So Much for a Quiet Evening at Home

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I don't own anything. I just am borrowing it for now.

Ron rested his arms behind his head and kicked his feet up on the recliner. It was nice to be able to relax and get off his feet. *Merlin, being an Auror is hard work* he thought to himself. But it was paying off. He'd finally been able to get out of the Burrow and into his own flat. He looked around, nodding at the decorations that Hermione had helped him to get. Thanks to getting a flat in a Muggle neighborhood, he'd been able to buy things like a television and a stereo. He was just about to turn on the television when he heard a strange noise outside and saw a flash of green light.

Grabbing his wand and taking some time to cast some protective spells upon himself, he also put a Disillusionment Charm on so that he would not be seen right away, thanks to the darkness.

He went to the window and looked out, trying to see what exactly was out there. He didn't see any wizards. But he did see a large item that was shaped like a saucer. It seemed like it was making the noise as well as the light.

He opened the door and closed it quickly so he wouldn't be noticed, but there didn't seem to be any creatures outside the ship. Sure that he was still invisible to whatever had arrived in that thing, he walked around it and tried to figure out exactly what it was.

Suddenly, a door opened in the side of the ship and hundreds of things that resembled spiders came out. The only difference was that they were weird colors, such as purple, green with red polka dots, and they seemed to have more legs than usual.

Ron's first instinct was to run, but he was an Auror now. Whatever those things were, he had to deal with them. He used a variety of spells, blasting one of them to pieces, stunning another, and making a third run from him. The thing that made the spiders most frightening was that they seemed to talk to one another.

Finally, most of the spiders were gone. All except one, which was larger than the others had been. The spaceship shrank to the size of a Galleon, and the spider seemed to take it into its body; then the spider walked toward Ron. It shimmered and seemed to be all the colors of the rainbow.

"Congratulations, Ron Weasley. You have passed level one of the Fred and George Weasley patented program provided for the Ministry of Magic's Auror office. Your score and your full report will be sent to your mentor."

The spider then disappeared.

Ron shook his head and went back into his flat. After the past 20 years, nothing about his twin brothers surprised him. Now, he had to take a shower before settling down to watch television. What a pain in the arse.

Prompt from karelia: An alien ship lands on Ron's lawn.