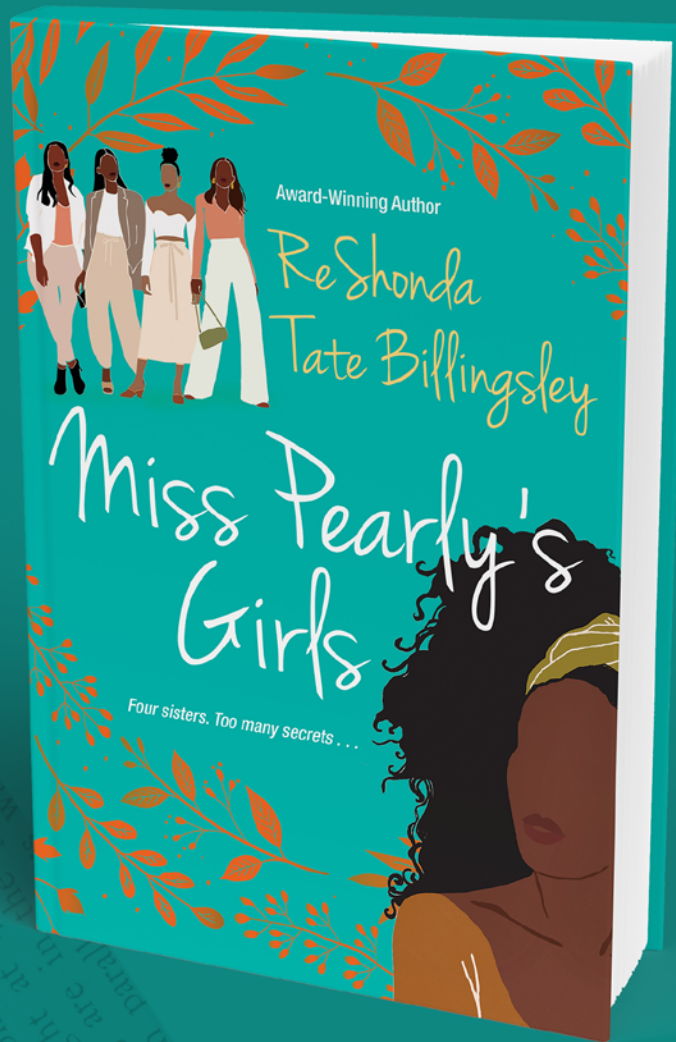




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WEEK 1

1

Why do you think Maxine stayed in Smackover?

2

Which sister, so far, can you relate to the most?

3

Smackover is a town of 2600 people. How do you think this backdrop contributed to the Bells' family dynamic?

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WEEK 2

1 Which of the sisters' partners did you like the most? The least?

2 Do you think Star should pay her sister back the money? Why or why not?

3 Do you think Nona was right to join Leslie the way she did, when going back to Smackover?

4 Do you agree with the way Stella blurted LEslie's news?

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

WEEK 3

1 Do you think Leslie should have reacted differently to Kenny?

2 If you could predict the way Maxine and Leslie will continue their relationship -- what would you say?

3 How would you characterize Mother Channing's response to Leslie?

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

WEEK 4

- 1** Why do you think that Star never got a dedicated chapter in the book?
- 2** Which character had the greatest transformation throughout the storyline?

3 Did any of the occurrences in the storyline make you think about your own family? In what ways?

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