



The Silent Room

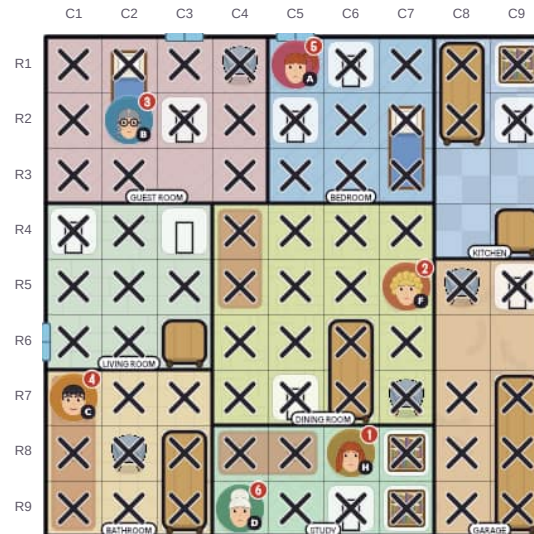
Difficulty: Hard

- 1 In row 8 everything is crossed out except R8/C6 – only Hana fits there, no other suspect and not the victim. Hana must be on R8/C6 – the only possible cell.
- 2 Edison & Grant: only columns 8, 9 possible – blocked for others. Freya must be on R5/C7 – the only possible cell.
- 3 Bella must be on R2/C2 – the only possible cell.
- 4 Cyrus must be on R7/C1 – the only possible cell.
- 5 The allowed empty rooms are already fixed (1) – so Bedroom must be occupied, and only Anna can be there. Anna must be on R1/C5 – the only possible cell.
- 6 Dalia must be on R9/C4 – the only possible cell.
- 7 The victim Viktor remains on the last free cell R3/C3.
- 8 Edison must be on R4/C8 – the only possible cell.
- 9 Grant must be on R6/C9 – the only possible cell.
- 10 Murderer: Bella was alone with the victim in the Guest Room.

After steps 1–3

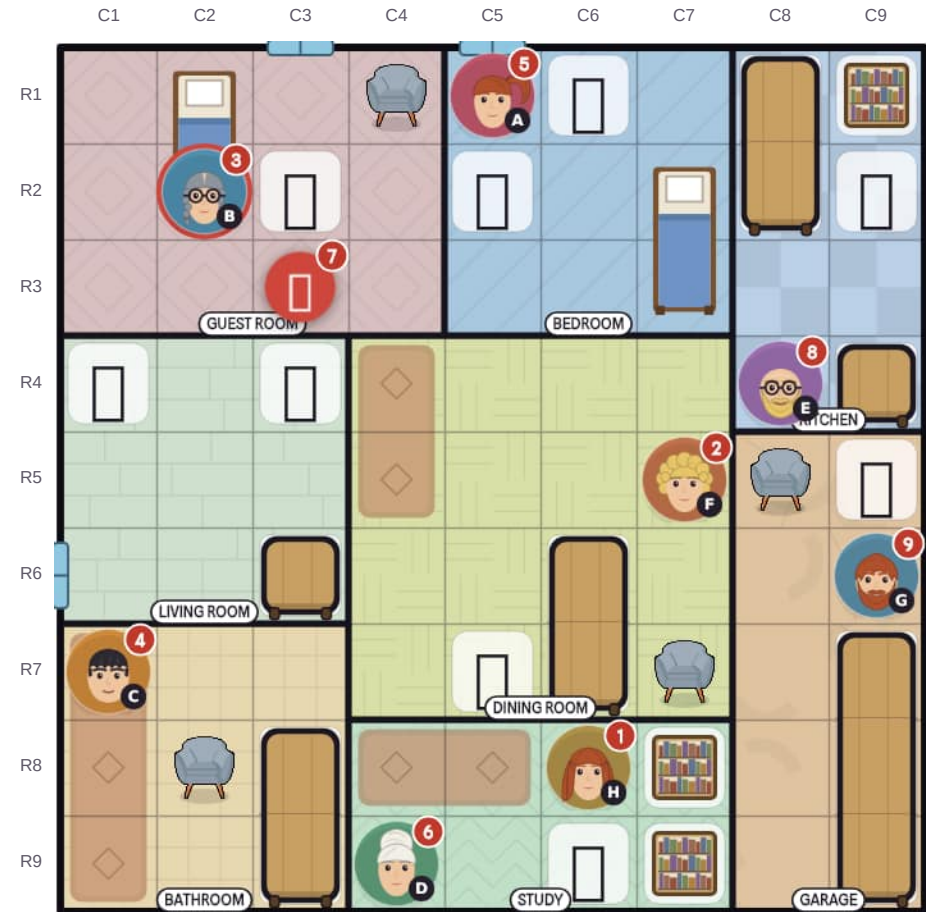


After steps 1–6



The murderer has been caught!
Here is where everybody was, and how to get there.

SOLUTION



The murderer is...

Bella