

Name: _____

Teacher: _____

Period : _____

Date: _____

“A Lamb to the Slaughter” Viewing Guide

1. What does Mary Maloney discover when she comes home?
2. What did Patrick do for a living?
3. What do we learn about Mary during the first flashback?
4. How can you describe the couple’s relationship?
5. What is Mary’s new favorite appliance?
6. According to the doctor, how did Patrick die?
7. Why is the detective so upset?
8. During the second flashback, what does Patrick tell Mary?
9. How does she react to the news?
10. What do you think will happen?
11. What did Mary get at the store?
12. What do the police ultimately decide happened?
13. Why did Mary laugh at the end?
14. Were you right about your predictions?
15. Do you think this is the perfect crime?