THE ALIBI

PSYCHOLOGICAL THRILLER . FEATURE FILM

Four suspects. One alibi. Zero trust.

Four women tied to the same powerful and abusive man become the prime suspects in his murder. To survive, they create a shared alibi, but as their lies collapse, they uncover a far more dangerous truth: the real killer has been listening the whole time.

THE HOOK

Prestige, female-driven thriller with a twisty, addictive structure.

A murder mystery where every woman is both suspect and victim until the final reveal.

Delivers the glossy tension of Big Little Lies with the mind games of Knives Out.



THE STORY

A wealthy Atlanta businessman is found dead in his penthouse. The police zero in on four women closest to him: his ex-wife, business partner, mistress, and estranged daughter. All have motive, and all have something to hide. Under pressure from detectives and media scrutiny, they form a shaky pact to protect one another with a carefully crafted alibi. But when cracks form and evidence starts pointing to one of them, the women must face the truth: the real killer isn't part of their circle. She's been hiding in plain sight.

CHARACTER SNAPSHOTS

ELEANOR - The Ex-Wife

Smart, wounded, rebuilding her life. Motive is public. Vulnerability is private.

JASMINE - The Business Partner

Ambitious, calculating, pushed out of her own company. Everything to gain.

SIENNA - The Mistress

Fragile on the surface, sharper underneath. Desperate to escape the affair.

ZOE - The Estranged Daughter

Rebellious, outspoken, explosive online presence. Zero

THE TWIST

None of the four women are the killer. The murderer is his quiet, loyal personal assistant, an overlooked woman with a broken heart, a long memory, and a deadly plan.

WHY IT SELLS

- √ Female ensemble + high-gloss thriller = proven ratings
- ✓ Simple, marketable hook: Four suspects. One alibi.
- Strong casting opportunities across age ranges
- √ Limited locations keep budget efficient
- Powerful themes of abuse, secrecy, and unlikely sisterhood
- √ Twist ending drives rewatches, reviews, and social buzz

COMPARABLES

Big Little Lies (ensemble secrets)

The Undoing (wealth + psychological tension)

Knives Out (character-driven mystery)

Gone Girl (twisted, addictive reveals)

TARGET BUYERS / NETWORK FIT

Lifetime · BET+ · OWN · Paramount+ · Netflix

Perfect for audiences who crave prestige, female-led suspense with emotional stakes and binge-worthy twists.



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