YOU’VE GOT MAIL!

4 E-mails by Eric Jiang

FRAMEWORK acknowledges the Bidjigal and Gadigal people of the Eora Nation, the traditional custodians of the land on which we produced this publication, learn and share ideas.
Congratulations!

Thank you for coming on board – we were delighted to accept your proposal for the final instalment of our humble project.

Please note that we need you to get back to us before tonight so that we can ensure the work is live in a timely manner, and any feedback will be given as necessary.

Again, so incredibly happy to have you with us – we are so, so grateful.

Warmest,

E
However – as we approach the deadline I notice you haven’t submitted what was required. I am kindly asking that you do so within the next minutes or else –

and time for rearrangement and such, and –
reproduction

We are Thrilled – Thrilled ! – some might say Thrilled even –
upon initial confirmation
that this is happening
but it needs to happen sooner

I don’t care if you say
We should’ve been cancelled a while ago but

we have given you time.

I can feel your irritation

And that rising certainty it will be done, I can feel it all in you, if you would please just, just

When you said Yes i thought
The 4 horsemen are Quaking in their boots
The 4 horsemen are Crying in their sleep

but you need to get this to me by
now

Signing off.

E
I need to
This is not what you
This is not what you promised.
Please respond.
We are not real anymore
We are not happy.
I know that for you the constriction loosened
as another thing you feel okay letting go
Fight it.
You'll notice
the circular refrains
You'll notice
containers, emptied.
The pounding flattens into a hum
steady and somnolent
Please, I say through tears,
please, sobbing
please
I see you've seen it
time stamped that many minutes ago
& I just need a response
I just need a response and I will be happy
there are still rules I need to
feel as thought there are still rules
Yours,
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12:07am
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11:58pm
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writing to you
the breath pacens up! flies away
just wanted to let you know we are
mildly frustrated
like how the pacific currently boils over, out of mildness
like how the sky rends & out flow batwinged demons
laughing in American accents

the glitch in every eyeball floods like vista

we agreed
we agreed that you’d do this
we
just wanted to let you know

language ran into itself a five car pileup in the tarmac the length of the conscious
because the lines didn’t make sense any more
a sense of whereness & whenness darted away in the night

out of its wake a spurtin
a melody of sinuous decay
I wanted to let you understand

this not the end not the end not the end

this not the end we were promised