



JO ALLEN ASH'S READER GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS FOR

*THE SHADOWS WE MAKE*

Did you find the world created by the author fascinating enough?

Was the author's pacing in the book—beginning, middle and end—done well enough to keep you engaged?

Would another character in the story have made an interesting main protagonist?

Which secondary character would you like to know more about?

Are the characters' motives relatable?

Did you enjoy the different narrators in this book? Did they keep in character?

At any point, did you disagree with the protagonist's actions or decisions? If you were in their 'shoes,' what would you have done differently?

Who was your favorite character? With which character did you identify most?

How much did you know about this book before picking it to read? What surprised you most in the book once read?

Did you find any parts of this book disturbing or distressing? If so, why?

What parts moved you?

How thought-provoking was the book for you?

Did you have a favorite scene or quote? If so, please share and explain why.

What do you feel was the central theme of this book?

How would you adapt this book/series into a movie? Who would you cast in the various roles?

If you were to write fanfic about this book, what kind of story would you want to tell?

How likely are you to recommend this book/series to someone?