

**The Survivor Devil**

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| **Episode 13 Confessionals** | |
| **Castaway** | **Count** |
| Ben | 12 |
| Chrissy | 4 |
| Ryan | 2 |
| Devon | 4 |
| Mike | 2 |
| Ashley | 2 |

Day 33

1. **Ben (1/12):** I am so excited. I can’t believe that just happened. You know, the only way I felt I could keep me in the game is to turn everyone on me and paint a target on myself and then use the idol and get Lauren out. Seeing six votes for yourself, and then, you know, you pulling off the only, you know, vote and getting to choose solely on who gets to… *(chuckles)* go home, I mean, that’s a good feeling.
2. **Devon (1/4):** Coming back to camp after Tribal, I felt like, if there are *Survivor* gods, then that was a move by the *Survivor* devil… *(laughs)* ‘cause that was messed up, and I didn’t want to see Lauren go home at all.
3. **Devon (2/4):** Ben is still everyone’s number one target, but this game is never as-as simple as you want it to be. As soon as I think, *“Oh, I have this perfect plan, it’s going to be so easy,”* that’s when things just turn upside down and everything goes the opposite way and you have to devise this whole new plan and start over.
4. **Ben (2/12):** I got Devon who is calling me out, and everybody is painting me the bad guy, and, uh, you know, I have no alliances anymore. So I got a long, hard road ahead of me now.

Day 34

1. **Ben (3/12):** Traditionally in *Survivor*, once an idol is played, it gets introduced back into the game. So I get up this morning, and-and the fire is not going, and so I make a fire and kind of look around, and everybody is still sleeping. There’s not much wood, so I’m going to start looking for an idol while I… *(air quotes)* “gather wood,” you know? Idols are not easy to find at all. These forests and these jungles and these islands are huge, but the last time I found one there was a rock that said dig on it. So I’m looking for something like that. I’m looking in trees, looking at rocks. I’m looking on the ground. I’m looking everywhere.
2. **Chrissy (1/4):** So when I woke up this morning, Ben is gone, and I’m a little nervous ‘cause Ben is obviously looking for an idol, but everyone now wants Ben out of the game. So to keep me safe for one more Tribal, I am banking on the fact that Ben will not find an idol again.
3. **Ben (4/12):** My time is dwindling here, and I know that, and I accept that fate. So I need to find an idol or win immunity to keep me in the game, because I ain’t going to quit until I’m out.
4. **Ben (5/12):** I wanted to go on this reward to look for a clue to a Hidden Immunity Idol, but Ashley is all hangry, which perfect for me. That’s going to be the only way I can start stirring stuff up.
5. **Mike (1/2):** I was so pissed losing this challenge. I don’t know why Devon and Chrissy didn’t take me over Ryan. You would think that because I’m in the middle, I would be needed, unless Devon is trying to flip Ryan back to him, it’s very scary to think that Devon could be the deciding factor of me winning a million dollars.
6. **Ben (6/12):** These two are walking around like a bunch of crying babies. You know, they’re hungry and tired and am I going to try to use that to my advantage? Well, yeah, I mean, that’s the only thing I got at this point.
7. **Ben (7/12):** Mike wants me gone. So, uh, he’s going to be my next target. You know, I’m hoping I’m going to be able to work with Ash, but I got a lot of work to do to keep my butt in this game.
8. **Ashley (1/2):** At this point, Ben is saying that Devon and I don’t really have an upper hand anymore, and I think that’s true to a-- to a very large extent, but coming from Ben, I have to think about it like he’s probably just saying that too just to save himself.
9. **Ben (8/12):** I don’t get far with Ashley. Trying to patch everything over with her is like talking to a brick wall. So I’m going to keep looking and trying to find this dang idol.
10. **Mike (2/2):** Well, I know Ben is going to be looking for the Hidden Immunity Idol, but I’ve searched the beach, I’ve searched the woods, I’ve searched the paths, and I can’t find the idol anywhere. So I’m not worried about Ben searching for the idol. There’s no reason to keep following him around. Ben is not going to find another idol twice in a row. As long as he doesn’t win immunity, which he’s never done, I feel pretty confident Ben’s going home.
11. **Ryan (1/2):** I could not be happier. I didn’t think that it could get any better after I saw my dad. And I love my dad, but coming to this private island, all you can eat, all you can drink, and I didn’t even win! They took me! It’s without question one of the best moments of my entire life.
12. **Devon (3/4):** Chrissy brought up the idea of us three starting an alliance and going to the final three together. Ryan was my closest ally, and then he was my number one enemy, but regardless of how unaligned we’ve been over the past few votes, I feel like this is the perfect time to make a move, so I’m just going with who I think I have the best shot of going to the final three with and who I think I can beat in the end.
13. **Ryan (2/2):** The relationship that Devon and I had was up and down, but in the grand scheme of things, I’m closest with two people. I’m close with Devon and I’m with Chrissy, and I would love to go to the final three with both those people.
14. **Chrissy (2/4):** Although I don’t know him well, having Devon on the final three with me allows me to break up the Ashley-Devon alliance. Ashley was calling me out in front of our tribe, so if Ashley wants me out, then I want her out. On the other hand, Ben is a big threat, but he’s not attached to anyone, whereas Ashley right now has better relationships. So for my game, what may make more sense to vote off Ashley first and Ben next. Right now I don’t know which way is best to go.

Day 36

1. **Chrissy (3/4):** My whole plan was to try and win immunity so that going into Tribal Council either Ashley or Ben was available to be voted out. So I have to decide which one I want to vote out first. This is my time to be in control of the game.
2. **Ben (9/12):** Damn, friggin’ puzzles. This one hurts. This one hurts big time. I needed that one, because considering how last Tribal went, I’m 100% sure everyone is targeting me tonight. But being a marine, you never give up. So I’ma go look around this darn island for another idol. Those people are crazy for not following me.
3. **Ashley (2/2):** Tonight it would be nice if we could just get in, everyone vote for Ben and get out, because last Tribal it was pretty shocking to see him whip out that idol. I don’t think Ben has an idol, but he’s the most likely person to find one.
4. **Chrissy (4/4):** Ashley’s plan is to split the votes for Ben and Mike, see if anyone plays the idol, and if no one plays the idol, then vote out Ben. But I would actually like to vote Ashley out first, because she is the one that I trust the least, and I know she’s gunning for me to be out. So I’ve got to get rid of her.
5. **Devon (4/4):** I really like Ashley, and now Chrissy starts pitching this idea of getting rid of Ashley before Ben, which is just crazy to me, because Ben is dangerous. He has made big moves, and if Ben is in the final three, none of us stand a chance.
6. **Ben (10/12):** Looking around, I peek around a tree, and I see a purple box with a black arrow pointed down.
7. **Ben (11/12):** No way! No way! I found it! I found the dang clue. I got the map to the idol. On it is a picture of our bed. It has an “X” on the bed, so I’m pretty nervous, ‘cause it’s in plain sight of everybody. I’m hoping that nobody back at camp. I get back to camp and Ryan, Devon and Mike was at the fire. I don’t know how I’m going to pull this off.
8. **Ben (12/12):** If I start digging around the base of the bed and pull out a purple thing, everyone is going to know what that is. Time is running out. I can’t see nothing. Everybody on this camp wants me gone, but if I can find the idol, I can blow up this whole game, so I’m not going anywhere until I get that idol.