• Declares hatred for O
• Suspects O has slept with Emilia
  o Emilia = Iago’s wife
  o “twixt my sheets . . . [has] done my office”
  o no actual evidence, but Iago doesn’t care
• Lays out plot:
  o Cheat Rod. out of his $
  o Tell O that Cassio is sleeping with Des.
    ▪ Knows that O trusts him
  o Use O’s honesty to bring him down

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