



THE SCAM RADAR

— Urgency + trust + a weird way to pay. That's every scam ever made —

-  **1 They Rush You**
"Act now or else." Panic is the product. Don't buy it.
-  **2 Weird Payment**
Gift cards, wire, crypto. Nobody real gets paid this way.
-  **3 Keep It Secret**
Real banks never say "don't tell anyone." Tell everyone.
-  **4 Too Good to Be True**
Free money is not a thing. It was checked. Twice.
-  **5 The Callback Defense**
Hang up. Find the real number yourself. Call back.



Dad's Quick Take:

Slow is safe. Real companies survive a double-check — scams can't.