

Rebecca's Choice

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Book Group Discussion Questions

- 1. How does John handle his fears? For those who have read the first two books in The Adams County Trilogy, describe how John's attitudes have changed since his accident.
- 2. Why do you think Rachel's brother's opinions about the inheritance had no effect on her?
- 3. Do you think the exuberance with which Ruth wrote the article for *The Budget* is typical of the average person writing about a personal cause?
- 4. What reasons did Manny Troyer give for never marrying? Do you think those reasons were genuine? Justifiable?
- 5. Did Isaac, as John's father, do everything he should have to protect John and Rebecca from the accusation—that Rebecca is marrying John for money—noted in the card John received?
- 6. What do you think drove Rachel to such extremes in her quest for the inheritance?
- 7. Do you think Manny Troyer should have contacted Emma during their latter years?
- 8. Was John being loyal to Rebecca when he threatened to leave his faith and join the Mennonites?

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- 9. Do you think Rebecca's wedding day was all she had hoped for?
- 10. Did Rachel change her ways in the end?