

jeff the shark radioplay script

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LIGHT, HAPPY MUSIC WITH PEOPLE TALKING, TRAFFIC  
NOISE, BIRDS CHIRPING AND CHILDREN LAUGHING AND  
PLAYING

NARRATOR           New york city

(CONFIDENTLY)

JEFF SNORES AND THEN WAKES UP AND YAWNS

JEFF                 Mrrrrrrr

(TIREDLY)

FABRIC MOVING AS JEFF PUTS HIS MAT IN A BASKET

BASKET MOVING AS JEFF WALKS OFF WITH IT AND THE  
MUSIC FADES

JEFF                 Mrrr!

(SURPRISED)

HEROIC SOUND EFFECT

NARRATOR           The sanctum sanctorum, home of doctor strange,  
(CONFIDENTLY)     sorcerer supreme!!

JEFF                 Heh.

(SNEAKILY)

SNEAKY MUSIC BEGINS TO PLAY AND JEFF SWINGS THE  
DOORS OPEN AND THEY HIT THE WALL

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JEFF THROWS THE BASKET AND IT BUMPS ALONG THE  
FLOOR

SPARKLING NOISES

JEFF                   Heh heh heh  
(PROUDLY)

SNEAKY MUSIC FADES AND SLOW SUSPENSFUL MUSIC  
STARTS

THE DOOR CREAKS LOUDLY

JEFF                   Mrrr?  
(CURIOSLY)

JEFF SLAMS THE DOORS AND THE MUSIC FADES

JEFF'S FOOTSTEPS PAD ALONG THE FLOOR AND SNAKES  
HISS

ALEISTER             Ugh. Its jeff  
(ANNOYED)

THUNDER NOISES WHEN JEFF GROWLS

JEFF                   Grrrr  
(ANGRILY)

JEFF WHIPS ROUND AND MAKES SHARP WIND MOVEMENTS

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JEFF                   GrrRRRrrrrr!!!!

(ANGRILY)

ALEISTER            You're growling at **us**?

(CONFUSED)

ANTON                Yeah, we **live** here, short stack

(MOCKINGLY)

ALEISTER            **you're** the one breaking and entering

(ACCUSATORY)

ANTON                Did he actually "**break**" in?

(CONFUSED)

ALEISTER            **who cares??!**

(ANNOYED)

JEFF WHIMPERS

JEFF                 Pfft.

(DISSMISSIVELY)

BOTH SNAKES        Huh??

(SHOCKED)

ALEISTER            Did he just "pfft" at us, anton?

(SURPRISED)

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ANTON                   He absolutely did aleister  
(BOTHERED)

ALEISTER               Well, i suppose this means war then  
(SMUGLY)

ANTON                   Indeed  
(SMUGLY)

JEFF'S FEET PAD ACROSS THE FLOOR AS HE WALKS AWAY

BOTH SNAKES SLITHER ACROSS THE FLOOR TO FOLLOW HIM

ALEISTER               His legs are *ridiculous*  
(ANNOYED)

ANTON                   ugh i hate them, so short  
(ANNOYED)

JEFF                    Hm!!  
(DISSMISSIVE AND  
ANNOYED)               —

THE DOORS CREAK OPEN

ALEISTER               Hey. You cant be in here, shorty  
(ANNOYED)

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ANTON                    Yeah, this area is off limits for dumb land sharks  
(ANNOYED)

SPARKLING SOUNDS FROM THE STONES

SLOW SUSPENSEFUL MUSIC FADES

JEFF                    Whoaaaaa  
(AMAZEMENT)

ALEISTER                Is he deaf? Are sharks deaf?  
(CONFUSION)

ANTON                    I dont think so. I think he just... doesnt respect  
(CONFUSION)            us?

ALEISTER                That's appalling.  
(BOTHERED)

ANTON                    I agree.  
(ANNOYED)

JEFF                    Mrrrrr  
(STRUGGLING)

ALEISTER                Those stupid little legs. I told you.  
(SMUGLY)

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ANTON                    I guess we don't have much to worry about.  
(SMUGLY)

ALEISTER                Certainly not  
(SMUGLY)

BOTH SNAKES            Heh heh heh  
(SMUGLY)

JEFF MAKES A THUNK NOISE AS HE GETS UP ON THE  
TABLE

JEFF                    Mrrph  
(PLEASED)

ALEISTER GASPS BEFORE HIS NEXT LINE

ALEISTER                That stumpy legged brat!  
(ANGRY)

ANTON                    Wait. He cant **eat** those gems who knows what magics  
(WORRIED)                they conta--

JEFF GULPS ONE OF THE STONES DOWN

TENTACLES POP OUT OF JEFF

ONE OF THE SNAKES DO A SMALL SCREAM

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JEFF                   PTOOO!  
(DISGUSTED)

ANTON                   Octopus arms aren't so bad

ALEISTER               But what **else** is on that table?  
(WORRIED)

JEFF                   Mmm?  
(CURIOSLY)

MUNCH NOISE FROM JEFF

JEFF                   Nom nom nom

ANTON                   Whatever that one is it cant be that--

EXPLOSION AND SPARKLING SOUNDS. EVERYTHING GOES  
HIGH PITCHED

ANTON                   --bad

ALEISTER               You were **saying** Anton.  
(ANNOYED)

ANTON                   Oh my!  
(SHOCKED)

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JEFF Mrrr!

(SHOCKED)

ALEISTER How dare you affect our personage!

(ANGRY)

ANTON So *uncouth!*

(ANGRY)

JEFF Mrrr?

(CONFUSED)

JEFF P-TOO!

JEFF SPITS THE STONE OUT AND THE AUDIO PITCH GOES  
BACK TO NORMAL

ALEISTER Out of our house, you short monstrosity!

(ANGRY)

ANTON Knock the table over, Aleister!

(ANGRY)

JEFF Mrrr?!

(WORRIED AND

CONFUSED)

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CLINKING NOISES OF THE STONES FALLING OFF THE  
TABLE

JEFF HITS THE GROUND

JEFF                   Mrrrf.  
(DEFEATED)

ANTON                   That's right, push it over on him!  
(CONFIDENTLY)

PLOPPING OF THE STONES GOING INTO JEFF'S POCKET  
AND SPARKLING NOISES

KRRR-THUNK OF THE TABLE FALLING OVER

JEFF                   Mrrr!  
(CONFIDENT AND  
ANNOYED)               —

INTENSE SCARY MUSIC STARTS TO PLAY

ALEISTER               Oh no you don't, those are sanctum sanctorum  
(ANGRY)                 property!

ANTON                   Yeah!  
(ANGRY)

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ANTON Wait. Do we really care about that?

(CONFUSED)

ALEISTER I do now!

(ANGRY)

ANTON Yeah, me too!

(FURIOUS)

THUNDER NOISES

ALEISTER **HSSSSS!**

(FURIOUS)

JEFF YELPS IN FEAR

SHUFFLING OF FIGHTING AND BONK, CRASH, HSSS, BUMP,  
BANG, BITE OF JEFF AND THE SNAKES FIGHTING

JEFF WHINES

THE SHADOW DEMON'S GLASS SMASHES

BOTH THE SNAKES SCREAM

JEFF GROWLS

BOTH SNAKES ***shadow demon!!!***

(TERRIFIED)

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BOTH SNAKES ZIP AWAY

JEFF                   Grrrrrrrr!

(ANGRY)

ALEISTER             Dum dum! Get out of there!

(WORRIED)

ANTON                 You just released a shadow demon from that vessel!

(SCARED)

ALEISTER             It'll take your shadow!

(WORRIED)

JEFF                   GrrrRRRRrrrrr!

(FURIOUS)

THE INTENSE MUSIC FADES

WIND NOISE FROM THE SHADOW DEMON

JEFF                   Mrrrp!

(TERRIFIED)

SHUFFLING OF FIGHTING AND BONK WHACK BITE OF JEFF

AND THE SHADOW DEMON FIGHTING

JEFF GRUNTS

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JEFF                   Huh?

(CONFUSED AND  
SURPRISED)         —

WIND NOISE OF THE SHADOW DEMON

JEFF                   Ahh!

(SCARED)

JEFF                   Grrrrr!

(ANGRY)

SCARY SOUND FROM THE SHADOW DEMON

ALEISTER             Oh, it got him. I predicted that

(DISAPPOINTED)

ANTON                 There goes the neighbourhood.

(DISAPPOINTED)

ONE OF THE SNAKES HISS

ALEISTER             You're in trouble now, dummy

(MOCKINGLY)

ANTON                 He's got your shadow!

(MOCKINGLY)

JEFF'S FEET PAD AS HE MOVES

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JEFF Hm?

(CONFUSED)

JEFF'S FEET PAD AS HE MOVES AGAIN

JEFF Hm??

(CONFUSED)

JEFF'S FEET PAD AS HE MOVES AGAIN

JEFF Hm?????

(CONCERNED)

LOUD WIND NOISE OF THE SHADOW DEMON

JEFF Mrrr?!

(SCARED AND  
CONFUSED)

—

SCARY SOUND EFFECT OF THE SHADOW DEMON

JEFF GrrrRRRrrrr

(ANGRILY)

JEFF RUNS TOWARDS THE SHADOW DEMON

JEFF GRRRRRRRAW!

(ANGRILY)

GUST OF WIND AS JEFF GOES THROUGH THE SHADOW DEMON

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JEFF                   Aghh!!!

(SCARED)

CRASH OF JEFF HITTING THE WALL

ANTON                 Does he--

(CONFUSED)

ALEISTER             --think he can bite a shadow? I believe he does,

(CONFUSED)         Anton

ANTON                 He must have one of those walnut brains in all  
that cartilage

ALEISTER             Maybe an almond

ANTON                 Well, he wont have much time to keep biting at  
nothing

ALEISTER             Yes. Now that the demon has the shadow of a living  
thing, it will escape

ANTON                 Yes. And that will be better. Well, for **us**

(PLEASED)

JEFF TRIES TO BITE THE SHADOW DEMON AGAIN AND  
FALLS TO THE FLOOR WITH A WHOMP

A PORTAL OPENS UP AND MAKES PORTAL SOUNDS

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THE SHADOW DEMON GOES THROUGH IT WITH A VWOOP

JEFF Mrrr?

(CONFUSED)

JEFF **MrrRRRrrr!**

(ANGRILY)

JEFF JUMPS THROUGH THE PORTAL WITH A VWOOP

ALEISTER ...he just leapt headfirst into an unknown  
(SHOCKED) dimensional portal

ALEISTER I'd say that it was brave, but it was jeff, so i  
(SHOCKED) think it was just--

MOMENTARY SILENCE

ANTON --**dumb**

(DISAPPOINTED)

ALEISTER Yes, dumb

(DISAPPOINTED)

SPACEY TYPE MUSIC STARTS AS JEFF AND THE SHADOW  
DEMON IS GOING THROUGH THE PORTAL

JEFF Mrrrr?

(CONFUSED)

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TWO VWOOP NOISES AS THEY GET TO THE OTHER SIDE OF  
THE PORTAL AND THE MUSIC FADES

WIND NOISES AS THEY FALL THROUGH THE SKY

JEFF                   Grrr!  
(DISTRESSED)

CALMING MUSIC WITH BIRD NOISES WITH CHILDREN  
PLAYING IN THE BACKGROUND

JEFF                   Mrrr?!  
(SHOCKED)

JEFF FALLS INTO DEADPOOL

DEADPOOL             Hey! Cute land sharks falling out of the sky-- i  
(SURPRISED)         dont love it, but i also dont hate it, if y'know  
                       what i mean

JEFF AND DEADPOOL LAUGH TOGETHER

JEFF                   Mrrrrr!  
(HAPPY)

DEADPOOL             Jeff! Where ya been? You never call, never write.  
(HAPPY)             It's like we weren't best friends for a while at  
                       all

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JEFF **MRRR!**

(ANNOYED)

DEADPOOL Well, dont yell about it, dude

(CONFUSED)

DEADPOOL I gotta be honest, i dont know if its great that  
(CONFUSED) you have a new vortex power where you, like, fall  
out of the sky. Is that permanent? Maybe it has to  
do with your friend?

JEFF Mrrr?

(CONFUSED)

DEADPOOL He looked just like you... well, meaner, but you  
(SADLY) know, we all have our bad days.

JEFF Mrrr!

(SHOCKED)

DEADPOOL But it's **nice** you have a friend your size, no  
(HAPPY) judgement!

DEADPOOL Also, I too am frequently naughty and consider  
(HAPPY) myself one of your closest friends, and so really,  
I've changed my mind and I welcome your mean  
shaped friend with open arms

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THUNDER NOISES

JEFF MrrrrrrrRuffff!

(ANGRY)

DEADPOOL Did you just **bark**? I confess i always thought of  
(CONFUSED) you as more catlike than doglike, but you do you  
jeffery.

DEADPOOL Is your friend--?

(CONFUSED)

JEFF **MRRRRR!**

(ANGRY)

JEFF HITS DEADPOOL

DEADPOOL Okay, okay. **Not** your friend. Is that it? You don't  
(CONFUSED) like him

DEADPOOL Waitamminute! Are we talking "**enemy**" here? Dare i  
(SHOCKED) say, is that little doppelganger your nemesis?!

JEFF Pfft.

(ANNOYED)

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DEADPOOL All right. **Now**, we're getting somewhere. Is he a  
(CONFIDENTLY) clone? Did M.O.D.O.K. Try to build an upgrade of  
you? Or maybe he's a shapeshifter? Or a mutant  
with some weird ideas? Ooooh, is it a robot?

DEADPOOL I hope its a robot. I think there's **big** money in  
(CONFIDENTLY) jeff bots.

DEADPOOL But i see the look you're giving me and i take it  
(APOLOGETICALLY)back, there is definitely **no** money in making many  
versions of you for people to buy. I see its  
wrong, i know it. I apologize.

JEFF Mrrra**WWW!**  
(ANGRILY)

JEFF JUMPS UP AND HITS THE GROUND

DEADPOOL All right! Im sorry i even **thought** it. Since when  
(CONFUSED) are you the thought police, man?!

DEADPOOL This guy has really got you upset  
(SHOCKED)

JEFF GASPS

JEFF STARTS TO TAP DEADPOOL'S SHADOW ON THE GRASS

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DEADPOOL Oh. We're going to do this guessing game thing.

(CONFUSED) Okay, then. Um. Grass?

DEADPOOL No. Okay... green?

(CONFUSED)

JEFF PANTS OUT OF EXHAUSTION

JEFF SMACKS THE GROUND HARDER

DEADPOOL Still no. Park?

(CONFUSED)

JEFF Mrrr!

(FRUSTRATED)

JEFF JUMPS OUT OF FRUSTRATION

DEADPOOL Me?

(CONFUSED)

JEFF Ehhh

DEADPOOL Sorta. Hmmm. Ruggedly charming antihero perhaps?

(OVER-

CONFIDENTLY) —

JEFF INHALES SHARPLY

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DEADPOOL Sun! Day! The day after tomorrow! Tomorrow never  
(ENERGETICALLY) dies! Die another day! These are just bond movies  
now!

DEADPOOL Oh. Shadow  
(EMBARRASSED)

JEFF PANTS OUT OF EXHAUSTION

DEADPOOL Shadow. Got it. But--  
(CONFUSED)

DEADPOOL Oh. Whoa. You've got no shadow.  
(SHOCKED)

DEADPOOL That is some straight up peter pan stuff, jeff  
(SHOCKED)

DEADPOOL GASPS

DEADPOOL Wait. I got it. you're chasing a shadow demon that  
(CONFIDENTLY) stole your shadow

POPPING NOISE

JEFF Wahoo!!!  
(HAPPILY)

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PEOPLE IN           YAYYYYYY!!!  
BACKGROUND

DEADPOOL            You better get on that, jeff. I've tangled with a  
(SERIOUSLY)        shadow demon before, and once it has your  
                      shadow... you dont have long to get that back  
                      before you can never reattach it.

DEADPOOL            I mean, i dont know why we really **need** our  
(CONFUSED)         shadows, except in maybe like, an existential way?  
                      So you know you're real. Your basic "do i really  
                      exist" type stuff

JEFF                 Mrrrrr.  
(SADLY)

DEADPOOL            More importantly, that guy's going to absolutely  
(SERIOUSLY)        **ruin** your reputation

DEADPOOL            You're quite a bit of trouble already, but there's  
(SERIOUSLY)        no doubt you're loved. You'd get away with murder,  
                      jeff. That'll all change if shadow jeff has his  
                      way. Those things are **impish**, i tell ya.

PORTAL NOISES

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DEADPOOL            Hey! That looks like another vortex!  
(SURPRISED)

JEFF                Mrrr!  
(CONFIDENT)

DEADPOOL            Jeff, I dunno man. Are you sure you should go in  
(WORRIED)            there?

JEFF                **MRRR!**

DEADPOOL            I know it's the only way! I'm just worried!  
(WORRIED)

CALMING MUSIC TRANSITIONS INTO HOPEFUL MUSIC

DEADPOOL            All right, little buddy, take this secret plot  
(NERVOUSLY)        device for later.

SPARKLING NOISES

DEADPOOL            Whoa. What do you have in here already? **fancy**.  
(AMAZED)

DEADPOOL            My boy, always has some tricks up his... skin  
(CONFUSED)        pocket? **yeech**.

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DEADPOOL           Go get 'em teethy son. I believe in you.

(CONFIDENTLY)

JEFF HIGH FIVES DEADPOOL

RUNNING SOUNDS

BIRD NOISES, CHILDREN PLAYING SOUNDS AND MUSIC

ENDS

VWOOP NOISE OF THE PORTAL

WIND NOISES

JEFF               ***MrrrRRRraw!***

(ANGRILY)

NARRATOR       Next: double trouble!

(CONFIDENTLY)