

Red-Handed Medium

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

CASE 01

A traveller off the mainland boat was found dead at the workshop.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The bee smoker was never at the ferry dock.

WHAT THEY SAID

Cira: Ask Bo – we were together.
Kit: The bee smoker was never in my hands.
Ada: I was the one carrying the key blank.
Bo: I was with Hana.
Hana: I spent the whole evening at the ferry dock.

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

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CASE 02

The debt collector was found dead at the workshop.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The wrench was found at the ferry dock.
- Nothing puts the revolver at the garage.

WHAT THEY SAID

Gus: I never left Cira's side.
Jax: I was with Gus.
Ada: The workshop? I did not set foot in it.
Lior: I was at the garage.
Cira: The oil can was never in my hands.

GARAGE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
FERRY DOCK 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
WORKSHOP (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 03

A shot was heard at the library. A man nobody in town knew did not get up.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The apiary was clean – no sign of the flower pail.

WHAT THEY SAID

Ada: I was the one carrying the flower pail.
 Sol: I was with Ora.
 Ora: The poison bottle was in my hands.
 Nils: The library? I did not set foot in it.
 Iris: I never left Sol's side.

APIARY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
BAKERY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
LIBRARY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 04

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

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The ledger turned up at the tailor shop.

WHAT THEY SAID

Hana: Ask Finn – we were together.
 Lior: If you find the tankard, you find where I was.
 Finn: I never touched the tankard.
 Jax: I was with Hana.
 Gus: The library? I did not set foot in it.

SURGERY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
TAILOR SHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
LIBRARY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 05

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

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The cobblers was clean – no sign of the poison bottle.

WHAT THEY SAID

Ora: I could not tell you where the knife was.
Lior: I never went near the clock tower.
Jax: The poison bottle was in the room I was in.
Finn: I was with Jax.
Bo: Ask Finn – we were together.

COBBLERS 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
WORKSHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
CLOCK TOWER (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 06

They carried the mine agent out of the clock tower at first light.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- Nothing puts the rolling pin at the market.

WHAT THEY SAID

Ora: The tankard was never in my hands.
Nils: Ask Lior – we were together.
Ada: Nils and I were together the whole time.
Lior: I spent the whole evening at the market.
Hana: If you find the oil can, you find where I was.

MARKET 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
LIGHTHOUSE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
CLOCK TOWER (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

NOTES

Answer Key – Red-Handed Medium

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

Case 01	Cira	alone at the workshop	Cira said: "Ask Bo – we were together." Bo was at the ferry dock, and Cira was at the workshop. They were not together.
Case 02	Jax	alone at the workshop	Jax said: "I was with Gus." Gus was at the ferry dock, and Jax was at the workshop. They were not together.
Case 03	Iris	alone at the library	Iris said: "I never left Sol's side." Sol was at the apiary, and Iris was at the library. They were not together.
Case 04	Jax	alone at the library	Jax said: "I was with Hana." Hana was at the tailor shop, and Jax was at the library. They were not together.
Case 05	Bo	alone at the clock tower	Bo said: "Ask Finn – we were together." Finn was at the workshop, and Bo was at the clock tower. They were not together.
Case 06	Ada	alone at the clock tower	Ada said: "Nils and I were together the whole time." Nils was at the market, and Ada was at the clock tower. They were not together.