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**ИСХОДНЫЙ ТЕКСТ**

An exclamation of horror broke from the painter's lips as he saw in the

dim light the hideous face on the canvas grinning at him. There was

something in its expression that filled him with disgust and loathing.

Good heavens! It was Dorian Gray's own face that he was looking at!

The horror, whatever it was, had not yet entirely spoiled that

marvellous beauty. There was still some gold in the thinning hair and

some scarlet on the sensual mouth. The sodden eyes had kept something

of the loveliness of their blue, the noble curves had not yet

completely passed away from chiselled nostrils and from plastic throat.

Yes, it was Dorian himself. But who had done it? He seemed to

recognize (greet, appreciate, identify)his own brushwork, and the frame was his own design. The

idea was monstrous, yet he felt afraid. He seized the lighted candle,

and held it to the picture. In the left-hand corner was his own name,

traced in long letters of bright vermilion.

It was some foul parody, some infamous ignoble satire. He had never

done that. Still, it was his own picture. He knew it, and he felt as

if his blood had changed in a moment from fire to sluggish ice. His

own picture! What did it mean? Why had it altered? He turned and

looked at Dorian Gray with the eyes of a sick man. His mouth twitched,

and his parched tongue seemed unable to articulate. He passed his hand

across his forehead. It was dank with clammy sweat.

The young man was leaning against the mantelshelf, watching him with

that strange expression that one sees on the faces of those who are

absorbed in a play when some great artist is acting. There was neither

real sorrow in it nor real joy. There was simply the passion of the

spectator, with perhaps a flicker of triumph in his eyes. He had taken

the flower out of his coat, and was smelling it, or pretending to do so.

"What does this mean?" cried Hallward, at last. His own voice sounded

shrill and curious in his ears.

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