

Red-Handed Easy

Seat everyone, place every object, and name whoever could not have told the truth.

CASE 01

The insurance man was found face down at the garage.

Exactly one account is false, and whoever gave it was alone at the garage.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the hammer from the market.
- The rope was found at the lighthouse.

WHAT THEY SAID

Esme: I never left Lior's side.
Mira: I was with Esme.
Gus: The rope was nowhere near me.
Lior: The garage? I did not set foot in it.

LIGHTHOUSE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
MARKET 1 chair	EVIDENCE
GARAGE (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 02

They carried the insurance man out of the lighthouse at first light.

Exactly one account is false, and whoever gave it was alone at the lighthouse.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the rolling pin from the back office.

WHAT THEY SAID

Cira: I never left Finn's side.
Finn: I was with Esme.
Dev: I spent the whole evening at the back office.
Esme: I was the one carrying the bolt cutter.

WORKSHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
BACK OFFICE 1 chair	EVIDENCE
LIGHTHOUSE (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 03

They carried the tax inspector out of the studio at first light.

Exactly one account is false, and whoever gave it was alone at the studio.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the rope from the cobblers.
- The hammer was found at the apiary.

WHAT THEY SAID

Mira: I could not tell you where the rope was.
Gus: I never went near the studio.
Lior: Mira and I were together the whole time.
Jax: I never left Lior's side.

APIARY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
COBBLERS 1 chair	EVIDENCE
STUDIO (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 04

A man nobody in town knew was found dead at the apiary.

Exactly one account is false, and whoever gave it was alone at the apiary.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The tankard was found at the workshop.

WHAT THEY SAID

Mira: Whoever had the poison bottle was not with me.
Lior: The poison bottle was in my hands.
Bo: I never left Mira's side.
Iris: I was with Lior.

BACK OFFICE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
WORKSHOP 1 chair	EVIDENCE
APIARY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 05

They carried the stranger off the evening ferry out of the garage at first light.

Exactly one account is false, and whoever gave it was alone at the garage.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The bolt cutter turned up at the workshop.

WHAT THEY SAID

Hana: The brass key was never in my hands.
Sol: Hana and I were together the whole time.
Bo: Whoever had the brass key was with me.
Mira: I was with Sol.

WORKSHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
LIGHTHOUSE 1 chair	EVIDENCE
GARAGE (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 06

A man nobody in town knew was found dead at the lighthouse.

Exactly one account is false, and whoever gave it was alone at the lighthouse.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the knife from the ferry dock.
- The glass plate was found at the studio.

WHAT THEY SAID

Iris: Ask Nils – we were together.
Nils: I never went near the lighthouse.
Dev: I never left Iris's side.
Finn: I could not tell you where the glass plate was.

STUDIO 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
FERRY DOCK 1 chair	EVIDENCE
LIGHTHOUSE (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

NOTES

Answer Key — Red-Handed Easy

Solve before peeking. The liar is the one who was alone at the scene.

Case 01	Mira	alone at the garage
Mira said: "I was with Esme." Esme was at the lighthouse, and Mira was at the garage. They were not together.		

Case 02	Cira	alone at the lighthouse
Cira said: "I never left Finn's side." Finn was at the workshop, and Cira was at the lighthouse. They were not together.		

Case 03	Jax	alone at the studio
Jax said: "I never left Lior's side." Lior was at the apiary, and Jax was at the studio. They were not together.		

Case 04	Bo	alone at the apiary
Bo said: "I never left Mira's side." Mira was at the workshop, and Bo was at the apiary. They were not together.		

Case 05	Mira	alone at the garage
Mira said: "I was with Sol." Sol was at the workshop, and Mira was at the garage. They were not together.		

Case 06	Dev	alone at the lighthouse
Dev said: "I never left Iris's side." Iris was at the studio, and Dev was at the lighthouse. They were not together.		