

A River in the Sky by Elizabeth Peters Book Club

1. What do you think of the 1st person narration interspersed with the 3rd person?
2. This is the 19th book in the series, it is accessible to a new reader?
3. Do you like Amelia Peabody?
4. Who is your favorite character?
5. Who is your least favorite character?
6. What do you think of the world building in this historical mystery?
7. Are the maps and the foreword helpful?
8. The book begins in England, does that help pull you into the story?
9. How would the actual archaeological search for the Ark of the Covenant affect this story?
10. Do you think archaeologist would make good spies, why or why not?
11. What do you think of Panagolous's amnesia?
12. Should Ramses feel guilty for failing to save Macomber?
13. What do you think of Ramses capture and inability to escape?
14. What do you think of the relationship between Emerson and Peabody?
15. Does the idea of Ramses and Nefret seem appropriate?
16. What do you think the central mystery of the story is or is there more than one?
17. Do you think Peabody or Emerson would make a better spy?
18. Would you want to be part of this expedition?
19. How does Amelia's dream of Abdullah add to the story?
20. What do you think of Emerson's lack of belief while in the holiest city for Jews and Christians and the 3rd holiest for Muslims?