

The Night Restock

#030 / HARD / 35 MIN

One of the characters is the victim — already on the board. Everyone else is a suspect. Your job: figure out where everybody was standing.

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
1	X	 F	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
2		X	Deli						
3		X							
4		X							
5							Bakery		
6			Entrance						
7		X							
8		X							
9		X			Storage				

DEDUCTION NOTES

CHARACTERS / STATEMENTS

 FIONA / VICTIM She was alone with the murderer.	 ADAM He was beside a barrel.	 DAISY She was in a corner of the room.
 GEORGE He was not beside a water puddle.	 BELLA She was sitting in a chair.	 IVAN He was directly east of a box.
 HAZEL She was exactly three columns further east than Fiona.	 ETHAN He was beside a crate.	 CLARA She was exactly two cells diagonally southeast of Fiona.

HOW TO SOLVE THE CASE

Beside means directly left, right, above, or below — AND in the same room. Diagonals never count, and walls break adjacency.

- 01** Each row and each column holds exactly ONE character. When you place someone, small X marks fill their row and column — those squares become impossible.
- 03** The victim's room ends with exactly two people in it: the victim and the murderer. Place everyone, then submit your solution to close the case.

Chairs, armchairs, beds, cars and water puddles can be occupied. Other furniture blocks its square.

- 02** The victim was alone with the murderer. Each suspect card shows that character's clue: "north of...", "beside a plant...", "in the same room...". All clues are true.

MORE CASES

Play more cases and get logical hints when you need them.

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