talked to him since 2018. I don’t know what’s happened recently” (Chat asked if she knew what Jund went when he mentioned Cry as evil)
- “I do want to talk to Snake. I really really do. I feel like he has so much on (his back). I don’t want to put him under any more stress if that makes any sense.”

- "I honestly... it's hard to say because apparently there has been new information but I'm not aware of what that information is. I don't think he had the intend to manipulate anyone. Jund mentioned this too..... I genuinely think Cry is a stupid individual and I don't think he's smart enough to coordinate being manipulative. But it all depends on what this new information is, I don't know." (Chat asked her thoughts on the 14 victims mentioned by Snake)
- "I think his meds might play part to his outburst" (chat brought up that Cry's on new meds)
- "I'm not aware of any minors that he's been sexual with"
- "But again like i said, i've only spoken to 2 victims"
- "I watched a little bit of his birthday stream, he was incredibly off."
- She feels thankful to Arcadum for allowing Cry to contact him if anything. Arcadum was in the chat.
- "I think my main concern is what he might do to himself because of the outburst and all the outlash. I'm glad that he's got someone that he can contact"
- "Personally, as I said without knowing any of the new information that recently came out, I do think that he deserves another shot and I know that might be too hard for some people to hear. I do think it deserves another shot but I think he needs to take a very long break and reflect on everything that he's done. But it also depends on when you information has been brought up to light, like I said."
- "He has when he's being at a low mental state. When I was still in contact with him he was specially talkative when he had a low mental state, I think. There were nights that I wouldn't be able to sleep because he was having a breakdown and I wouldn't be able to go to sleep until I knew he was okay. I have stayed up a lot of nights with him. I'm not sure if that's something he did with everyone. I think Beanie mentioned that she did also stayed up on the phone with him until 2 am because he was having breakdowns" (chat asked if it seemed like he had a pattern of talking to victims)
- "No, I don't think Scott is in the wrong at all. I've seen a lot of.... people saying he was partaking in skype calls or something. That's the first I've ever heard of that. Personally I have never heard of that in my life. I don't think Scott is an evil person at all, I think he's under much stress like the rest of us. I don't think he's done anything wrong that I can account for."
- "Yeah I'm safe. Thank you guys for being concerned about that.... Cry is very much behind me, in my past."
- "I do think if he has been involved with any minors that he does deserve legal repercussions. There's no way around that if he has been explicit with minors needs to serve time in my opinion"
- "He didn't really have like a father figure growing up I'm not sure if it's my place to say but he didn't really have a father figure and his sister and his niece rely on him. They live with him. He is the main source of income in the household, if that's wording that right." (chat asked what kind of home life Cry had)
- "He did want a relationship. Our relationship was very much, caring, it wasn't all explicit. He was a very caring individual towards me"
- She believes Cry didn't have any friends "in real life"
- "I do trust Jund and Snake"

- “I have seen his face if that’s what you’re asking but I won’t share it because I don’t think it’s my place and I do still have respect for his privacy” (chat asked how serious Cry was about the relationship)
- “I do think his niece is safe around him, I wouldn’t call him a pedophile by any means. I really wouldn’t.”
- “I definitely want to see if he’ll be honest. To be completely honest with you all I feel like he’ll try to downplay the situation again, but we’ll see. I’m just glad the crew will be completely honest if he’s not this time.”
- “He’s always has mental issues, to be honest. As time went on they definitely became more apparent. I believe this is something that has build up for years, without trying to sound dramatic.” (Chat asked when Cry’s mental issues became apparent)
- “I feel like he was very neglected as a child and for that I really do sympathize with him”
- “I think the more it’s taking, the more people are losing faith and rightfully so. His first video.... should’ve been way more to articulated than it was. He should’ve been way more forward about it.”
- “I think Cheyenne is angry and she has the right to be angry but I also think she’s been projecting a little bit towards the crew. I do 100% believe the crew when they say they didn’t know to what extent things were happening and they 100% have my support for that. I think Cheyenne needs to take a little break from twitter and social media to have time to recollect her thoughts and... to process everything a little bit. I don’t think she means to be hostile... I think, like all of us she’s panicking. She’s expressing her panic differently.”
- “I don’t think it’s affected me as harshly as it has other victims, like I said I’m currently in a state of forgiveness right now, I don’t know man”
- “I think I’m definitely different from the other victims because I’m not holding a huge grudge. I wouldn’t say it’s affecting me anymore. It hurts to talk about I wouldn’t say I’m traumatized because of it if you know what I mean”
- “It wouldn’t make sense for him to not share it with family but also he’s always been secretive And I don’t think he’s ever really been close to his family. So, who knows what’s happening to be honest” (chat asked if she thought Cry has shared what’s happening with his family)
- “Cheyenne is absolutely a victim regardless of how she acts”
- “I think it does to some extent, but I’ve also been thinking about this with a really clear and level head.” (Chat asked if her perspective was clouded because she still cares for Cry) (this is based on what she currently knows)
- “I don’t think it’s my place to decide if he gets another shot” (she mentions how she wasn’t as affected as the other victims)
- “I didn’t know about Cheyenne but I didn’t know there was other people involved” (chat asked if she knew about Cry cheating)
- “I mean I guess. He definitely had a lot of mental health issues going on and I definitely stayed up many nights because I was concerned for his safety, that he’d do something to himself. If he didn’t, then I feel like he definitely regrets it now. But apparently he was doing this 2 days ago so who fucking knows honestly. (Chat asked if he expressed any regret)

- She says Cry did not introduce her/them to many of the crew.
- "I'm doing okay"
- "Thank you guys so much"
- **TW // mention self-harm|suicide**
- "Yes. Which is why I am especially worried about him now" (chat asked if Cry ever expressed any form of self harm or suicide)
- "No, he's never threatened me with anything like that. But i have had to talk him down from things (chat asked if Cry ever threatened to self harm)
- "No" (chat asked if all victims were female)
- "Scott made a very good point. It was just rumors and he was not given any evidence of it. And it was his main source of income so I don't blame him" (referring to people on twitter asking Jund that 'if he knew why didn't he leave or say something')
- "At least once a week. With me personally" (chat asked how often he had mental breakdowns)
- "No everything that we did was online" (chat asked if Cry ever tried to take the relationship outside the realm of the internet)
- "It's a thin line. And you're probably right, I probably have been manipulated but ... eh" (somebody in chat mentioned how it sounded clear that Cry did manipulate her)
- "I haven't really slept very much"
- "Generally I'm okay. I'm still processing a lot of this, but generally I'm okay."
- "I don't think he used his mental breakdowns to manipulate me"
- "His family I think, was generally it. He almost always felt like he was never really getting anywhere with his life I think, because he was always supporting his family." (Chat asked if there was a "theme" to his breakdowns)
- "This is new. Not really new new information to me, but I did find out about only after I stopped interacting with him" (chat brought up how Chey claimed on twitter that Cry had Skype sex on his birthday with a 16 year old)
- "And to be completely honest, I am currently as level headed as I can be but a lot of this still doesn't make sense to me. So I do agree that maybe I was manipulated..."
- She apologizes and mentions she feels really sorry for the victims, not only of Cry's but others who opened up in chat.
- "I am pissed at him. I think he needs to be a lot more honest than he's currently been. He has a lot more that he needs to explain. Like I said, I don't think he's going to be truthful but that's why I'm happy that the guys said they would come forward if he didnt" (chat asked how she felt at how nonchalant Cry went about the subject)
- "It felt more like respect. I was going to pull up receipts and screenshots during the stream, but I think I'll save those for twitter. It makes me feel a lot of things when I look at them and I'm trying not to get emotional." (chat asked if when she told him she was underage and Cry backed off, did it feel like he did it out of respect or because of lack of affection)
- "We basically expressed that we shouldn't be talking to each other and it was more of a mutual agreement than me being like 'okay bye'"
- "I guess. I'm not really a professional and kind of analyzing these situations, I do to a degree. But also at the same time he backed off and he wasn't the one to reach out

to me.... no it's a very complicated situation. (chat asked if she felt that she this was grooming like many people have said)

- "He better. He has a lot of explanation to do" (chat asked if she thinks Cry would come back at this point)
- "He had to have known something was wrong. I don't think he knew to what degree was wrong, but he absolutely had to know that it was wrong to some degree." (Chat asked if Cry knew that he was doing something wrong when he talked to so many young people)
- "No Cry never asked me for my age, I was the one who told him" (chat asked)
- "I think he should leave for a while. Forever depending on what the recent information that's come out is.... my answers are very much dependent on just my personal experience" (chat asked if she think Cry should leave his platform for some time or forever)
- "I think to some degree he does feel guilt he also Beanie made a post a few days before he posted his video. So I think that maybe made him take a huge turn and reanalyze everything. If he wasn't already feeling genuine guilt. I still don't know. Because to be honest Beanie never named him until he uploaded that video so I don't think that post makes a massive difference, I think it does to some degree... not everybody would've known it was him, you know." (Chat asked if Cry had genuine guilt and courage to finally speak up after many years or if he only spoke up because he didn't want to be outed by someone else)
- "Yes because he wasn't aware of my age. But I also feel that to a certain degree that's not true and he would have to have known some people's ages, you know. Like I feel like you just don't talk to people without knowing their ages, especially if it's explicit. (chat asked if she believes Cry when he said he wasn't aware of the ages)
- "He was on medication for his ADHD. I'm not sure if he was on medication for anything else. I don't think he was seeing a therapist either" (chat asked if she knew if Cry was on medication when they were on contact)
- "I did talk about my issues with him. Which is partly why I reached out to him, he was very good understanding these things. He was very helpful. But it was mostly him. He had more issues than I did, I feel like" (chat asked if they talked about their personal stuff/issues)
- "I don't know. Like I said I think he just gets attention and he jumps at it because he's never really had it." (chat asked if cry deliberately didn't ask for her age)
- "When I talked to him he seemed very genuine to be honest. I don't think he's faked a personality, I think that's just the way that he is." (Chat asked if Cry's YouTube/Twitter personality has been fake all this time)
- "No he never shared any explicit pictures with me"
- "No" (chat asked if Cry ever asked to send pictures)
- "I'm glad i have seek professional help... and that's what's helped me kinda forgive him" (chat asked if she reached out for professional help)
- "If anything, I think you can all kind of take away from this to not put content creators on pedestals. You can appreciate the art. Separate the art from the artist, that's what I'm trying to say. And just don't let it get you too down. I know a lot of you have been watching him since he started but yeah, it must be really hard for people who were

massive fans of him. It must be really hard and my heart really, really does ache for you guys.” (Chat asked for advice for those who felt upset at what he did)

- “No. I’m not sure if he ever will. I kind of expressed that I didn’t want him to contact me like, ever again, but if he does I am open to hearing what he has to say. But that by no means means that I’ll stay in contact with him” (chat asked if Cry has reached out to her)
- “Most of them were text, we did voice chat a lot. I think we video chatted like once, but it was mostly text” (chat asked if it was mainly voice or text communication)
- “Yeah, I think his statistics were 18-25 years old were the most I think, at least that’s what I last heard but who knows” (chat mentioned that Cry must’ve known his audience and the likelihood of talking to an underage fan was extremely high because he had access to the statistics)
- “Basically with lolcow forms. I believed a lot of what was posted and to this day I believe that what was posted is real. And I confronted him about and he wasn’t very honest about it. And plus with him being involved with Cheyenne it was a lot of guilt. I wouldn’t say we ended on bad terms because he did let me know and he didn’t try to stop me from leaving but I definitely didn’t leave with a good opinion of him” (chat asked why they ended on bad terms)
- She mentions she was 12 when she started watching his content, and she’s 20 now
- “We video chatted when I was 18”
- She mentions she did watch LNC and looked at his Twitter page to see how he was doing and “part of her was waiting for him to happen”
- She thinks a lot of people have said that they don’t want him to contact them
- “I’m not sure if the people involved would be okay with me saying it, but that was one of the victims and they posted sexual chat logs... and yeah.. spicy (chat asked what was posted on lolcow)
- “I agree. I don’t think he deserves to be doxxed. I don’t think anybody deserves to be doxxed, regardless of who they are. Doxxing is a really terrible thing” (chat brought up how Cry’s address and personal information is being spread)
- “He did lose a lot of weight. (I think) he’s a lot more confident in his appearance now than he would’ve been prior to when I met him. But I think keeping his identity secret is less about being self-conscious and more, very much because he wants to protect his family” (chat asked if Cry was self-conscious)
- “Nah. I genuinely kept it to myself. I wouldn’t have interacted with the crew anyway unless they interacted with me, you know” (chat asked if Cry ever asked her to keep quiet)
- “I think it is appropriate that he’s being removed from the D&D games and losing his place. He needs consequences, regardless if they were minors or not, he has manipulated people and he needs to face the consequences for it, you know”
- “Especially in 2018, he didn’t talk much about them anymore” (regarding LNC and how over the years they distanced themselves; chat had asked)
- “I do think he cares about people, it’s just a question of who” (chat asked if she think if Cry truly cares about anyone)
- “100%. Beanie especially, I’m not sure if everybody’s seen what Beanie posted. She was 100% manipulated” (chat asked if it was confirmed that Cry manipulated people)

- “Cry’s brother is my age, and that’s really creepy now that I think about it. Jesus Christ” (chat asked if Cry had a younger brother)
- “He’s 100% just saving face. I did think he changed but when Snake said yesterday he had been doing this up until 2 days ago I don’t think he’s changed. I do want him to be able to change and I want him to have the chance to change.... but I don’t think he’s changed.” (chat asked if she thinks that Cry actually changed)
- After this first hour, it becomes a bit of random talk. She impersonates Cry (funny to watch), talks about her love for choccy milk, and interacts with chat about her interests. A few questions popped up but from my knowledge, most were already repeated ones. The stream goes on for 4 more hours.
- She also proceeds to open up her own discord since chat was really hyping her up to do it and she liked the idea.
- She plans to stream more often and was really grateful for the support.
- If I were to describe her tone, she sounded very genuine.
- At the end of the stream she gets a bit emotional and admits that she’s not doing too well. She ended like this:
- Somebody in chat asked “what are your feelings on this? Sorry I missed the first part of the stream” to which she replied “I’m done pretending that I am okay I’m sorry. I’m not..... I think I’m going to call it here if that’s okay with you guys. I think I need to rest a little bit.”