

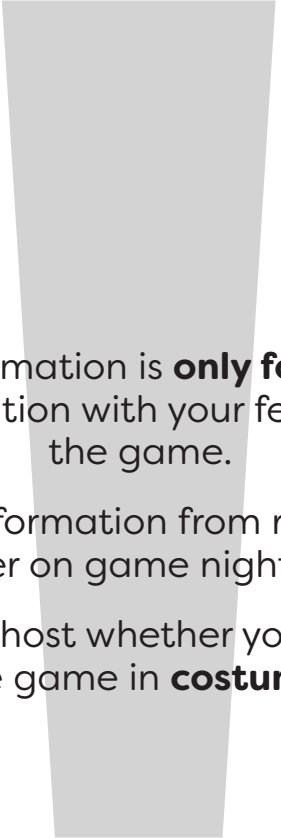


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The following information is **only for you**. Don't share any of your information with your fellow players before the game.

Do not read the information from round 1 until you all meet together on game night. **Not before!**

Discuss with your host whether you should come to the game in **costume**.



You are **Benjamin Ballhaus (31)**:

Your job at *The One* is only temporary. You actually have much bigger plans in mind. The outdoors world, nature, culture – you want to discover and capture all of it with your camera. Last year, when the show was shot in Australia, you lived on the beach for a few weeks and one morning, you filmed the most beautiful sunrise you’ve ever seen. Documentaries are your great passion and making your own is your greatest wish. Unfortunately, you’re always short of money, which is why you are still working on *The One* just to make ends meet.

However, while filming last season on the show, something changed. You met the love of your life, Samantha Edwards. Although you’ve been to the most picturesque places in the world and have filmed the greatest miracles, your lens as never captured anything as beautiful as this woman. Sam isn’t only beautiful; she’s also smart, ambitious, and successful. She’s also the mother of a charming ten-year-old girl. You would never have believed such a woman would love you. So in that season of *The One*, it wasn’t not the Rose-Bearer who found the woman of his life, it was you. You both keep your relationship secret as there are stipulations against fraternization between staff and contestants. Recently while spending time with her before the new season started, you began picking up her daughter Penelope from school. Now, it feels like she’s your child as well. You don’t like it, but you respect her decision to keep her daughter a secret as she’s convinced no one will accept a “mom” as the winner.

Sam is very ambitious and isn’t satisfied with your way of living. That’s why you engineered bringing her back on *The One*. Nina seemed very excited about the idea of bringing back one of last season’s favorites. You and Sam had planned to start the new season featuring Alexander von Altenburg in order to generate coverage for her social media profile, and then voluntarily drop out before then end. But Nina had other plans.

Immediately at the start of the season, Nina offered Sam a plan for her to win this season, including the \$50,000 and the public engagement to Alexander. After consulting with you, Sam accepted the offer. You both want to use the money for your life together and agreed Sam would break off the engagement a few months after the broadcast of the season finale.

You love Sam very much, so the plan was pretty much okay for you – but you completely underestimated how difficult it would be for you to shoot this season. You had to record all of the one-on-one interviews during which both parties claim to fall more and more in love. And you had to take close-ups of Alexander’s well-sculpted body over and over. It’s tortured you so much that you have begun to have doubts about the plan and Sam’s loyalty.

Thankfully the finale is just around the corner. The sooner Sam wins this thing, the sooner the nightmare will all be over. The two of you have sacrificed too much for this plan to go wrong now. It looks like Alexander is reconsidering his decision to let Sam win, though. Candidate Cheyenne has turned his head and Alexander has become uncertain. Even if Nina keeps it a secret, you know that Alexander likes to ignore agreements.

It’s a good thing that you have insight into the entire process and have prepared for this situation. You’ve already developed a few concoctions before the shoot just in case. It would be a real shame if a finalist suddenly got diarrhea or started vomiting during an important date. You are ready to do anything for the love of your life, and for Sam to win.

You did NOT kill Cheyenne Aleon. You may not lie during the game. You may withhold information that incriminates you. If you are asked for something directly, you must tell the truth.

Goal of the game: Find out who killed Cheyenne Aleon and their motive.

Personal goal: You are the master of secretive camera work. Take a picture of three people eating without being noticed.

Your appearance: Your appearance is not that important to you. Most of the time you wear secondhand sweaters or clothes you’ve found at the thrift store. Since you’ve known Sam, you’ve been trying to look better and sometimes wear clothes she’s chosen for you. Since you don’t like styling your hair, you often wear a knit hat. You always carry everything you need with you in a canvas pack.

Your feelings about the others:

Cheyenne Aleon (the victim): You don't like this candidate. Not only is she competing with your Sam, she also just treats everyone horribly.

Samantha Edwards: You are as deeply in love with her now as you were on the first day you met last season. The situation here on the set tortures you, but you are happy knowing that you'll finally have her for yourself again soon.

Nina King: When working for her, you always notice how tedious the show is. Everything is preplanned, everyone is manipulated, and there is no room for creativity.

Ella Newhouse: This candidate is not any competition for Sam. She fits the stereotype of the nice, lovely girl who is actually naive enough to find true love on TV.

George von Altenburg: What can you say about George? An old man who doesn't appreciate individuality and art. He also always leers at Sam.

Alexander von Altenburg: You "made friends" with him for Sam to be sure you would always be well informed about everything. Alexander is really handsome and is actually a pretty cool guy after a few beers. Little by little, you're getting worried that Sam will actually fall in love with him.

Judith Freud: The wacky therapist is a constant part of the show, just like Nina. But thank God you can just avoid Judith.

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