

# Ghost Stories

## guess the endings

### 1. The girl at the bus station

John was driving home late one night when he saw a young lady waiting by a bus stop. He stopped his car and told her...

"The buses don't work so late, can I give you a ride?"

It was very cold, so he took off his jacket and gave it to her. The girl's name was Mary and she was going to her home. After an hour's drive, they arrived at her home. John said good night and then he went to his home.

The next day John remembered that Mary still had his jacket. He drove to her house and knocked on the door. An old woman answered. John told her: "yesterday I drove Mary home and she has my jacket". The old woman was very confused. John saw a picture of Mary on the table. He pointed to it and told the old woman that it was a picture of the girl.

With her voice shaking.....

#### What did the old woman tell John?

• Choose one of these endings and write your own:

1. I am Mary.
2. Mary didn't arrive home yesterday.
3. Mary died many years ago.
- 4.



### 2. The Woman with the Velvet Ribbon

Long ago, a young man met and fell in love with a beautiful young woman. She was very beautiful and she always wore a ribbon around her neck. Soon the man and the woman were married and moved into a little cottage by the sea. The young man was more and more curious; why did his wife wear a ribbon around her neck all the time? One day he decided to ask her. The only answer he received was that he would be sorry if she took it off, so she would not take it off. The young man was not happy with his wife's answer.

Time passed and one day, he awoke before his wife, got a pair of scissors..., and cut off the ribbon that was around her neck.

#### What happened next?

Choose one of these endings and write your own:

1. The woman turned into a horrible witch
2. The woman's head fell off and rolled onto the floor.
3. She had a really horrible scar
- 4.



### 3. The Welcome Inn

Suzy and her mother were on holidays. They were driving home, very late at night, when a storm broke out. Suzy's mother could hardly see to drive. Then suddenly, they saw a house with a sign in front that said Welcome Inn. They parked in front of the door and knocked.

An old woman in old clothes answered the door with a smile. She welcomed them into the house. After enjoying a warm dinner, the woman took them to a cosy room to stay the night. Suzy and her mother slept soundly. When they awoke in the morning, the old woman wasn't anywhere. They decided to leave some money and a thank you note on the front hall table and they left.

Later they stopped for gas. Suzy's mother told the station attendant about the wonderful night they had spent at the Welcome Inn.

**What did the station attendant tell Suzy's mother?**

Choose one of these endings and write your own:

1. A fire destroyed The Welcome Inn many years ago.
2. There isn't any hotel with that name
3. That hotel is a haunted house.
- 4.



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### 4. All aboard!!

Herman was with some friends in the country. He went to bed late and did not sleep well. He heard a strange sound. He got up, went to the window, and looked out. There, in the full moon, he saw...a horse drawn carriage!

The carriage was carrying a coffin. The driver of the carriage looked up at the window. The driver's face was ghostly pale and very thin. "All aboard!!", he said.

Herman stepped back from the window and went to bed. The next morning, he told his friends about the carriage and driver and they all decided that he had had a very bad dream.

Later that day, Herman went back home to his apartment in the city. Just as he started to board the elevator, he looked at the elevator operator.....

**What did he see?**

Choose one of these endings and write your own:

1. Herman saw a coffin
2. He saw the driver of the carriage
3. He woke up! He was dreaming again!!
- 4.

