



IT'S BEEN MANY YEARS, GERARD. A LONG TIME YOU'VE BEEN SQUIRRELED AWAY.

GOOD TO SEE YOU AGAIN, OLD FRIEND.

WHAT MATTER NOW BRINGS YOU BEFORE US?



DO NOT WASTE PRECIOUS TIME. YOU KNOW WHY I'M HERE.

YOU MAY CARRY ON WITH THIS FEIGNED INNOCENCE TO THE REST OF THE WORLD, BUT I BROUGHT YOU TO GLORY. I KNOW WHERE YOU CAME FROM.



YOU'VE BECOME THE SICKNESS.

YOU SLAVES OF FEAR.



IS THAT SO? AND WHAT IS IT THAT YOU WANT TO SEE, GERARD?

AND WHY ARE YOU, OF ALL PEOPLE, THE ONE TO DEMAND IT?

WHAT MUST CHANGE?



BECAUSE WE ONCE STOOD TOGETHER NOT SO LONG AGO. FOR THE VERY REASON YOUR STUDENTS CRY OUT AGAINST YOU NOW.

BANNING ANCIENT TEXTS? DISASSEMBLING THE SUMMONING CHAMBER? RELEASING TENURED NECROTIC SCHOLARS FROM THEIR DUTIES?







