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Kim Slater honed her storytelling skills as a child, writing macabre tales specially designed to scare her younger brother!

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