<u>SENTIENT</u>

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EXT. SPACE - NIGHT

A meteor storm streams past and hurtles towards earth.

The storm hits the atmosphere creating ripples.

We descend through one of the ripples to earth.

The dull thud of a dance beat becomes louder.

SUPER: A ONCE IN A MILLION YEAR EVENT

EXT. SYDNEY. CIRCULAR QUAY - NIGHT

Dance music fills the air.

Meteors pop and burst above the harbour.

The CROWD looks up in awe.

Red snow begins to fall from the sky.

A PARTY-GOER lifts-up an open palm to capture it.

SUPER: THE PARTY TO END ALL PARTIES

INT. SYDNEY. HOTEL FOYER - NIGHT

SAM, a young woman peers out through the foyer glass to view the storm.

The lights and music abruptly quit.

Flickering emergency lights partially illuminate the room. Outside remains pitch-black and eerily quiet.

Sam's wonderment becomes disquiet.

She draws closer to the window, peering into the dark outside twisting her head, straining to see, closer and closer until, from outside...

A screaming PERSON runs headlong into the foyer glass.

BAM!

The PERSON bounces off.

SUPER: HUMANITY'S FINAL CHAPTER

SUPER: IS ABOUT TO BE WRITTEN

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