

Plus, tools and ideas for your study group



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Insight into a man's perspective of a move



Bill and Susan Miller

From Susan Miller's latest blog:

As some of you may know, I was married for 45 years before Bill's death. We weathered 14 moves, along with major life transitions, and huge personal changes that come with uprooting and relocating a marriage, children, home, lifestyle, and relationships.

In 2008, I asked Bill to share a man's perspective of moving for a Valentine's Day message. I asked Bill to share what he went through in our marriage during our hard and difficult years of moving. My hope was that women would gain greater insight and perspective into men's often hidden feelings and emotions about moving, and learn how to encourage and love their husband.

What Bill shared is timeless for marriages that are on the move, and even a gentle reminder for all women to love and understand your man.

I thought this was a good time to share it again. This is my Valentine's gift to you... [Continue reading...](#)

Refer newcomers to an online study



Paulette, have you decided not to offer an *After the Boxes Are Unpacked* study during the pandemic? We honor and respect your decision.

In the mean time, women are still moving to your community and may inquire at your church about the study.

Please let them know that they can join an **ONLINE study group.**

You know all too well that the first weeks and months following a move can be the hardest and loneliest. An uprooted woman will feel relief to know that she doesn't have to wait until the pandemic ends to go through the study with other uprooted women.

"The Lord knew years ago this pandemic would come and that online technology would have to be used. This study works just as well with this option of delivery as it does with an in-person session. (Of course, we all miss hugs and having snacks! :) The study materials work seamlessly with an in-person group or with an online group. Every time we met, we came across a particular point that was relevant and specific to these ladies. They could tell the Holy Spirit was in our midst." - Sandra Gilmore, online study leader

When a newcomer contacts you or your church, please direct her to JustMoved.org or give her this link: justmoved.org/online-study-groups

Are you thinking about leading an online study group, Paulette? We understand your hesitations and are here to answer your questions. We know it's not for everyone.



When you're waiting for everyone to join the online or in-person meeting, here are a few questions you can ask to get to know each other, put everyone at ease and get conversations going.

- What do you look forward to the most when the pandemic is over?
 - What's your favorite comfort food?
 - What will you not take for granted when we get back to regular life?
 - I hope I never forget _____.
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Invite Susan to meet your study group!



Would you and your study group members like to meet Susan Miller, ask her questions, hear hints of her Southern drawl, and get to know her?

Great!

Susan is eager to meet you and those in your study group! Schedule a time for her to join your group through Facetime, Skype, or Zoom.

Choose a couple of times that would work for your group (perhaps during your regular meeting time) and contact Paulette at PauletteMiller@JustMoved.org or call [480-991-5268](tel:480-991-5268).

Facetime (iPhones), Skype (any device), and Zoom (computer or phone) are easy ways to enjoy direct, real-time encouragement from Susan.



Please register your study with us

Paulette, to provide the most accurate information to every newcomer who contacts us and to ensure that you receive all of the resources available to you, it's important that you register your *After the Boxes* study with us! Your study will be promoted on our Just Moved Facebook page! Whether your study is being offered online or in-person, go now to [register online](#) or call JoAnn or Paulette at [480.991.5268](tel:480.991.5268).

February *After the Boxes* Study Group Spotlight



Online Study Group

**Group Facilitator:
Vicky Lynch**

Vicky leads an online AND in-person study group from her home in Texas!

Women from Texas, North Carolina, Maine, Florida, Ohio, and California are going through the *After the Boxes are Unpacked* study together online.

The in-person Texas study group included in the photo above are wearing their "Bloom Where You are Planted" T-shirts! You go girls!!

Susan Miller joined them briefly to meet them and hear their stories.

Email [Paulette](#) or [JoAnn](#) your fun photo of your newcomers to be submitted for a future [Group Spotlight](#). [Click here](#) for instructions of how to take a screen shot of your online group.

Cheering you on,
Paulette & JoAnn

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