Book Club Questions

The Stars in the Sky by Leslie McAdam

- 1. A major theme of The Stars in the Sky is looking beyond political labels into the underlying values of a person. How do Will and Marie learn to do this? Is this a contemporary issue?
- 2. How are the kids that visit the camp a symbol of each stage of Will and Marie's relationship?
- 3. What does the title mean?
- 4. Do you think the earthquake in the book is a literal one? Or figurative?
- 5. How is each sexual act foreshadowed in the book?
- 6. Do Will and Marie fit into each other's worlds? Why or why not? In what ways is Will more of a "hippie" than Marie?
- 7. Do Will and Marie overreact to each other? Why or why not?
- 8. What do you think of men who dance?
- 9. Did the bonus chapter (with the threesome) bother you? Why?
- 10. Are you hopeful for the future of politics?