

Red-Handed Sherlock

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

CASE 01

A shot was heard at the studio. The night clerk did not get up.

Exactly two accounts are false. One of the two liars was alone at the studio – that one did it.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the poison bottle from the clock tower.
- The glass plate was never at the back office.
- Nothing puts the lantern at the back office.

WHAT THEY SAID

Gus: I never left Mira's side.
Nils: I had the poison bottle.
Jax: I spent the whole evening at the clock tower.
Mira: If you find the lantern, you find where I was.
Lior: I had the poison bottle.
Ora: I was with Nils.

BACK OFFICE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
CLOCK TOWER 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
STUDIO (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE
MARKET 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 02

A shot was heard at the lighthouse. The night clerk did not get up.

Exactly two accounts are false. One of the two liars was alone at the lighthouse – that one did it.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- Nothing puts the flower pail at the studio.
- They recovered the bloodied cloth from the saloon.
- The revolver was found at the tailor shop.

WHAT THEY SAID

Kit: Ask Ada – we were together.
Lior: I could not tell you where the basket was.
Esme: Whoever had the flower pail was with me.
Ada: I spent the whole evening at the tailor shop.
Iris: Ask Kit – we were together.
Hana: Whoever had the bloodied cloth was with me.

SALOON 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
TAILOR SHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
STUDIO 1 chair	EVIDENCE
LIGHTHOUSE (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 03

A shot was heard at the tailor shop. A stranger off the evening ferry did not get up.

Exactly two accounts are false. One of the two liars was alone at the tailor shop – that one did it.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The garage was clean – no sign of the flower pail.
- The wrench was found at the apiary.
- Nothing puts the glass plate at the garage.

WHAT THEY SAID

Finn: I never left Dev's side.
 Jax: I was at the apiary.
 Sol: The glass plate was in my hands.
 Ora: Sol and I were together the whole time.
 Ada: I had the wrench.
 Dev: I spent the whole evening at the apiary.

APIARY 2 chairs	_____	EVIDENCE
GARAGE 2 chairs	_____	EVIDENCE
SURGERY 1 chair	_____	EVIDENCE
TAILOR SHOP (SCENE) 1 chair	_____	EVIDENCE

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CASE 04

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

Exactly two accounts are false. One of the two liars was alone at the back office – that one did it.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The glass plate turned up at the library.
- The studio was clean – no sign of the hammer.
- The basket was never at the studio.

WHAT THEY SAID

Lior: The glass plate was in the room I was in.
 Hana: Dev and I were together the whole time.
 Nils: I had the basket.
 Jax: I was with Nils.
 Iris: I was the one carrying the glass plate.
 Dev: Whoever had the glass plate was with me.

LIBRARY 2 chairs	_____	EVIDENCE
STUDIO 2 chairs	_____	EVIDENCE
BACK OFFICE (SCENE) 1 chair	_____	EVIDENCE
WORKSHOP 1 chair	_____	EVIDENCE

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CASE 05

They carried the traveller off the mainland boat out of the garage at first light.

Exactly two accounts are false. One of the two liars was alone at the garage – that one did it.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the lantern from the surgery.
- The revolver was never at the market.
- Nothing puts the flower pail at the market.

WHAT THEY SAID

Nils: I was with Esme.
 Gus: Whoever had the lantern was with me.
 Esme: The lantern was in the room I was in.
 Finn: I was the one carrying the lantern.
 Cira: I was with Ora.
 Ora: The flower pail was in my hands.

MARKET 2 chairs	_____	EVIDENCE
SURGERY 2 chairs	_____	EVIDENCE
BACK OFFICE 1 chair	_____	EVIDENCE
GARAGE (SCENE) 1 chair	_____	EVIDENCE

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CASE 06

The company man was found face down at the workshop.

Exactly two accounts are false. One of the two liars was alone at the workshop – that one did it.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- Nothing puts the glass plate at the studio.
- They recovered the poison bottle from the lighthouse.
- The bolt cutter was never at the studio.

WHAT THEY SAID

Esme: I never left Lion's side.
 Iris: If you find the bolt cutter, you find where I was.
 Jax: Whoever had the poison bottle was with me.
 Bo: The poison bottle was in my hands.
 Lion: I was the one carrying the poison bottle.
 Gus: I was with Iris.

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

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Answer Key – Red-Handed Sherlock

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

Case 01	Gus	alone at the studio	Gus said: "I never left Mira's side." Mira was at the market, and Gus was at the studio. They were not together. Nils also lied, but did not do it. Nils said: "I had the poison bottle." The poison bottle was at the clock tower, but Nils was at the back office.
Case 02	Iris	alone at the lighthouse	Iris said: "Ask Kit – we were together." Kit was at the tailor shop, and Iris was at the lighthouse. They were not together. Esme also lied, but did not do it. Esme said: "Whoever had the flower pail was with me." The flower pail was at the lighthouse, but Esme was at the studio.
Case 03	Ora	alone at the tailor shop	Ora said: "Sol and I were together the whole time." Sol was at the surgery, and Ora was at the tailor shop. They were not together. Dev also lied, but did not do it. Dev said: "I spent the whole evening at the apiary." Dev was not at the apiary. Dev was at the garage.
Case 04	Jax	alone at the back office	Jax said: "I was with Nils." Nils was at the workshop, and Jax was at the back office. They were not together. Dev also lied, but did not do it. Dev said: "Whoever had the glass plate was with me." The glass plate was at the library, but Dev was at the studio.
Case 05	Cira	alone at the garage	Cira said: "I was with Ora." Ora was at the back office, and Cira was at the garage. They were not together. Esme also lied, but did not do it. Esme said: "The lantern was in the room I was in." The lantern was at the surgery, but Esme was at the market.
Case 06	Gus	alone at the workshop	Gus said: "I was with Iris." Iris was at the ferry dock, and Gus was at the workshop. They were not together. Lior also lied, but did not do it. Lior said: "I was the one carrying the poison bottle." The poison bottle was at the lighthouse, but Lior was at the studio.