

Serendipity Farm



Book Hire

Stella and Margie by Glenna Thomson

1. Do you consider Margie a weak person because she didn't leave her marriage?
2. From the perspective of deceiving another woman, how do you judge Margie for having an affair?
3. What is the significance of the birds? What do they represent?
4. How do you feel about the phrase, 'I did my best', in the context of motherhood, and the judgements we make of our mothers, and ourselves as mothers?
5. Do you relate to Stella's determination for self-expression and independence beyond being a wife and mother?
6. What is good about Stella and Ross's marriage?
7. Was Stella right to bring Margie back to Maryhill against Ross's wishes?
8. Do you think Margie might have succumbed to Chester's charms had she been in a different relationship?
9. Is the relationship between daughters-in-law and mothers-in-law with differing personalities always bound to be fraught?
10. If you were in Margie's marriage, would you have done anything differently? If so, what and how?