

# The Mad Libs Monday Parable

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This is the story of a man named \_\_\_\_\_ First Name of a Person \_\_\_\_\_.

Stanley worked for a company in a big \_\_\_\_\_ Noun \_\_\_\_\_ where he was Employee \_\_\_\_\_ Number \_\_\_\_\_.

Employee #427's job was simple: he sat at his desk in room 427 and he \_\_\_\_\_ Verb Past Tense \_\_\_\_\_ buttons on a keyboard.

Orders came to him through a \_\_\_\_\_ Noun \_\_\_\_\_ on his desk, telling him what buttons to push, how long to push them, and in what order.

This is what Employee #427 did every day of every month of every year, and although others might have considered it soul \_\_\_\_\_ Verb Present ends in ING \_\_\_\_\_,

Stanley relished every moment the orders came in, as though he had been made \_\_\_\_\_ Adverb \_\_\_\_\_ for this job.

And Stanley was \_\_\_\_\_ Emotion \_\_\_\_\_.

And then one day, something very \_\_\_\_\_ Adjective \_\_\_\_\_ happened.

Something that would \_\_\_\_\_ Adverb \_\_\_\_\_ change Stanley;

something he would \_\_\_\_\_ Adverb \_\_\_\_\_ quite forget.

He had been at his desk for nearly an hour when he \_\_\_\_\_ Verb Past Tense \_\_\_\_\_ that not one single order had arrived on the monitor for him to follow.

No one had shown up to give him \_\_\_\_\_ Noun \_\_\_\_\_, call a \_\_\_\_\_ Noun \_\_\_\_\_, or even say \_\_\_\_\_ Greeting \_\_\_\_\_.' Never in all his years at the company had this happened, this complete isolation.

Something was very clearly wrong. \_\_\_\_\_ Verb Past Tense \_\_\_\_\_, frozen solid, Stanley found himself unable to \_\_\_\_\_ Verb Base Form \_\_\_\_\_ for the longest time.

But as he came to his wits and regained his \_\_\_\_\_ Noun Plural \_\_\_\_\_, he got up from his desk and \_\_\_\_\_ Verb Past Tense \_\_\_\_\_ out of his office.