

PAST VERBS

Look for the past form of the verbs in the chart.
Write them in the correct place.

Inspector Granger arrived at about 9.00. He ¹was a tall man with a big moustache. Amanda, Barbara, Claudia, and Gordon ²were in the living room. The inspector ³came in.

'Mr Travers died between midnight last night and 7.00 this morning,' he ⁴said. 'Somebody in this room killed him.' He looked at them one by one, but nobody ⁵spoke.

'Mrs Travers, I want to talk to you first. Come into the library with me, please.'

Amanda followed the inspector into the library and they ⁶sat down.

'What did your husband do after dinner last night?'

'We finished dinner at about 9.30. Then Jeremy said he was tired and he ⁷went to bed.'

'Did you go to bed then?'

'No, I didn't. I went for a walk in the garden.'

'What time did you go to bed?'

'About quarter to twelve.'

'Was your husband asleep?'

'I don't know, Inspector. We...we ⁸slept in different rooms. But I ⁹saw that his door was closed.'

'Did you hear anything when you were in your room?'

'Yes, I ¹⁰heard Jeremy's bedroom door. It opened. I ¹¹thought it was Jeremy. Then it closed again. I ¹²read in bed for half an hour and then I went to sleep.'

'What time did you get up this morning?'

'I ¹³got up at about 7.15. I ¹⁴had breakfast and at 8.00 I ¹⁵took a cup of tea to my husband. I ¹⁶found him in bed. He was...dead.'

'Tell me, Mrs Travers, did you love your husband?'

'Jeremy is...was a difficult man.'

'But did you love him, Mrs Travers?'

'No, Inspector. I hated him.'



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