WHAT WE DO IN THE SHADOWS

"Bad Blood"

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Previously on What We Do In The Shadows:

At the beginning of season two, we find our vampire quartet at their home in Staten Island. Business is pretty much as usual: having just lost yet another familiar, Laszlo and Nadja are making do with each other's company. Nandor has just lost his nearest living relative and was rejected for American citizenship, so he has refocused his energy on bossing around Guillermo. Colin lurks in the basement.

Unbeknownst to the vampires, Guillermo still fights off the vampire assassins that come on an almost nightly basis to kill the three that escaped the death sentence from the vampiric council.

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COLD OPEN

INT. VAMPIRE HOUSE FOYER - NIGHT

KNOCK KNOCK. Guillermo answers the door, opens it to find two WHITE DUDES, 20s.

GUILLERMO

Um, can I help you?

DUDE 1

We're on the list.

GUILLERMO

OK. What list?

Laszlo, followed by Nadja, rush in.

LASZLO

Those are for me, come in gentlemen.

The Dudes march past Guillermo.

DUDE 1

Told you.

NADJA

Lazslo, what is this? Are they...virgins?

DUDE 1

What? Hell no. We have girlfriends.

DUDE 2

Super hot girlfriends. Models.

DUDE 1

They were gonna come with us, but they had to work.

DUDE 2

Night modeling.

NADJA

They are virgins!

INT. LASZLO INTERVIEW

LASZLO

Tonight is no ordinary night, it is the anniversary of the night my lady love drank of my blood and gave me immortal life. I intend to make this a celebration she never forgets. Plus, she's still a little sore after that whole orgy fiasco. Well, she's not sore and that's the problem.

INT. VAMPIRE HOUSE FOYER - NIGHT

Nandor joins the crowd.

NANDOR

What's going on? I smell unloved flesh.

LASZLO

Just a little gift for my dark empress on our anniversary. Gizmo, take them to the study.

Guillermo takes Dudes down the hall, Nandor follows.

NADJA

Oh Laszlo, you remembered.

LASZLO

Of course I did, my sweet. How could I forget?

NADJA

And not one, but two chaste chaps.

LASZLO

Nothing but the best tonight, and this is just the start. Shall we?

We follow Laszlo and Nadja down the hall.

NADJA

I'm so excited.

INT. VAMPIRE HOUSE STUDY

Nadja and Lazslo turn the corner into the study to find Nandor standing over the two dead Dudes, blood dripping from his fangs.

NANDOR

I don't know what happened. I just wanted a taste which turned into a nibble which turned into a bite which turned into me consuming everything in my vicinity.

Nandor looks into the camera sheepishly.

END OF COLD OPEN

ACT ONE

INT. VAMPIRE HOUSE STUDY

Guillermo helps Nandor, who looks unwell, out of the study.

GUILLERMO

Are you all right, master?

NANDOR

Yes, I think I just ate too fast.

NADJA

Serves you right!

INT. INTERVIEW NADJA AND LAZSLO

NADJA

That is just so classic Nandor. He is like a giant man baby, he just sees what he likes and takes it. They shouldn't have called him Nandor the relentless, they should have called him Nandor the greedy piggy fuck.

LASZLO

Or Nandor the erection slayer.

INT. VAMPIRE HOUSE PARLOR

Guillermo helps Nandor into an armchair.

GUILLERMO

There you go, Master.

NANDOR

Thank you, Guillermo.

Nandor belches. It smells like death.

GUTTITERMO

Oh, God.

Guillermo dry heaves.

NANDOR

Don't mention him when I already don't feel good.

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Nadja and Laszlo enter the Parlor.

NADJA

That's what you get for eating for two when you are just one floppy imbecile.

NANDOR

I'm sorry! It's just been so long since I've had a virgin. Why didn't you get me a virgin, Guillermo?

GUILLERMO

I'm trying. They're getting really hard to find.

Nandor belches again.

GUILLERMO (CONT'D)

Oh my...Satan.

NANDOR

Thank you.

NADJA

Great, so this is how we spend our anniversary now.

LASZLO

Not so fast, my black dove. That was but an apéritif. What would you say if I told you I had reservations at Das Neuntöter Haus?

Nadja's face lights up.

NADJA

I would say liar, liar, hairy balls on fire. It's impossible to get a reservation there!

LASZLO

Not for this fellow.

INT. INTERVIEW NADJA AND LASZLO

NADJA

Das Neuntöter Haus is the premiere spa for vampires on this side of the country. We tried all through the 70s to get in there but there was always a wait list. CONTINUED:

LASZLO

Except for one time in 1979 when we were a last minute add on.

NADJA

It was...

LASZLO

Debauchery at its finest.

NADJA

They have these baths where you can bathe in the blood of the innocent. It really relaxes the stress right out of you.

LASZLO

And their sex suites are second to none. Even I, with centuries of sexual expertise, learned something new there. That's where I mastered the Whirligig.

Nadja squeals in delight.

NADJA

I can't wait any longer!

She turns into a bat and flies away. Laszlo shrugs.

LASZLO

Bat!

He turns into a bat.

INT. NANDOR'S ROOM

Guillermo helps Nandor into his coffin.

GUILLERMO

OK, there you go.

NANDOR

I just need a little nap.

GUILLERMO

Yes, master.

NANDOR

It's like you mortals do every year after celebrating the raping and pillaging.

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WWDITS

GUILLERMO

What?

NANDOR

You know, the party for the genocide. With the turkey.

GUILLERMO

Thanksgiving.

NANDOR

Yes. I'm having a post Thanksgiving feast nap.

Guillermo closes the coffin lid.

GUILLERMO

Good night, Master.

INT. VAMPIRE HOUSE FOYER

Guillermo drags Dude 1 across the foyer towards the front door. Colin Robinson appears.

COLIN

That looks like a two man job.

GUILLERMO

Oh, thank you, yeah-

COLIN

Make sure to lift with your knees. You know, the number one cause of back strain is improper lifting technique. Even with something as light as a bag of flour you have-

GUILLERMO

Sorry, could you not drain me right now? I kind of need my energy to clean up.

COLIN

Whatever. Hey, I think I've seen that guy before.

GUILLERMO

Really?

COLIN

Is he a spokesperson for psoriasis medication?

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GUILLERMO

I wouldn't know.

COLIN

Those are my favorite infomercials to quote.

EXT. DAS NEUNTÖTER HAUS - NIGHT

Nadja and Lazslo turn from bats to humans and land on the front porch of the massive Victorian house. From the outside, it looks like a classic haunted mansion.

LASZLO

After you.

INT. DAS NEUNTÖTER HAUS

Nadja and Laszlo enter to...a modern hipster B&B with more juice bar vibes than a ghoulish sex room feel.

Two young VAMPIRES play a VR game off in an open side room.

The NEUNTÖTER behind the front desk, thick German accent, wears a tracksuit but is still a mass of decaying flesh. Sort of a zombie-vampire in Lululemon.

NEUNTÖTER CONCIERGE

Welcome, travelers. Do you have a reservation?

LASZLO

Sorry, chap. We were looking for Das Neuntöter Haus.

NEUNTÖTER CONCIERGE

Then you have found what you are seeking.

LASZLO

Ah, I see. How do I put this...

NADJA

What the fuck happened to this fucking place?