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"The past is never dead."



Monsters as Nostalgia Vehicles





“it’s fresh” and “getting away from gods and dragons and shit. If I see one more dragon I’m going to shoot myself. Stop the dragons.”

Ridley Scott.









Hauntological Tensions



The Ancients



The Exotics

Where are
all the new
(movie)
monsters?

"The past is never dead."



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