
Reading Group Guide

1. In chapter one, Jade discovers Asa is not Max's son. How did you feel about this? Did you suspect such foul play from Rice?
2. If you were in Jade's situation, how would you handle the news of your husband's son not being his?
3. Max came to a greater understanding of his life before God while at the Outpost Ranch. Was there a time in your life when the Lord revealed Himself in the midst of your pain?
4. Max takes on a huge challenge to become a high-school football coach. It's life changing. Have you faced a life-changing challenge?

5. Moving to Texas uproots Jade and Max and all they know. It's hard to move away from family. Discuss how this bold move impacted Max and Jade. Was it for the good? For the bad? Would you do the same if God opened the door?
6. Jade's first get-together with a friend in Colby quickly turns sour. Discuss how we can be better friends to one another even in adversity.
7. Max shows integrity by staying with the coaching job even though he was deceived about the condition of the football program. How important is it to have honor in your job, relationships, actions? Even when you've been wronged. Discuss.
8. Jade is surprised by her pregnancy. What does this event symbolize in her and Max's life, and in the story? Discuss a time in your life when the Lord brought good from a difficult situation.
9. Tucker is a sweet character in the story. What was your reaction when he finally scored the field goal? Is there something going on in your life that mirrors Tucker's desire to make a goal?
10. Sports often reflect life especially in our spiritual journey. Pressing in against the defense, against the odds. Playing hard even when we are losing. Playing to the end without giving up. Is there a situation in your life where you need a team to help you press in? Are you utilizing your team? Are you on the verge of giving up? Don't! Press on. Discuss ways to press on in a hard situation.
11. Max shows love to his enemy, Bobby Molnar. How about you? Can you love someone who's determined to take you down?
12. Joy! Jade and Max have twin girls. Discuss an area of joy in your life!