





Sullivan's Reward







"THEN ONE DAY
A STRANGER
APPEARED. HE
LOOKED LIKE
A LAWYER..."

WHU?



"HE GAVE ME THE
KEY TO A HOUSE
AND A LOT OF
LEGAL PAPERS..."



AN INHERITANCE?

NO. I'M
FROM NEW JERSEY
AND NEVER HAD ANY
FAMILY IN KANSAS.
THE MAN SAID IT
WAS A GIFT.

DON'T LIKE
THE SOUND
OF THAT.



WHAT'S REALLY INTERESTING
IS THAT MY CRAVING FOR
ALCOHOL WAS SUDDENLY
COMPLETELY GONE.



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"ALONG WITH THE KEY
AND PAPERS THERE WAS
A LITTLE MONEY, JUST
ENOUGH TO GET MYSELF
CLEANED UP AND BUY A
BUS TICKET..."

"I'M SURE YOU UNDERSTAND, I FELT I *HAD* TO ACCEPT THE HOUSE.

"IT'S ONLY A FEW BLOCKS FROM HERE. IT'S OLD, LEFT OVER FROM A TIME WHEN THIS TOWN WAS A LOT MORE PROSPEROUS.



"I ASKED THE LOCALS ABOUT THE PLACE, BUT NONE OF THEM SEEMED TO KNOW MUCH...



"ONLY THAT IT HAD BEEN EMPTY FOR A LONG TIME AND NEVER PUT UP FOR SALE.



"SOMEONE REMEMBERED A FAMILY MOVING IN SOME YEARS BACK...



"...BUT SAID THEY HADN'T STAYED LONG."

