

And Then There Were None

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While reading

Chapters 1–2

1 Put the underlined letters in the right place to make a word.

- The wntghrnidai on the letter was difficult to read.
- The ppwnareses always wrote stories about the island.
- Miss Brent and Justice Wargrave had a vsnetanoroci about the weather.
- Vera had a iyodlha job on the island.
- The srepnessga climbed into the boat.
- Emily Brent was an old, anremurid woman.
- It was spisebmoil to leave the island because there was no boat.

2 Circle the wrong word in the sentences.

- Vera sat in a few less comfortable part of the train.
- Lombard planned to enjoy enjoying his stay on the island.
- The General was travelling on a slowest slower train.
- Marston was exciting excited about his holiday on the island.
- The tall, older man looked as like a soldier.
- Some people were waiting waited for Vera and the General.
- Lombard walked silently silent down the stairs.

Chapters 3–4

3 Underline the wrong word and put the right one.

- The letter to Rogers was written on a very new machine.
- Mr Blore was a doctor from Plymouth.
- Mr Blore had to protect Mrs Owen's money.
- Edward Seeton was accused of the murder of a young woman.
- The General's life was very exciting now.

- The General thought Emily Brent was a nervous woman.
- Cyril wasn't a very clever child.

4 Find the right words in Chapters 3–4.

- Somebody is this if they are funny. (p. 17)
- A very loud noise. (p. 19)
- You are this when you have a lot of things to do. (p. 19)
- You tell these when you say something that is not true. (p. 19)
- People are this if they drink a lot of beer. (p. 24)
- It is similar to very easy. (p. 24)
- To put everything in its correct place. (p. 25)

Chapters 5–6

5 Put a word or words on the left with a word or words on the right.

make	hard
do a	sense
work	message
take	down
believe	fire
send a	somebody
light a	notice
climb	job

6 Finish the sentences with the right words.

- tie carried climbed threw took leave looking
- Beatrice Taylor herself into a river.
 - Mrs Brady medicine for her heart.
 - Lombard usually a gun with him.
 - The three men saw General Macarthur out to sea.
 - The General was sure that they weren't going to the island.
 - Blore and Armstrong helped Lombard the rope.
 - Lombard up the steep rock.

7 Put the words in the right place to make a sentence.

- the Mr Blore boat looking was for
- talked The abroad from news guests about

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- c eight usually boat The came seven between and
.....
- d came Miss Brent's family a servant from good
.....
- e started island tour the They of their
.....
- f worried General Armstrong the about crazy was
.....
- g Armstrong to island a didn't the bring gun
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Chapters 7–8

8 Answer the questions.

- a What did Dr Armstrong give Mrs Rogers?
.....
- b Where did Blore and Armstrong take the General's body?
.....
- c What was Miss Brent doing in her bedroom?
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- d What colour was Miss Brent's notebook?
.....
- e Where did Rogers hide?
.....
- f What was Rogers doing when somebody killed him?
.....
- g What did Armstrong do to Vera Claythorne?
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Chapters 9–10

9 Write the names next to the person who says or thinks this.

- Blore Justice Wargrave Miss Brent
Vera Claythorne Lombard Dr Armstrong
- a 'No I don't want to take any medicine.'
.....
- b 'Somebody took the needle from my room.'
.....
- c 'Let's put the gun and the medicines in a safe place.'
.....
- d 'My head hurts, I think I'll go to bed now.'
.....
- e 'Who is walking around outside the bedrooms?'
.....
- f 'I will not put my gun in the cupboard.'
.....

10 Are the sentences right (✓) or wrong (X)?

- a Miss Brent saw a bee on the table. ☐
- b Only Justice Wargrave and the doctor saw Emily Brent's dead body. ☐
- c There was a broken soldier boy next to the needle. ☐
- d There were two candles near the body of Justice Wargrave. ☐
- e Landor had a wife and a child. ☐
- f Dr Armstrong took Lombard's gun. ☐
- g The window in the dining room was broken. ☐

11 Circle the wrong word in the sentences.

- a Miss Brent wanted to calling call out to somebody.
- b The doctor was looking looked at Emily's neck.
- c Blore and Lombard were the strongest stronger of the group.
- d Every person in the group was frightening frightened of the other people.
- e Vera Claythorne was afraid to of the dark.
- f Blore ran quiet quietly to the to the top of the stairs.
- g Blore saw somebody anybody going out the door.

Chapters 11–12

12 What's first? Number the sentences 1–6.

- a ☐ Vera takes Lombard's gun.
- b ☐ Vera sees a rope in her bedroom.
- c ☐ Vera and Lombard hear a loud noise from the house.
- d ☐ Vera throws the soldier boys out of the window.
- e ☐ Vera and Lombard pull Armstrong's body away from the water.
- f ☐ A letter explains the mystery.

13 Circle the right word or words.

- a Vera and Lombard found Blore's body *inside / outside* the house.
- b The *door / window* of Vera's room was open.
- c Armstrong's body had a terrible *purple / red* face.
- d Vera shot Lombard in his *head / heart*.
- e The American owner of the island had some very *exciting / strange* parties.
- f Wargrave's notes were *similar to / different from* Emily Brent's notes.

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1 What's first? Number the sentences 1–10.

- a ☐ Dr Armstrong tells the guests that Mrs Rogers is dead.
- b ☐ General Macarthur starts to say crazy things.
- c ☐ Vera reads a poem about ten little soldier boys.
- d ☐ The guests look for Lombard's gun and the needle.
- e ☐ The police try to solve the mystery of the Island.
- f ☐ The guests arrive on Soldier Island.
- g ☐ Miss Brent is killed with a hypodermic needle.
- h ☐ The guests find Justice Wargrave dead in a chair.
- i ☐ Mrs Rogers puts a record on the record player.
- j ☐ Dr Armstrong disappears from the house.

2 Finish the sentences with the right names.

Justice Wargrave Emily Brent Vera Claythorne
Mr Blore Mr Lombard General Macarthur
Dr Armstrong Anthony Marston Mr Rogers
Mrs Rogers

- a was in love with a man who left her.
- b and her husband looked after an old woman.
- c was found dead on a rock near the sea.
- d liked to drive fast cars and talk to women.
- e knew what time the boat usually came to the island.
- f knew a girl who killed herself.
- g wanted people to leave him alone.
- h was paid to come to the island by Mr Morris.
- i organised the other guests.
- j saw somebody leaving the house at night.

3 Are these sentences right (✓) or wrong (X)?

- a All of the guests arrived at the boat by train. ☐
- b Justice Wargrave knew Dr Armstrong before they met on the island. ☐
- c Mr Blore has been to South Africa. ☐
- d An old lady left Mr and Mrs Rogers some money when she died. ☐
- e Justice Wargrave didn't think that a woman murdered the guests. ☐
- f A curtain disappeared from the bathroom. ☐

- g Justice Wargrave put a bee in Emily Brent's room. ☐
- h Justice Wargrave was not a healthy man. ☐
- i Justice Wargrave didn't see Vera Claythorne kill herself. ☐
- j Justice Wargrave killed himself with Lombard's gun. ☐

4 Circle the right word or words.

- a In the past, Dr Armstrong *drank* / *ate* a lot.
- b Anthony Marston had a *beautiful* / *red* car.
- c Vera Claythorne didn't like thinking about *the sea* / *her family*.
- d General Macarthur's wife *left him* / *died*.
- e Dr Armstrong found Mrs Rogers dead in *her bed* / *a chair*.
- f Justice Wargrave thought that Mr Owen was *one of the guests* / *hiding on the island*.
- g Emily Brent had a bag of *grey cotton* / *wool*.
- h Officer Maine thought that Blore was a *dishonest* / *careful* police officer.
- i Justice Wargrave heard about Dr Armstrong from *another doctor* / *a nurse*.
- j Wargrave wanted people to know how *crazy* / *clever* he was.

5 Answer these questions.

- a What was Vera Claythorne's job?
.....
- b Why did Anthony Marston kill the two children.
.....
- c Where did Lombard leave some men to die?
.....
- d Who did Vera Claythorne feel nervous about?
.....
- e Where was General Macarthur when somebody killed him?
.....
- f Why did Blore tell lies about a man called Landor?
.....
- g What did somebody put in Vera Claythorne's room?
.....
- h Why didn't the guests hear anything when Wargrave was shot?
.....
- i What was the name of Vera's boyfriend?
.....
- j What hit Blore on the head and killed him?
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