

Home Discussion Questions

1. What was your experience reading this book? Were you immediately engaged or did it take a while for you to get into it?
2. What was your initial reaction to Ivan? Did you like him? Dislike him? Did your impression of Ivan change as you read the book? Do you think he grew or matured?
3. Have you ever had to care for an ailing relative? If so, did you find Ivan's experience true to real life?
4. Did you learn anything new or change your view on any particular subject because of this book?
5. Who was your favorite character? Least favorite character?
6. Did anything about this book surprise you?
7. Was the ending satisfying?
8. What do you think was the overall theme of the book?
9. Did you enjoy the book? Would you read others by this author?
10. If there was a sequel to this book, would you read it?