



THE CHARRED BLADE BY SUSAN MANSBRIDGE

Book Club Discussion Questions

Thank-you for taking the time to read my novel. I am honoured that you would choose to discuss my work. I hope the following questions help you in your deliberations.

1. Which recurring themes did you notice throughout the book? How did they manifest in the story?
2. How does this book relate to our world and the problems and situations faced by many people?
3. What feelings or emotions does the book evoke for you?
4. This book is the first in a series based on Norse mythology. How much do you know about the mythology already? Does the book make you want to find out more?
5. What did you like about *The Charred Blade*?
6. What *didn't* you like?
7. Do you have a favourite quote from the book to share?
8. What do you make of Dee and Killian's relationship?
9. How did Finn's character change throughout the story?
10. If you were a character in this book, who would you be?
11. Did you have any lingering questions after finishing the book?
12. What is one question you would like to ask the author?

(Feel free to forward them on to smwritersworld@outlook.com and I will do my best to answer them for you!)

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