



# Who killed the Mince Spy?

by Matthew Redford

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*Tenacious carrot, detective inspector Willie Wortel is back to uncover the deviously delicious mind behind the crime of the festive season in this hugely entertaining, and utterly unconventional, short story.*

When Mitchell the Mince Spy is horrifically murdered by being over baked in a fan oven, it falls to the Food Related Crime team to investigate this heinous act. Why was Mitchell killed? Who is the mysterious man with a long white beard and why does he carry a syringe? Why is it that the death of a mince spy smells so good?

Detective Inspector Willie Wortel, carrot and the best food sapiens police officer, once again leads his team into a series of crazy escapades. Supported by his able homo sapiens sergeant Dorothy Knox and his less able fruit officers Oranges and Lemons,

they encounter Snow White and the seven dwarf cabbages as well as having a run in with the food sapiens secret service, MI GasMark5.

With a thigh slap here, and a thigh slap there, the team know Christmas is coming as the upper classes are acting strangely- why else would there be lords a leaping, ladies dancing and maids a milking?

And if that wasn't enough, the Government Minister for the Department of Fisheries, Agriculture and Rural Trade (DAFaRT) has only gone and given the turkeys a vote on whether they are for or against Christmas...

Let the madness begin...

**About the author:** Born in 1980, Matthew Redford grew up with his parents and elder brother on a council estate in Bermondsey, south-east London. He now lives in Longfield, Kent, takes masochistic pleasure in watching his favourite football team snatch defeat from the jaws of victory, is a keen chess player and is planning future food related crime novels. To counterbalance the quirkiness of his crime fiction Redford is an accountant. His unconventional debut crime thriller, *Addicted to Death: A Food Related Crime Investigation* was published by Clink Street Publishing last summer. **Who Killed the Mince Spy** by Matthew Redford (published by Clink Street Publishing 6th December 2016 RRP TBC paperback and ebook) will be available to order from online retailers including [amazon.co.uk](http://amazon.co.uk) and to order from all good bookstores. For more information please visit [matthewredford.com](http://matthewredford.com) or follow his hijinks on Twitter @matthew\_redford

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