

His touch had given her hope that someone  
someday might just reopen her heart.  
- *Christmas Joy*



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## *Christmas Joy* Reading Group Guide

1. *Christmas Joy* touches on many themes. Which did you connect the most with? Why?
2. Joy is surprised when she finds out Molly is not a pet rabbit but a little girl she must now take care of. How was this challenging and ultimately rewarding for Joy?
3. What was Joy and Ben's first meeting like? What were they like at Aunt Ruby's house? What changed?
4. Family is a huge part of the novel. Discuss how prioritizing family relationships, and the occasional lack thereof, affects the relationships between all of the characters.
5. Ornaments are big part of Christmas and *Christmas Joy*, discuss their significance in the story.
6. Joy took a big risk by leaving her life in the city. Have you ever taken a risk like that? If so, how did you grow from that experience? Would you do anything differently?
7. Which character did you relate to the most? Why?
8. Who would you cast to play each character in a movie adaptation of *Christmas Joy*? Why?