


# A MURDER MYSTERY

## 1 READING

- a Read about the Travers murder and look at the photos of the victim and the suspects. Then cover the text and look at the photos. Can you remember who the people are?

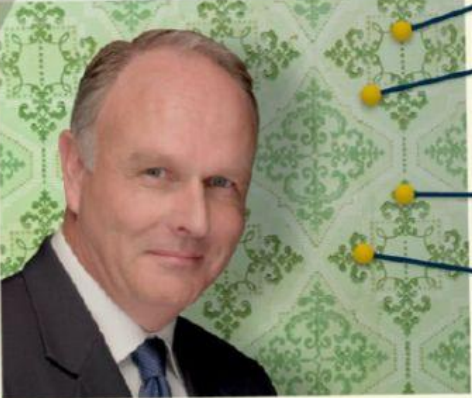
Who's Amanda?) (She's Jeremy's wife.

- b  8.1 Read and listen to the story. Mark the sentences T (true) or F (false). Correct the F sentences.



- 1 Somebody killed Jeremy between 11.00 p.m. and 7.00 a.m.
- 2 The inspector questioned Amanda in the living room.
- 3 Jeremy went to bed before Amanda.
- 4 Amanda and Jeremy slept in the same room.
- 5 Somebody opened and closed Amanda's door.
- 6 Amanda got up at 7.00.
- 7 Amanda didn't love Jeremy.

**The Travers murder**

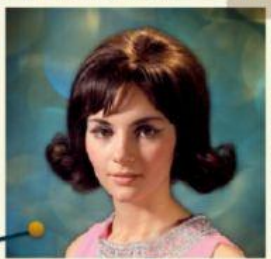
- June 22nd 1965 – Jeremy Travers's 60th birthday
- He had dinner at his country house with:
  - Amanda, his wife
  - Barbara, his daughter
  - Gordon, his business partner
  - Claudia, his secretary.
- Next morning, Amanda Travers went to her husband's bedroom. She found him dead.



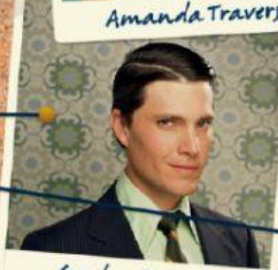
The victim, Jeremy Travers




Amanda Travers



Barbara Travers



Gordon Summers



Claudia Pasquale

### 3 LISTENING

- a **8.4, 8.5, 8.6** Listen to part of the TV adaptation. The inspector questions Barbara. Write the information in the chart. Listen again and check. Then do the same for Gordon and Claudia.

	Amanda	Barbara	Gordon	Claudia
What did he / she do after dinner?	<i>She went for a walk.</i>			
What time did he / she go to bed?	<i>11.45.</i>			
Did he / she hear anything?	<i>Jeremy's door opened and closed.</i>			
Did he / she have a motive?	<i>She hated him.</i>			



8.4

8.5

8.6

1.no motive - she loved him	7.Played cards with Barbara, then stayed in the living-room and had a glass of whiskey.
2.No.	8.about 11.00.
3.She was in love with Jeremy.	9.Played cards with Gordon.
4. He wanted his business	10.He doesn't remember.
5.11.30	11.She heard somebody go into Jeremy's room at about 12.00
6.She went to her room and had a bath	12.No

- c **8.7** Now listen to what happened.  
Who was the murderer? Why did he / she kill Mr Travers? Were you right?

Answer: