

[Start][^␣↑][\*34.601] Oh my God, there he comes again. \*\*He finally \*decided to write \*\*\*a second term paper for \*his \*seminar on language acquisition...that means a lot of stress and \*\*a huge workload for me, as this \*guy \*\*\*\*\*writes fast\*. Bad thing about this: he has to correct a lot of stuff, both contentwise and in formal terms, so that\* I\*, his humble \*\*\*laptopm☒, have to do a lot of processing. That sucks\*, I would rather have \*\*a nice movie being shown on my screen or just relay☒x in \*stnd☒☒and\*by-mode\*\*...anyway, \*\*here we go, he is desig☒☒☒☒☒\*starting to write his introdu☒uction. I \*\*regard this as rather dumb, I mean, you should \*know what you are writing a\*b\*out before actually stat☒rting to wi☒rite it, shouldn't you? [\*11.247] Okay, \*\*\*he l☒says what the general problem and\*/or research question ist, ☒☒☒, ths☒at should be alright, I guess...☒☒ \*\*I am lok☒oking forward to \*\*\*see his thesis, \*I hope it is not as \*boring as the last io☒☒one...computers ☒☒☒☒☒ters have feelings, too, you know, they ar n☒☒\*\*\*e disappointed t☒when they are abused for writing some irreleve☒ant stuff on stupid\* things that \*no ine☒☒☒onei☒ is going to read anyway, except a poor a\*s\*sistant professor whio☒☒o will give his own mark\* a\*☒☒, make the professor sign \*\*\*\*\*,☒, and throw th\*\*\*e paper away. \*Fortunately, \*my boss doesn't know about this, so he is sto☒ill eager to contri\*bute d☒to \*the progress of mankind\*. What a jerk.☒!\*\*\*

\*\*Okay, there we go, introduction is done, I bet he will have to work ion☒☒☒on it q☒\*and correct it a lot more often\*\*\*☒☒☒☒☒☒☒☒☒☒☒☒☒afterwards for quite a few times\*. \*Damn it, his writing slows da☒own, he is in the ri☒☒first part if☒☒of his paper. Background section is alew☒☒ways difficult, \*\*a lot to read\* without being t☒able to write a lot about it. That's why he \*\*touches the key

board a lot harder than before, ouch, it hurts! [\*14.568] And all these \*\*\*works he cites without only to have an impressive bibliography, how pathetic! \*\*\*\*Anyway, background section is done, now comes the interesting part: he will try to develop his own train of thought. What. That is usually the most interesting interesting part for me as his laptop, as he is quite \*\*\*\*excited when writing he assumes that he wrote something convincing...he writes fast, and, annoyingly, jumps back to his introduction quite often\*  
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to adjust his thesis and his problem statement. \*\*A Footnotes occur less often, which is good, they are a lot of work for me...but he seems to like them somehow\*. \*\*\*\*O\*\*\*\*kay  
Wow, h that was a quick main part, he is writing this conclusion already...  
\*\*\*\*The \*\*\*\*day starts to get worse: that means he is going to go through this first draft of his paper for a lot of times and change a lot many minor things...I personally hate this, couldn't he just let go and \*\*\*\*print his first version? As if all these minor adjustments changed that much.  
\*\*\*\* And he [\*12.719]is\*\*\*\* going through some phases of uncertainty, I realise this as he sometimes has a lot \*\*\*\*makes long pauses and dwells on the structure of single sentences, which is boring and annoying. \*\*\*\*But after that, he \*\*\*\*regains his confidence and presses my print-button...that is a last step for me, \*\*\*\*and the processing doesn't take long...\*\*\*\*I guess he finally made up his mind and thought that his paper will somehow work out, even in the eyes of his examiner\*\*\*\*. I must say, that that

I like my boss, \* at the end of the day, as \*he \*is [\*14.872] a faithful\*\* \*\*and nice guy to me for quite a lot of time \*now\*. Except that o that one time he spilled a drink over me, \*but I survived \*\*\*i\*t\*\*\*.\*\*\* \*\*\*\*\*I like his style of writing, and I\* prefer his \*\*\*\*\*English writing over his German\* one, as he does not use that many strange , substantivised words\*\*\*.\*\*\* \*\*\*\*\*I guess that we w are a good team\*\*\*\*!\*  
in the end, \*\*[Te he inl only boring thing is i his ob session with corrections \*\*\*\*when the deadline approaches...but that is a flaw that i I can easily forgive\*. [\*13.473] [Stop]