# Dialogue for DFS Gears Level: Phantasmagoria

Opening talk with control:

Marcus, this is control. Come in.

Control, this is Marcus. What are my mission details again?

Marcus, you are to investigate the hotel for strange activity.

Several stranded reported ghost sightings at this hotel.

Copy that, Control. Am I allowed to shoot hostiles?

Yes, but this is a non-lethal mission. Control authorized only a stun gun while in the hotel.

Copy that.

## Newspaper 1:

"A Living Nightmare"

"Several stranded recently reported paranormal events"

"The source being a hotel in the middle of Old Ephyra's center square."

"One man describes the apparition as a gory COG casualty. Another ....."

The rest of the paper is illegible.

## Newspaper 2:

"A Living Nightmare"

"...One man described the apparition as a gory COG casualty."

"Another told of a fearsome beast who roamed the halls."

"Are these the mad hallucinations of a few unstable Stranded?"

"Or is it the ghosts of the past haunting us?"

Ephyra Post E-Day News, 14 A.E.

## Newspaper 3:

An old newspaper is posted on this portrait frame.

"A Night To Remember"

"The locust horde managed to tunnel through the Jacinto plateau yesterday."

"Our brave troops defended the plateau from the invaders but to no avail."

"One man abandoned his post during the siege, taking the Hammer of Dawn with him."

"Needless to say, this was the crippling act that turned the entire front."

"Now, the Locust are firmly in command of the southern half of the plateau."

Ephyra Post E-Day News, 10 A.E.

## Bloody Message 1:

A message is written in dried blood.

"Marcus, suffer the same fate as us whom you abandoned four years ago."

"See our enemies, feel our terror, and experience our helplessness."

## Newspaper 4:

An old newspaper is posted on this portrait frame.

"A Coward's Just Reward"

"Today, deserter Marcus Fenix was convicted for cowardice when he fled the battlefield last month."

“Without the targetting laser, the COG forces were unable to hold Ephyra."

"May this be a reminder to all soldiers as to the consequences of cowardice."

Ephyra Post E-Day News, 10 A.E.

## Bloody Message 2:

A message is written in dried blood.

Enough, Marcus. It's time you paid for your crimes four years ago.

I am waiting inside. Face your fellow man.

## Flower (Covered) Grave:

The inscription is illegible and has worn over time.

## Filled Grave:

There is a name inscribed on the tombstone.

“[Name of character]”

A body is in the grave.

## Empty Grave:

There is a name inscribed on the tombstone.

“[Name of character]”

The grave is empty.

## Bloody Message 3: (Ending Cinematic)

A message is written in dried blood.

Marcus, this is just a taste of what I could do to you.

Avenge us fallen soldiers and fight off the Locust infestation.

Return to your world, Marcus, tactful of those you abandoned.

Never forgive. Never forget.

## Ending talk with Control (Ending Cinematic)

Control this is Marcus. Please respond.

Marcus, this is control. The connection went down. What happened?

It's hard to say....but it seems like this hotel and I have a long history.

Marcus Out.