

Happy Friday The 13<sup>th</sup>!  
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“So, they scream and run?” Dr. Noble asked as he looked at his patient on the couch.

“Yeah, not even a ‘Hiya’ or anything,” the patient said. “It’s rude.”

“Could it be the machete? Or the hockey mask?” Dr. Noble asked. “They are disturbing.”

“Oh, please!” the patient exclaimed. “Grow a pair! Or don’t hang out at abandoned summer camps. Not exactly rocket science.”

“Hmmm,” the doctor said, looking at his notes. “Last session you mentioned your public perception. That your strong, silent persona was misunderstood. Have you thought about adding one-liners?”

“What? Like Krueger?” the patient asked. “Forget that.”