

The Last Prey - Hint Files

*One puzzle per page.

Number of Days Left of Food and Water

1. First, you will use the date from the journal mentioning how many days of food and water were left and on what date. Now you should be able to count up the days to figure out when the food and water will run out. Then use the funeral program and information from the Beginning Brief to figure out the date of the investigation. Now you can determine how many days the victim has left.
2. Pay close attention to the wording used. In the journal entry for March 23, 2022, it says that 4 days ago Richard left thirty days of food and water AFTER making the victim eat for that day.
3. Inside the funeral program, it mentions that Richard died on April 1. Based on the information in the beginning brief(second paragraph) this would mean the investigation took place on April 16. Use this with the date you got from the journal and give Larry how many days the victim has left. Make sure to “count today” when figuring this out.

Wire Puzzle

1. You will need to have unlocked the Number of Days puzzle found on Larry's card.
2. Use the security system diagram Larry provides along with the perforated wires to complete the circuit.
3. The diagram mentions you will need to match the numbers to each other, such as 1 -> 1, 2 -> 2, etc. You will then give the letters found on the wires in numerical order.

Estate Sale Tag

1. Anna Williams' interview mentions two antique pocket watches that Chalmers kept in a jewelry box. Use this knowledge with another piece provided to find the watches.
2. The estate sale inventory list the lots that were sold and who bought them on the back. To complete this you'll need the jewelry box lot number and who bought it.

Cigars

1. You will need to have solved the wire puzzle and unlock the humidor closet first.
2. According to Anna, Chalmers was very specific about how things are organized. The closet shows you what order the cigars are supposed to be in.
3. Make note of the color of the cigars' bands based on the order of the brand names in the closet. You will use the colors in the art room.

Paintings/Art Room

1. You will need to have solved the wire puzzle, unlocked the humidor closet, and have the cigars in the correct order before you can do this.
2. Use the clues from inside the square drawn in the journal (December 4, 2021) to assemble the art room by standing it up to create a 4 sided room.
3. The clues also mention “I wish I could see through the eyes of my masterpieces. Looking straight ahead and seeing what they see, I might understand the direction my life has taken.” Using the color order from the cigars, start with the painting of the woman with the black background and look straight across at the painting she sees. It will be a painting called “Down River.” This will give you your first direction to use with the wooden desk. Continue until you obtain all four directions.

Desk

1. You will need to have solved the art room before you can do this.

Who is the Fifth Victim?

1. You will need to have unlocked the desk before you can get this answer.
2. To determine the victim's name, use what you found in the hidden area with what is on the journal entry on August 15, 2020.
3. Hint: what item is on the shelf?

Coat of Arms/Taped Note Puzzle

1. Find the pages that have the Chalmers family crest and fold the page over to make the complete crest. Match up the four elements from the crest with the elements list at the top of the backside of the page, next to the arrows. You will only use those four lines.
2. Now match up the year dates from the same page with the numbers on the front side of the page. Fold the page again so that the edge of the page lines up with the date 1887 on the taped note. The arrows should be pointing to a column of letters. Use only the letters from the arrows that have the helmet, lion, stripe, and fleur de lis. Do this for the other matching dates.
3. The message you get will start with “My brush a...”

Wooden Box

1. You will need to have solved the coat of arms and taped note puzzle from the journal before you can do this.
2. Use the message you get from the taped note puzzle to find out what the brush and canvas are.

Watches

1. You will need to have solved the Estate Sale Tag puzzle and the wooden box unlocked before you can do this.
2. Use the watches you get with the circle found in the journal. You will also need to use the message carved into the inside of the wooden box.
3. Use the message “I am what I am” from around the drawn circle to help you line up the letters found on the watches. One watch has the message “Prey hunter” and the other “End painter.” Line up the watches one at a time with the drawn circle. Use the numbers the hands point at. The first number is 9. Look for this four-digit number while you continue your investigation.

Where is the Fifth Victim Being Kept?

1. You will need to have solved the watch puzzle and the wire puzzle first.
2. Using the list of properties found in the humidior closet and the number obtained from the watches to determine which property the 5th victim is being held at.

VFPD Unlock

1. You will need to have found the victim's first name and the location of where they are being kept.
2. You get the victim's name by unlocking the desk QR code and comparing what you find in there with the list in the journal entry from August 15, 2020.
3. You get the location by solving the watch puzzle and using the four-digit number with the list of properties found in the humidior closet(wire puzzle unlock).

Missing Persons

1. Pull all of the underlined letters from the missing persons' materials. Use the letters to get four messages that you will use with the tabletop. Be sure you use them in the order of their disappearance dates.

Table With Skulls

1. You will need to have gotten the four messages hidden in the missing persons' materials. Be sure you use them in the order of their disappearance dates.
2. Place the cutout of the table to line up with the table card. Now follow the direction you got from the missing persons' materials, starting with Shelby Underwood, to rotate the tabletop. Then, make note of which cardinal direction Shelby is now facing. Do the same for the other three after you have followed their directions.

Taxidermy

1. You will need to have unlocked the skull table first. Inside the table, you find a map with various countries marked and numbered.
2. Using the journal entries regarding the different hunts you will be able to match each of the six taxidermied animals to their respective regions.
3. Finally, you will give the numbers from the map in order of the taxidermy animals from left to right.

Solved All Puzzles and Ready to Close the Case?

1. You will need to have solved all of the puzzles before attempting this.
2. Give the correct number sequence for the taxidermy wall using the journal.