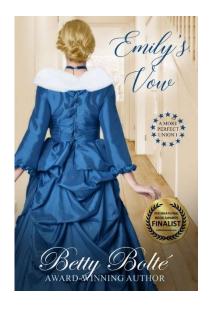


BOOK CLUB GUIDE



Emily's Vow (A More Perfect Union Book 1)



About the Book:

Emily Sullivan's greatest fear is dying in childbirth, as did her twin sister and their mother. Despite her half-hearted protests, her father insists Frank Thomson is the perfect man for both her protection from the vengeful British and as a husband. Frank always loved Emily despite her refusal to return his affections. A patriot spy posing as a loyalist officer, when Frank learns Emily's been imprisoned for her father's privateering, he risks his own neck to free his love.

Discussion Questions:

- 1. Emily feared childbirth because she'd watched her sister die after having a son and their mother had died after having them. Was her reaction plausible?
- 2. Young women of a certain age and social standing were expected to be a wife and mother first and foremost. Emily rebelled against this notion. Do you think she had good reason for doing so?
- 3. How did the writer bring the characters to life?
- 4. Secrets and deceptions are at the very heart of this story. Name some instances when they played a role in the characters' actions.
- 5. What did you learn about life in Charleston during the British occupation?
- 6. What does the title mean? How does it relate to the story?
- 7. How well did the author built the world in the book?
- 8. How did this book touch your life? Can you relate to it on any level?
- 9. If you could read the story from another character's point of view, who would you choose and why?
- 10. What broader social issues does the book address?