You Can Call Me Clover: A Dog Rescue Story by Darcy Kate

Book Club Discussion Guide

Themes & Character Development

- 1. Despite difficult beginnings, both Clover and Logan find hope. What are some key turning points in the story that highlight this theme?
- 2. How does Clover's presence impact different characters' emotional journeys?
- 3. What does Logan learn about giving others, and himself, another chance?
- 4. How does Clover's journey reflect the theme of second chances?

The Human-Animal Bond

- 1. Logan and Clover both struggle with finding where they belong. How does their bond help them grow and discover their sense of belonging?
- 2. What moments in the story best capture the deep connection between humans and dogs?
- 3. How do dogs communicate their emotions? How does that strengthen their bond with humans?
- 4. Have you had a pet that helped you through a difficult time?

Storytelling & Perspective

- 5. The book is told from both Clover's and Logan's perspectives. How does this dual narration enhance the story?
- 6. How does Clover's voice as a rescue dog shape the reader's understanding of her experience?
- 7. Would the book feel different if it were told from only one character's perspective?
- 8. If you could add another character's perspective to the story, whose would it be and why?

Animal Rescue & Advocacy

- 9. How does the story encourage readers to think about dog rescue, fostering, and adoption?
- 10. What are some misconceptions about rescue dogs that the book challenges?
- 11. How can storytelling be used to inspire real-world change for rescue animals?
- 12. What are some ways readers can take action after reading this book?