

SOULCHAT

a screen(text)play by

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Chris
Hi.

Unknown
Hi, I'm Lacie. Want to play?

Chris
This is one of those pay to chat things right?

Unknown
I promise this isn't like anything you've ever done.

Chris
But eventually you're gonna try to charge me.

Unknown
If you want to keep playing, you'll have to type this: "LICET INTRARE".

Chris
Is that Latin?

Unknown
It doesn't cost any money.

Chris
If it doesn't cost money, does it cost something else?

Unknown
Someone's a quick study.

Chris
I do this a lot I guess. It's just easier sometimes... talking to a stranger.

Unknown
My, I've got my work cut out for me.

Chris
Okay, do you like music?

Unknown
We don't want to make it too easy. Why don't you ask about me. Yes or no questions.

Chris
Do you like the Red Hot Chili Peppers?

Unknown
Yes.

Chris
Seriously? Are you a living being??

Unknown
No.

Chris
Ha. So not alive. Are you a ghost then?

Unknown
No.

Chris
Yes or no answers.

Unknown
I think so.

Chris
This game isn't fun anymore.

Unknown
Yes.

Unknown
I must be. It's hard to... it's all dark here. I don't think I'm in my body. But I can still feel your words, I can almost touch them.

Chris
Mostly the Chili Peppers thing.

Unknown
Are you there?

Chris
It's about that time you'd ask for my credit card information.

Unknown
Something I said bother you?

Chris
Like what?

Unknown


Chris
Alright who the fuck is this.

Unknown
Maybe I want to give you something instead.

Chris
FUCK YOU.

Unknown
A message.

Unknown
From Paul.

Unknown
Your brother knows it's not your fault he's dead.

Unknown

He was distracting you. Kept changing the radio to that song you hate. Neither of you saw the car coming.

Chris

That's not.. You can't know that.

Unknown

He says it's time to let go. Otherwise he's gonna smack you upside the head harder than he used to. Also to stop chatting with random strangers cuz it's lame.

Chris

This isn't possible.

Unknown

And your taste in music sucks. His words, not mine.

Chris

Is he... can I talk to him?

Unknown

I'm afraid my time's up now.

Chris

What. Why?

Unknown

Rules.

Chris

I need to know if this is real.

Chris

Just let me ask a question about you then. Not a yes or no.

Unknown

One question. Make it count.

Chris

What's the last thing you remember before you died?

Unknown

My father. In the hospital. Looking all helpless. He was always good at fixing things. Couldn't fix me. So he just held me so tight I could barely breathe.

Unknown

I have to go now.

Chris

No hold on.

Unknown

Goodbye.

Chris

Wait.

Chris
LICET INTRARE.

Chris
Hello?

Chris
Are you there?

Unknown

I'm surprised you didn't notice my name. Course you don't really know Latin either. C'mon, just a few letters to switch around - L A C I E

Chris
I don't understand.

Unknown

Not too bright. I happen to know seven languages. At least, I did before you smashed your stupid truck into me.

Chris
Alice. Oh god.

Unknown

You really, really should learn Latin.

Chris
Whats happening..

Chris
My nose is bfdssaa

Unknown

Your brother forgives you.

Unknown

I DON'T.

Chris
Pleasevgggggg