

Walburga Black

short monologue

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INT. COUNSELOR OFFICE. HOGWARTS.-SCHOOL TIME.

Walburga Black is a student from Hogwards and comes from the "Black Family"; a family much feared by other magicians and well known for their bloody methods and for the pure blood that runs in their veins for centuries.

Walburga decided to have fun for a while playing rude with a poor elf who was walking along her path. She was seen by a Hogwarts teacher and her wand was removed from her. She was sent to the counselor's office and will have to get out of this problem with her own guts, even though it doesn't seem to matter much to her.

Counselor

So well... they tell me you tried to kill one of our elfos miss Black, is that right?

Walburga Black

Well... I wouldn't call it killing, it's more like...mmm... just cleaning the old and replacing it with the new. If Dumbleldor was worried about losing an employee, that's not a problem at all, as you well know I have no problems bringing elves here. My family have house elves to spare. Of course I was thinking of bringing one less useless and more capable of doing simple tasks like holding a tray of tea.

In case you didn't realize it, or if you have visual problems, that old goblin couldn't even walk on his own.

I would call it more "community favor to our school", don't you think?

Counselor

I don't think so, Miss Black ... what did you intend to do with the elf after ... hurting him severely.

Walburga Black

Well, the Blacks have a tradition, sir. We Blacks love to use them as wonderful decorations for our walls. "Souvenirs". We bought the racks for hanging deer heads, but we do not kill the deer,no...too easy. We replaced the heads with ... well, the heads of some of our older elves that are useless. As a

memory of their service. It's like an award for their incompetence all these years, a gift.

Counselor

a gif?...

Walburga Black

Are family traditions. But you wouldn't understand them because your family is dirty blood, isn't it?... your grandma?... oh, I see. Mine is not, and as a matter of fact we have been pure blood for centuries, and we plan on keeping that legacy forever. And our traditions as well.

. They taught me that, and if Hogwarts it's not happy with that, you can spell me and get in a bit of trouble with Mommy and Daddy. Which would be ridiculous taking into account that the elf was probably going to die in a couple of months. But

If you wish so, just call them, it's your decision and Dumbbldores. I'm sure you won't have any issue finding the right number.

The counselor is deadly silent. His face seems like he has just seen a ghost.

(a beat)

Walburga Black (CONT.)

Clever man. (a beat) Now.. are you putting back that wand where it belongs, or what?