

# Wait Until Dark

## Prop & Costume Movement Plot

Top of Show Preset:

- Venetian Blinds HALF out, Blackout windows OUT
- Clock time set to 9:00

Costume/Prop Movement 1

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| Where | Item/Actor                        | Movement (In Order)         | Who |
|-------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----|
| SL    | Susy's Coat, Purse, & Blind Stick | CATCH!                      | A   |
|       |                                   | Keys FROM coat → purse      |     |
|       |                                   | Coat & Purse → bedroom      |     |
|       |                                   | Blind Stick → SL prop table |     |

Costume/Prop Movement 2 (SCENE CHANGE 1.1 → 1.2)

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| Where          | Item/Actor              | Movement                     | Who |
|----------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|-----|
| SL Prop Table  | 2 Dinner Plates         | SET → Kitchen Table          | B   |
|                | 2 forks & 2 knives      | SET → Kitchen Table          | B   |
|                | 2 napkins               | SET → Kitchen Table          | B   |
|                | Grocery list –AND-- \$5 | SET → Bench, next to phone   | C   |
|                | Photo Paper             | SET → Enlgmnt Tray (bench)   | C   |
|                | Blind Stick             | SET → Top Railing            | A   |
| SR Prop Table  | Camera Bag              | SET → DS of filing cabinet   | C   |
| Onstage        | Clock                   | Change time 9:00 → 4:15      | A   |
|                | Venetian Blinds         | Open completely              | C   |
|                | Camera                  | BENCH → FILING CABINET (top) | C   |
|                | Tripod                  | CLOSET → BENCH, FOLDED!      | C   |
|                | Under Sink Cabinets     | CLOSE                        | B   |
|                | 2 Water Glasses         | SINK → TABLE                 | B   |
| OFF STAGE LEFT | (Offstage Controls)     | Blackout Windows IN!         | D   |
| QUICK CHANGES  | BUZ DAVIS               | Mike → Talman                |     |
|                | SCOTT STONEY            | Carlino → Sgt Carlino        |     |
|                | ROB JOHANSEN            | Roat → Roat Senior           |     |

Prop Movement 3

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| Where          | Item                  | Movement            | Who |
|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----|
| OFF STAGE LEFT | Blackout Windows OUT! | (Offstage controls) | D   |

Costume/Prop Movement 4 (SCENE CHANGE 1.2 → 1.3)

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| Where         | Item/Actor          | Movement                  | Who |
|---------------|---------------------|---------------------------|-----|
| ONSTAGE       | Venetian Blinds     | OPEN → Downward slant     | D   |
|               | Any remaining props | STRIKE from kitchen floor | B   |
|               | Clock               | Change time 4:15 to 5:00  | A   |
|               | Package             | STRIKE from SL couch arm  | C   |
| SR Prop Table | Hat                 | SET → Kitchen Table, USR  | A   |
| QUICK CHANGE  | ROB JOHANSEN        | Roat Senior → Roat Junior |     |

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### Prop Movement 5 (INTERMISSION)

- Work lights & run lights OFF

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| Where         | Item                                  | Movement                                      | Who |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|---|-----|
| ONSTAGE       | Kitchen Ashtray                       | ADD Water                                     | D   |
|               | Clock                                 | Change time 4:15 to 5:15                      | A   |
|               | Mike's Suit Jacket                    | SET → US Kitchen Chair<br>**reset chair angle | C   |
|               | Cabinets, Drawers (NOT filing)        | OPEN!   | C   |
|               | Kitchen Table, Sofa, Rug              | Check Spikes                                  | A   |
|               | Vacuum, Broom, Wrapped Box            | Empty from closet (DS)                        | D   |
|               | 2 dinner plates, excess silverware    | STRIKE from sink                              | B   |
|               | Textured dish cloth                   | Wedge in washer's side                        | B   |
|               | Bedroom door key                      | FROM ledge → door lock                        | D   |
|               | Front Door                            | CLOSED  | C   |
|               | Clothing                              | Put back → dresser, close drawrs              | D   |
|               | Non-Towel Laundry                     | STRIKE from washer                            | B   |
|               | ½ eaten sandwich and any dirty papers | DISCARD<br>(from Brown trash can)             | C   |
|               | Bologna, Cheese, Mustard              | STRIKE from fridge                            | C   |
|               | Paring Knife                          | MOVE → Sink                                   | B   |
|               | Venetian Blinds                       | CLOSE!  | D   |
|               | 2 Trashcans                           | SLIDE out of position                         | C   |
|               | Pepper Grinder                        | Kitchen Table → Counter                       | B   |
| SL Prop Table | Airline Zip Bag                       | SET to SR Prop Table                          | A   |
|               | Matchbox w/2 taped matches            | SET to Bedroom prop table                     | D   |
|               | Ladle                                 | SET to 1 <sup>st</sup> kitchen drawer         | B   |
|               | 2 Matchboxes                          | SET US of small enlg tray<br>& behind couch   | D   |
|               | Thick, taped together towel           | SET US of fridge                              | C   |
| SR Prop Table | Scarf --AND-- Gasoline Can            | SET to inside Airline Zip Bag                 | A   |

### Costume Movement 6

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| Where        | Actor        | Costumes           | Who |
|--------------|--------------|--------------------|-----|
| QUICK CHANGE | ROB JOHANSEN | Roat Junior → Roat |     |

### Prop Movement 7

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| Where          | Item      | Movement | Who |
|----------------|-----------|----------|-----|
| Off Stage Left | Blackouts | IN!      | D   |

### Prop Movement 8

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| Where           | Item     | Movement                     | Who |
|-----------------|----------|------------------------------|-----|
| Off Stage Right | Doorbell | RING! (Total of 3x, on cues) | A   |

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Prop Movement 9

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| Where          | Item        | Movement                                | Who |
|----------------|-------------|---|-----|
| Off Stage Left | Knife Trick | <b>OUT</b> on cue, the <b>IN</b> on cue |     |

Costume Movement 10

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| Where                   | Actor        | Costumes           | Who |
|-------------------------|--------------|--------------------|-----|
| <i>QUICK<br/>CHANGE</i> | ROB JOHANSEN | Roat → Bloody Roat |     |