

Lecture to Rochester Room 517
Thursday & will be
back at 10:30
Friday A.M.

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Dear Ray:

There are a number of situations
in connection with this case that
need some answers.

1. If all three women were killed
in the one area. How come one of
them when she was seeing the other
one attack didn't run away toward
the lodge for help?

2. Did they know the slayer or
slayers - Did they recognize them
as men or women from the lodge
and these few had no fear of them.

3. Was it someone from Chicago
whom they or one of them knew and
therefor were not afraid of anything
more than a family quarrel.

4. How come the fourth woman of
the group backed out and didn't
go with the other 3 women the last
minute. If one of the women goes up
to the lodge before alone & if so what
was their experience and routine? -

I would like to see woman No 4 who didn't go put on the polygraph on a side band asked a lot of questions.

4. Were any of the husbands running around with some other babe who worked at least one of the wives out of the way and had to kill all of them to get the one.

5. Can you get samples of hair from each of the husbands and also woman No 4 who didn't go.

6. Does woman No 4 know of any affairs between any one of the other three women and some other woman — either at the lodge or in Chicago?

7. How often did the three or four women or any one of them alone go up to the lodge? why did the husbands leave the lodge for further messaging?

8. Were the husbands of the three dead women and of No 4 and also No 4 — actually in Chicago when the crime was committed? Certainly if dozens of their friends — particularly other women are interrogated, some one — just one may spill a

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~~clear~~ that may give an entirely different perspective on the whole case.

When you find three bodies like that.

You ask first - who are they?

Well they are the wives of three important men - good incomes good jobs - apparently good families. Then why were they killed?

a - by a casual rapist or sex maniac? All clues in this direction have petered out.

A casual rapist would not be likely not to complete the sex act.

He probably would not be prepared with knives to hold their hands, why were there no sexual stains, why did they go to the trouble to drag all three bodies into the cave - and then put work on one by laying the coat down between her legs. event the pants torn off and the coat

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put down your one as just a
blind to make it appear to be
a sex case.

Was the woman's money missing
from their purse missing or did
they leave their money at the
lodge in their purses.

If I were you Ray I would
get answers to all these questions
and more too — about all the
women at the lodge and their
tendencies toward lesbianism.

If this case is solved — I
want to do a story on you and
about you — Perhaps it will be
a book — I'll call you "The Sheriff
who wouldn't give up".

Imagine in all of these people
concerned there are clues — you
must keep at it and find them
if not by the direct route — use
the indirect. Hire an extra
detective from the New York City or
Los Angeles Police force, or perhaps you
can get one from Chicago — But don't
tell the papers or a word — Let him
work quietly and uncover. You may
be surprised what you can find out.
Best regards — Harris