1. Melody has struggled to settle down or commit to a direction for her life, always wondering if something better might be just around the corner. Are you more inclined to put down roots or keep your options open? How has that affected your life?

2. If you came into an inheritance or sudden financial windfall, with the stipulation that you use it to pursue a cherished dream, what would you do?

3. Melody finds comfort by revisiting some of her grandmother’s favorite desserts and handed-down recipes. Are there specific recipes that tie you to loved ones or cherished memories?

4. As Rachel and Melody begin to plan their bakery-café, the pieces fall into place without much effort, making Melody think it must be God’s doing. Have you experienced something similar? What did it teach you about God’s timing?

5. Justin attempts to control his attraction to Melody because he’s sure they can’t have a long-term relationship. On the surface, that seems very responsible and logical. How can our need for order and control affect our ability to see what God is doing in our lives?

6. How do Melody’s past mistakes color her approach to relationships? In what ways does her caution seem wise, and where does it hold her back?

7. Both Justin and Melody bear the consequences of shaky relationships with their parents and a lack of communication. How do both come to realize they might’ve misinterpreted past events? How does your relationship with your parents affect how you see the world and others?

8. Ana and Rachel fear Melody is making a bad choice in dating Justin, but they voice their worries in a way that comes across as harsh and judgmental. As Melody’s friends, did they have a responsibility to express their concerns? How should they have handled the situation?

9. Justin believes in God but feels he’s been let down—that the tragedies and difficult circumstances he and his loved ones have endured are proof God doesn’t care. Have you experienced similar doubts? What would you say to Justin in response?

10. Melody eventually comes to understand that what she saw as faith was closer to wishful thinking. How would you define faith? Is there a difference between trusting in God’s blessings and trusting in God Himself?