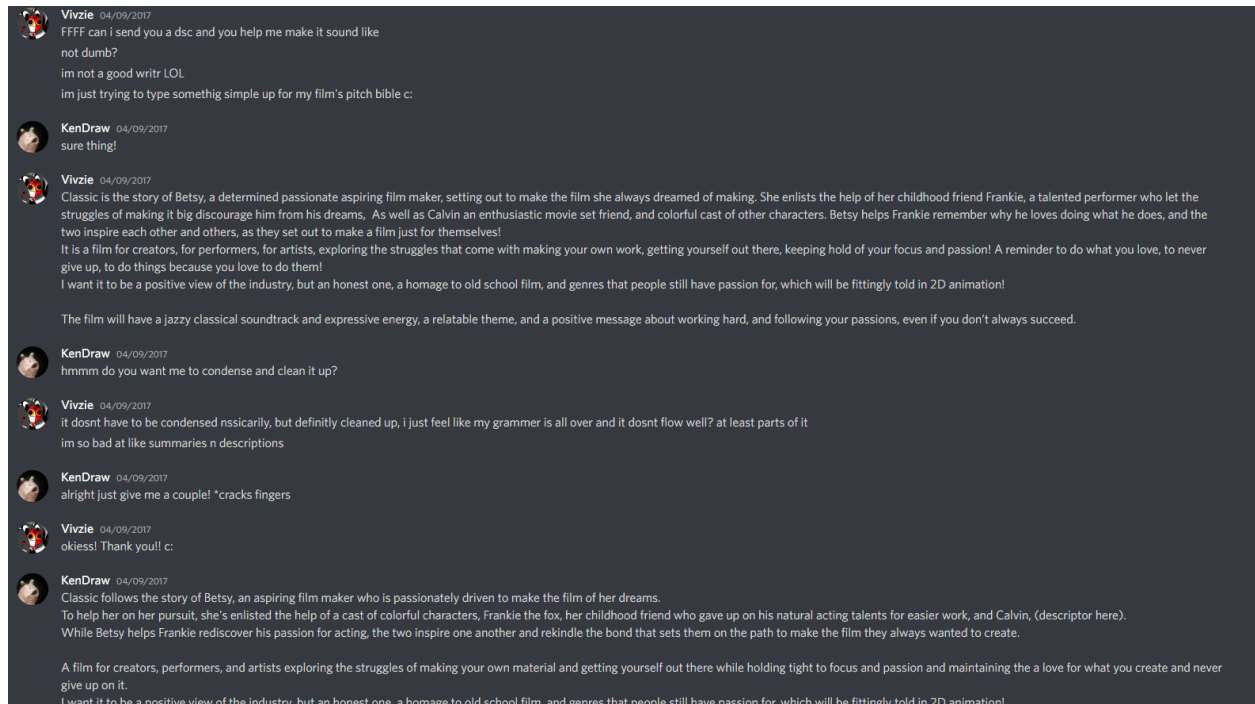


Who are you?:

My name is Ken, you may know me as 'KenDraw', and I used to be a friend of Vivienne Medrano.

I would share information about my original characters and stories with her, and attempted to help her with any sort of writing blunders and problems she faced. She told me time and time again she was "not particularly good at writing." and I wanted to help, who I thought was, my friend.



There were other instances like this, but I'm just sharing this one as an example to show how casual and friendly our friendship was, that she would come to me for help.

Instances of Tracing:

I not only helped her with writing, but art too. There were points where she asked to reference images I drew for her, or referred to and referenced art I had done.



Vivzie 05/23/2017

If we get second ones I'm reformattin' this char for the pilot atm so she might be fun to see ❤️
https://68.media.tumblr.com/b35fbce9e95bed10224beca6b3a7dde9/tumblr_oqfkomMZm01vfh814o1_500.png shes technically secret so i'd ask it not be publically shared, but patreon would be def ok! <33 -only if your doing second ones fff



KenDraw 05/23/2017

ooh!

I yamm I'll draw her private for you tho >> not in this stream but when I'm offline most deff cuz I post my streams on youtubes
I hope that's alright!



Vivzie 05/23/2017

oh okies!! fff sorry about that tho, most of the char refs I have i'm trying to keep underwraps-but no thats totally fine i dont mind that c: <33



KenDraw 05/23/2017

no need to apologize!

I just dont wantt give away anything that you wanna keep seeeeecret

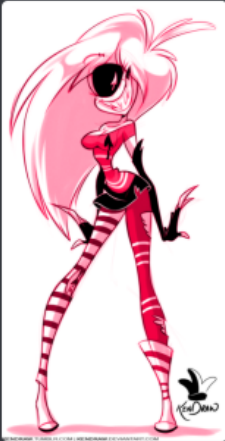


Vivzie 05/23/2017

sall good!! ❤️



KenDraw 05/24/2017



Vivzie 05/24/2017

popped back on before heading to bed and AHHHH OH MY GOSHHHHHH
you drew her so lovely I love it <33333



Vivzie 05/24/2017

also fff your drawing of cherry is soo good, can i work of her pose for my final ref of her? c:



KenDraw 05/24/2017

sure!



Vivzie 05/24/2017

fff thanks! i'll credit you if i post it anywhere! i just lov that pose so much fff



KenDraw 05/24/2017

I'm glad! 8u8 And okay! ❤️



Vivzie 05/24/2017

but fff thank you so much for everything tonight ❤️ (edited)

i hope you have a really good one!



KenDraw 05/24/2017

of course man! ❤️ Sleep well!



Vivzie 05/24/2017

thanks! you too when you do!

[the trace was used as official art for the character for her model sheet and character image on the wiki]:

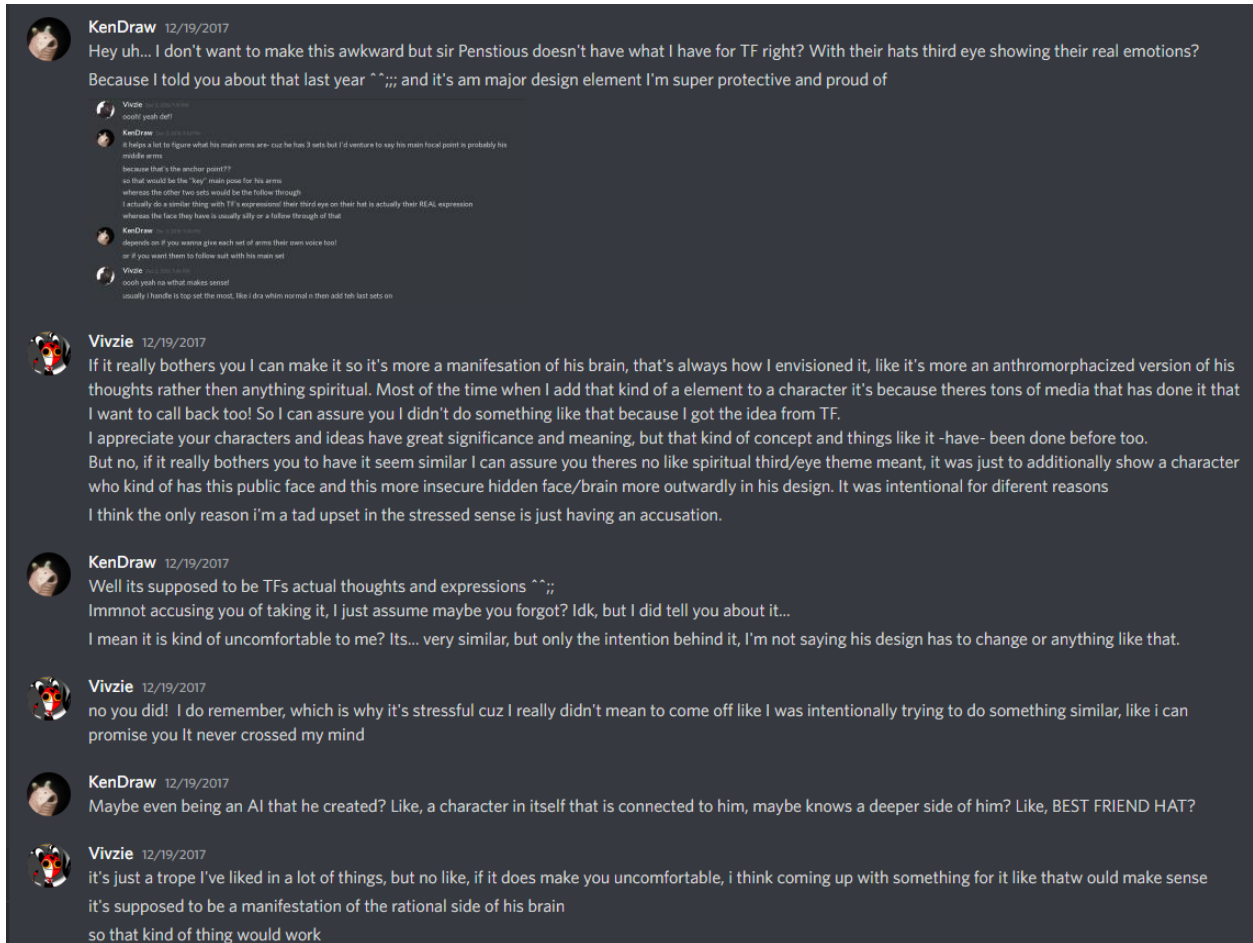




Despite claiming that she would credit me for, essentially, TRACING my art- (*I'd like to state again that I said she may reference the pose. I hardly think tracing my art is the same thing.*) she has not (*to my knowledge*) publicly mentioned that I am the original artist. This is a running theme and common trend.

Taking ideas:

She would not only trace art that I had drawn for her, but would also steal and repurpose things I told her about my OWN concepts and characters. Then feign ignorance and tell folks I was being ridiculous for being rightfully upset at her for taking something I told her in confidence.



Again, far from an isolated incident, but for the sake of brevity I'll move on to her not crediting me for my writing involvement in Hazbin and fighting me when I asked to be properly credited.

My involvement in writing the Hazbin Hotel pilot:

Vivzie 05/24/2017
 regret and redemption i think are big themes, and ffff oh yeah
 they all know what they did/why their there
 i want to series to kinda delve into like
 what drives people to things

KenDraw 05/24/2017
 how do you plan on doing the first ep??

Vivzie 05/24/2017
 maybe not excusing things, obv
 but like-showing thers complexity
 n ffff im still trying to figure that out! i think i have like
 a hazy ide of how it goes
 but theres TONS i prolly need to figure out ffff
 but so far
 it starts with two kinda minor or important later villains, the one you sketched and someone else, kinda like
 fighting over an area of hell
 like one plants a flag and is like
 HAHHA
 its mine
 n thn the othr is like
 nope bitch
 n they figh so its a kinda fun semi-action scene
 n then it cuts to it being like filmed on a tv station
 n the chars i posted on twitter are like news casters
 n thy talk about how these two big demons are in a turf war and just kinda talking about it like its a game or something fun
 even tho tons of demons are prolly dying cuz its destructive as hell
 LOL
 n then the newscaster says she has a special interview with charlie, so charlie comes in kinda prepped by vaggie
 n im not sure YET how thisscene plays, i know charlie like
 tries to explain her projct that is the hotel
 wich is basically like, a rehab house for demons, she wants to try to redeem
 but the news people arent really interested
 i had a joke where they like trick her into saying something terrible n she goes like "well yeah thats like saying "hitler did nothing wrong" n then like a blowhorn goes off, n they start a breaking story that Charlie thinks "hitler

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KenDraw 05/24/2017
 if you're interested??

Vivzie 05/24/2017
 ooooh!
 lemme hear it! c:

KenDraw 05/24/2017
 alright so you know how the turf war is being covered by the news and they're clearly more interested in it than what Charlie is saying?
 what if, after they twist her words and are dicking her around she's like
 I think there's GOOD and a chance for REDEMPTION
 saying how the hotel houses wayward souls that just need that second chance to grow
 and one of them are like
 isn't one of your patrons Angel Dust?
 and she's like
 YES! He's shown great progress-I
 something along those lines
 and then
 on the screen
 it shows him helping that chick
 and killing people
 and laughing meniacly
 and Vaggie is just in the BG like
smacks face
 "charlie stares like
 "aww fuck."
 Kinda cuts to them on the battleground like
 ANGEL WHAT THE HELL.
 I'm trying to provide people with this thing and you're FUCKIN' UP THE ENTIRE VIEW OF IT.
 and he's like
 ...wait I'm on TV?

Vivzie 05/24/2017
 aw man fffff i really like that idea ffff
 Only issue is i was gonna aim most of the pilot about how they aquire angel as the first one, since i felt like that might be a more organic way of showing their initial dymanics but hmmm... i do like that take of thm maybe
 already havng worked on him.. hmm

3:00 AM

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Vivzie

KenDraw 05/24/2017
maybe he's the only person in the hotel right now?
like no one else is there yet, and he's the first guy
and he's only there cuz he's like
.....you gave me a free room
BECAUSE YOU SAID YOU WERE GONNA CHANGE???

boredly throwing explosives
I don't see why you're so upset by this.

Vivzie 05/24/2017
ooooh ffff naw that honestly could work actually ffff
cuts out a scene i originally imagined, but honestly that scene could be put later on
i had a scene in mind with his kinda abusive boss pimp guy
but he could come in later
i think starting with the fight a lil sooner makes it actually more cohesive
honestly tho, if the fight/news scene are combined n thn the following scene is them like
in the limo heading back to the hotel
n they are like
WHAT THE HELL
n hes like
shrugs, playing with the divider, n trying to throw bombs out the window
that frees up the second half
because in my initial idea them at that point was near the end
so now teh question is, whats the second half of the pilot hmimm

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KenDraw 05/24/2017
maybe someone saw the broadcast?
someone who actually wnat's redemption?
like a new patron shows up

Vivzie 05/24/2017
oooooh!
maaaaaaybe

KenDraw 05/24/2017
"do you...think it's possible to change?"

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Vivzie

Vivzie 05/24/2017
ohhh yeh
hes like
so canonly, he is legit like
prolllyyyy up there with the devil powerful
people are terrified of him
he just like came ot hell n conquered
n hes not supr redeemable
so charlie would be like
fuck.
LMAO

KenDraw 05/24/2017
what if he invests in the hotel? like it's kinda a peice of shit, but he's the one that is like "YOU'RE GOING ABOUT ADVERTISING THIS PLACE ALL WRONG."
and they
make a commercial for the hotel

Vivzie 05/24/2017
oh my gosh

KenDraw 05/24/2017
and it's LIKE THE UGLY FURNITURE COMMERCERAL

Vivzie 05/24/2017
YESSS
hahahaha oh my gosh
taht could b a funny mini short on its own too
a commical for the hotel made by them
yess maybe he wants to invest in making it good
n charlie is like

3:21 AM

why???

him: i dunno 8D I'm .. pretty bored!
cuz hes so bored (sadly)

KenDraw 05/24/2017
a good line to use
"HAHA well /I/ certianly wouldn't want to live here! would you??"

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Vivzie

KenDraw 05/24/2017
a good line to use
"HAHA well /!/ certainly wouldn't want to live here! would you??"
"top floor falls to the ground."
Angel like
"ehhh I've lived in worse."

Vivzie 05/24/2017
yessss hahaha
aw man, i honestly had loved a reason to have al in the pilot, so thats actually a pretty fun idea fff
most of thm dont come in till later
like husk could appear but not talk
or just be like B/
cuz hes teh bartender at the hotel

KenDraw 05/24/2017
oh man OH MAN
idea
what if Al
and Husk
know eachother personally
and he was the one that hired him
and Charlie is like
we're trying to STOP bad habits. not curtail them!"
and Angel is like
shut up
shut the fuck up
shut your fucking mouth
we're keeping this.

Vivzie 05/24/2017
nifty n mimzy come in later in their own ep-and LMAOOOOO YESSS! hahah
Angel: *leans on bar* hello handsome >BD
Husk: B'

KenDraw 05/24/2017
Alastor like "Husk, my good sir, fix me up a drink!"
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Vivzie

KenDraw 05/24/2017
Alastor like "Husk, my good sir, fix me up a drink!"
"go fuck yourself."
"HAHA AHHH YOU!"

Vivzie 05/24/2017
hahahahahaha yessss
yesss naw, alastor brings in husk, and maybe even nifty too, cuz i know she becomes the maid/cook
so al is like
i will bring in staff

KenDraw 05/24/2017
I'd love
love
if he had his own room there but it's not shown till later
and it's fucking
ridiculous
and over the top
and expensive

Vivzie 05/24/2017
oooh ys it would be hahaha

KenDraw 05/24/2017
fountain in the center of a deer

Vivzie 05/24/2017
It'd hav alot of like
voodoo stuff around, amybe even a mini swamp
3:28 AM IN the room
n hed just eat deer by the candlelight in his like

KenDraw 05/24/2017
yesss
it should be an episode revolving around like, the cost of the place
and Charlie like
HOW

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Vivzie

KenDraw 05/24/2017
"and what can you do, son?"
"I can suck your dick."
"HAHAHA..."
ahhh
No 8D."

Vivzie 05/24/2017
hahaha yesssss
just a static shot of al smiling
then next shot he walks to another person
"so you tehrel-"
Imaooo
he just nopes

KenDraw 05/24/2017
a good way to describe who alastor is actually would be Angel not knowing who the fuck he is like "so who'se this clown?"
and Vaggie like
you don't know who ALASTOR IS? BIG RULER? VERY POWERFULL?"
"eh I don't get involved in politics."

Vivzie 05/24/2017
LOLOLOL
yesss hahaha
aw man
thas a good line fcvgbh
hahahha
yess

KenDraw 05/24/2017
"I told you I wasn't politically correct!"
"No, you said you don't get involved in politics!"
"SAME DIFFERENCE."

Vivzie 05/24/2017
yesss hahahaha

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Vivzie


KenDraw 05/24/2017
I was curious if you're at all interested in writers for any of your projects btw?
I hope that's not ridiculous or out of place to ask, but I enjoy writing and coming up with stuff 8D;

Vivzie 05/24/2017
oooh no not at all! I totally would! I definitely had wantd friends to help me come up with jokes n just make projects as strong as they can be so totally! c:

KenDraw 05/24/2017
8D HUZZAH

Vivzie 05/24/2017
naw ff writing isnt really my strong suit ESPECIALLY comdy
i know what makes me laugh and i know my characters, but coming up with those jokes or whitty ideas for it, is reaaaaly hard for me for some reason
i can write angst and sad, and even romance really well
but not comedy
which sucks
cuz i love comedy
LOLOL

Vivzie 05/24/2017
dooooooone my shots
they took
soo long
it sucks cuz this ep was definitely the most fun one
i just
have noooo energy for animation right now 8c
but i got to animate some crazy faces

8:32 PM 

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Vivzie 05/25/2017
 but yes ff m attempting to write today but
 man im bad at writing LOL
 my attention span is like
 ehh
 thats why like, my best way of writing is to do rough thumbs

KenDraw 05/25/2017
 Well if you'd like any help just ask and I'd be happy to chime in! So far it's lookin' good tho!

Vivzie 05/25/2017
 thank you! fff

KenDraw 05/25/2017
 Also, on the subject of Hart's. A Hart is specifically a male RED deer
 wiggles brows the ultimate pun

Vivzie 05/25/2017
 an so far i have like- pft this-ACT 1:
 demon fight
 news station
 establish how hell operates, exposition via the news casters, introduce vaggie and charlie-their dynamic, establish goal of trying to get attention for the hotel, introduce angel.

Act 2:
 Limo
 arriving back to hotel
 establish their goal for the hotel being harder to acheive, room for jokes and exploration of the three main characters

Act 3:
 Al arrives
 introduces Husk and Niffy
 alastor's arrival is the 'climax' his presentation and potential danger of his involvement, offers solution to their dilemma with the hotel

andoooooh i didnt know that! fff it iss
 and felt-could also hint at his like, voodoo doll theme
 tho idk if thy are really made of felt usually
 BUT
 shrugs

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Vivzie 05/25/2017
 question!
 or helping writing how would you want to help? i'm attempting to do a rough script but im taking forever, im curious would you want me to like, send you a rough version to like build off? or like, ideas of the scene, or ...

6:33 PM
 im just curious what kind of matreials would be needed
 with timber's pilot someone did really rough script based on what i came up with, then i re-went ver it to make the characters sound more IC or cut things that didnt work ect
 tahts the only collab experience iv had

KenDraw 05/25/2017
 whichever you're comfortable with me doing! I'm good with dialog and picturing scenes, and I'm pretty apt with building off reactions
 like
 going off that panel by panel thing you sent
 lemme type up what came to mind after you sent it

Vivzie 05/25/2017
 okies! yeh cuz i was stumped on what al would do, i just knew i wanted it to show off a bit of how
 creepy and powerful he is
 which could be like

KenDraw 05/25/2017
 Dear, if I wanted to hurt anyone here *darkens and gets creepy* I would have done so already.
 No, no. I don't come bearing gifts of torture.

"someone whispering "gifts"?"
 I come bearing an offer!
 NOPE! NO WAY, Charlie show him the door!
 Charlie looks pensive and thoughtful and then back at him "what sort of offer are we talkin' here?"

Vivzie 05/25/2017
 hahah yess naw that line for al is ff yes UuU visually tho im wondering what hed do

KenDraw 05/25/2017
 His smile widens.

The group backs away surprised that his face could stretch even more than it already was.

Vivzie 05/25/2017
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Vivzie

KenDraw 05/25/2017
His smile widens.

The group backs away surprised that his face could stretch even more than it already was.

Vivzie 05/25/2017
i though he either like, leans forward impaling himself, or pushes it down with a finger unharmed, and fff ooooh 80
LOL
angel: how the fuck dos his face work (edited)

KenDraw 05/25/2017
"is he a snake? did he just unhindge his jaw...?"

Vivzie 05/25/2017
hahah yess

KenDraw 05/25/2017
like
HMMM
- scene where Charlie and him are talking, Vaggie and Angel sit back and watch, Vaggie has her arms crossed and is snarling. Angel stares bored and points with one of his many arms while a set props up his chin.
"So whose smiles, anyway?"
"Alastor HartFelt? Only the biggest name around here aside from the big bad himself? You're seriously don't know?"
"Eh, I don't get involved in politics."
"ahuh... Well THAT GUY. (Vaggie gives a breif description of who or what Alastor is, and what he does.) The fact that he's here... I don't like it."
"Well, kitten, you don't really like anything, so that's not exactly a change of pace, now is it?"
Vaggie glares at Angel, he smiles wilely

Vivzie 05/25/2017
awww yessss imm save that ff

KenDraw 05/25/2017
a good line would be Charlie saying "and... why should I trust you?"

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Vivzie

Vivzie 05/25/2017
ooooooh maaaybe yess hahaha

KenDraw 05/25/2017
I will jabs you get you to use that design man
that is gonna make it in the show
gosh darn it

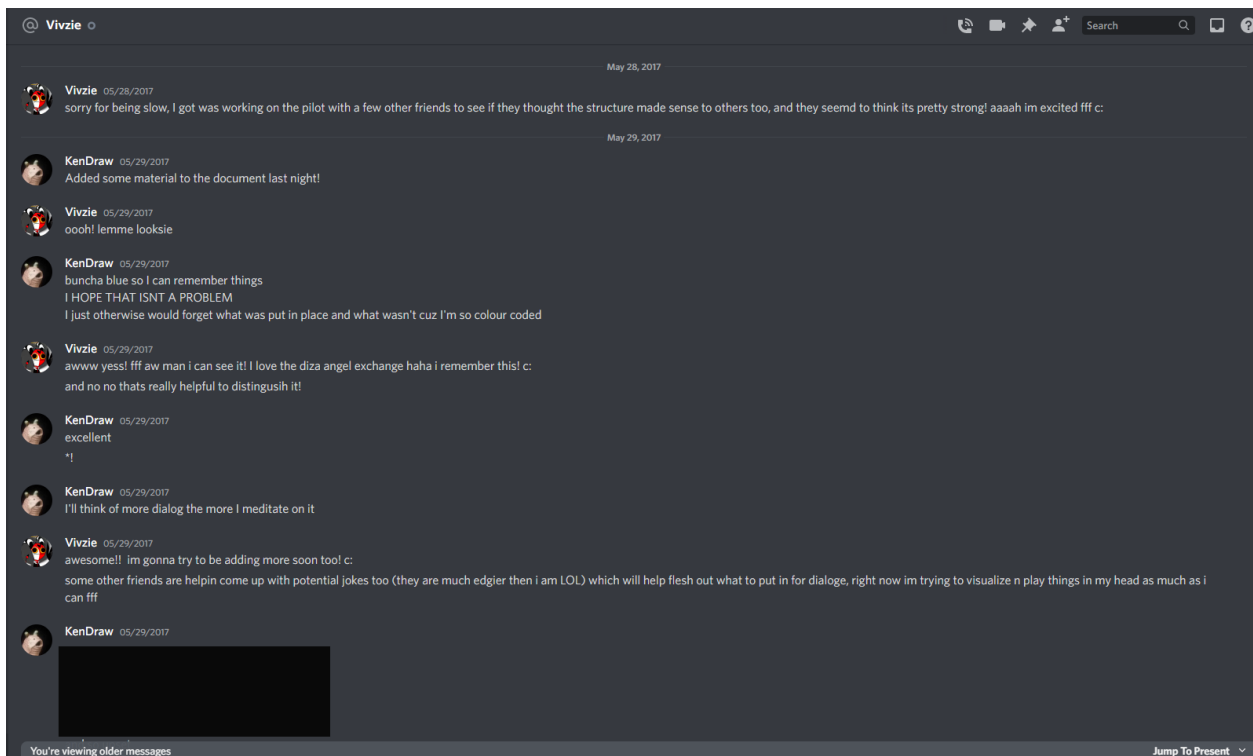
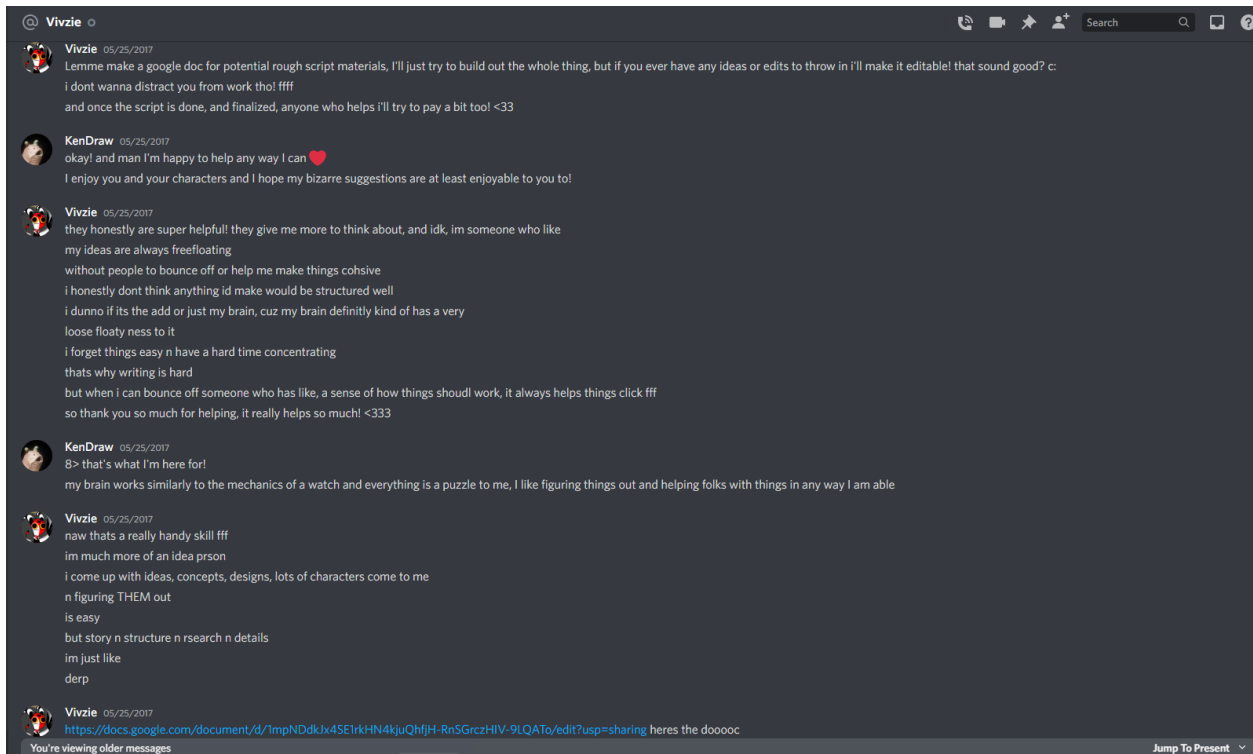
Vivzie 05/25/2017
it would be awesome to use it fff

KenDraw 05/25/2017
I want angry demonic scary looking angel
"Deep down, Charlie, they're all just ANIMALS."

Vivzie 05/25/2017
yesss fff
ffff
heres what iv written of the begining so far ff
Opens with a villain demon planting a flag into the roof of a building
Villain: cackling such a shame the gang lost their leader, leaving the entire armory hub vulnerable, it's just too easy to claim.
Diza: not so easy, fuck head
Diza: attacks him, fight ensues, they proly banter, he spits fire causing her to dodge it, popping back up. My turn! >8D.
(continue to fight)
(cuts to the breaking news at the news station)
Katie: breaking news coming out of downtown today, a turf war between notable hell kingpins, and Cherry Bomb is rampaging around one of the cities big weapon warehouses.
Tom: thats right Katie, after this years cleansing the area is up for grabs, so demons are already duking it out all over hell to gain status.
Katie: oh jeez, sure looks like a lot of destruction. I sure hope too many people arent dying!...
-the two look at each other then laugh-
Katie: kidding! of coarse I hope that!
them both: sing song ratings <3
Tom: stay tuned folks!
Katie: up next-
(voice cont offscreen as you se charlie preparing to make her way onto the news set)
Hell hierarchy Charlotte ___ is in the studio today for a special hellwide announcement! I'm sure everybody REALLY cares.

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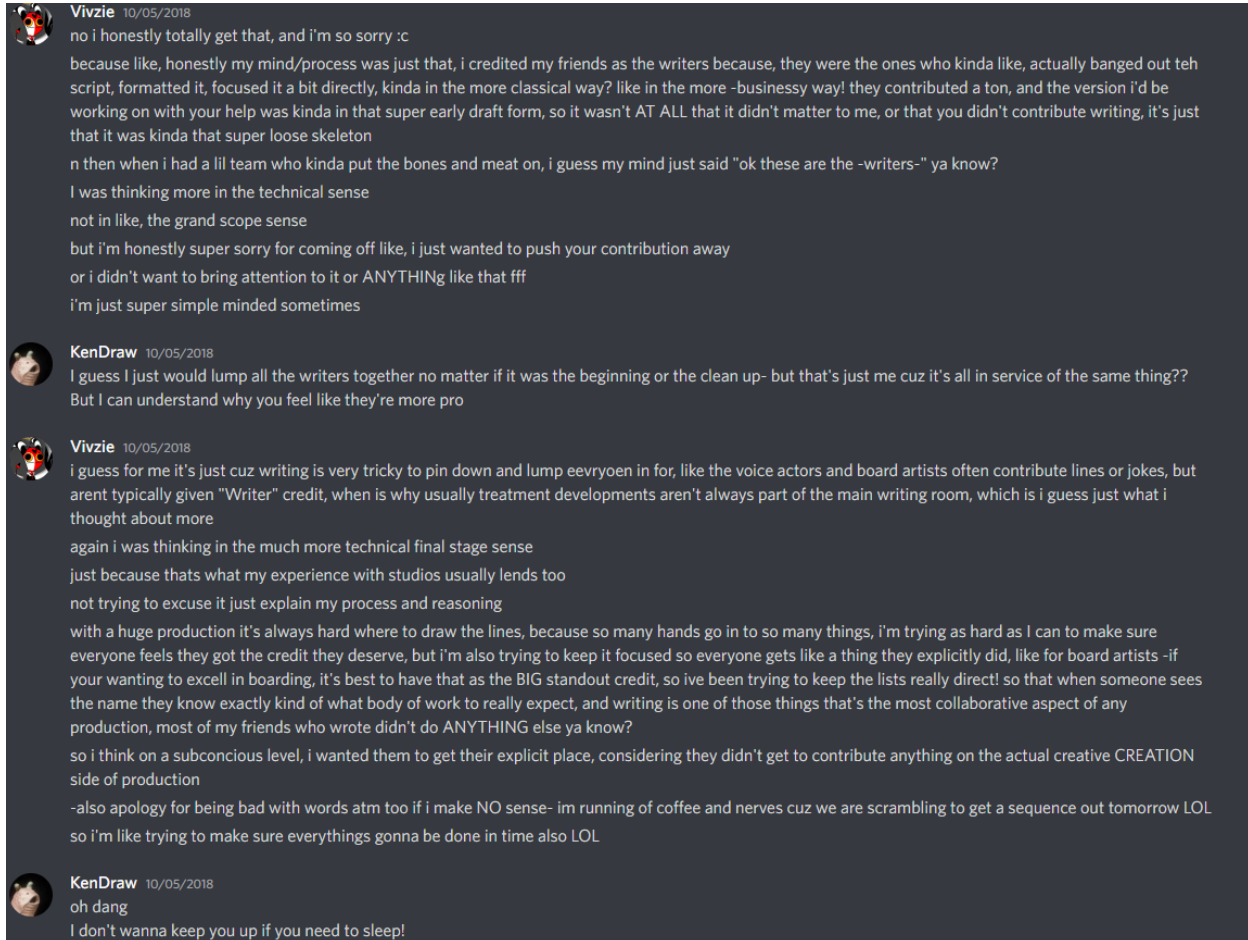
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As you can see I had a hand in many of the jokes in the pilot as well as introducing plot threads and character introductions. I did this because, at the time, Vivienne told me she was struggling and I wanted to help my friend.

Her not crediting and/or avoiding proper credit:

A common trend with Vivienne is her tendency to not credit.



The screenshot shows a Discord chat with a dark background. It contains four messages from users Vivzie and KenDraw, dated 10/05/2018. Vivzie's messages explain her confusion about crediting friends as writers and her technical vs. grand scope perspective. KenDraw's messages suggest lumping all writers together. Vivzie's final message discusses the difficulty of pinning down credit in a collaborative environment like a studio. KenDraw's final message is a simple response.

Vivzie 10/05/2018
no i honestly totally get that, and i'm so sorry :c
because like, honestly my mind/process was just that, i credited my friends as the writers because, they were the ones who kinda like, actually banged out teh script, formatted it, focused it a bit directly, kinda in the more classical way? like in the more -businessy way! they contributed a ton, and the version i'd be working on with your help was kinda in that super early draft form, so it wasn't AT ALL that it didn't matter to me, or that you didn't contribute writing, it's just that it was kinda that super loose skeleton
n then when i had a lil team who kinda put the bones and meat on, i guess my mind just said "ok these are the -writers-" ya know?
I was thinking more in the technical sense
not in like, the grand scope sense
but i'm honestly super sorry for coming off like, i just wanted to push your contribution away
or i didn't want to bring attention to it or ANYTHING like that fff
i'm just super simple minded sometimes

KenDraw 10/05/2018
I guess I just would lump all the writers together no matter if it was the beginning or the clean up- but that's just me cuz it's all in service of the same thing??
But I can understand why you feel like they're more pro

Vivzie 10/05/2018
i guess for me it's just cuz writing is very tricky to pin down and lump eevryoen in for, like the voice actors and board artists often contribute lines or jokes, but arent typically given "Writer" credit, when is why usually treatment developments aren't always part of the main writing room, which is i guess just what i thought about more
again i was thinking in the much more technical final stage sense
just because thats what my experience with studios usually lends too
not trying to excuse it just explain my process and reasoning
with a huge production it's always hard where to draw the lines, because so many hands go in to so many things, i'm trying as hard as I can to make sure everyone feels they got the credit they deserve, but i'm also trying to keep it focused so everyone gets like a thing they explicitly did, like for board artists -if your wanting to excell in boarding, it's best to have that as the BIG standout credit, so ive been trying to keep the lists really direct! so that when someone sees the name they know exactly kind of what body of work to really expect, and writing is one of those things that's the most collaborative aspect of any production, most of my friends who wrote didn't do ANYTHING else ya know?
so i think on a subconscious level, i wanted them to get their explicit place, considering they didn't get to contribute anything on the actual creative CREATION side of production
-also apology for being bad with words atm too if i make NO sense- im running of coffee and nerves cuz we are scrambling to get a sequence out tomorrow LOL
so i'm like trying to make sure everythings gonna be done in time also LOL

KenDraw 10/05/2018
oh dang
I don't wanna keep you up if you need to sleep!

I'm not sure *why* she does this, but these are far from the only instances, here's some more:



Vivzie 03/12/2018

Oh! well it was just an update tweet, like a "hey guys it's happening!" sorta thing, i didn't credit perry for cleanup, or myself for the bg either? but that's fair. In the past when posting snippets I have credited who did what, but since this tweet was moreso just an update about the whole project rather than a showcase that's why I didn't., because then the whole tweet would have been "Bg by me, cleanup by perry, boarded by kendraw, and animated by ray" which sure i can make that a reply, gladly, but part of being part of an entire production is being part of a production, i just posted a snippet of the final product. as like an add

if you are expecting explicit credit for every single post, that I can keep that in mind, it was just not something i was intentionally wanting to not credit you guys for



KenDraw 03/12/2018

I think you should credit everyone who has a hand in it every time, because we're all in this together
If you just post it without that people will think its all you. Thats what people assume

You KNOW this. You know your fans assume that you do everything on your lonesome.



Vivzie 03/12/2018

but i can glad give you gusy credit if you'd like it, but i'm honestly kinda disapointed you didn't get ask me too, insteda of acting like it was a deliberate thing or unprofessional, because that just can't happen every single time

*gladly

*just



KenDraw 03/12/2018

You should jump on the opportunity to promote your friends work and the things they're doing for your project, giving them the capability to get more work.

Everyone who does anything for you, you should ALWAYS take the opportunity to proudly present the involvement of the people who are working for you
Thats where I have always stood. That's where I stand.

Perry did fantastic cleanup, Ray did wonderful animation, you did a tremendous background



Vivzie 03/12/2018

ken, you are getting paid for this. part of being in a production is that you are doing work FOR the production, the final product is what it is, do you see disney stating who did what in everything they post as a teaser or for promotion? (which is what my tweet was) no. because it is a stew of tons of people working to make one scene or one film or one anything. Yes credit is always due, of coarse, i everyones hard work is 100% meaningful to me every step of this, but for PROMOTIONAL stuff and PROMOTIONAL posts, i have no obligation to spend half of the promotion crediting who did what, and I get that you are struggling and I DO want to help, but you will be credited for everything you do when this comes out, and if you ASK me if you can post some of the work youv done and it's able to be public i'd galdly let you share it and reblog it and everything, ive alreday posted some of your boards and been boosting your work on the project to colleages and everyone, so I don't understand where this hostility is coming from

it's a job too though and attacking me liek i don't want to promote my friends is very unprofessional

and honestly hurtful to me right now

I am proud of everyone, and once this trailer is out, i'm sure every animator is gonna excitedly post ALL their roughs and their scenes that get shown and i will promote all of them

I just wanted to tweet something promotional

I am sorry it was hurtful to not see any credit, and i maybe should have as I know i have promoted things in the past when showing peaks, so that is fair

and i'm sorry if you or Ray felt really upset by that

but that could have been expressed to me

but that doesn't change the fact that promotional stuff is promotional stuff and doesn't always need explicit credit at all times

when it's comprised of the work of so many people

thats the point of a project like this

to be one team

making something happen



KenDraw 03/12/2018

What do you think I am doing right now, vivienne?

I am expressing my thoughts.

In the moment.

To you.

I am not being hostile, I am calmly telling you my thoughts.



Vivzie 03/12/2018

but you did so by attacking me instead of telling me that you would have liked credit for exposure reasons. And well maybe text is rougher, because it came off as hostile to me

but text often seems cold



KenDraw 03/12/2018

And my thoughts are that you should want to promote everyone, not just me, but every single person who has involvement at all times. It literally takes nothing out of your day to do so.

Everyone doing this has been doing wonderful work, I would like to know who does what because they're fantastic artists.

How am I attacking you?

Tell me what am I doing that you see as hostile or aggressive?

I will moderate and correct my text if there is anything about it that you find to be overtly aggressive



Vivzie 03/12/2018

well that's fair to feel, but i disagree, credit is going to be given nomatter what, everyone will be credited for what they did in the final product, NOTHING is stopping you guys from retweeting the PROMOTIONAL tweet and saying "oh hey! it's my scene" just because I don't put something explicitly in a tweet meant 100% JUST for promotional excitement raising doesn't mean the work put in isn't meaningful to me and i don't want to promote my friends.

But that's another thing too, when something is meant to promote the PROJECT -the thing we are all making together, it's not fair to expect me to make it just as much about the people who did that scene or that bg or anything, because then it is about the person making it. rather then the product itself.

You have to understand that some things will be explicitly to promote the people working and some things will be about the thing we are making



KenDraw 03/12/2018

Would you like to speak vocally? That is, if you find text to be cold and hostile. I will be happy to accomidate things for your comfort.



Vivzie 03/12/2018

my tweet was about the thing we are making

so thats why -

also well, only if you don't mind my roomates (also team members) here, cuz i don't really ahve a place i can go to be alone atm :c

but maybe they could better help explain how promotional stuff works anyway idk



KenDraw 03/12/2018

Hm, i think not, I apologize but I dont feel comfortable with speaking to strangers, even if I am working with them I feel hesitant to communicate to those I am not on familiar terms with, apologies



Vivzie 03/12/2018

that's fair, but what i said above i think sums up what I think puts it in the best words

some things are about this full project we are making, which is one it's own, when promoting it, thats when the team is proud of what we are doing as a whole, when you are part of a professional animated project you forgoyour gleaming spotlight for the success of the product, and most understand this and are proud of what happened

i knwo this project is a lil smaller and im working with a ton of my friends, but it's still a professional animated film and the team understands this

i know you haven't been part of smething this involved tho with this many people and this many hands tho, so i totally understand not totally feeling comfortable with something you had a hand in not with a direct credit on a post, but this is just what being part of a bigger project means

I'm not taking away your credit, like i said, there is nothing stopping you guys from saying "hey this was me!" and i would have gladly retweeted that, honestly

comfortable with something you had a hand in not with a direct credit on a post, but this is just what being part of a bigger project means
I'm not taking away your credit, like i said, there is nothing stopping you guys from saying "hey this was me!" and i would have gladly retweeted that, honestly that would have meant a lot to me, because anyone actually excited enough to be part of this and proud of seeing what their work turned into would have meant WAY WAY more then being told their "disapointed" in me and demanding the credit directly, you were never not going to get credit, and it sucks that it would be an assumption i wouldn't
did ray feel the same way?
because i'm really sorry if that is the case, like i really am



KenDraw 03/12/2018
There is nothing I can say



Vivzie 03/12/2018
what do you mean?
i can go outside if you'd prefer a vocal call, i just, don't know how to even express this better then i have



KenDraw 03/12/2018
There is no need. Nevermind



Vivzie 03/12/2018
I just don't understand
but ok



KenDraw 03/12/2018
Apologies for disturbing you.



Vivzie 03/12/2018
no it's ok, like I don't want this project soured for you, I just
like I don't know how to explain how being part of an animated project is
i guess i'm just so used to it
I'm sorry if my words were harsh or emotional though, i honestly was really caught off guard and didn't expect that kind of response
I'll consult with more members of the team and see if this kind of thing is something that would have bothered them, so that i won't make this mistake again
calming down I am sorry for not being more mindful
you don't have to work on anything further if your not comfortable with it, just lemme know what I owe you.



KenDraw 03/12/2018
Are you upset with me?



Vivzie 03/12/2018
I'm not, I'm just scared you think bad of me and the project (edited)

As she gained more notoriety and fame, our contact began to lessen. I think she also was upset that I had the gall to ask for credit for the things I contributed to Hazbin Hotel. *Heaven forbid.*

Guilting and pressuring me to sign documents:

She contacted me to sign paperwork post project completion on Hazbin due to not being thorough and properly hiring me or others. I chock this up primarily to how haphazard and spontaneous the birth of the project was.



KenDraw 03/11/2020

Are you pitching Hazbin tomorrow??



Vivzie 03/11/2020

iv been pitching it we GOT a propal!!!



KenDraw 03/11/2020

THAT'S EXCITING!

Congratulations!



Vivzie 03/11/2020

they are the ones that need this, they are the ones who'd be scared to be sued

it's hard to be excited when im scared right now ken, it's why im panicking

if i take to long they are going to think someone on production will want to sue for ownership

i know you would never, but thats why im scared it hasnt been signed yet :c

i'm sorry, im just freaking out atm, im trying to calm down

i'm just scared because ei trusted everyone n worked with friends so i never sent out a work for hire to my wirters

or anyone who helped me early on (edited)

there -should- always be a contract

i know that NOW

but thats what this is

it's that contract just after the fact, its why it's dated back

i went back and tried to gauge how early we were discussing the pilot

its not to take away credit or anything, it's all about the IP

which it's -my- IP

hense why im freaking out, it's like my child

I do appologies though for how dramatic i'm being

it's not fair because I know it's very sudden

i'm just, being urged to do things fast which adds pressure to me, and iv been asking this for a bit now so i'm just at peak -stress-



KenDraw 03/11/2020

nono I understand, sorry I'm just trying to process everything, yanno?



Vivzie 03/11/2020

thats fair, i can do my best to in the call, i can read it and explain directly if it helps

i contacted my lawyer to reach out too, because like i have a lawyer helping me with this

KenDraw 03/11/2020
that'd be super helpful! I just want to understand the language, yanno?

Vivzie 03/11/2020
it's a vry simple contract, can i just read thro it?
n you can maybe sign tonight?
cuz she explained it to me too, because im new to proper contracts even if things are as obvious as they can get

KenDraw 03/11/2020
I am more than willing to work with this. My one condition is that you find and list every concept I suggested that was used in the Hazbin pilot and add it to the contract, so that it is apparent what it is I am signing away. I need this clarity for both of our sakes. I'm happy you're finally able to pitch this! Let's wrap this up as soon as possible.

Vivzie 03/11/2020
I don't know is i can do that ken?? liek tahts SO much, like do you want to go and find everything?
i need it to be general because what if one slips??
like
thats not how work for hire works, should it be like
more distinct in roles?
like
writing, boarding, designing, creative input, ect
like ALL th roles?
because if its just liek
all suggestions or concepts that like lead me to what im doing now thats SO broad
and i don't
like it needs to be general enough to cover that broad-ness if that makes sense?
i'm happy to go over this on call because maybe i'm just not understanding you?
n thats why I'm really confused
like it has to emcompass enough to put anyone buying the show at ease
thats teh point, it can't just be these minute details
tahts not actually legally
what works
and it's nervewracking because thats what doll did to get around the loopholes for jiji, so im also like
kidna ahhhhhh
again sorry i KNOW youa arnt doing that, it's just NOT a normal legal approach at all, it's one people use to exploit or try to instate a loophole. (edited)

KenDraw 03/11/2020
I just want to feel safe...

Vivzie 03/11/2020
this document is meant to negate any loopholes
safe from what tho?
this document is to keep my IP safe, it's not to exploit anyone

KenDraw 03/11/2020
We need to narrow down what it is you are claiming. Without that distinction, both of us can get in legal trouble with each other. Evaluate what it is you took away from my suggestions, and we will work from there, but I cannot sign an ambiguous contract that doesn't clearly state what it is I'm giving to you.
I mean maybe we're not understanding eachother? that might be the case but I just want to be thorough yanno?

Vivzie 03/11/2020
can we please talk over call soon so i can figure out what it is i need to do
i'm starting to get really REALLY nervous here
please
its been over 20 minutes please

KenDraw 03/11/2020
yes yes let me go pee and then i'll be gooooooood

Vivzie 03/11/2020
ok

KenDraw 03/11/2020
alright i'm here

Vivzie started a call that lasted 5 hours. 03/11/2020



KenDraw 03/11/2020

So I did some sleuthing because I spoke to someone who understands some legal stuff more specifically and while you wouldn't want anything to do with my characters and stuff, it doesn't mean that the place you'd be signing this stuff for wouldn't take it upon themselves to take any sort of collaborative and roleplays we did with both our characters, including hazbin ones so I actually found the very start of when I started to work on Hazbin with/for you!

May 24th 2017, so I'd need that changed on the legal document

I also found the specific conversation points that were used in the pilot and can copy and paste them for you and your attorney if it'd make things easier! It isn't too much of a slog to read over everything since a lot of stuff was actually moved over to the writing document on June 7th!

If you'd like I can actually gather everything used and provided and then I can sign a new updated form.



Vivzie 03/11/2020

Ken nobody can use role plays for anything! but if thats the truer start to the actual discussion for the pilot that can work! I'll have her update I still think shes going to say specific conversations are still a loophole exploitable thing, but maybe she can add a line where it more better clarifies with is for hazbin only besides the fact it's at the top? i wouldnt trust anyone who just is better at legal jargon than a practicing attorney tho. (edited)

I'm going to be real the moment I hand this too my attorney it's going to be out of my hands. I wanted to trust you'd do this, but it's still clear you don't trust me and I think i'd use -roleplays- for any kind of claim of ownership?

that wouldnt ever hold up in court and I can reiterate that I want nothing to own or claim to anything in your IPS seperate from what's designated in mine.

it hurts me you still don't beleive that, but I can have my lawyer handle it from here.



KenDraw 03/11/2020

okay! Thank you! I would really appreciate talking with your lawyer and bringing up my concerns outright?



Vivzie 03/11/2020

and I'm not comfortable with siting chat logs as proof. But ok.

Like I said, I think I'm just

i dunno.

I'll let her handle it from here then.

best.



KenDraw 03/11/2020

oh! do you think she can e-mail me [redacted] That's the email I use!

or she can call me 📞 that also works

I just have some inquiries and need the date updated

it's not you I don't trust. it's whomever might do somethin, yanno?

we're friends



Vivzie 03/11/2020

they wouldn't even know about anything we did privately though?

like

it's whats within Hazbin and what I pitch them

I'm not pitching or using anything outside of my own material



KenDraw 03/11/2020

Why is my comfort and feeling safety such a problem for you??

I care about you comfort and safety

why can't you also give me the same consideration?

you have an attorney that can better go over stuff and talk about this with me

and I can bring up my concerns and she can releave those?



Vivzie 03/11/2020

I'm going to stop talking. Because I don't feel you do, because I spent my entire night trying to explain it and make you feel secure and I don't feel heard at all. I know you aren't being malicious, I just. Like I simply it's out of my hands. She can put you at ease about this, and she will, but I'm just.

I can't.

If you want to talk about this after having a touch base with her, we can, I'm just too emotional right now.

I'm hurt you don't trust me to this extent.

I'm clearly just really not good with my words, I do undstrand your trepidation, but the contract is VERY clear. (edited)

it's only in with regards to Hazbin and it's why I'm emotional because not signing it is making me feel like you do want to lay claim to my most cherished work. (edited)

and that's scaring and upsetting me.

So, I'm just going to let you talk it out with her. I'm just incapable.

I'm really sorry, I don't mean to make you feel like I'm not taking your feelings on the matter into consideration, that's why I'm just turning it over to her.



KenDraw 03/11/2020

When should I expect her to contact me? You said she has until 5, right?

I just wanna be sure to make myself available!



Vivzie 03/11/2020

She's busy, but I told her I would be at ease if it's handled as soon as possible!

Thank you for making it a priority, this is really important and that means a lot at least.



KenDraw 03/11/2020

Alrighty! Keep me updated, I'll be sure to clear my schedule with her because YES! I want to be able to put you at ease and get this all understood, I think I just really want a legal professional to explain everything to me despite your best efforts I'm still struggling

Vivzie 03/11/2020
She'll reach out soon!

Vivzie 03/11/2020
I'm not sure you want to do that? So if you just ant direct answers from her she can answer just via me or rather she can answer I can just send it directly TOO you apologies though, I'm nervous being the middle person because I don't want to say something wrong. She just informed me if she reached out to you without you having someone repping you it becomes a whole new situation.
unless you do have legal rep I can send her?

KenDraw 03/11/2020
Agh sorry! My net keeps cutting out!
Let me think of how to word my questions tho...
I want to be concise and professional! And have this all cleared up

Vivzie 03/11/2020
go for it, I'll pass them to her and she'll give me direct answers for you, is that ok?

KenDraw 03/11/2020
Yes!

Vivzie 03/11/2020
ok cool!!

KenDraw 03/11/2020
Alright so question number one, is it possible to update the date to May 24th 2017? That is in fact the date when I started spitballing ideas with you about Hazbin!

Vivzie 03/11/2020
I also explained it better in that sentence above lol!
I'm actually also leaving for my aptment, but I can copypaste the questions via email, unless to make it even more professional/streamline you want to email them to me!

KenDraw 03/11/2020
Question number two: Can I attach all the chat logs to specify exactly what my contributions were? There weren't a lot but I do want that specificity in there and because the ideas were in chat log form there is documentation with dates and times without it being muddled like it'd be if we were vocally sharing ideas- so there's not a risk of there being info left out? and no worries! I'll think of more I can send but I think these are my main ones?

Vivzie 03/11/2020
Ok!! Ill send those

Vivzie 03/11/2020
She revised it and gave me a clearer explanation to give you i just cant send until im home.

KenDraw 03/11/2020
no worries! I'll be around this evening if you would like to send it then!

Vivzie 03/11/2020
Will do!

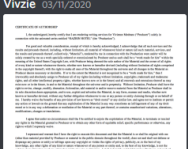
Vivzie 03/11/2020
Ill send the highlighted updated contract but she gave me the go ahead to pass along her answers!
Vivienne - Attached is a redlined version, and a revised execution copy. I changed the date, and provided that the certificate covers "solely" those services on Hazbin. I couldn't open the link, but even if I could, the material in the chat log may not cover everything related to this project and would likely cause a problem with a studio (they will find it odd and wonder whether there were issues). There is nothing in the certificate that gives you rights in material that is unrelated to Ken's services on Hazbin. Please assure him that this is the same type of document that all of our writer clients sign on a regular basis, and I've never had a problem with a production company or studio using such a document to make a claim to material that was created by the client, but unrelated to the project in questions. Hopefully we can wrap up on this basis. Tx.

KenDraw 03/11/2020
Okay! Thank you so much I appreciate this a lot :->

Vivzie 03/11/2020
No problem!
When im home ill get the update n make it a png

KenDraw 03/11/2020
This is very much the verification I needed!
I know it's probably taxing but I really appreciate this specificity and clarity

Vivzie 03/11/2020
Its ok, I understand its needed. I should just let someone who knows how to clarify do it from now on. Im glad it could make more sense! ❤️

Vivzie 03/11/2020


Vivzie 03/12/2020
are there anymore concerns you want me to pass by her?

Vivzie 03/12/2020
I'm trying to do everything I can here, is there anything else you need?

March 15, 2020

KenDraw 03/15/2020
hey sorry for the lack of replies! got swamped with some stuff- but an update is I'm having an attorney look over everything and then I'll sign!
sorry to be so intensive about everything just want to go over everything with a fine tooth comb ' hope you've been staying out of the path of the virus tho, I got some sort of bug and have been sleeping a majority of this past week
(hence the busy status, didn't want anything to wake me up and my phone has a tendency to go on the buzz)

Vivzie 03/15/2020
Fair! If your attorney has any concerns I can connect them with mine so they can be sure to communicate any additional things! Appreciate it! Also oh yeah, it's getting nuts, I'm trying to stay as healthy as I can, I'm sorry you aren't feeling well! Stay safe!!

KenDraw 03/15/2020
No worries I'll keep you posted! I am so so sorry it took a while to get back to you, I know this has probably been nerve wrecking!! But I promise you I want absolutely no ownership of the Hazbin IP and I'm not fucking around on any of this

Vivzie 03/15/2020
It's ok! I appreciate the update a great deal, and I really appreciate hearing that, that does put me at ease! I want everything comfortable on your end too so I'm very glad you have representation!!

KenDraw 03/15/2020
Hence why I'm being so thorough! I take this stuff very very seriously

are we cool btw?
I've seen some posts and I worry that you might be displeased by my absence, if so I'm really sorry, I never wanted you to doubt where I stood!

Vivzie 03/15/2020
I've been very stressed out lately about a lot, just high stress and nerves in general with all that's going on in the world too, so I appologize for that. I do really appreciate the update though, like a ton!!

KenDraw 03/15/2020
of course! I'm really sorry the world is getting to you, this virus shit is getting intense or so social media sure is expressing it as being

But I'm here if you need to let loose on any of that pent up stuff!

And of course! I'm sorry I didn't get back to you sooner, like I said I've been sleeping some sort of bug off

Vivzie 03/15/2020
Its ok!! I appreciate the update, I sent an email too but now you have rep that's fantastic because it means Lee can directly communicate with them! Which is great! If you have their email or number I can pass it to her if there are any additional concerns! She is MORE than happy to explain this and make sure you understand the language and what it is meant for/means! ❤️

KenDraw 03/15/2020
Awesome! Is it alright if I get that info later today? The person that has the contact information is asleep rn

Vivzie 03/15/2020
Yeah! That's fine!
and they do represent you? Just to be sure!

KenDraw 03/15/2020
They're a pre-paid legal service, if that helps?
I'll be able to get the info to you later tho :D; I'm new to all this!
(another reason why I'm being extra careful so I don't fudge things up somehow)

Vivzie 03/15/2020
Definity fair, I'm treating it seriously too just because legal stuff you must! But yes anyone who represents you in this situation who you've hired! They can also confirm that too my lawyer! My lawyer is more than happy to make sure this is all explained to you! I sent an email about how if you would like to be a call with her and me to breifly voice anything to her we can! But having rep is even better!
She didn't want to directly contact you, it's not good for lawyers to do that when someone doesn't have rep!

KenDraw 03/15/2020
I'll pass that along!
Thank you for being patient with me and understanding- I really hope you didn't at all think I was trying to withhold anything from you- that's absolutely not my intention at all!
I'm just being very careful

Vivzie 03/15/2020
I just REALLY appreciate the update, all I want is for this to be safe and comfortable for all parties!! I understand definity, I just look forward to getting it settled!

KenDraw 03/15/2020
yes! of course!
are you going to be ok??

Vivzie 03/15/2020
oh yeah! I'm sure I'll be fine!!

KenDraw 03/15/2020
well just tell me if you need anything alright? I'll keep you posted- and again, thank you for being understanding and being patient with me as I try to wrap my head around all this ❤️

Vivzie 03/16/2020
Did you have that contact for your rep? I can pass it off now that my lawyer has been notified.

KenDraw 03/16/2020
not yet! We were trying to use my mom's legal services that she relieves but we might not be able to so I might have to sign up instead?
also sorry for the delay! I was asleep
(she pays for stuff and she was thinking I could just use it since she already pays for it)

Vivzie 03/16/2020
I think it may need to be you yeah if they are working on your behalf, unless your mom want's to be involved in this. Though I'm not sure, maybe you can consult them on it at the very least.

KenDraw 03/16/2020
yeahhh- she's gonna try and get in contact with them tomorrow and see? and if that's the case I'll go that route- I'm sorry for the delay tho 😞 I'm sure this is aggravating
I didn't expect for this hiccup

Vivzie 03/16/2020
It's ok, like I said my lawyer is happy to call with us to clarify any of the concerns. I guarantee your counsel will explain the same things she did/has/will that this form is harmless to you, but keep me posted as to when they connect so that they can communicate with her directly. I'm sorry I can't just connect you to her but she just isn't able to directly talk to someone not represented, but she said a call with my present just for some simple questions is fine.
Just let me know! either way works

KenDraw 03/16/2020
alright! Once I get clarification on what's going on with if I'm covered or not I'll tell you! rn I'm a little in the dark on my end and waiting for clarification from them
and I appreciate that! I'm sorry I'm being so cautious, like I said it's not a lack of trust towards you it's a lack of trust towards ANY legal document whatsoever and taking the necessary precautions!

Vivzie 03/16/2020
It's ok I do understand the caution, but I promise it's nothing that is meant to do anything but clarify the IP is mine, and majority of the team have signed it, so don't feel like you are the only one! It's something I need from everyone and have from nearly all! ^^ I'd never in a million years allow anyone to be exploited it's only in regards to what's mine! But I'm sure your lawyer touching base once with mine will help put that at ease too! Anything that sorts it comfortably, I'm happy to wait, I know it's being seen as important!

KenDraw 03/16/2020
of course!
tho I feel like you might be upset with me for taking these precautions, I noticed you left the discord group- I'm really sorry if you feel the desire to distance yourself from me due to all this
I in no way wanted you to experience anxiety or take it personally, because I'd take this level of precaution towards any legal document <-

Vivzie 03/16/2020
I think I just want to settle this soon as we can, if that's ok!

Vivzie 03/18/2020
Just letting you know I'd really like to handle this this month, I know though with the virus it might take our rep time to connect and that's beyond fine of course! however I'd like confirmation that you have rep/their contact before the month ends. Most of the team has signed and I do also have your original signed work for hire, as I said this one is just about the IP explicitly, I already have a signed document regarding the understanding of services though! Thanks!! Hope you're staying safe with all the craziness going on!

KenDraw 03/18/2020
Thank you! and yeah I'm calling tomorrow since I guess the hiccup is they didn't know who I was? so I have to contact them with my dead name -_-;;
my mom basically has the family plan so I should be covered
it's just frustrating. I hope you're staying safe tho

Vivzie 03/18/2020
Awesome, yeah just keep me posted, sorry for that though! and yeah, just staying in!

KenDraw 03/18/2020
at least in this case you aren't being as rushed I hope? I really hope that there hasn't been any pushing from the people who are interested in your show <= and I'm sorry this is taking longer than anticipated
I also really hope you don't hate me for being cautious 6__6; I guess I just fear that this has caused you to dislike me
and I'm sorry if that's the case, I know this is probably really frustrating

Vivzie 03/18/2020
Like I said the virus gives some leeway, it's also for my own personal security so like I said, I'd just like it sorted soon is all, but I don't want to add pressure, it's just important.

KenDraw 03/18/2020
of course! I really want to get in contact with my rep and ask some questions and then ask some questions to your lawyer etc etc
then I can sign and it'll be all squared away!

Vivzie 03/18/2020
that's fine, like I said I just would love it handled this month but theres still plenty of time within it! But sounds good, I think once you have rep you can just turn that rep over to my lawyer, she offered a call with me and her to answer concerns, she can't be asked anything one on one, thats why you get represented. If you are they can negotiate and she can explain it to your rep if he/she doesn't understand off the bat, which they likely will.
It's a very standard form, and like I said I do have a prior signature as well, this form just has language designated for protected the IP
But I'm sure having someone with legal authority explain will help.

KenDraw 03/18/2020
yeah the prior form I admit was... worded way more clearly 6__6;
as in the one I think you used from Studio Yotta??

Vivzie 03/18/2020
She did alter your contract to have language more explicitly to limit it to 'solely' hazbin hotel.
and correct they use the same contracts I work with.
It's fair if you think that one was clearer, thats what the rep is for, I look forward to them connecting.

yes! I think my only question is that you asked me to work for you specifically the day after I spoke to you about things that were used in the pilot? which were spoken to you as a friend and as a back and forth sorta thing, then you asked me if I wanted to write for you the 25th
So I guess I'm kinda confused as to if the contract starts when we were just talking as friends or when you specifically asked me to work for you? and then if that's the case, would you need to specify the use of materials that were used in the pilot?
you can see why I'm very confused by it all!
IDK I don't want anything to cause issues or any hiccups for you, I just want things to be clear cut and safe?

Vivzie 03/18/2020
This isn't meant to encompass everything said between friends, that would be impossible to enforce. It's in regards to the writing that was involved if that makes sense? There would be no need to pinpoint specific things because that kinda gets into thought-stuff and that's just impossible because there isn't much record of like thought processes or vocal calls. It's cover the services of writing and brainstorming that deliberately were used in the pilot. Nothing regarding conversations, jokes or rps between friends.
This is solely in regards to the product I made with characters I have had for years and that is the only thing at risk via pitching, like if I pitch 'hazbin hotel' hazbin hotel is the ONLY thing at risk from a studio.
That said also no studio is -buying- the show, I just want the ability to work freely with my own creation, if that makes sense.
It's why I'm taking it very seriously.

KenDraw 03/18/2020
no no it does!
and that's why I'm also taking it seriously! I just want to fully understand and then sign this for you so you don't have to worry about it cuz like I told you, I don't want to have any ownership over your characters or your show
I have absolutely no interest in that

Vivzie 03/18/2020
I appreciate that, it puts me at ease, this document is just important to legally say that if that makes sense, I believe it's the truth.
Like I said I want it to be comfortable for both sides, I just would appreciate if it's handled before it does need to be a quick turn around.

KenDraw 03/18/2020
I don't know if you believe me when I say that but I'm being entirely honest with you, that's precisely why I'm taking the necessary caution- yanno? because I want more than anything to understand.
of course! I don't want this to be dragged out
I'm actually annoyed it hasn't been done already
hence why I'm calling tomorrow to get some sort of feedback
cuz I was basically waiting on a response --;

Vivzie 03/18/2020
I appreciate that, because yeah it's important. I believe there is understanding that you don't own and don't want to lay any claim to my show, I just really need the document understood and signed to feel at ease about that.
But I'm also trying to keep things comfortable, it's best for everyone and I want everything settled ok. But I appreciate the updates, they help! Things take time and that's ok, I just know my lawyer is ready to schedule something as soon as she can with this virus mess.



KenDraw 03/18/2020

Yes yes that I fully understand and that's why I want to put your mind at ease about it and get this all squared away rest assured that's my main priority
I'm sorry I didn't respond earlier last week, like I said I caught something- which seems to be... lingering



Vivzie 03/18/2020

updates/communication are helpful at this point but it's ok, life also happens and life is nutty right now.
I appreciate knowing it's a priority!



KenDraw 03/18/2020

I never want you to doubt that I care about you and your well being and feel terrible that this has stressed you out

March 19, 2020



KenDraw 03/19/2020

talked to the attorney! I'll get you the signed form tonight!



Vivzie 03/19/2020

AHH Great! Thank you! appreciate it!!



KenDraw 03/19/2020

absolutely! again sorry it took so long! They clarified some of the wording and it made more sense



Vivzie 03/19/2020

it's ok, i'm really glad they could clarify it for you!



KenDraw 03/19/2020

yeah there was one bit where I didn't understand but I guess it just meant all the material is original and not stolen and after hearing that I was like OHHH OK
PHWEW
it sounded weird and I didn't quite understand it



Vivzie 03/19/2020

yeah, nah like I said, it isn't anything bad! But i'm glad they could help it make more sense!



KenDraw 03/19/2020

:: yeah- like I said I didn't mean for it to take so long!
here ya are!



Vivzie 03/19/2020

wonderful!!! aaa thank you!
and nah I get that! I do! In all honesty it's just how important this was and I'm not the best without updates, it's a lot of what I've had to deal with so I'm just effected easily, but I understand. Thanks for getting it to me though! I'm just waiting on a few more and then i'll feel safe
everyone is signing, it's just so many people
I have this for the start of anything now, I'm just new to the really official stuff, it's also the stage where people do try to take advantage so, I just get nervous, it's my baby so I'm protective ya know?



KenDraw 03/19/2020

oh no I totally get it! hence why I was careful, yanno?
You're my friend, but legal documents are no joke! I take them super seriously
I don't sign annnyything unless the language makes 100% sense to me
which I know was probably very frustrating to deal with but it wasn't anything against you!



Vivzie 03/19/2020

that is fair, I do understand that! I think it's just because of what I've been through and the stakes/how personal my show is I was just a bit more emotionally effected then I normally would be. I beleive it wasn't at all meant to be bad or malicious or anything like that, I think also I'm just very emotionally weak when it comes to hazbin it's like my world haha.



KenDraw 03/19/2020

that makes sense, but I just want you to know it was absolutely nothing personal
and that I had absolutely no desire to own your ip or your characters
one of the reasons I was cautious about the "all material must be original" clause is because of jokes we made with the characters? but referencing always sunny and other stuff
cuz while I provided original material I know we made jokes refering to those shows and the like
which is why I brought up how we worked in conversation and were super casual
does that make sense?
but the material I provided for the pilot WAS original
so that's why I was like
where does one thing end and the other begin?



Vivzie 03/19/2020

yeah nah it makes sense, and yeah none of that informal speak would cause any issues, it's kind of normal when in the brainstorming/writing pahses ya know? as long as it's not like USING someone elses ip it's fine, which is why like your ips are safe too, anything outside of -mine- don't count in this
idk what the fate of teh show will be, but it'll only be my material at risk and that's on me/my choice ya know



KenDraw 03/19/2020

I really hope you don't... IDK
hate me for being cautious?

It took me a total of 16 days to sign the documentation she presented- I was not only sick, but seeking legal counsel and aid. I was trying to be thorough and make sure I was protected and wasn't signing away the rights to my original work or anything I had told her in confidence about my own characters and projects.

Defaming me and attempting to get me black listed:

Despite others taking longer to sign the paperwork and other individuals getting to her later than even I was (I know of two individuals who signed the paperwork even later than me), she still went to other parties and began to try and blacklist me behind the scenes. Spreading a very vitriolic and disgusting narrative while also misgendering me. *(I've been openly out and going by they/them since Vivienne and I began talking in 2012. there is no excuse for this other than blatant transphobia and a disgusting jab at my person and identity.)*
(tw: Acephobia, transphobia, false accusations of grooming and predation in order to vilify and isolate me from our piers)



Vivzie 03/14/2020

also i dont mean to be a drama, and it might be safer to unfollow her after the shit blows over, im planning to reach out to most of our mutuals when it's done

Kendraw is totally an abuser

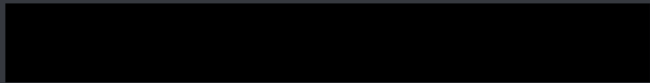
they had a callout and i stood by them, but their recent actions have totally awakened me to what i've endured

i just saw you were following them and wanted to warn you JUST in case they've tried or done anything to you



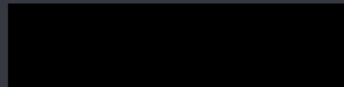
Vivzie 03/14/2020

they are a monster



Vivzie 03/14/2020

they are refusing to sign the hazbin chain of title



Vivzie 03/14/2020

which basically means the show's future is in their control

yeah

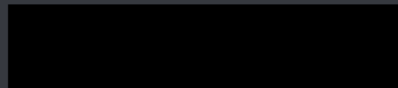


Vivzie 03/14/2020

im ready to take them to court

we are trying to avoid that obv

but they are a monster

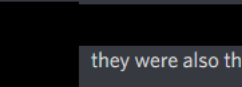


Vivzie 03/14/2020

iv known them since i was underage

theyv been a horrid influence and i cant beleive i let them be on my project

let alone bully me into writing credit



03/14/2020

they were also the one who got pissed that you didn't credit them in a twitter post right?



Vivzie 03/14/2020

ive bene trembling for like days

yep

they are obsessed with credit



Vivzie 03/14/2020

they seem to think anything they suggested to me is something their entitled too

03/14/2020

or are they just avoiding you?



Vivzie 03/14/2020

no they just went silent afer my lawyer adviced/tweaked the contract for them
we have been doing all we can to try to convince her its a safe thing to sign
she seems to want to cite our rps and chatlogs
to poinpoint the ideas she came up with, even tho they are like
abitrary and nothing of substance

03/14/2020

jesus christ



Vivzie 03/14/2020

she's suggest me shit id then do entirely different
btu shes so insane she thinks shes entitled to that
n she thinks if i sell the show the studio woudl want our rps n her characters
even tho the contract says SOLEY HAZBIN
she

03/14/2020

but yeah once this is all blown over I'm happy to unfollow. They've always given me vibes



Vivzie 03/14/2020

she's unreasonable and insane
so im scared
n yeh
def
they are a monster
i beleive their victim now
the one who came out
i feel liek a fucking asshole for not and for standing by them

03/14/2020

when you're friends with someone it's easy to not see the flags



Vivzie 03/14/2020

i thought "well i know she isnt healthy, ill keep at arms length"
but now she has my project hostage and im
im like wow i was foolish

even arma lenth she woudl a way to hurt me



Vivzie 03/14/2020

ye

im just like

i know everyone is behind -me-

teh scary reality is just that they need to sign

them, their friend ray, and then ne other mutual who i do trust to do the right thing

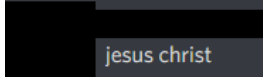
but shes scaring me with how much shes seeming to side with ken

ken has convinced her to confront me over arbitray character similarities too, which is something ken would do constntly

like if you had let her in i garentee u

shed accuse you of -something-

its what she does



03/14/2020

jesus christ



Vivzie 03/14/2020

she finds ANYTHING she can

she came at me for fucking]pentious's hat

during production

n was like

MMM fools hat emotes

me:and?

LMAO

like

they are -that- person



Vivzie 03/14/2020

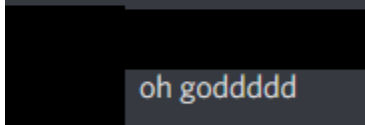
they are THAT full of themselves

they are used to grooming younger artists who look up to them

n controlling who they know, what they draw

what they cant draw

they pose as ace but they are very sexualizing



03/14/2020

oh godddd



Vivzie 03/14/2020

its great cuz even now they are drawing this character tahst so like

furry hypno fetish

n its like dude your not fooling anyone.



Vivzie 03/14/2020

yeeeeppp

ken is 100% narcissistic

like 100000%

it sucks cuz iv known some o this for years but i thought it was harmless

but now its like

jesus

why in the fuck did i allow this person close to me n my project

n then i realized, oh duh cuz they have been grooming me to love them n gtheir work since i was a kid, n to feel like i needed to help them out

i feel sick and angry at myself

03/14/2020

Please don't blame yourself. I think anyone in your shoes would have done exactly the same

it's so easy to see that bad when looking back

*to see the bad



Vivzie 03/14/2020

hindsight bleh

yeh we hadnt really talked in a LONG time

so being so much healthier now in terms of people

i caught the manip like RIGHT away (edited)

03/14/2020

that means you've grown a lot

at the very least



Vivzie 03/14/2020

i'm thankful at least

it'll be ok somehow

03/14/2020

yeah I have no doubt your baby will be in your safe hands no matter what

hopefully the road to get there isn't any messier than it has to be



Vivzie 03/14/2020

hopefully

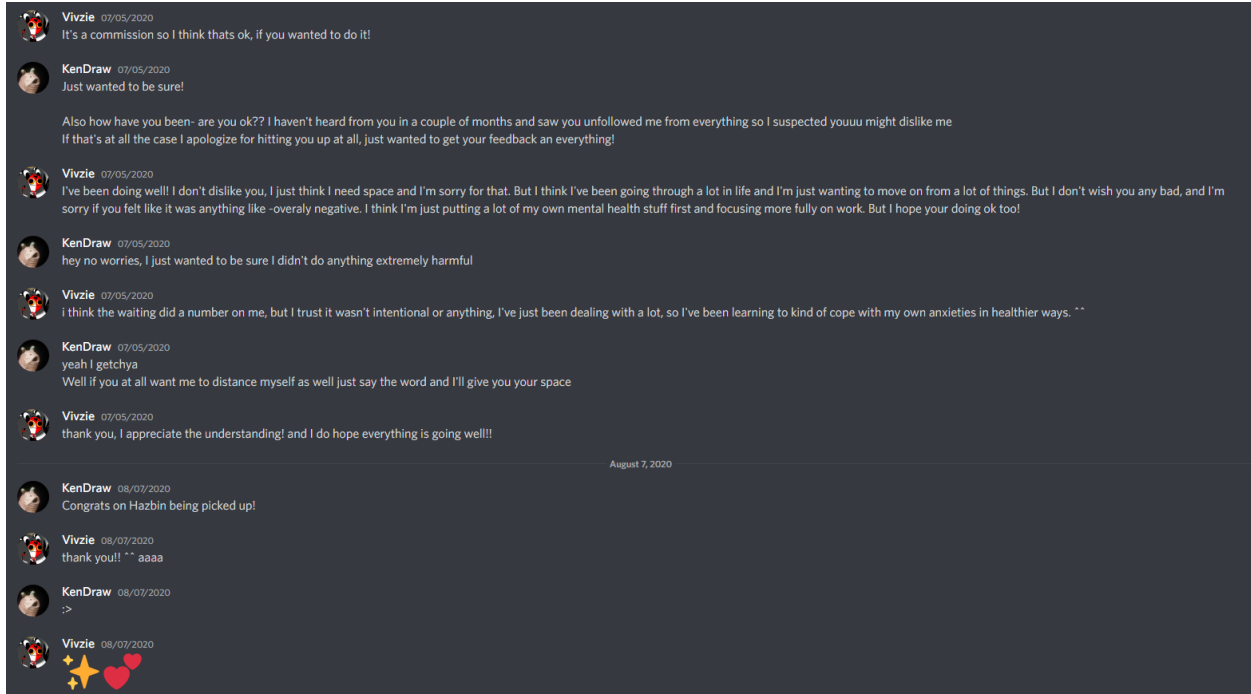
i dont want this to go to court

so we'll see

but i will if i have too

(Other parties involved asked to remain anonymous)

While she was spreading this disgusting narrative about me and the situation behind my back, to my face these were the conversations that she and I were having:



I had no interest, nor do I want to own 'Hazbin hotel' or any of her other creations. I have my own work, my own projects, my own characters. I did not help her for clout, for prestige, or to take ownership of the Hazbin IP. I was only thorough and taking my time because I wanted to be sure I was protected and knew what I was signing. Taking time to feel safe and seek legal consultation and knowledge should NOT be punished or used against someone.

Why come forward?

Above all else I am interested in bringing attention to the negative actions of Vivienne Medrano. She has not only hurt me, but others and I want to lend my voice so that people know that this is not ok, and that they are not alone.

I felt alone, crazy, and like I did something wrong. I was made to feel like I was a friend and that I mattered, only to be discarded when I was no longer of use to her.

I kept quiet because I felt isolated and like it was something she only chose to do to me. I also felt like I couldn't come forward. Vivienne has a large following, as well as the resources to defend herself. I do not. I am only armed with the truth.

After learning that she had done this to other people and has made others feel isolated, alone, crazy, and defamed, I knew I had to lend my voice to ensure that this would no longer happen.