

### *His Last Hope Discussion Questions*

1. In the prologue, Victoria chooses to run away from her immediate problems rather than face them. Is there ever a time when it's okay to put off solving problems for another time?
2. At the end of chapter two, Aunt Ruby tells the patient with amnesia that God always listens to her. Is there someone you often ask to pray for you when you're facing difficulty? Do you believe that person has 'a direct line' to God? Why or why not?
3. Aunt Ruby suggests that the pregnant woman take the name 'Hope.' Can you think of any other suitable names she could have suggested?
4. Daniel set up hidden cameras in his office specifically so he could catch Hope snooping around. Is there ever a time that it's okay to record someone without their knowledge? Was there anything else Daniel could have done to determine Hope's honesty?
5. Jasmine loses her baby six months into the pregnancy. Do you know someone who has suffered pregnancy loss? How do you feel about God allowing someone to become pregnant if they are only going to end up losing the baby? What part of Jasmine's story could you use to encourage someone who has experienced profound loss?
6. Flashbacks reveal that Daniel also suffered a tremendous loss in his life. In what way(s) did his response then differ from Ryan's response to losing James Lucas? What inspired the differences in their responses?
7. God used Jasmine and Ryan's heartbreaking experience for His glory. Can you think of a time in your life (or that of someone you know) that God turned a bad situation around for good?
8. The stranger who eventually comes to claim Hope turns out to be her brother. How would things have been different if he had been her husband, fiancé or boyfriend, instead?
9. Maya/Hope tells Daniel that she was raped and that the police did nothing about it. Should she have pursued the issue? How would the outcome of the novel have been different if she had?
10. Maya/Hope reveals that she considered aborting her child when she found out she was pregnant. Is there ever a time when abortion is an acceptable option? Can a woman who has aborted a child ever find complete healing and restoration?
11. Daniel and Maya/Hope agree that amnesia was probably the Lord's way of protecting Maya's unborn child. Can you think of any other situation in which the Lord has used or might use difficult circumstances to protect His people?