

LUCAS

~~Lucas: I've told the police everything I know apart from one detail. I need to hear it from the horse's mouth first. (Takes out his phone and dials.) Hello... Surprised to hear from me? No, I'm at the theatre, a free man. Of course they could change their minds at any moment... Meet me where it all happened... The theatre... and you meet me right now, because I know who killed Daniel... You did.~~

~~(Blackout)~~

Act 2

Scene 1

(There is a single spotlight on Lucas. He stands for a moment before speaking to the audience.)

Lucas: And so I guess you're wondering how I came to play the role of a man caught up in a murder enquiry? I'm sure you have your own theories and preconceived ideas. I'll tell you now, I didn't do it – but I was there. I later found out how many people had been hiding in the shadows. At the time of course, most of us had no clue how the night would pan out, but one of us did. One of us came with the intent to kill. Our lives would never be the same again. Do you really want to go into the rabbit hole and see what happened? I'll warn you it's not a pretty sight down there. Come on, why not? You've come this far already. We'll return to the night when murder took place at Novershell.

Lucas: The moment when Daniel took his last breath. Let me show you what really happened...

(Blackout)

~~Scene 2 - Flashback~~

~~**(Lights up. Flashback to moments before the murder. Lucas sits on the sofa. The script lies next to him. Natalie enters stage right, dressed in her black hoodie.)**~~

~~**Lucas:** I thought you'd come.~~

~~**Natalie:** I needed to make sure you were okay. What happened today?~~

~~**Lucas:** Daniel is blackmailing me. Ten thousand pounds, or he tells Rosie everything.~~

~~**Natalie:** Then what do we do?~~

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