

The Man with the Golden Gun

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Background Information

1 d, 2 i, 3 a, 4 l, 5 j, 6 r, 7 b, 8 p, 9 f, 10 e, 11 q, 12 n, 13 k, 14 h, 15 c, 16 m, 17 g, 18 o

People in the Story

- 1 *James Bond*
- 2 Mary Goodnight
- 3 Scaramanga
- 4 Felix Leiter
- 5 Tiffany
- 6 Hendriks
- 7 Nick Nicholson
- 8 Ruby Rotkopf

True or False

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|-----------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1 F – by the Russians | 10 T |
| 2 T | 11 T |
| 3 T | 12 T |
| 4 F – in the circus | 13 F – a shop dummy was run over |
| 5 F – after six weeks | 14 T |
| 6 F – money and a car | 15 T |
| 7 T | 16 T |
| 8 F – as a bodyguard | 17 F – he refused to accept it |
| 9 T | |

Multiple Choice

1 c, 2 b, 3 b, 4 c, 5 b, 6 c, 7 a, 8 a, 9 b, 10 c, 11 a

Vocabulary: Spying

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| 1 <i>devices</i> | 7 tortured |
| 2 sabotage | 8 brainwashed |
| 3 bug | 9 sedatives |
| 4 trace a call | 10 assassin |
| 5 undercover | 11 poison |
| 6 booby traps | 12 bulletproof |

Vocabulary: Definitions

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| 1 d | 6 k | 11 f | 16 crutches |
| 2 h | 7 c | 12 j | 17 penultimate |
| 3 l | 8 i | 13 a | 18 syndicate |
| 4 e | 9 b | 14 m | 19 conference |
| 5 n | 10 g | 15 ruthless | 20 swampland |

Word Focus

- 1 *dummy*
- 2 get rid of
- 3 freelance
- 4 paid off
- 5 laboratory
- 6 shares

Useful Phrases

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|------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1 <i>kill time</i> | 6 made small talk |
| 2 couldn't believe his eyes | 7 in his tracks |
| 3 Why on earth are you here? | 8 have them cornered |
| 4 brought / up to date | 9 Not on your life! |
| 5 could do with | 10 That'll be the day! |

Grammar: Reporting verbs

- 1 Scaramanga *ordered* Bond to sit outside the door.
- 2 Scaramanga admitted they had made mistakes.
- 3 Mary Goodnight warned James to be careful.
- 4 Leiter ordered Scaramanga to put his hands behind his head.
- 5 Rotkopf refused to take part in it.
- 6 Scaramanga warned Bond to watch what he was saying.
- 7 Bond accused Scaramanga of killing / having killed his friends.
- 8 Scaramanga admitted they had run out of money.
- 9 Bond ordered Scaramanga to open his jacket slowly.
- 10 Hendriks accused them of just making money for themselves.

Grammar: Past perfect simple and continuous

- 1 *had been looking*
- 2 had booked
- 3 had known
- 4 had bought
- 5 had found out
- 6 had warned
- 7 had been talking
- 8 had seen
- 9 had been hiding
- 10 had murdered

Pronunciation: Word stress

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intercom sedative syndicates	<i>assassin</i> atomic insurance judicial	democracy laboratory penultimate