



Book Club Discussion Questions: Poison Parcheesi and Wine / Book 3

- The story is set in Arkansas and the Arkansas wine country. Were you surprised to learn Arkansas has a wine country? Did you get a feel for the setting? How important is a sense of place in the mysteries you read and enjoy?
- By book three we have a clear understanding of these four characters and how they interact. Which one is your favorite? Which character do you identify with most? Do you see their character evolving? Do you like when characters grow and change?
- Compare the relationships between the Cardboard Cottage friends and the friends from the Arkansas wine country. Are there similarities? How does this play out in the mystery?
- Do you or someone you know have unexplained dreams, visions, or sparks of intuition? How does Amy deal with her *telepathetic* snippets?
- Who did you first suspect might be responsible for Duke's death? What were the biggest red herrings in the story? What twists took you by surprise?
- The theme in Jane Elzey's Cardboard Cottage Mystery series is the (crappy) husband always dies. Discuss Jane's tongue in cheek theme and how it often underlies women's role and experience in society.
- If you were to nominate someone for Jane's Killer Club— an ex, boyfriend, boss, business partner, or neighbor— describe his major offense, crime, flaw or failing that supports why he's in the hotseat. Jane Elzey's Killer Club is an exclusive club for women who want the privilege of naming the #husbandalwaysdies character for an upcoming book in the series. Consider it a private game of Clue. Fiction only, of course. No one is harmed in the writing.

Thanks for reading the Cardboard Cottage Mystery series!

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