

**A Mystery Package**

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| **Episode 11 Confessionals** | | |
| **Castaway** | **Old Count** | **New Count** |
| Rob | 3 | 4 (+1) |
| Phillip | 3 | 4 (+1) |
| Natalie | 0 | - |
| Ashley | 1 | - |
| Andrea | 4 | 5 (+1) |
| Mike | 1 | - |
| Matt | 2 | - |
| Grant | 3 | 2 (-1) |
| Ralph | 1 | 2 (+1) |
| Steve | 3 | - |
| Julie | 0 | - |

Day 27

1. **Phillip (1/4):** As soon as we got back to camp, I was approached by Steve, he said, *"Hey, man, I just want you to know I want to bury the hatchet. I'm not a racist, man. I'm really not. And I'm hoping we can get together on it,"* and he shook my hand. But, I didn't feel it was totally genuious. I felt it was a little self-serving because, um... he mocked me a number of times, and, uh, so probably Steve will go next.
2. **Steve (1/3):** I would really think that a-a mature guy with any wisdom and any empathy or heart or whatever would-would have reached out after going off the way he did, because, uh, he had to have known, you know, what an ass he made of himself but I was the one that reached out and I think it had quite a bit to do with settling the whole race thing that, uh, he brought up and hopefully we buried that.
3. **Steve (2/3):** So, I'm just going to keep plugging away and, you know, working the relationships and, you know, being open and friendly and who knows? Uh, Boston Rob may want to just keep myself or Ralph around and maybe they'll cut, uh, Phil loose.
4. **Rob (1/4):** Phillip is not going anywhere. Phillip is under my protection. As long as he keeps up his stupid antics, they' be coming to me all the way to the finals.

Day 28

1. **Phillip (2/4):** Yesterday, my trunks were hidden by Julie before she got voted out. So I got up this morning, and I had a premonition that I was going to find my shorts. My great-great-grandfather, full-blooded Cherokee Indian, came to me in a vision. (04:53 → 05:02 = 9s) And he said, *"Look near the waterhole."* I knew it wasn't the ocean, he was talking about the drinking water. I walked down there, found the first rock, and turned it over. (05:10 → 05:20 = 10s)
2. **Phillip (3/4):** Went to the second rock, there my shorts were. Here's to you, Julie. Don't mess with the undercover Specialist because he makes his living uncovering truth, and most people, like you, can't stand the truth! What did Jack Nicholson say to Tom Cruise? *"Son, you can't stand the truth! You can't take the truth!"* So that's what I'm saying to her.
3. **Steve (3/3):** Phillip, he's a different breed. Again, there's no prejudice behind it, but he's just-- he's a little crazy. It's, uh... crazy. *(chuckles)*
4. **Phillip (4/4):** I am so excited about seeing Julie at the duel today because I'm going to show up in this shorts. And she's going to know that you can't pull the wool over The Undercover Specialist.
5. **Mike (1/1):** Matt had incredible strength going through Redemption Island the first time. After he was blindsided the second time... by the-the folks he thought were truly his friends, um, he's kind of been on a little bit of a downward spiral. Matt has great faith, and he's able to endure a lot of hardship because of his faith in God. But you can tell he's kind of at his breaking point. You know it's all those subconscious things. He's already thinking about going home, and, uh, that can affect the outcome of a challenge.
6. **Matt (1/2):** This is unlike anything I've ever really experienced. Um... *(sniffles)* I'm out here wasting away. *(sniffles)* Um... missing my family. I can't-- *(sighs)* I can only feel them when I really, really try. (08:47 → 09:02 = 15s)
7. **Matt (2/2):** God has me here for a reason. I said this from the beginning that God wanted me here. *(sniffles)* I don't know what the reason is for. I can't see that yet. But I know He wants me to be here. He's literally been... *(breaks down and cries)* God has literally been carrying me for the past four days. I know I'm still in the game but I'm just so over this game.
8. **Andrea (1/5):** Matt's kind of pissed at me. Like, we made eye contact, kind of, and it-it almost looked like he gave me, like, a really dirty look. I could have been reading into it, but it was just, like, a weird feeling.
9. **Andrea (2/5):** I hope that Matt stays, and maybe if he keeps winning, maybe he can come back. And, like, if he came back in the game, like, I'd want to, like, talk to him but I don't think he can really trust me, like, in this game ever again. *(chuckles)* Why would he?
10. **Andrea (3/5):** Matt was like, *“I don't care if I'm out.”* And, I feel a little bad because I played him the hardest. Like, I really had, like, these, like, close conversations with him and, like, he said he, like, forgives us all and stuff but I think he's kind of pissed at me. (17:23 → 17:33 = 10s)
11. **Andrea (4/5):** I feel like I was a big part of, like, breaking his spirit. So in a way, I kind of, like, felt a little guilty and just-- on a human level, not on-- not on a game level.
12. **Grant (1/2):** I've been concerned about Andrea and Matt's relationship if he comes back from Redemption Island. We got back from the challenge, and she said she felt sorry for him. It's things like that, that just-- you're kind of shaking your head going, *“Ah, I don't know if you've learned.”* You know, the upside to getting rid of Andrea before getting rid of Steve and Ralph, because that's one less thing to worry about. Then again, timing is everything in this game. When to pull the trigger as far as when to vote people off is-is-is huge. And it might come down to just Immunity Challenge, you know?

Day 30

1. **Grant (2/2):** I chose Andrea as a strategic move of wanting to make her feel comfortable in our alliance, because tonight at Tribal, if, uh, certain scenarios come up, where we need to get rid of one of our own, Andrea is going to be that member.
2. **Andrea (5/5):** We got a mystery package, that Jeff gave it to us, said that we'd open it at Tribal Council. It could be something where we-- you know, we go, we vote somebody out at Tribal Council, and then there's the twist is that we vote another person out, or something, like, crazy outlandish. (26:13 → 26:22 = 9s) The whole card thing kind of threw me off but right now, everyone's pretty comfortable because there's two easy votes. The two, you know, Ralph and Steve. I think that us six having so much faith in each other, I think it would be silly to get rid of one of our own before the Zapatera people.
3. **Ralph (1/2):** One of us is on the chopping block, and it's probably me. All I can do is hope what's ever in that little box that Jeff said to definitely bring is good news for me. It might not be. Chances is being for me, no, but I'm hoping. It's all I can do, is hope.
4. **Rob (2/4):** This is what's going on right now: Steve's thinking, *“I've had it. I'm done.”* So Steve's not going to do anything to cause any problems with anybody. Ralph, on the other hand, poses a threat because physically, he's capable and his head is still in the game so Ralph's got to go next. (27:57 → 28:07 = 10s)
5. **Rob (3/4):** Who knows what this twist is all about? Maybe somebody else has a chance to win immunity. Maybe it's a situation where two people are going to go home but we only get to vote once. It could be anything. So we've got to hedge our bets and make sure we have backup plans and know who we're voting for. Grant and I, we already talked about getting rid of Andrea before Zapatera, so it leaves us other options.
6. **Ashley (1/1):** Rob's very smart, and he's played this game before, and so we're kind of taking our lead from him. We're voting for Ralph tonight. There's also a twist, though, and we may have to vote out two people tonight, in which case, Andrea will go home. If Matt comes back from Redemption Island, she's still got a soft spot for Matt, so it just makes sense to get her out.
7. **Rob (4/4):** It seems like Steve may have gotten his second wind. He's going to members of my alliance behind my back trying to come up with a plan to get me out of here? Which makes me think I should maybe get rid of him first. What I was originally thinking about I'm thinking about not doing now because I may have to wait to get rid of Andrea.

Redemption Island

1. **Ralph (2/2):** I see daylight ahead now. If one of us Zapatera guys gets into the top three, we'll be the one to win it. I want to be that guy.