

TSH: Martha and Thelma

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Roy C. Lackey — 20 Apr 2010, 22:16

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James Wynn — 20 Apr 2010, 22:24 · in reply to Roy C. Lackey

Well, I *do* think that the Faeri stuff occurred, but (let's face it) if Bax is lying about Faeri then he's lying about having found their mom.

But again, how does Mrs Murray come into Bax's con if not in the way he described? Why did she will him the house (or to George if that's who she thought she was)?

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On Tue, Apr 20, 2010 at 5:16 PM, Roy C. Lackey <rclackey at stic.net> wrote:
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