SPOOK'S LOST TREASURE

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INT. HOUSE DEN AND KITCHEN - DAY

THOMAS, 37, is in the den working on some accumulated assignments while, MARTHA, 37, is in the kitchen cooking lunch.

THOMAS

I wish I was watching a movie with my wife.

MARTHA (O.S.)

Why is my husband such a workaholic?! He doesn't seem to be around anymore.

EXT. DRIVEWAY AND PATIO- DAY

SPOOK, a dark shadow, he has escaped from a psychiatric hospital and is now walking by the kitchen window and then enters the patio to observe the kitchen.

SPOOK

Lets see...the wife looks like she is too involved with the cooking. Good.I only have one chance. Lets make it count!

Spook enters the house, leaves the door open.

INT. Kitchen and Den - DAY

Spook moves sprints across the kitchen. Martha notices a black blob move quickly.

MARTHA

OMG! What was that!

Martha quickly turns around in hopes of seeing the black blob but has no luck. She only sees the open door. Frustrated she calls her husband to protest about the open door.

MARTHA (CONT'D)

Thomas!!! How many times have I told you to close the door when you go out!!!

THOMAS (O.S.)

But Honey... I haven't gone out yet!

MARTHA

Ugh! When are you going to learn to close the door!

INT. HOUSE FOYER-DAY

Spook enters the den and puts his hand over Thomas' mouth and drags him to the front yard.

SPOOK

Shhhh. We are going to do this quickly and you will be back before your wife notices your absence.

EXT. FRONT YARD

Spook sits Thomas down on the front lawn and demands the treasure.

SPOOK

Ok I don't want to waste time. Tell me where is the treasure.

Thomas puzzled looks at Spook and responds.

THOMAS

First of all who are you? And second there is treasure here?

SPOOK

Really?! Tell me where is the treasure!

THOMAS

I don't know but lets go look for it.

SPOOK

Ok. Now don't go playing tricks on me.

THOMAS

Lets go!

EXT. NEIGHBORHOOD PARK

Spook and Thomas are searching for the treasure in the lonely park.

THOMAS

Are you sure its here? I don't see anything. I'm tired and hungry.

SPOOK

Stop protesting. It has to be here. You can have food later.

Thomas sees that Spook is concentrated on the search and tries to escape. Spook turns around and sees Thomas running away.

SPOOK (CONT'D)
Hey! I told you no tricks!

Spook catches up and grabs Thomas. They engage in a wrestle match that eventually lands them on the treasure.

THOMAS

Hey! What's that?

SPOOK

Hey! That's my treasure! You found
it!

THOMAS

A phone? That's what we were looking for? You could have bought another one!

Spook unlocks his phone and begins watching YouTube.

Thomas runs home leaving behind Spook, who had escaped from a psychiatric hospital.

INT. HOUSE FOYER-DAY

Thomas enters house and Martha is looking at him as he enters.

THOMAS

Honey! I missed you!

Martha slaps him on the face and then hugs him.

MARTHA

Where have you been! I was worried about you! I called everybody I know to ask about your whereabouts.

FADE OUT.