

# THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW

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**Graham:** You are genuinely a fan of the books (The Witcher), and the game, and everything. Apparently on set, you know more than anyone else.

**Henry:** I wouldn't necessarily say anyone else, but I... I am. I'm a... I'm a big fan. I'm a big fan. Yeah.

**Graham:** So do you correct people?

**Henry:** Um, I don't necessarily... I am effusive about getting the... being loyal to the source material. Let's put it that way.

**Graham:** Okay. So yes. Yes, yes you do. You do fly your nerd flag with pride. Now, one of your hobbies, and he's got a lot of them, ladies and gentlemen, One of your hobbies is you paint.

**Henry:** Makes me sound weird.

**Graham:** Well, you do have more hobbies than the average man, I'd say. But you... you paint. Is it War of... World of Warcraft?

**Henry:** Uh, Warhammer.

**Graham:** Warhammer! I'm a fool.

Uh, it's Warhammer, Graham.

**Graham:** Okay, Warhammer. So what... so you, you paint by hand?

**Henry:** Yes. Yeah.

**Graham:** Does everyone do that or can you buy them ready?

**Henry:** No, you have to paint them, but it's just how much effort you put into it. There's a lot of effort. There's the painting/modelling side of the hobby, And then there's the gaming side of the hobby.

**Graham:** Okay. And when you paint them, what do you do with them then, Henry?

**Henry:** Then you put them together in little armies, And you fight against someone else's army. It's actually... it is fun. It sounds ridiculous, but it is fun.

**Graham:** Yeah. No, toys. Very good fun. Do you invite people over?

**Henry:** Yeah.

**Graham:** Okay.

**Tom:** Can I come over?

**Henry:** You can.

**Tom:** It sounds amazing.

**Graham:** Gugu and Zendaya are going "Yeah, don't ask us. Please don't ask us.". Now Zendaya, you're... I mean, not at all, but you have an old school hobby. So you knit, but you do more than knit.

**Zendaya:** I tried to start a new hobby while we were shooting Spider-Man. I got one of those... I don't know if you guys have them, but they're like little rugs that you can make and you basically, yarn by yarn, you attach the thing and colour-coordinate to like a thing. I chose puppies.

**Graham:** Okay.

**Zendaya:** And I got about like four squares in, and I was like, "I'm done with this. This is too tedious for me.", So I got like a little corner of a rug, but that's about it.

**Graham:** But who taught you to knit?

**Zendaya:** My mom taught me to knit. All I can do is scarves. So I'm not like, you know, I can't get you a... I can't give you a sweater or like a vest or anything, but I can get you a nice, thick, warm scarf, Which is what I made for everybody.

**Graham:** Okay, good.

**Zendaya:** I mean, I loved it as a pastime. I usually like... I like little tedious activities, Things I can keep my brain, you know, keep your brain occupied. And um, yeah, I would... I just made everyone scarves because I couldn't, I was like, "What am I going to get everybody for Christmas?". I was like, "I'll just make them some scarves.". That's what I'm doing all day. Like them or not.

**Tom:** We were doing like the most intense fight scenes on set, and you used to come to set to watch quite a lot. Yeah. And I'd be there, I'd come and have blood all over my face, I'd been fighting the goblin, and I'd turn around and you'd just be there knitting. How's your day going? Yeah, it's good. Amazing.

**Graham:** And now Tom, you claim this isn't a nerdy hobby. What are you... what are you doing here?

**Tom:** Oh, I'm puzzling.

**Graham:** He's puzzling, Henry. Puzzling. So it's a jigsaw?

**Tom:** It's a jigsaw. During lockdown, we just really got into puzzles, and I live with five of my friends, and, you know, we would kind of... every now and then you'd find someone sitting at the table, and then every evening we'd all end up there and we'd be just doing... we'd be puzzling.

## **VOCABULARY**

coordinate (verb) - to make things work well together or match.

effusive (adjective) - showing a lot of feelings in an excited way.

fool (noun) - a person who does something silly or not smart.

nerd (noun) - someone who really loves learning or hobbies like games or books.

occupied (adjective) - busy doing something.

puzzles (noun) - games or pictures you fix by putting pieces together.

scarf (noun) - a long piece of cloth you wear around your neck to keep warm.

sweater (noun) - warm clothing you wear on the top part of your body.

tedious (adjective) - boring and taking a long time.

warhammer (noun) - a game where you build and paint tiny soldiers and have pretend battles.