Roman Ruins Friends, Romans Countrymen, Lend me your ears!

You are a guest at the ancient Roman villa of the renowned poet and author of <u>Writ of Flabbius Corpus</u>, Flabbius Corpus. It is the Ides of November in the year 68 A. D. Flabbius has asked you and several other guests to help him celebrate the completion of his newest work, <u>Rome Wasn't Bilked in a Day.</u> After sipping several goblets of fine wine, indulging on peeled grapes and olives, you are anxiously awaiting Flabbius' recitation. Suddenly, a Praetorian Guard strides into the room, stands at attention, strikes his breastplate and announces the demise of Flabbius Corpus.

And you are a suspect along with:

Licensius Caesar
Rotunda Immaculata
Maximus Testosterus
Cleptopatra
Bogus Fortunatus
Flotilla Submergia
Harangus Adnauseum
Mercedes Accelleratti

You are about to become a murder suspect, and so is everyone else. The game is a puzzle in which the players must work together to solve. You can establish your innocence only by helping to prove someone else guilty. You will receive a player manual containing the information necessary to participate. The player manual contains many clues known only to you that are vital to solving the mystery. Whether you understand how they fit into the puzzle or not, you must be sure to reveal all the facts about the other suspects. You should not volunteer information that incriminates you; however, you may not tell a lie about any of the facts you learn. You may be evasive, or change the subject - but when pressed, you must tell the truth. Some of the information that seems incriminating might ultimately serve to vindicate you.

The game is divided into several rounds. You will have ample opportunity to reveal all the details. You are out to catch a murderer! Be inquisitive! Be aggressive! Be suspicious! No acting experience necessary! You will be assigned a character. Your costume reveals much too much! Have fun!