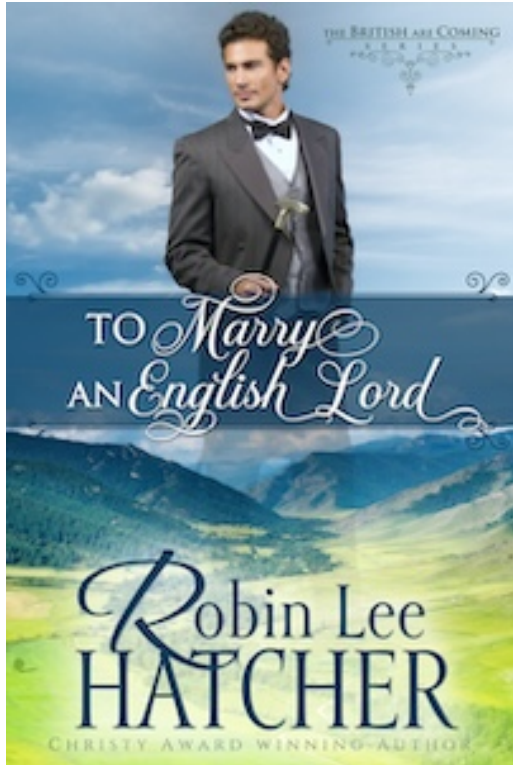




To Marry an English Lord:

1. Sebastian and Jocelyn come from two vastly different worlds. How did their English and American backgrounds affect their relationship, and how were these differences overcome?
2. Sebastian initially faces pressure from his father to follow a predetermined path. How did you respond to Sebastian's struggle between duty and personal happiness? Can you relate personally to this conflict?
3. Discuss the role of family expectations in the story. How do Sebastian and Jocelyn each deal with familial pressure, and what insights does this provide about their characters?
4. Eden's Gate Ranch provides a backdrop of natural beauty and challenges. How does the ranch setting reflect and influence the growth of Sebastian and Jocelyn's romance?
5. Jocelyn is portrayed as independent, resilient, and strong-willed. What qualities do you admire most in her character, and how do they redefine what strength means, especially within the historical context?
6. Sebastian and Roger's friendship is a strong subplot. How does this friendship support and influence Sebastian's choices throughout the novel?
7. Mrs. Adler initially disapproves of Sebastian and his party's arrival. How did her character evolve, and what does her transformation symbolize about overcoming prejudice or initial judgments?
8. Sebastian ultimately chooses love over social duty. Do you believe love often requires sacrifice, and how do Sebastian and Jocelyn each demonstrate sacrifice for the sake of their relationship?
9. William's serious accident sets many events in motion. How did William's accident—and the emotions surrounding it—help catalyze Jocelyn and Sebastian's romance?
10. What was the most inspirational or meaningful aspect of Jocelyn and Sebastian's story for you? Did their journey encourage you to think differently about the challenges of blending cultures and traditions in relationships?