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Shadows Lurking

Short Answer

1. How does the fire at the first house contribute to the eerie mood of the story?

2. Why does the narrator feel haunted in his new home?

3. How does the basement setting increase the suspense of the story?

4. Why is the house an important part of the horror in The Black Cat?

5. How does Poe use darkness and shadows to add to the fear in the story?

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