

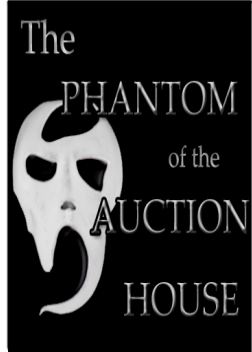


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MARTINE BLACKHURST

Martine is the daughter of business magnate Bruce Blackhurst, and heiress to his vast international fortune. She has lived her life in the lap of luxury, jumped from relationship to relationship and has gained the reputation of a party girl by the paparazzi. Her father's recent passing means Martine is now in full control of her fortune.

CHARACTER COMPLEXITY RATING: 3

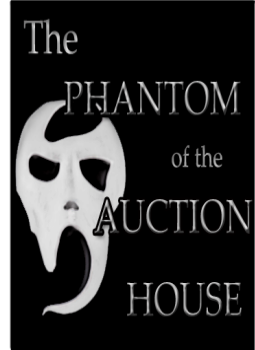


JENNA SACKS

Everyone loves Jenna. Her ditzy and clueless disposition make her hard to hate! While she does enjoy the attention she gets from men, she wishes for nothing more than to be appreciated for her brains instead of her beauty, but a short conversation with Jenna proves there's not that much intelligence to be appreciated. Jenna spends her days in an administrative role at the auction house, where she has worked for five years.

CHARACTER COMPLEXITY RATING: 4





RACHEL NIXON

Rachel is wealthy and elegant, dark and mysterious. While no one is sure what she does for work, she is most definitely a regular on the auction circuit, regularly bidding on, and winning, a variety of fine art and collectibles. She is mild mannered and tends to keep to herself.

CHARACTER COMPLEXITY RATING: 5

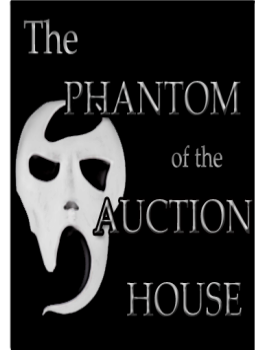


ANNA GRAND

Anna Grand is a soft-spoken older woman who is genuinely kind, never having an ill word for anyone. A widow, Anna lives alone and enjoys social outings, and accepts almost any invitation she receives. In her spare time she loves gardening and spends most afternoons tending to her gardening on a communal city plot, on which she has placed a birdbath, fountain and even erected a shed.

CHARACTER COMPLEXITY RATING: 4





ALICIA OVERLAND

Alicia Overland is newly married to the love of her life, Tony Overland, and she can speak of nothing but her happiness. When she's with her husband, she sighs long and heartfelt, and has even begun playing matchmaker to all her single friends in the hope she can bring them the happiness she has found with her new husband.

CHARACTER COMPLEXITY RATING: 4

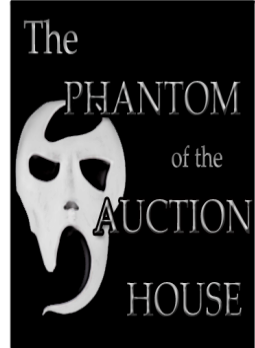


SAMANTHA LOCKHART

There is hardly a soul alive who does not know the name Samantha Lockhart. A pop sensation, Samantha has been writing and recording music since she was in her teens, and since her debut has changed her image a number of times to keep up with the trends. After a decade in the business, she's still selling out concerts worldwide. Glamorous and Barbie-esque, she is also a long-time friend of the auction owner Leanne Walsh.

CHARACTER COMPLEXITY RATING: 4





RODNEY RUSHTON

Rough and tough, Rodney is rugged and ready for anything. Having spent many years as a personal bodyguard for a number of different members of the government, Rodney recently retired and now freelances, offering his protection services to the stars. He was recently hired by Martine Blackhurst, but rumours are already circulating about a possible relationship between the heiress and her bodyguard.

CHARACTER COMPLEXITY RATING: 4

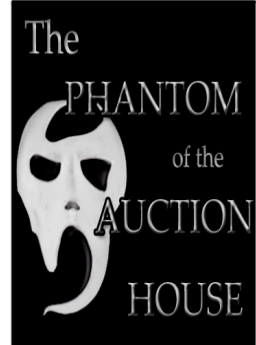


LUCAS MCCREEDY

Lucas is a local dog trainer, but he commands attention and respect even from humans, and gets it! His humble profession changed drastically about a year ago when he started dating society girl and heiress Martine Blackhurst. Even though their relationship was short-lived, Lucas quickly became the dog trainer to the stars and still has his own weekly talk show, a syndicated radio program, a best-selling how-to book and his soon-to-launch magazine called "Rough Ruff".

CHARACTER COMPLEXITY RATING: 3





LEN COLLIER

Len is an investment banker by trade, and a man about town when he leaves the office. He can be found mingling at the hottest soirées in town, dressed impeccably, and maintains a distinguished air no matter where he goes.

CHARACTER COMPLEXITY RATING: 5

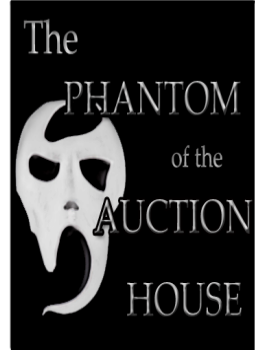


GRADY GLASS

Grady is a very mysterious character. Dark and handsome, Grady has an heir of confidence and a constant grin on his face. He is always watching others, as though taking everything about them in to use later.

CHARACTER COMPLEXITY RATING: 4





TONY OVERLAND

Newlywed Tony has recently married Alicia in a shotgun wedding that came together in a matter of weeks. While their haste was strongly cautioned, the two insisted they're in love, and when one finds love, one need not wait. Tony is imposing and to some, intimidating, and speaks a low, gruff voice.

CHARACTER COMPLEXITY RATING: 5



RALPH MURCH

Ralph Murch spends his nights and days with one of the world's best-known pop stars. Having been her body guard for the past five years, there's not a party Samantha Lockhart attends without him. He's quick to reach for his gun at loud noises and constantly scans the room for suspicious activity.

CHARACTER COMPLEXITY RATING: 4

