

# Book Club Guide

The following questions have been provided to stimulate discussion for *Good Lovin' Ain't Easy*. We hope you enjoyed reading this novel by Barbara Wright Sykes. If you would like to have the author attend your book club meeting, see details below.

1. Were you shocked when JD stole the money? Did you believe JD would change his ways? If you were Myrna, would you have stayed with JD?
2. Why was it so hard for Myrna to realize she was wealthy and had enough money to live comfortably the rest of her life?
3. JD came home and confessed when Pat violated him. The “average” man might have entertained a short affair with Pat. In your opinion, what made JD refrain from Pat’s advances?
4. Myrna didn’t tell Cedric she was married. Why not? Was it flattery or did she really find him attractive?
5. Veda Marie Calhoun always wanted a man like her father, JD. In what ways did Charles resemble her father? Was he a good mate for her?
6. Did Myrna and JD’s open door policy of being blunt about life help Veda Marie face her challenges with Monica?
7. Veda Renee Thompson and Veda Marie Calhoun were both exposed to the good life. In what ways were they different?
8. It was clear that Monica Webber was crazy and deranged. If you were Veda Marie, how would you have handled the situation with Monica? Did you approve of her keeping her problems away from Charles and Myrna?
9. Monica’s plan to get Charles back was premeditated. Do you think Monica was still truly in love with Charles?
10. What would you like to see happen in a sequel? Who was your favorite character and why?

## To Schedule an Author Appearance:

To invite Barbara to attend your book club meeting, send her an invitation via telephone at 1-800-795-8999 or 909-590-2471; or email Ann Collins at [ann@collinspub.com](mailto:ann@collinspub.com). Please write “Book Club Discussion” in the subject line. The following information should be included in your email:

1. The book club name
2. The contact person’s name
3. Contact person’s telephone number and email address
4. The number of book club members
5. The city and state
6. The proposed date and time for the meeting

## How About A Discussion by Telephone?

If Barbara is unable to appear at your book club meeting in person, she can still attend via telephone. Simply provide a speakerphone, and she’ll be happy to entertain questions.