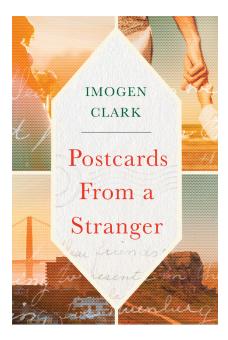
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Book Club Questions

- Do you think Michael was right to keep secrets from Cara?
- In what circumstances would a mother leave her children behind?
- Were you surprised by Cara's response to her mother when she finally meets her?
- Ursula and Annie both respond differently to their father's bullying. Which approach is more successful?
- Cara struggles to remember the past. Do you think she would have been more open to her mother's return if she could remember more of life before her mother left?
- To what extent is Mrs P a substitute mother? Do you think Cara sees her as such?
- Malcolm, Joe and Greg are all controlling men. Pam, Annie and Beth all respond differently. To what extent do you think a man's ability to control a woman is governed by her response to him?

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