

# Casino Royale

## IAN FLEMMING

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- 1 Le Chiffre worked for SMERSH, the Russian Secret Service.
  - 2 Le Chiffre 'borrowed' fifty million francs from SODA, but he has lost all of it. To pay the money back, he must win at Casino Royale.
  - 3 The British Secret Service wanted Le Chiffre dead, because he was a Russian agent. Bond must win the game so that Le Chiffre cannot pay SMERSH back their money.
  - 4 Bond is not going to work alone.
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- 1 When Mathis played the radio loudly, the Russians could not hear Bond and Mathis speaking. The Russian microphone in the chimney was useless.
  - 2 Bond's new assistant was a beautiful woman. She was also a radio expert.
  - 3 Bond did not like working with women.
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- 1 The girl thought that Bond was good-looking, but cold. Bond wanted to sleep with the beautiful girl – when they had finished the job.
  - 2 After Bond left the bar, there was an explosion outside.
- 4** This is false. Two people were killed in the explosion.
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    - a Felix Leiter worked for the CIA.
    - b Bond warned Leiter about Le Chiffre's two gunmen.
    - c Bond took a light leather holster and a gun from the drawer.
    - d The French group had planned to kill four people.
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    - a True.
    - b False.
    - c False.
    - d True.
    - e False.
    - f False.
- 6** The Greek played against Le Chiffre first.
- 7** Bond won the first bet, but by the end of the chapter he had lost all his money.
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- 1 Leiter helped Bond by giving him thirty-two million francs.
  - 2 Le Chiffre bet again because he needed another eight million francs.
  - 3 A gun was pushed against Bond's back. He was told to take back his bet.
  - 4 Bond wanted Leiter to look at the 'walking stick' and see that it was a gun.
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- 1 Bond won and Le Chiffre lost.
  - 2 Le Chiffre was the banker and the game could not go on without him.
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- 1 Bond met Vesper in the Roi Galant night club.
  - 2 Vesper told Bond that Mathis had sent her a note. He said that he wanted to see her alone, in the Casino entrance hall. Bond did not believe this and he was worried.
  - 3 Bond decided to follow Vesper into the entrance hall and see for himself.
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- 1 Le Chiffre was driving the Citroën. Vesper was also in the car with two of Le Chiffre's men.
  - 2 Bond was driving the Bentley.

- 12** 1 The Bentley's tyres had been torn by the metal spikes on the road and Bond could not control the car.  
2 The car hit a wall, turned over and stopped. Bond was thrown onto the floor of the car.  
3 Le Chiffre took Bond and Vesper to his villa.
- 13** 1 Le Chiffre wanted Bond to answer some questions. He wanted to know where the cheque was.  
2 Le Chiffre planned to tell the police that he and Bond had played another game. Bond had lost. Le Chiffre had explained everything in a note – the money now belonged to him. Bond had given him the cheque and left Royale.  
3 Bond did not die because a SMERSH agent shot and killed Le Chiffre.  
4 The man from SMERSH made four cuts on Bond's hand. The cuts made the first letter of the Russian word for spy.
- 14** 1 Bond was in France when he woke up.  
2 Mathis and his men had found Bond and Vesper.  
3 Bond had hidden the cheque under the room number on his hotel door.  
4 Vesper cried because Bond was angry with her. She also wanted him to feel sorry for her.
- 15** 1 Vesper was nervous because she thought that a black car was following them.  
2 Bond found Vesper exciting because she would never tell him all her secrets.
- 16** 1 People can never really understand each other.  
2 The next morning, Bond decided to ask Vesper to marry him.
- 17** 1 At breakfast, Vesper was angry, because Bond asked her about the phone call.  
2 At lunch, she saw the man who had followed them in his car. He was sitting at the next table and Vesper was very frightened.  
3 Vesper said that she had phoned Mathis in Paris. But Versoix told Bond that she had phoned a number in a different part of Paris. She had phoned someone else.
- 18** 1 The man with the black patch was called Adolph Gettler.  
2 He had hired a Peugeot car in Switzerland.
- 19** 1 Vesper had taken sleeping pills and killed herself.  
2 Vesper could wait to be killed by SMERSH or kill herself. She decided to kill herself, to save Bond from being killed by SMERSH too.  
3 Bond was angry because Vesper had been a double agent. She had put other agents in danger and given away secrets. Bond hated her, so he called her a bad name. Bond was glad that Vesper was dead.