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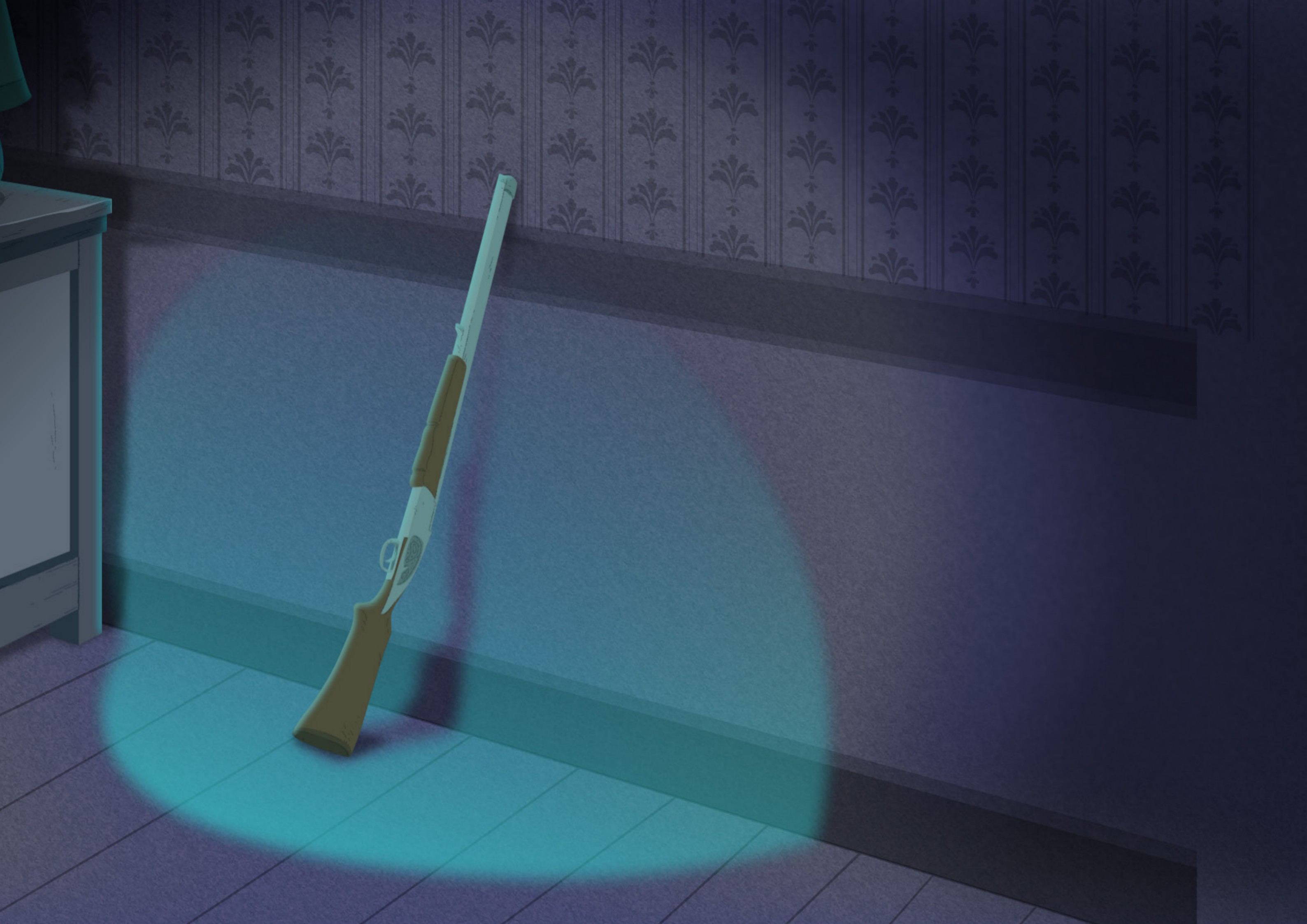


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A man was sleeping when some robbers were looking for a way to get into his house. They entered through the garden and the attached dog in the yard began to bark. "But what is going on, I am tired from my busy day ! Impossible to sleep quietly !" murmured the owner as he went back to his bed. But the dog barked even louder.



The exhausted man jumped up and wanted to silence the animal. “Be quiet, you beast, let me sleep !” No way, the dog still barked.



Beside himself, the owner went to get his rifle laying near his desk, He took some cartridges, armed it and aimed at the dog. The poor animal fell being hit, then the owner of the house went back to bed.

“Now, I will be able to sleep quietly !”

You think : this man is really crazy. He had a wonderful companion : his dog who was a part of his family, faithful for many years, affectionate he shared his joy and his sorrows. He was the gardian of his house, his protector and fully did his role in trying to warn his master of the danger and it was the madness of this man that brought him to kill his faithful friend, who watched out for his security and to let do the burglars.



You smile at the absurdity of this man. Who knows, if you would do like him ? Your conscience reminds you that you are a sinner, far away from accomplishing the law of God imposing on you silence to your conscience ! Perhaps you have a Bible in your home ! This book by which God shows to men the way of salvation and warns us also of the judgement that is awaiting for those who don't believe in Him.



This Bible, you do not dare throw it away, but you are careful not to read it ! You silence the Word of God ! You do not want to hear the voice of God ! We beseech you :

“Do not kill the dog, I mean your conscience !”