

# ***DEAD of WINTER***

## **Book Club Questions**

- Did the opening chapter make you want to read more?
- What would you have done if you found that body in the field?
- Do you think your community would welcome a refugee family? Would you?
- What do you believe causes prejudice? Fear of the “different”? Lack of understanding? Attitudes passed down from generation to generation? Or differences among races that can’t be bridged?
- How do you think you would react if you were stopped in your car by a menacing group on a lonely country road?
- What causes people to become terrorists? Are foreign terrorists different than domestic terrorists?
- Alexa and Reese’s love story has been complicated. Were you glad to see them get back together?
- Who’s your favorite character(s) in this book? Why?
- What do you like most about Alexa? What do you like least?
- How easy is it to spot a bad or dangerous person? How much do our own experiences and attitudes help frame our snap judgements about people as Alexa and Tyrell did with Uncle Nabil?
- Do you believe Sloan is an evil person?
- How do you think the story of Elijah and John Brown tied into the present-day story?
- Do you think John Brown was a hero or a terrorist?
- What was your response to the ending?

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