MOST GRACIOUS ADVOCATE
Book Club Questions

1. What did you think of the juxtaposition of the two main settings of the novel, i.e. Dunbaryn Castle in the Highlands versus Glasgow? Were you able to feel immersed in both settings?

2. How did Terrence's troubled relationship with his mother affect the way he deals with life and other relationships?

3. What were your thoughts about how Lady Flora's family turned out the way they did?

4. Did you have suspicions while reading the story about the identity of Lady Flora's murderer? Who and when did you first suspect them? What did you base those suspicions on?

5. Did you expect Anne and Terrence's relationship to take the path it did? How have the two characters changed throughout the course of their marriage and the first three novels?

6. What did you think about the role Terrence's birds of prey took in the novel? Why do you think he was drawn to raising birds of prey?

7. What is the significance of the book's title? How does it relate to the story?

8. What do you think are the main themes of the novel?

9. What role did greed play in the motivation that led to murder in the novel? Jealousy? Do you think greed and jealousy are interrelated? Or are they essentially the same thing?

10. Who was your favorite character? Why?

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