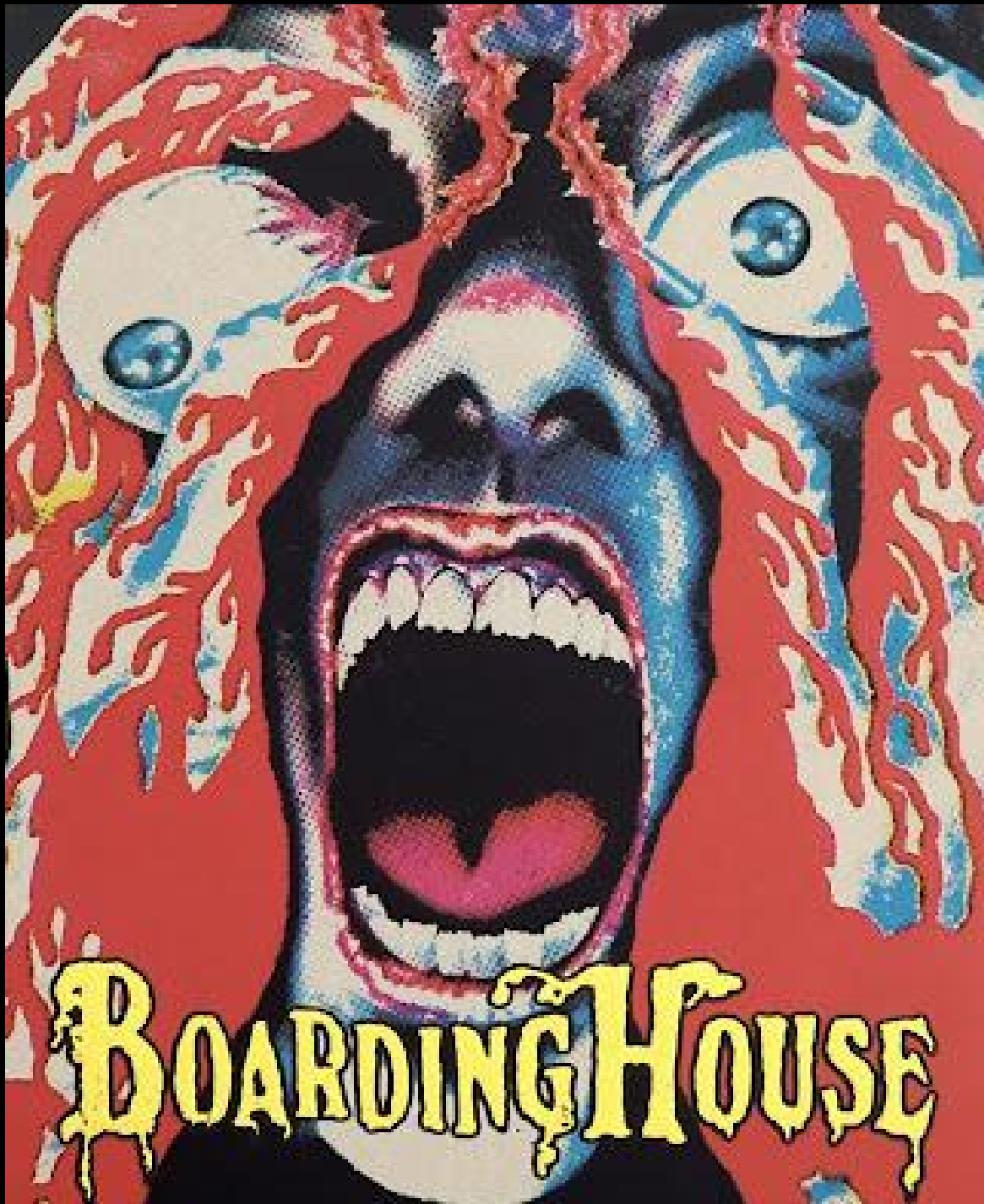


Motel Mutilation



Boarding House (1982)

Freaks

Ruby Viper

Who Was this Freak???: Ivy Haag ran an orphanage. She put snake eggs in hungry bellies, and fucked the reptiles that squirmed out of those kids.

What Are They Now???: A writhing knot of scarlet snakes in a nude woman's skin, tearing at her seams churning and pulsing and bulging

Why Won't This Freak Die???: Snakes killed by strikes or shots are swallowed by the others and there's always more.

Revelations: 1

Rapture: Feed the Baby

Startling Fetish: Snake Egg

Doom: The snakes eat each other into a bloated ouroboros before squelching out of existence entirely.

Indigo Baby

Who Was this Freak???: Genesis Jupiter never stood a chance. His parents soaked his skin in essential oils and buried gemstones in his flesh from the time he was born. Cult leadership (hypnotic orgies, forced overdoses) all came pretty naturally to him.

What Are They Now???: Cold light winking beneath his closed eyes, deep blue skin pustulent and blistering around gemstones festering like tumors.

Why Won't This Freak Die???: The universe won't allow it: his deaths are half remembered dreams, already unraveling as he picks himself up off the floor

Revelations: 1

Rapture: Flower Child

Startling Fetish: Sunflower Staff

Doom: His eyes open, and in the same instant, he is gone.

Loanshark

Who Was this Freak???: You only ever met Hollis Bouch when no one else would meet with you, when you'd already choked on the smoke of all the bridges you'd burned. Hollis fed on greed and desperation, until a junkie fed him his balls.

What Are They Now???: A squat, lead-heavy demon, a coin in each eye socket and a mouth full of other people's teeth, scraps of testicle caught in the broken edges.

Why Won't This Freak Die???: He'll take everything you can give him and like it.

Revelations: 1

Rapture: Pound of Flesh

Startling Fetish: Heavy Chain

Doom: Too heavy for the earth, he sinks through the ground as it screams with the pain of his weight

Craterhead

Who Was this Freak???: The earth fucking hated Kyoko Barnett: its pollen-heavy air choked her, its flora and fauna were indigestible and strange. She hated it back, and the Air Force offered her freedom from the planet and napalm revenge against its children.

What Are They Now???: Combat boots hovering above the ground, tattered flight suit, pilot helmet smashed inward, cracked glass and steel fused to her skull.

Why Won't This Freak Die???: The earth will never let her rest in it, no matter how broken her body is.

Revelations: 1

Raptures: Crash and Burn

Startling Fetish: Flare Gun

Doom: Gravity loses its last tether on her. She is flung skyward, burning up like an inverted meteor.

Puppetfinger

Who Was this Freak???: Yetta Merriman's hands were her best and only friends. The rest of her body was a knotted mess of burn scars; only her hands survived the fire. Long and perfect and beautiful, they caressed and consoled her, and dressed in puppet-skins, they even spoke to her.

What Are They Now???: Shuffling shape beneath a white shroud. Gnarled arms protrude: dislocated at the elbow, ending in deadly, unblemished hands, each finger wearing a different puppet.

Why Won't This Freak Die???: Her hands are indestructible, and can always piece the rest of the body back together.

Revelations: 1

Raptures: A New Friend

Startling Fetish: Fabric Scissors

Doom: Her body is of no more use to the hands. They tear themselves from her wrists and scuttle towards freedom.

The Black Site Baptist

Who Was this Freak???: By the time he died, executed in the same secret prison he'd worked in for the majority of his life, Garth Muncy had forgotten his own name. He'd hadn't needed it: he was in the business of grinding identity into brutal stumps: the one who hurts and the one who hurts them.

What Are They Now???: Hulking, silent. White tee, black cargo pants. Black boots. Black gloves and a black veil, dripping and heavy with water, sucked into the sunken hollow of his mouth.

Why Won't This Freak Die???: Black water spills from his wounds. He feels nothing.

Revelations: 1

Raptures: Talk to Me

Startling Fetish: Rusty Pliers

Doom: His own veil drowns him; his breathing heard for the first time as it sputters out.

Altars

Room 1

Bedroom

Nitrous Tank and Mask (Fetish)

Stained Sheets

Velvet Horse Painting

Half-Eaten Candy Bar

Bathroom

Radio Playing Boxing Match

Candy-Flavored Condoms

Dripping Sink

Sacrifices

Penny Poulin

Lamb: Terror 4

Doom: Dream Deep

Deep, Bruise-Purple Eyes

White Lace and Sapphires

Fidgety

Nitrous Problem

Room 2

Bedroom

Chunky Diamond Rings (Fetish)

Worn Pulp Fantasy Novel

Cigarette Ash

Nudie Mag

Bathroom

Cracked Mirror (Fetish)

Wet Towel

Bloody Toothbrush

Sacrifices

Deon Bain

Wolf: Terror 3, Teeth 10

Doom: Perfect Smile

Ex-Military

Butt-Chin

Bitten Nails

Disgusting Teeth

Photorealistic Dog Tattoo

Room 3

Bedroom

TV Tuned to "1000 lb Sisters" (Fetish)

Tiny Chipped Gnome Figurines

Binoculars

Polaroid Camera

Bathroom
Remarkably Clean
Towels Crispily Folded
Developing Polaroids

Sacrifices
Pamela Anglin
Lamb: Terror 3
Doom: Under My Skin
Cop
Chewed Lips
Fried Bleached Hair
Too-Small Wife-Beater
Like Nine Different Belts

Room 4

Bedroom
Katana (Fetish)
Wallpapered with Torn Bible Pages and Tape
Incense
Mice Chewing Paper

Bathroom
Prescription Bottles Everywhere
Rusted Pipes
Tub Full of Water

Sacrifices
King Nixon
Lamb: Terror 2
Doom: The Kingdom is Yours
Tall, Skeletal
Jean Jacket Covered in Jesus Patches
Huge Hands
Astrological Face Tattoos
Driving Gloves

Lobby

Scuffed Particleboard Desk
Singing Cattish
Ripped Faux Leather Armchairs
Grimy Windows
Peacock Feather Display
Scratched Up Poster for Hawaiian Cruise
Guttering AC Unit

Sacrifices
Lashay Kilgore
Lamb: Terror 2
Doom: Filthy Habit
Sitting at Desk
Barbie-Level Plastic Surgery
White Gloves
Claw-Sharp Nails
Chewing Tobacco, Spitting into "Babe" Mug

Duncan Valentine

Lamb: Terror 4

Doom: Cupid's Arrow

Checking In

Bigass Cigar

Harsh, Harsh Fake Tan

Red Leather Trenchcoat

Skin-Tight Black Jeans

Trenton Sloan

Wolf: Terror 4, Teeth 6

Doom: Looney Toons

Lounging in Armchair

Newspaper

Pensive

Grotesquely Ripped

One Arm

Sequined Shirt

Donetta DIII

Wolf: Terror 3, Teeth 8

Doom: Ouroboros

Chain Smoking Out the Window

Middle-Aged, Looks Older

Elaborate Acrylic Nail Dragon Art

Puka Shell Necklace

Schoolgirl Skirt

Management Office

Bent, Filthy Blinds

Dark Heirloom Desk
Virgin Mary Candle
Open Gin Bottle
Water Stain on Ceiling

Sacrifices
Leda Coughlin
Lamb: Terror 4
Doom: See No Evil
Drunk, Sleeping
Tiny, Waitlike
Horn Rim Glasses
Huge Turquoise Rings
Oversized Green Blazer

Staff Bathroom

Broken Lightbulb
Distressed Zebra Clipped From Safari Magazine
Gummy Lobster-Shaped Soap Bar

Maid's Room

Carefully Sharpened Pencil (Fetish)
Chipped White Dresser
Too-Low Desk
Bowl of Wrinkled Plums
Half Finished Sketches of Dancers
Rickety Bed

Sacrifices

Hallna Ivory

Lamb: Terror 3

Doom: Starving Artist

Hunched At Desk, Drawing

Bug-Eyed

Shock of Red Hair

Insensitive Tribal Sleeve

Tracksuit

Suite 1

Btg Chefs Knife (Fetish)

Kitchenette

Shining Swan Tiles

Mud Tracked on Floor

Browning Apple Slices

Bedroom

Sky Blue Sheets

Huge Pile of Pillows

Filthy Sneakers on Floor

Bathroom

Lilac Walls

Goofy Little Clouds Painted on Ceiling

Overwhelming Pinesol Smell

Sacrifices

Booker Gage

Lamb: Terror 4

Doom: Blue Eyes White Dragon

Teen

White Guy Dreads

Ripped, Stained Pink Pants

Wolf Graphic Tee

Bennie Gage

Wolf: Terror 3, Teeth 6

Doom: Lust for Life

Worldly

Sunglasses

Homemade Straw Hat

Wide Smile

Very Fat

Glittery Lipstick

Suite 2

Silver Zippo (Fetish)

Kitchenette

Nightmarishly Grimy

Roaches Underfoot

Pine Tree Painting Looms

Bedroom

Pack of Cards

Beer Bottles Arranged On Window Sill

Murky, Underwater Lighting

Spilled Change

Bathroom

Tall, Bald Man's Body, Folded and Drowned In the Toilet

Cracked Hand Soap Bottle Leaking Onto Floor
Crusty Kitten Face Hand Towels
Tibetan Book of the Dead on the Back of the Toilet

Sacrifices
Idalla Nunn
Wolf: Terror 2, Teeth 13
Doom: Pay the Piper
Assassin
Body Covered In Skeleton Tattoos
Switchblade
Loose Fitting Yellow Suit, Matching Gloves
Crocheted Headscarf, Homemade

Storage
Weedwacker (Fetish)
Cobwebs
Molding Porn Taped Up
Glint of Old Paint Cans
Shovel
Lawnmower