

Chapter 70

In Chapter 70 of "We Solve Murders," the protagonist, Rob, reflects on the ease of committing murder within a prison environment, particularly in Dubai, populated by dangerous criminals. He grapples with the implications of being hired to kill Courtney Lewis, a girl from Essex linked to Loubet's money. Rob begins to question Loubet's motivations and whether his own life is at stake as he considers that he may be one of the expendable layers in Loubet's operation.

As paranoia mounts, Rob suspects Amy Wheeler, who could have pieced together the events, posing a risk to him and Loubet. He thinks about the people in her life, such as Rosie D'Antonio, an astute author, and Amy's father-in-law, an ex-cop. With Eddie out of the picture, Rob resolves that he may need to eliminate Amy himself before she can intervene.

Rob meets with Mickey Moody, who provides a distraction with two pints. Their dialogue touches on the nature of work and life choices, with Mickey rejecting any involvement in Rob's dangerous dealings. Rob offers Mickey a job watching for Amy's arrival, but Mickey, content with his simpler life, declines the temptation of easy money. Rob admires those who have sidestepped his violent world, contrasting their lives to his own.

Despite the looming threats, Rob feels a sense of control, especially with the ease of tracking Amy due to her association with a celebrity. He has set alerts for social media interactions involving Rosie D'Antonio, suggesting he will react swiftly once he locates Amy, indicating that murder has become a matter of routine for him. He considers the possibility of eliminating more threats, including Amy's father-in-law, underscoring his merciless outlook on his profession.

In the end, while Rob has some concerns about Loubet, he is unfazed by the impending threats, embodying the mindset of someone entrenched in the deadly business he operates within, accepting that life and death are all part of his world.