



# BOOK CLUB GUIDE

- 1** The title of the book is *Take a Chance on Me*. What are some of the chances the characters took?

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- 2** How do you think Justin should have made his intentions clear to Vaughn?

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- 3** Justin and Vaughn are both faced with offers they think they shouldn't accept. If you were in one of their positions, what would you have done differently?

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- 4** Family plays a big role in this story. How do you think the families Justin and Vaughn grew up with, and the families they formed as adults influenced them?

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- 5** What famous musicians do you see/associate with Justin? What about Chris?

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- 6** The reality show keeps Justin and Vaughn apart for a good portion of the book. Do you think this is the real reason they stay away from each other?

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- 7** If you were on *Love Shack*, what kind of alcoholic beverage would you make for whom?

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- 8** After filming has begun, we learn that the producers of *Love Shack* used some questionable means to get people on their show. How do you think Justin and Chris should have handled it when they learned the truth?

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- 9** Why do you think Justin and Vaughn didn't seek each other out as they each came to terms with their feelings and their mistakes?

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- 10** Some of Vaughn's most trying moments happen when she is tending bar. Why do you think that is? Did you see symbolism in the bar(s)?

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- 11** Losing her grandfather and inheriting his bar drove a wedge between Vaughn and her mother. Eventually, the bar and a gift from her grandfather brought them back together. Do you think Vaughn and Maeve could've worked out their issues without that catalyst?

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- 12** Justin is a musician. As you were reading, did the story remind you of any songs? What were they? What songs would you put on a soundtrack for this book?

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