

CONSPIRACY 365

Conspiracy 365: July
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Discussion/Review Questions

1. Throughout July, Cal gets more evidence suggesting that he may have a twin brother: Millicent sings about "two little lambs" and Oriana mentions the "abduction of twin boys some fifteen years ago." Do you think Cal has a twin brother? Why or why not? What are some other possible explanations?
2. Commenting on Cal's deadly fight with Zombrovski, Sister Jerome recognizes Cal's bravery, but also tells him that he is "foolish." Why do you think she says this? Do you agree? Why or why not?
3. Winter discovers that the Ormond Riddle describes the Ormond Jewel, linking the two halves of the double-key code closer together. How do you think this discovery will help Cal? Does it change your ideas about any of the other clues?
4. Before Cal travels to Redcliffe, he gets a new cell phone from Boges to help keep his location secret. Cal is also careful not to disclose his destination to Winter. Despite these precautionary measures, Sligo and Zombie still find Cal at the train station and in Redcliffe. How do you think they find Cal so quickly? What other things can Cal do to keep his location a secret?
5. When Cal goes to meet Rathbone he is attacked and stuffed into a casket by an unknown assailant. Who do you think is responsible for this latest attempt on Cal's life? Do you think it was a mistake for him to trust Rathbone and Oriana?
6. If Cal can escape from being buried alive, what do you think his next step should be? Why?

