

## Red-Handed Medium

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

### CASE 01

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

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The knife turned up at the post office.

WHAT THEY SAID

**Ada:** Jax and I were together the whole time.  
**Finn:** I never left Ada's side.  
**Lior:** I never went near the ferry dock.  
**Jax:** The bolt cutter was in my hands.  
**Cira:** I could not tell you where the hammer was.

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| <b>POST OFFICE</b><br>2 chairs       | EVIDENCE |
| <b>BAKERY</b><br>2 chairs            | EVIDENCE |
| <b>FERRY DOCK (SCENE)</b><br>1 chair | EVIDENCE |

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### CASE 02

**The debt collector was found face down at the clock tower.**

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The poison bottle turned up at the studio.

WHAT THEY SAID

**Hana:** I never left Iris's side.  
**Iris:** I was the one carrying the rolling pin.  
**Ada:** Ask Hana – we were together.  
**Esme:** I was nowhere near the clock tower all evening.  
**Kit:** Wherever the rolling pin was, I was not.

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| <b>STUDIO</b><br>2 chairs             | EVIDENCE |
| <b>COBBLERS</b><br>2 chairs           | EVIDENCE |
| <b>CLOCK TOWER (SCENE)</b><br>1 chair | EVIDENCE |

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### CASE 03

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

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The glass plate was never at the library.
- Nothing puts the basket at the library.

WHAT THEY SAID

**Sol:**               Cira and I were together the whole time.  
**Lior:**            I was nowhere near the saloon all evening.  
**Ada:**             I was with Sol.  
**Cira:**            I never touched the basket.  
**Ora:**             The basket was in my hands.

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| <b>LIBRARY</b><br>2 chairs       | EVIDENCE |
| <b>POST OFFICE</b><br>2 chairs   | EVIDENCE |
| <b>SALOON (SCENE)</b><br>1 chair | EVIDENCE |

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### CASE 04

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

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The workshop was clean – no sign of the poison bottle.
- The glass plate was never at the workshop.

WHAT THEY SAID

**Hana:**           Finn and I were together the whole time.  
**Finn:**           I never touched the glass plate.  
**Esme:**           I was nowhere near the post office all evening.  
**Mira:**           I was the one carrying the glass plate.  
**Ora:**             Hana and I were together the whole time.

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| <b>WORKSHOP</b><br>2 chairs           | EVIDENCE |
| <b>GARAGE</b><br>2 chairs             | EVIDENCE |
| <b>POST OFFICE (SCENE)</b><br>1 chair | EVIDENCE |

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### CASE 05

A shot was heard at the library. A traveller off the mainland boat did not get up.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- Nothing puts the ledger at the lighthouse.

WHAT THEY SAID

**Lior:** The ledger was in my hands.  
**Finn:** Wherever the poison bottle was, I was not.  
**Ada:** Dev and I were together the whole time.  
**Dev:** I never left Esme's side.  
**Esme:** I was the one carrying the bolt cutter.

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| <b>LIGHTHOUSE</b><br>2 chairs     | EVIDENCE |
| <b>BACK OFFICE</b><br>2 chairs    | EVIDENCE |
| <b>LIBRARY (SCENE)</b><br>1 chair | EVIDENCE |

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### CASE 06

A shot was heard at the back office. The debt collector did not get up.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The library was clean – no sign of the bloodied cloth.
- The hammer was never at the library.

WHAT THEY SAID

**Cira:** I could not tell you where the flower pail was.  
**Gus:** I never left Kit's side.  
**Kit:** The bloodied cloth was nowhere near me.  
**Lior:** Ask Gus – we were together.  
**Ora:** I had the bloodied cloth.

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| <b>LIBRARY</b><br>2 chairs            | EVIDENCE |
| <b>BAKERY</b><br>2 chairs             | EVIDENCE |
| <b>BACK OFFICE (SCENE)</b><br>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 | <b>Finn</b> | alone at the ferry dock  | Finn said: "I never left Ada's side." Ada was at the bakery, and Finn was at the ferry dock. They were not together.                   |
| Case 02 | <b>Ada</b>  | alone at the clock tower | Ada said: "Ask Hana – we were together." Hana was at the cobblers, and Ada was at the clock tower. They were not together.             |
| Case 03 | <b>Ada</b>  | alone at the saloon      | Ada said: "I was with Sol." Sol was at the library, and Ada was at the saloon. They were not together.                                 |
| Case 04 | <b>Ora</b>  | alone at the post office | Ora said: "Hana and I were together the whole time." Hana was at the workshop, and Ora was at the post office. They were not together. |
| Case 05 | <b>Ada</b>  | alone at the library     | Ada said: "Dev and I were together the whole time." Dev was at the lighthouse, and Ada was at the library. They were not together.     |
| Case 06 | <b>Lior</b> | alone at the back office | Lior said: "Ask Gus – we were together." Gus was at the library, and Lior was at the back office. They were not together.              |