

DISCORD BOOK CLUB

Group Bio

This book club was started on the Discord chat platform in January 2018 as a way to connect people all over the world instead of just in a local area, and it's been a wonderful success ever since. By building a community online, we get to discuss our favorite books with people all over the world, day and night, and have featured some amazing books by authors of all sizes and followings along the way.

Because we're online, discussions are ongoing and at everyone's personal convenience. There are no weekly meetings to attend, no fixed number of chapters to read by a certain day of the month – everyone just reads at their own pace and we have organized discussions so nobody gets spoiled on something farther along than they've reached. We feature multiple books a month so people can choose what fits their interest, and if nothing seems exciting then they can just wait for next month's features to be announced.

One of the greatest parts of the group has been the published authors who have joined. They do so not just to promote their own works (though they do that as well, and have seen increases in reader interest and sales as a result), but because they know they are among people just like them – literature enthusiasts. Authors in the book club get to interact directly with readers and find out what they thought of their books, answer questions, and I've seen quite a few ARCs excitedly passed around the most enthusiastic followers.

The group is so much more than just a monthly book club though, it's a place for book discussions of all types, all the time. Not interested in the books featured for the month? You don't have to miss out on conversation, you can just use the other areas of the Discord group to chat about what you are reading, or what you're excited to read next. For those familiar with Discord, you'll find us to be a bit of a wildcard in terms of how we're setup, and for those new to Discord you'll wonder how anyone else could do it better. We have moderators online at all times to keep discussion on topic and the online trolls away, so there's a great feeling of peace and friendliness in the group where nobody has to worry about someone ruining their day.

When it comes down to it, do you like books? Do you want to meet people who love the same books you do and enjoy discussing all the wonderful little details that made it so special to you? Then the Discord Book Club is the perfect place to come and relax.

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