

Stitch & Story – April 2026



The Joy Luck Club (Part 1)

Listening Guide

The Mothers & Daughters

- Suyuan Woo → Jing-mei “June” Woo
- An-mei Hsu → Rose Hsu Jordan
- Lindo Jong → Waverly Jong
- Ying-ying St. Clair → Lena St. Clair

How the Story is Structured

The Joy Luck Club is told through multiple voices. Each chapter shifts perspective between mothers and daughters, moving between past and present.

The original book is divided into four parts, though the abridged audiobook does not follow this structure exactly.

Listening While Making

You do not need to follow every detail closely. If you lose track of who is speaking, you can return to the rhythm of your stitching and listen for what stands out. Understanding often builds slowly over time.