

Online Book Club

The Mystery at the Roman Colosseum

TALK ABOUT IT!

1. Have you ever traveled to a foreign country? Which one(s)? What was it like?
2. Why do you think people in different countries eat different kinds of food? Do you think it might have something to do with the climate and the type of food they can grow?
3. Have you ever sent a postcard? Who did you send it to? Why do you think people like to send postcards when they visit a new place?
4. What did you think about the men in the trench coats when you first started reading about them? Did you think Christina was being overly dramatic or did you think they were dangerous? If so, why?
5. Italy has so many beautiful buildings, fountains, and interesting statues. Why do you think people build things like that in their cities?
6. Even though Grant and Christina and Luigi and Francesca were from different countries, they became fast friends. What things do kids all over the world have in common?
7. Would you like to ride in gondolas around Venice? What would be good things and bad things about living in a city with streets of water?
8. Were you surprised when Luigi stole the scooter, and said all would be forgiven because it was Fat Tuesday? What would be the consequences of stealing something like that in your town?
9. Why do you think people like to wear masks and disguises?
10. Talk about some of the jobs people do on a movie set. What job would you like to have?

