# Wanted: Hint File

1 puzzle per page

# Butcher Notes:

- 1. Determine every letter that shouldn't be in the note and reveal The Butcher's secret message.
- 2. Each note contains a secret message from The Butcher that should be used in conjunction with the puzzle beneath.

# Accessing The Edge of Darkness Podcast Files:

- 1. Determine where each victim was found.
- 2. Send an email using the directions found on The Edge of Darkness card
- 3. Use the instructions you receive from the podcasters and the information you have determined about the location of each victim to answer the question they ask.
- 4. Use the correct information to access the QR code
- 5. Visit The Edge of Darkness' Facebook page.

### Butcher Puzzle #1:

- 1. Use the image of the straight razor found by the podcasters to help determine how the value of each symbol is determined.
- 2. Count the number of intersections in each of the symbols on Note #1.
- 3. Use this with the message you pulled from the text of the note.

#### Butcher Note #2:

- 1. You will see three sections at the bottom of the note.
- 2. Each section has groupings of letters in multiple shapes that will fit into the grid below.
- 3. Arrange each group of letters so that they fit into the grid below.
- 4. Take all of the letters in the spaces marked with an X and use them to spell a needed word.
- 5. Determine all three words and use it in connection with the message pulled from the above note.

#### Butcher Note #3:

- 1. This note mentions certain measurements.
- 2. Each hand contains 5 fingers.
- 3. Determine the proper measurement for a hand based on the information given.
- 4. Use that the determine the heights of each horse.
- 5. Read Jonas Cartwright's interview and pay attention to the part about his son, Silas.
- 6. Use the magnifier to examine the Wanted poster and determine how to use the information you've obtained about 'hands high' to eliminate a suspect.

#### Butcher Letter #4:

- 1. Read Red Buchanon's interview. She provides something that will help decipher messages encoded by Civil War spies.
- 2. Examine note 4 based on her instructions and determine the hidden message.
- 3. Examine the Grand Reopening flyer for The Mad Dog Saloon and use the item she gave the Sheriff to decode the 150-year old message.
- 4. Use it to make a vital connection between two of the central characters in the saga of The Black Rock Butcher.

#### Butcher's Note #5:

- 1. Uncover the hidden message just as you've done in the other 4 notes.
- 2. The message provides the directions for what to do with the puzzle involving lengths of rope.
- 3. Ten can refer to leaving the word 'ten' and not the number of ropes.
- 4. Read the message left behind once you've done what the message instructs.

# Drink Recipe Puzzle:

1. Once you've determined who the The Black Rock Butcher is, find the drink that uses all the ingredients that correspond to the killer.