

# Women's Retreat 2021 – Book Club

## Becoming Elisabeth Elliott by Ellen Vaughn

1. Have you ever met Elisabeth Elliott? How many of her books have you read?
2. What new things about Elisabeth Elliott did you learn as you read this book?
3. Were there any aspects of this story that frustrated, angered, saddened you?
4. In what ways were you inspired as you read this book?
5. Copy at most 2 passages or quotes you underlined/highlighted/would like to remember (or at least write down the page # so you can go back and find them) to share with our group.
6. Several of EE's books were quoted throughout this biography. Some of them are listed below. How many of them have you read? Are any of them now on your list of books you would like to read?

*Through Gates of Splendor* (1957, 2005)

*Shadow of the Almighty* (1958)

*The Savage, My Kinsman* (1961)

*These Strange Ashes: Is God Still in Charge?* (1975, 1998)

*The Journals of Jim Elliott* (1978)

*A Chance to Die: Life & Legacy of Amy Carmichael* (1987)

*God in the Rainforest* by Katherine Long (2019)

7. From the forward, "What you'll read here shows clearly Elisabeth's ordinariness." After having read this book, what aspects of EE's life do you see showing her "ordinariness"?
8. From the forward, "... and what she embraced, through Christ, to become extraordinary" After having read this book, what are some of the principals, truths, practices EE embraced which made her extraordinary?