



# The Suspects

# Patience Fischer

A former field archaeologist, Patience Fischer has since embraced social media and the internet and, upon her retirement from field work, has followed in the footsteps of her mentor, Holt Moxey, and begun teaching. An archaeology fanatic since she was young, Patience studied under the late Holt Moxey, and even had the chance to work with him before his death 20 years ago. In addition to teaching, Patience has also become the official biographer for Holt Moxey, and her biography on the famous adventurer and archaeologist is set to come out in the New Year – publication has been held off to allow a special few chapters based on the secrets of the safe that are revealed at midnight on New Years Eve.

# Dee Moxey

Wife of the late Holt Moxey, famous adventurer and archaeologist, Dee has opened her estate to a few key members of the field's elite in order to share the revelation of what secrets lie inside her deceased husband's safe with others, and, thanks to the wonders of the internet, the world. Over her life, being the wife of a famous explorer gained her a certain degree of celebrity herself, and she has enjoyed the finer things in life for decades, thanks to her husband's work. Since Dee discovered seventeen of her husband's lost journals in the attic, she has found herself more in the spotlight than she would like, however she is enduring the media and public with grace and style.

# Allison Moxey

Intelligent and assertive, Allison Moxey is the daughter of the late Holt Moxey. At a young age, Allison shrugged off the celebrity of her last name, and left home in search of a humble existence that would bring her peace. Eventually, her adventurer's blood got the better of her though, and instead of achieving enlightenment, she ended up discovering lost temples in thick jungle. Allison's return to her family home, the Moxey Estate, was a proud return, and since, she has made it her mission to immortalize her father's legacy and ensure the Moxey name is remembered in the history books. She recommended her husband's old student, Patience Fischer to write the definitive book on her father's life.

# Samara Jack

A waitress hired for the event, Samara Jack has never been to the Moxey estate before this evening, and is attending the New Years Eve party strictly in a working capacity. It is her job to circulate among the guests with a tray of drinks, ensuring that everyone had just enough 'bubbly' to keep the atmosphere festive. Samara is quiet with a slight air of mystery as she says little even to those guests who try to engage her in conversation.

# Candice Carson

Local socialite Candice Carson is a shoe-in for every event in the city worth being at. Her face graces the society section of the newspaper each week, and her social calendar is kept full. This gives Candice a chance to show off her large collection of designer dresses, and her taste is impeccable. She has a connection to the event tonight at the Moxey Estate; she knows Roddy Moxey socially, but also went to school with the oldest Moxey son, Sawyer Moxey. Candice is attending the party alongside Reid Saunders, another local socialite and "it" man.

# Tori Fairchild

The victim's wife, Tori was attending tonight's party with her husband, both to support him and out of curiosity about what is inside the notorious Holt Moxey's secret safe. Tori is polite and cordial, and is a great conversationalist, which comes in handy as she mingles around this party, as she does not know anyone else here.

# Ciara Kipling

Ciara Kipling is the daughter of Holt Moxey's old partner, Judd Kipling. Together with her brother, Travis, Ciara is attending the party as a representative of her family, and is very excited to be a part of history in the making! An idealistic young woman, Ciara is friendly and polite, if not a bit shy. Ciara spends her days as a fashion designer, and is considered one of the hottest up-and-coming talents in the industry! Ciara is attending the party tonight in one of her own original designs.

# Mary Smith

Sister of Diane Smith, Mary is not known to most at the Moxey estate this evening. In fact, most assume that she is one of the hired help at first – the catering manager for the party even asked her why she wasn't serving the guests! Regardless, Mary is pleasant and conversational, and has shown an interest in everyone she has met this evening, asking so many questions of each person that no one has had the chance to ask her about herself.

# Joanna Good

Top news reporter for the local TV station, CQRY, Joanna is the lead anchor on the evening news, and is very well-known in the city. Having been delivering the news for over a decade, she is one of the city's most beloved celebrities. While her station does not have the rights to cover the opening of the safe at the New Years Eve party tonight, Joanna is still here mingling, enjoying the party and connecting with her public. An ambitious woman, Joanna is very involved in every aspect of her job, and has been known to research her own stories, leaving her bosses to wonder why she chose to become a news reporter instead of a detective!

# Diane Smith

Unassuming and plain, Diane Smith is not a well-known guest – she does not hold any accolades in the archaeological community, she is not a local celebrity, in fact, she is a bit of a mystery to most here at the party tonight. It would be assumed she is a party crasher, except that she and her sister, Mary, were on the guest list and arrived with invitation in hand. Despite her air of mystery, Diane is cordial and polite, and all who have met her this evening would agree that she is a very nice woman.

# Renaë Price

Renaë is one of the most renowned conspiracy theorists in the world, and she discusses her theories at length on her weekly web radio show, “The Price Hour”, which she now broadcasts from a private studio in her home. Renaë used to have a show on Satellite Radio, however the show came to an abrupt end a few years ago. Some claim that her show was canceled because of the number of lawsuits the networks were facing because of Renaë's unfounded accusations, but Renaë insists she was silenced by the government because she was “getting too close”. After numerous arrests for public demonstrations against “The Man”, Renaë is rarely seen in public anymore, but she has ventured into the spotlight for the New Years Eve party at the Moxey estate.

# Seth Van Scoyk

A brilliant archaeologist and scholar, Seth Van Scoyk has been an outspoken advocate for something referred to as the “Ancient Astronaut Theory”, and has been speaking about the potential influence of alien technology on the inventions, art and architecture of ancient civilizations. Considered to be one of the leading minds in his field, Seth has a website, a very popular weekly podcast and his own TV show called *Aliens Above, Aliens Within*, which has made him famous the world over. Seth is outgoing, fun and speaks with such passion on his topic that it can be hard to deny that his theories, however wild, may have some reasonable science to back them up. Seth and his show have the exclusive rights to stream the opening of the safe tonight at the stroke of midnight live to the world.

# Sawyer Moxey

Eldest son of the late Holt Moxey, Sawyer looks and sounds just like his father, and has even followed in his father's footsteps, having just finished a masters in archaeology. Because of his name and his natural aptitude for the subject matter, Sawyer has been accepted onto field teams working on some of the most exciting archaeological digs of modern time. Sawyer has just returned from a site on a mountain in Cambodia especially for tonight's party and the reveal of what lies within his father's safe, but must return in the new year to continue with his work on the site.

# Kristoff Skenfeld

A museum curator, Kristoff Skenfeld recently arrived in the city, having received a job offer as a museum curator. He is intelligent, almost to a fault, and prefers the company of books over people. As such, his social skills are slightly lacking, and he is quick to correct anyone whose may use incorrect grammar, and takes special delight in correcting so-called "archaeologists" when they get their historical dates and accounts wrong.

# Roddy Moxey

Roderick Moxey, aka Roddy, is the youngest of the Moxey children. While his older brother and sister left the Moxey estate to make names for themselves and find their own way, Roddy has been content to live in the mansion with his mother and spend his days by the pool. Despite his mother, Dee's insistence, Roddy has refused to decide upon a career – why should he, he argues, when he is the son of the famous Holt Moxey? Roddy maintains a large social circle however, and is considered a local "It" man, using his last name wisely to gain him entrance to the hottest clubs and parties in the city.

# Reid Saunders

Local celebrity Reid Saunders is a celebrity for nothing more than being popular. This good-looking man is charming and charismatic, and is considered one of the city's most eligible bachelors. Unfortunately for the rest of the women in town, Reid has recently started dating Candice Carson, and the two never miss a hot party or event.

# Travis Kipling

Travis Kipling is the son of one of Holt Moxey's old archaeology friends, Judd Kipling. While the two men couldn't have had more different ends to their careers, Judd Kipling's son has not followed in his father's footsteps, as Holt Moxey's son Sawyer has. Instead, Travis is a football talent scout, and travels the world finding new talent for local and Olympic teams. He is charismatic and talkative, and, as he hangs out with celebrity athletes all day, feels right at home in this room full of celebrities and socialites.

# Jared Phipps

Jared Phipps is a man constantly behind the scenes, and behind the lens. As Seth Van Scoyk's cameraman, Jared works exclusively on Seth Van Scoyk's web TV show, *Aliens Above, Aliens Within*. Jared tends to be a bit on the quiet side with strangers, feeling more comfortable with a camera in front of him than a person, however because of his work on Seth's show, he has become so renowned that he is now in high demand, and the last few years he has spent as a bit of a celebrity has brought him out of his shell.