

PRIME CONNECTION SCIENCE FICTION STORY-- LOW BUDGET

EXT. PARKING LOT- LAB. DAY.

PAUL 30, STEVE 28 and RACHEL 29 wearing white lab coats are having some fun.

PAUL  
Man those Rats sure didn't like  
that new medicine we gave them, Huh  
Rachel?

RACHEL  
Yeah. I kept getting bit. Look at  
all my bandages. You all want to  
get a drink at Drake's?

STEVE  
Sure but let's just take Paul's  
cool car this time.

RACHEL  
Fine by me.

PAUL  
That means I'm the designated  
driver? Come on man, I did it last  
time.

STEVE  
You know I have a car with over  
300000 miles, right? I would just  
rather have you do it. Look, I'll  
pay you gas.

PAUL  
Fine.

RACHEL  
Hey I have been working on a new  
invention. It's right here in my  
bag I meant to show it to you guys.

PAUL  
What is it?

Rachel pulls it out She gets in the back seat of Paul's car.

Paul hesitates getting in the driver's seat.

PAUL (CONT'D)  
Hey Steve why don't you drive this time?

STEVE  
Oh fine.

Paul and Steve switch places.

INT. CAR ON THE ROAD. LATE AFTERNOON.

Rachel shows them a new kind of gun.

RACHEL  
It's a sonic gun.

STEVE  
How's it work?

RACHEL  
I'm using sound waves to paralyze...

While Rachel was describing the sonic gun something catches Steve's attention in the car.

STEVE  
Looks like you did some work on the dash board, Paul. Maybe we should call you an inventor.

Scenes of the road are flying past the car as they drive. It begins to get darker out. The radio is turned on.

RADIO ANNOUNER  
Now for other news. Scientist said they have made first contact with aliens on planet Earth.

STEVE  
All right!

Paul and Steve do a high five. Rachel even smiles. Suddenly they hear a large explosion which shakes the car. They see flashes of light and hear screaming.

PAUL  
What's happening?

They hit a black animal that isn't identified.

PAUL (CONT'D)  
Fuck Steve. That was a dog, man.

PAUL (CONT'D)  
You hit a fucking dog. I thought  
you knew how to drive.

RACHEL  
Aw poor dog.

STEVE  
Fine you wanna drive. You drive.

They change places but stand outside the car looking around.  
Police cars and Ambulance drive by.

Steve sees cars parked with people hunched over the steering  
wheel. Rachel rolls the window down.

STEVE (CONT'D)  
Looks like dead people in cars,  
man.

RACHEL  
What's happening?

PAUL  
I'll be right back.

Paul disappears outside into the dark.

RACHEL  
Holy shit where's he going?

STEVE  
Let me see your gun. Does it work?

RACHEL  
Yes.

She hands him the gun and he points it at the darkness where  
Paul disappeared. Paul comes racing back. His clothes are  
tattered and he's bloody.

PAUL  
People are mad. Let's get out of  
here.

Paul and Steve get into the car.

STEVE  
You'll have to show me how this gun  
works because It wouldn't shoot.

RACHEL  
It worked. Didn't you see Paul?

STEVE  
Huh? Yeah right.

They are driving again.

RACHEL  
Come on Paul the people aren't all  
bad. Let's try to help them.  
There's one now stop the car.

PAUL STOPS THE CAR. THE HITCHHIKER GETS INTO THE CAR.

HITCHHIKER  
Hey man thanks for stopping. I'm  
trying to get to the police dept. I  
need to tell them there is a  
radiating form of energy over at  
Wilson's farm. But I...

He becomes sick and dies.

RACHEL  
Oh my god he's dead. He vomited on  
me.

PAUL  
Quick, let's get him out of the  
car.

They pull him out of the car and keep driving. Meanwhile  
yellow tentacles reach out of the heater and reach for them.  
One is going around Paul's neck.

RACHEL  
Give me my gun.

Steve gives it to her. She aims it at the tentacle around  
Paul's neck. And it screams and goes away. They drive around  
again and pick up another hitchhiker,

HITCHHIKER  
Hey thanks for the ride. Are ya  
goin' to the city?

RACHEL  
No we're looking for Wilson's farm.  
Do you know where it is?

HITCHHIKER  
It's just back there. Why?

STEVE

We think its the place all the trouble started. Can you show us where?

HITCHHIKER

Sure.

The hitchhiker show them where to drive.

Finally they come to Wilson's farm and under the farm light they see a silhouette of a cone shaped alien with 20 tentacles waving around. The black animals run on his command and scatter into the darkness. Steve grabs the CB attached to the megaphone on the top of the car.

STEVE

Hello, what are you doing? That's not very nice.

ALIEN

ARRRRR Cutting the Chaff ARRRRRR.

Paul grabs the CB.

PAUL

Stop doing that. Or we will kill you.

ALIEN

ARRRRR No.

STEVE

Come on man tell me what all these buttons do?

RACHEL

You could just use my gun to kill them.

She is looking at her nails.

HITCHHIKER

Let's get out of here.

Steve presses a button. The windshield wipers come on.

He presses another one.

STEVE

Butt warmers

He presses another one. He is kicked out of the car and he gets up and goes back inside.

He presses one in a red box.

HITCHHIKER  
He's sending the creatures again.

STEVE  
Huh nothing happened.

ALIEN  
ARRRR Where'd you go? ARRRRR

All 4 humans looked at each other.

ALL  
Invisible. Let's drive around and  
shoot them.

So they drove around under an invisibility cloak and shoot at  
the aliens thus ending the nightmare.

As the drive away down the road.

RADIO ANNOUNER  
And for other news... at this time  
we have no more alien deaths. It  
remains to be seen if it will hold  
for a while...

ALL  
Time for a drink.

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