

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 apiary, and the keeper never woke.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- Nothing puts the brass key at the bakery.
- The bakery was clean – no sign of the wrench.

WHAT THEY SAID

Ada: The brass key was in the room I was in.
Dev: Lior and I were together the whole time.
Lior: I never left Cira's side.
Kit: The tankard was never in my hands.
Cira: I could not tell you where the brass key was.

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

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CASE 02

A shot was heard at the surgery. The mine agent did not get up.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The apiary was clean – no sign of the tankard.

WHAT THEY SAID

Mira: If you find the tankard, you find where I was.
Dev: I never went near the surgery.
Nils: Iris and I were together the whole time.
Iris: If you find the hammer, you find where I was.
Lior: I was with Nils.

APIARY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
MARKET 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
SURGERY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 03

The company man 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 ledger turned up at the library.

WHAT THEY SAID

Jax: The glass plate was in the room I was in.
Lior: I was with Jax.
Cira: Whoever had the brass key was not with me.
Mira: The glass plate was nowhere near me.
Ora: I never left Lior's side.

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

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CASE 04

The new foreman 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 post office was clean – no sign of the lantern.

WHAT THEY SAID

Sol: If you find the lantern, you find where I was.
Iris: Whoever had the knife was not with me.
Kit: Jax and I were together the whole time.
Bo: I was the one carrying the knife.
Jax: I was with Bo.

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

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CASE 05

The debt collector was found dead at the lighthouse.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The basket was found at the workshop.

WHAT THEY SAID

Ada: Ask Sol – we were together.
Sol: The tankard was in my hands.
Finn: Wherever the tankard was, I was not.
Lior: I was at the workshop.
Jax: Ask Ada – we were together.

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

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CASE 06

The mine agent 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 ledger was never at the bakery.

WHAT THEY SAID

Dev: I had the bolt cutter.
Mira: I spent the whole evening at the bakery.
Gus: Mira and I were together the whole time.
Sol: Whoever had the flower pail was not with me.
Hana: I was with Gus.

BAKERY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
MARKET 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	Dev	alone at the apiary
Dev said: "Lior and I were together the whole time." Lior was at the bakery, and Dev was at the apiary. They were not together.		
Case 02	Lior	alone at the surgery
Lior said: "I was with Nils." Nils was at the apiary, and Lior was at the surgery. They were not together.		
Case 03	Ora	alone at the ferry dock
Ora said: "I never left Lior's side." Lior was at the workshop, and Ora was at the ferry dock. They were not together.		
Case 04	Kit	alone at the library
Kit said: "Jax and I were together the whole time." Jax was at the post office, and Kit was at the library. They were not together.		
Case 05	Jax	alone at the lighthouse
Jax said: "Ask Ada – we were together." Ada was at the tailor shop, and Jax was at the lighthouse. They were not together.		
Case 06	Hana	alone at the clock tower
Hana said: "I was with Gus." Gus was at the bakery, and Hana was at the clock tower. They were not together.		