

Illusive by Emily Lloyd-Jones Book Club

1. What do you think of the 3rd person narration with alternating voices?
2. Does the beginning of the book with the police at the hotel room door give an accurate foreshadowing on the book? Why or why not?
3. Ciere is a criminal. How does that shape your sympathy for her?
4. What do you think of the world creation and the backstory of the plague and rushed vaccine?
5. This book was originally published in 2014, does it seem dated or timely?
6. Do you think the government would make everyone carry identification papers at all times with their status?
7. Is the government rounding up all of the people with powers and forcing them to work for the government believable, why or why not?
8. Why do you think superhero like powers are considered an adverse effect?
9. Would you want a power and if so which one and why?
10. Why do you think so many people with powers become criminals or are they?
11. Who is your favorite character and why?
12. Who is your least favorite character and why?
13. Do you think anyone in this book sees themselves as the villain? Why or why not?
14. Why do you think the relationships are so complex in the book?
15. What do you think of the heist to steal the will?
16. Should Ciere have told Kit about the threat from the Syndicate?
17. Did you notice they mentioned Harrisburg on page 204?
18. Were you surprised when they found Alan in the safe room?
19. What do you think would have happened if they didn't find him?
20. Do you believe that 11 year old Ciere caused her mother's death?
21. Was Carson, the FBI agent's, death self-defense? Why or why not?
22. Who do you think should control the formula for the vaccine and why?
23. What are the parallels between the vaccine and Pandora?
24. Does Aristeus remind you of anyone and why?
25. Why do you think Ciere offers to work for the Syndicate?
26. Should Ciere send Devon home?
27. Did you think Alan really died and how did it make you feel?
28. Why do you think it ends with Daniel rather than Ciera?
29. Did you like the ending?
30. Did you like the book?
31. Do you want to read the second book in the series?