## 'Mysterious, old forest'

It was long time ago. Some say about two, others- about five hundred years ago. Well, definitely in the other century. In the great, proud country of Croatia, stood a mysterious forest. Unfortunately, that place was near Otto's village. The fourteen year old boy extremely loved adventures.

In the first two years of Otto's journeys, nothing bad had happened. But then, he started to dig deeper and deeper in shadows of the forest. Consequences were terrible.

One day, he came across some bones. Human bones. He found them in a little spring, in front of a weird stone. They were mossy and definitely not new. Panic had made Otto turn to the closest, trustful people- his mum and dad.

Of course, it scared boy's parents. 'You shall not enter this forest again, young man' his father told him. His mother was a bit more open-minded. She told him to stay out of unlucky spring and not to bother his father with travel stories. It worked for a while. But then, something terrible happened.

One night, Otto decided to break mother's rule and he went to the forest at night, on the glade already known by him. To his surprise he saw a man, standing in front of that weird stone, wearing black robe with a hood, doing some dark rituals. It definitely included sacrifice. Body laid on that piece of stone, which appeared to be an altar.

Then, full moon lightened murderer face. It was Otto's father. Legend says, that from that moment, nobody ever heard of Otto, his family or that weird altar among the old, foggy, mysterious trees.

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