

The Things We Leave Unfinished

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Book Discussion Resource Page

Welcome to our spicy book club resource page, where we turn the page to a whole new chapter of fun! Get ready to dive into a world of plot twists and character arcs as we leaf through our current book selection. We've provided the Dirty Dozen; twelve spicy and intriguing questions to spark discussion and help you uncover the spine-tingling depths of the story.

The Dirty Dozen

Foreplay - Warm Up Questions

1. What's the overall spice level? 1 (Not Spicy) - 10 (Spiciest Thing I've Ever Read)?
2. How does the spice level compare to the other books we've read together?
3. *"Romance isn't about unrealistic expectations and sex. It's about love and overcoming adversity through what can be considered a universal experience."* What makes something a true romance for you: is it the grand gesture, the quiet loyalty, or the choice to stay when it would be easier to walk away?

The Spicy Bits - Gettin' Down and Dirty with the Plot

4. Would you have listened to the book deal discussion if you were in Georgia's position, knowing that sometimes "just listening" is the first crack in your armor with your mom?
5. At the beginning of the story, what kind of ending do you think they deserved: something soft and safe, or that more poignant ending? We'll come back to this at the end.
6. Do you think Jameson and Scarlett's love was true or rushed by the stress of war?
7. Do you think love should confront someone's flaws head-on and push them to grow (even if it's uncomfortable), or should love feel more like acceptance without conditions?
8. Noah says he tries to live his life like his mom will find out everything he's done. What do you think about living your life as if someone you respect would

eventually find out every choice you make? Is that integrity or just fear of being exposed?

9. Discuss the fight between Jameson and Scarlett about the Pacific; was her anger warranted? Why or why not? What about when Georgia finds out that Noah lied about finishing the novel: was her anger warranted? Why or why not?

10. When trust breaks, do you believe there's a specific moment you feel it - a shift in your chest - or does it erode slowly until you suddenly realize it's gone?

11. What do you think of the twists and turns that come out in the last 10% of the story?

Aftercare - Final Thoughts

12. Revisiting our earlier question... with all that we know at the end, did your answer change from the beginning about needing a happy vs. poignant ending? Which do you generally prefer in your stories and would you have put Noah in the romance section even with "poignant endings?" Did you agree with the changes that Georgia made in the end?

Bonus: What questions do you have for the author? If you could dog-ear a page with a question for the author, what would it be?

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