

Kiss Of The Raven Witch Book Discussion Guide

Welcome to the discussion guide for *Kiss of the Raven Witch*. This paranormal fantasy romance follows Breezy and Cruz as they navigate danger, hidden identities, and a powerful bond while facing betrayal, captivity, and supernatural trials. Whether your group loves the steamy romance, the high-stakes action, or the themes of loyalty and self-acceptance, these questions are designed to spark lively, meaningful conversations. Feel free to laugh, disagree, or share personal connections. The goal is connection, not perfection.

How to Use This Guide

- Read one section together or assign it ahead of time so everyone comes prepared.
- Start with the orienting summary to set the scene, then move to the questions.
- Encourage everyone to speak; no one needs to be an expert on shifters or magic.
- Use the optional activity if the group wants something hands-on or playful.
- Adapt freely. Skip questions that don't land and add your own follow-ups.
- Keep the tone kind and respectful, especially around themes of love, trust, and sacrifice.

Chapters 1–3: The Party and the Crash

Breezy and Cruz's complicated feelings surface at a party before a dangerous flight leaves Cruz missing and Breezy determined to act.

1. What did you notice about how Breezy and Cruz communicate (or don't) early on?
2. How do the descriptions of emotions through scents shape the way you see their relationship?
3. What do you think motivates Breezy to chase after Cruz despite the risks?
4. How does the plane crash scene change the stakes for these characters?
5. Which moment in these chapters made you feel most hopeful or frustrated for the couple?
6. In what ways does Breezy's ability to sense emotions give her an advantage? Or is it a burden?

Optional Activity

Quick vote: Which scene from these chapters would you most want to see expanded into its own short story?

Chapters 4–7: Captivity, Rescue Plans, and Old Coven Ties

Cruz endures fighting pits while Breezy risks everything by returning to her past for help.

1. How does Cruz's time in captivity reveal different sides of his character?
2. What do you make of Breezy's decision to break Kyle's rules? Was it brave or reckless?
3. How does the revelation about Breezy's hybrid nature affect the way you view her choices?
4. Which supporting character in these chapters surprised you most, and why?
5. How do themes of loyalty and betrayal show up in Breezy's relationship with her old coven?
6. What would you have done in Breezy's place when facing the wayseer's price?
7. How did you feel about Iscendra's betrayal when it was revealed? Did it change how you saw their past friendship?
8. What stood out to you about Breezy's time as a captive in Eryndor's castle?

9. How does the dynamic between Breezy and Eryndor in the dining hall reveal his character?
10. In what ways does Breezy's captivity test her resilience and values?

Optional Activity

Pair up and improvise a short conversation between Breezy and Iscendra if they had met as teenagers again.

Chapters 8–12: Entering Vhel'Zarin and the First Tests

Breezy and Cruz reach a realm of indulgence where their bond is tested through games and separation.

1. How does the atmosphere of Vhel'Zarin contrast with the danger they left behind?
2. What do the trials reveal about how Breezy' and Cruz's trust (or struggle to trust) each other?
3. Which test felt most emotionally revealing to you, and why?
4. How do the demons and magical elements in this realm highlight the couple's growing connection?
5. What role does temptation play in these chapters, and how do the characters resist it?
6. Did any part of the "great game" feel like a metaphor for real relationship challenges?

Optional Activity

Create a quick "would you rather" round: Would you rather face the mirror of truth or the marsh of fears?

Chapters 13–18: Deepening Bonds and Painful Separations

Cruz and Breezy grow closer physically and emotionally, but fear and manipulation pull them apart.

1. How does Cruz's confession about his past change the way you see his actions toward Breezy?
2. What stands out about the way the story handles consent and emotional honesty in their intimate moments?
3. How do the visions in the mirror test their alliance in ways that feel realistic?
4. Which scene best shows Breezy's strength and Cruz's vulnerability?
5. How does the scent of rose water function as a symbol?
6. What would you have said to Cruz when he tried to exile Breezy?

Optional Activity

Write a one-sentence alternate ending to the scene where Cruz makes his painful choice.

Chapters 19–24: The Flame Quest and Mating

Breezy and Cruz face the dae'rflame while finally claiming their bond.

1. How does the river of fire scene test their teamwork?
2. What does taming the flame represent for Breezy beyond physical survival?
3. How does the mating scene balance tenderness with intensity?
4. In what ways does Cruz's fear of losing Breezy drive the story forward?
5. Which line or moment felt most romantic to you in these chapters?

6. How do the characters' promises to each other reflect deeper values of commitment?

Optional Activity

Quick poll: If this were a movie, which scene would be the trailer highlight?

Chapters 25–30: Trials of Fire and Heart

Breezy confronts the flame while Cruz fights to stay by her side.

1. How does the gorgon scene raise the stakes in a creative way?
2. What do you think Breezy learns about herself through the dae'r flame?
3. How does the story balance action with emotional intimacy during the trials?
4. Which supporting character in Vhel'Zarin added the most to the tension or humor?
5. How do the couple's arguments and reconciliations feel authentic?
6. What role does sacrifice play in these chapters?

Optional Activity

Map the conflict: Draw a simple line showing the biggest turning point in these chapters.

Chapters 31–35: The Final Confrontation

Breezy and Cruz face Eryndor while allies arrive.

1. How does Breezy's new power change the power dynamic with Eryndor?
2. What did you think of the way the story resolves the warlock's threat?
3. How do the Nightshade team members' arrivals affect the ending?
4. Which moment of forgiveness or redemption stood out most?
5. How does the curse placed on Eryndor feel like a fitting consequence?
6. What surprised you about Iscendra's final actions?

Optional Activity

Steelman vs. pushback: Defend or challenge Breezy's decision to spare Eryndor.

Chapters 36–40: Healing, Mating, and New Beginnings

The couple returns home, heals, and celebrates their bond with chosen family.

1. How does the mating ceremony reflect both characters' growth?
2. What does the ending suggest about chosen family versus blood family?
3. How does Cruz's conversation with Journey provide closure?
4. Which side character's arc felt most satisfying?
5. What themes of identity and acceptance come together in the final chapters?
6. How does the story leave you feeling about love that survives fire and betrayal?

Optional Activity

Cast the movie: Who would you pick to play Breezy and Cruz?

Whole-Book Discussion Questions

1. What is the central message about love and identity in this story?
2. How do Breezy and Cruz each grow by the end, and what drives that change?
3. Which theme (loyalty, redemption, power, or belonging) resonated with you most?
4. How does the use of scents and magic deepen the romance?

5. What did you think of the balance between steamy scenes and high-stakes action?
6. Which supporting character added the most to the story, and why?
7. How does the book explore the idea of being “whole” versus “divided”?
8. What moments felt most emotionally powerful, and why?
9. How does the story handle forgiveness, both of others and of oneself?
10. If you could change one plot choice, what would it be and how would it affect the ending?
11. What does the book suggest about the cost of protecting the people we love?
12. How does the hybrid nature of Breezy reflect real-life struggles with identity?
13. Which scene would you most want to reread, and what makes it stand out?
14. How does the ending set up future stories in this world?
15. Who in your life would enjoy this book, and why?

Closing

Thank you for diving into *Kiss of the Raven Witch* together. Whether you left cheering for the happy ending, reflecting on the cost of love, or simply enjoying the ride, your time and thoughts matter. May your own bonds be strengthened by the courage and loyalty you’ve discussed today.