

Red-Handed Medium

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

CASE 01

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

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The basket was never at the studio.

WHAT THEY SAID

Sol: Ask Ada – we were together.
Jax: The basket was in the room I was in.
Ora: I could not tell you where the flower pail was.
Nils: I was with Sol.
Ada: The wrench was in the room I was in.

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

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CASE 02

The mine agent was found face down at the tailor shop.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The bolt cutter turned up at the garage.
- The ferry dock was clean – no sign of the glass plate.

WHAT THEY SAID

Dev: The bolt cutter was nowhere near me.
Bo: Wherever the rope was, I was not.
Ada: I was with Bo.
Esme: I was nowhere near the tailor shop all evening.
Jax: Ada and I were together the whole time.

GARAGE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
FERRY DOCK 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
TAILOR SHOP (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 03

The tax inspector was found face down at the workshop.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The brass key turned up at the ferry dock.

WHAT THEY SAID

Bo: The flower pail was nowhere near me.
Cira: Ask Sol – we were together.
Hana: Whoever had the brass key was with me.
Sol: I never left Hana's side.
Mira: Wherever the flower pail was, I was not.

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

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CASE 04

The debt collector was found face down at the cobblers.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The wrench turned up at the tailor shop.

WHAT THEY SAID

Gus: Ask Dev – we were together.
Dev: Ada and I were together the whole time.
Cira: I never went near the cobblers.
Jax: The wrench was in my hands.
Ada: If you find the revolver, you find where I was.

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

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CASE 05

A shot was heard at the bakery. The tax inspector did not get up.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The bloodied cloth was never at the surgery.

WHAT THEY SAID

Sol: I never left Nils's side.
Jax: The flower pail was nowhere near me.
Nils: Ask Bo – we were together.
Bo: Whoever had the bloodied cloth was with me.
Mira: The bloodied cloth was never in my hands.

SURGERY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
CLOCK TOWER 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
BAKERY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 06

A stranger off the evening ferry was found at the bakery, and not breathing.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The rolling pin was found at the cobblers.

WHAT THEY SAID

Ora: I had the glass plate.
Mira: I was with Lior.
Iris: The bakery? I did not set foot in it.
Lior: Sol and I were together the whole time.
Sol: The glass plate was nowhere near me.

COBBLERS 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
POST OFFICE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
BAKERY (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	Nils	alone at the surgery	Nils said: "I was with Sol." Sol was at the studio, and Nils was at the surgery. They were not together.
Case 02	Jax	alone at the tailor shop	Jax said: "Ada and I were together the whole time." Ada was at the garage, and Jax was at the tailor shop. They were not together.
Case 03	Cira	alone at the workshop	Cira said: "Ask Sol — we were together." Sol was at the ferry dock, and Cira was at the workshop. They were not together.
Case 04	Gus	alone at the cobblers	Gus said: "Ask Dev — we were together." Dev was at the library, and Gus was at the cobblers. They were not together.
Case 05	Sol	alone at the bakery	Sol said: "I never left Nils's side." Nils was at the clock tower, and Sol was at the bakery. They were not together.
Case 06	Mira	alone at the bakery	Mira said: "I was with Lior." Lior was at the cobblers, and Mira was at the bakery. They were not together.