

Red-Handed Medium

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

CASE 01

The strongbox was emptied at the bakery, and the keeper never woke.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The poison bottle turned up at the post office.

WHAT THEY SAID

Lior: The key blank was nowhere near me.
Dev: I never left Lior's side.
Cira: I was with Dev.
Jax: The key blank was in the room I was in.
Nils: The bakery? I did not set foot in it.

LIGHTHOUSE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
POST OFFICE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
BAKERY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 02

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

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the knife from the post office.

WHAT THEY SAID

Dev: The library? I did not set foot in it.
Gus: I had the wrench.
Cira: Sol and I were together the whole time.
Sol: I never left Lior's side.
Lior: Whoever had the wrench was not with me.

POST OFFICE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
LIGHTHOUSE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
LIBRARY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 03

The tax inspector was found at the tailor shop, and not breathing.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The studio was clean – no sign of the knife.

WHAT THEY SAID

Esme: I never left Kit's side.
 Kit: I was with Mira.
 Nils: The knife was in the room I was in.
 Mira: I was the one carrying the bolt cutter.
 Jax: Whoever had the lantern was not with me.

STUDIO 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
WORKSHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
TAILOR SHOP (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 04

A man nobody in town knew was found at the market, and not breathing.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- Nothing puts the rope at the ferry dock.

WHAT THEY SAID

Nils: I spent the whole evening at the ferry dock.
 Lior: You will find me at the library, and nowhere else.
 Sol: Ask Gus – we were together.
 Ora: The ledger was in my hands.
 Gus: I never left Nils's side.

FERRY DOCK 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
LIBRARY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
MARKET (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 05

The strongbox was emptied at the market, and the keeper never woke.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- Nothing puts the tankard at the apiary.

WHAT THEY SAID

Gus: The rolling pin was in my hands.
Kit: You will find me at the apiary, and nowhere else.
Bo: Whoever had the rolling pin was with me.
Ada: Ask Kit – we were together.
Nils: Ada and I were together the whole time.

APIARY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
POST OFFICE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
MARKET (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 06

The debt collector was found dead at the bakery.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the rolling pin from the market.

WHAT THEY SAID

Nils: I was with Hana.
Jax: Whoever had the rolling pin was with me.
Ada: I was nowhere near the bakery all evening.
Hana: I never left Jax's side.
Sol: I never touched the oil can.

MARKET 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
STUDIO 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
BAKERY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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Answer Key — Red-Handed Medium

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

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| Case 01 | Cira | alone at the bakery |
| Cira said: "I was with Dev." Dev was at the post office, and Cira was at the bakery. They were not together. | | |
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| Case 02 | Cira | alone at the library |
| Cira said: "Sol and I were together the whole time." Sol was at the post office, and Cira was at the library. They were not together. | | |
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| Case 03 | Esme | alone at the tailor shop |
| Esme said: "I never left Kit's side." Kit was at the studio, and Esme was at the tailor shop. They were not together. | | |
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| Case 04 | Sol | alone at the market |
| Sol said: "Ask Gus — we were together." Gus was at the ferry dock, and Sol was at the market. They were not together. | | |
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| Case 05 | Nils | alone at the market |
| Nils said: "Ada and I were together the whole time." Ada was at the apiary, and Nils was at the market. They were not together. | | |
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| Case 06 | Nils | alone at the bakery |
| Nils said: "I was with Hana." Hana was at the market, and Nils was at the bakery. They were not together. | | |
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