

Ain't You 'Most Done?

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Anyone seen Gene Wolfe's story "Ain't You 'Most done?" in Sandman: Book of Dreams?

I don't have much to say about it, other than getting the usual feeling of a Gene Wolfe story - ie, that I'm missing at least 90% of the point.

The only notable subtleties I caught were the resemblance between the applying of makeup and the change in appearance of a corpse, and the appearances of Dream and Death (which weren't hard to spot, in context).

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