



"IN 1718, **BLACKBEARD**, THE MOST NOTORIOUS OF ALL THE PIRATE CAPTAINS, LED HIS MEN INTO THE HARBOR OF **CHARLES TOWN, SOUTH CAROLINA**.

"WITH A FLOTILLA OF CAPTURED SHIPS CREWED BY THE MOST VICIOUS, BLOODTHIRSTY SAILORS, HE SET UP A **BLOCKADE**, HOLDING THE ENTIRE CITY FOR RANSOM.



"BUT THEY DIDN'T DEMAND **MONEY, JEWELS**, OR THE CONSIDERABLE **TREASURE** HELD BY ONE OF THE RICHEST CITIES IN THE NEW WORLD. THEY WANTED **DOCTORS**.

"THE SELF-PROCLAIMED **KING OF THE PIRATES** NEEDED HELP.



"HIS MEN HAD BECOME AFFLICTED WITH A MYSTERIOUS ILLNESS THAT THE DOCTORS OF THE TIME HAD NEVER SEEN.

"ONE SO **TERRIFYING** THAT THEY WOULD ONLY SPEAK OF IT AS THE WORK OF THE **DEVIL**.



"WHATEVER IT WAS, IT MARKED THE BEGINNING OF **BLACKBEARD'S DOWNFALL**.

"WITHIN A FEW MONTHS, THE **REVENGE** WAS SUNK, AND **BLACKBEARD** WAS KILLED IN BATTLE, AFTER BEING SHOT **FIVE TIMES** AND STABBED **TWENTY**.



"BUT SOME SAY IT WASN'T A DISEASE THAT LAID THE PIRATES LOW.

"SOME SAY IT WAS A **CURSE** THAT CAUSED **BLACKBEARD** TO FIGHT ON LONG AFTER HIS DEATH, BROUGHT ON BY A **DEMONIC BOOK** HE HAD STOLEN ON ITS JOURNEY TO THE--"

"Oh, PLEASE."



# ASH VS. THE ARMY OF DARKNESS: SCARED SHIPLESS

CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA  
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BLACKBEARD?

MORE LIKE  
BLACK-BORED  
OF LISTENING  
TO YOU TALK,  
PAL.

Uh, SIR,  
IF YOU COULD  
HOLD ALL QUESTIONS  
UNTIL THE END OF  
THE GHOST  
TOUR...?

SPOOKY  
GHOST  
TOURS

TEDDY





MY ONLY QUESTION IS WHY MY DATE WANTED TO MEET UP WITH ME ON SOME *STUPID* GHOST TOUR.

STARTIN' TO UNDERSTAND WHY SHE *BAILED*, THOUGH.



I MEAN, THIS WHOLE THING ABOUT *PIRATE GHOSTS* MIGHT SPOOK THE *RUBES*...

...BUT FOR A GUY LIKE ME, YOU'RE GONNA NEED SOMETHIN' WITH A LITTLE MORE *BLOOD 'N'* *GUTS*.

NOT THAT I, *uh*, GET SCARED, Y'UNDERSTAND.



YOU MIGHT JUST GET YOUR WISH.



THE LEGENDS SAY THAT ON HALLOWEEN NIGHT, WHEN THE VEIL BETWEEN THE *LIVING* AND THE *DEAD* IS MOVED AWAY, THE *QUEEN ANNE'S REVENGE* WILL SAIL BACK INTO CHARLESTON HARBOR WITH BLACKBEARD AT THE HELM...

SEARCHING FOR THE TREASURE THAT CAN FREE HIM FROM HIS CURSE.





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**Tell us about yourself**

**LEFT-HANDED LOVER SEEKS 9 OR ABOVE FOR NO STRINGS ATTACHED FUN**

Listen, baby, we both know why we're here, and if you're a stacked lingerie model type with a thing for big chins, then I've got some good news. You know, they say that when a man loses an appendage, the other parts of his body begin to

...FIRST TIME I GET A RESPONSE ON THAT DAMN DATING PROFILE, AND I GET STOOD UP.



