

Ghastliness revisited

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Alice Turner — 01 Jul 2001, 05:58

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It's just soaked in Shakespeare, isn't it? References from or to at least half a dozen plays.

-alga

Michael Andre-Driussi — 01 Jul 2001, 07:06 · follows Alice Turner

Alga wrote:

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Ha-ha!

Hee-hee!

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Kevin J. Maroney — 02 Jul 2001, 14:47 · follows Michael Andre-Driussi

At 05:58 AM 7/1/01 -0400, alga wrote:

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Credits are in the IMDB--<<http://us.imdb.com/Title?0197154>>. Zoe Wannamaker was Clarice.

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