

Darkness Falls Book Club Questions

1. What do you think of the 1st person narration?
2. The book begins with a scream and then a cut-off scream, how does this pull you into the story?
3. Is a gigantic earthquake on the Eastern Seaboard a terrifying thought?
4. Do you like Quinn?
5. Do you like Riley?
6. Why do you think the girls just hid in their aunt's trailer?
7. What do you think of Jim?
8. How do you think Riley's opinion of him is different?
9. Why do you think Quinn needs to run?
10. What do you think of the girls telling Benny about their parents as a way for them to face their reality?
11. Who is your favorite character and why?
12. Who is your least favorite character and why?
13. What would you do if you were a teenage girl with only your sister to depend on?
14. Would you want to investigate a murder in the trailer park?
15. Do you think Quinn could have helped the victim?
16. Why do you think Quinn trusts Jeff and Aidan so much more than Jim and Dan, who she at least knew before the catastrophe?
17. Does it make sense that the girls just want to go home and not to a military base?
18. What do you think of the stealing-the-dirt-bikes plan?
19. Would you rather sleep outside or in a ramshackle cabin?
20. Were you surprised by Riley's disappearance?
21. What do you think of Rose and her life with the cats?
22. Should Quinn and Aidan take Chris with them?
23. Do you think they could get in trouble for taking Chris with them in this situation?
24. Would you want to spend the night in the indoor arcade?
25. Was that night a welcome respite?

26. Did the sinkhole surprise you?
27. Was Chris's trip into the sinkhole Quinn's fault?
28. What did you think of Jasmine getting shot?
29. What did you think of the two creepy guys, Hunter and Dylan?
30. Are the kids looting or simply surviving?
31. How do you feel about losing Wes?
32. What do you think of the military response once the group makes it to Langley Air Force Base?
33. How would you feel about the military response?
34. Did you expect Quinn to find Riley?
35. What do you think about the Yellowstone volcano mentioned near the end?
36. Did you like the book?