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## **Hospice Resource Library** **Listed according to Topics**

### **General**

- A Time to Mourn, A Time to Dance* by Margaret Metzgar
- Choices: Making Right Decisions in a Complex World* by Lewis B. Smedes
- Colors of Hope ... A Gift of Encouragement* by Kimberly Rinehart
- Counting Our Losses: Reflecting on Change, Loss, and Transition in Everyday Life*  
edited by Darcy L. Harris
- Don't Take My Grief Away from Me* by Doug Manning
- Everyday Comfort: Readings for the First Month of Grief* by Randy Becton
- Good Grief* by Granger Westberg
- Grief: What It Is and What You Can Do* by Joy and Marv Johnson
- Honoring the Memory: When Death Happens* by Jim Boulden
- Hope for the Bereaved: Understanding, Coping and Growing Through Grief* by Therese S. Schoeneck
- How to Go on Living When Someone You Love Dies* by Therese A. Rondo
- Journeying Through Grief: A Time to Grieve, **book 1*** by Kenneth C. Haugk
- Journeying Through Grief: Experiencing Grief, **book 2*** by Kenneth C. Haugk
- Journeying Through Grief: Finding Hope and Healing, **book 3*** by Kenneth C. Haugk
- Journeying Through Grief: Rebuilding and Remembering, **book 4*** by Kenneth C. Haugk
- Life Beyond Loss* by Kenneth J. Doka
- Living In the Shadow of the Ghosts of Grief: Step into the Light* by Alan D. Wolfelt, Ph.D. (Reconcile old losses and open the door to infinite joy and love)
- Living With Grief After Sudden Loss: Suicide, Homicide, Accident, Heart Attack, and Stroke* by Kenneth J. Doka, Ph.D.
- Living with Grief, Diversity and End-of-Life Care*, by Hospice Foundation of America, edited by Kenneth J. Doka and Amy S. Tucci
- Living with Grief: Before and After the Death* by Kenneth J. Doka
- My Friend, I Care: The Grief Experience* by Barbara Karnes
- Tear Soup: A Recipe for Healing after Loss* by Pat Schwiebert and Chuck DeKlyen
- The Grief Recovery Handbook: A Step-by-Step Program for Moving Beyond Loss* by John W. James and Frank Cherry
- The Needs of the Dying: A Guide for Bringing Hope, Comfort, and Love to Life's Final Chapter* by David Kessler
- The Year of Magical Thinking* by Joan Didion
- Traveling Through Grief, Learning to Live Again* by Susan J. Zonnebelt-Smeenge, R.N., Ed.D. and Robert C. DeVries, D.Min., Ph.D.

### **General (continued)**

*Understanding Your Grief: Ten Essential Touchstones for Finding Hope and Healing Your Heart*  
by Dr. Alan Wolfelt – goes along with *Understanding Your Grief Journal*

*What Dying People Want: Practical Wisdom for the End of Life* by David Kuhl, M.D.

*When Someone You Love Dies* by William L. Coleman

*Women in Mourning* by Jean Clayton

### **Death of a Child**

*Healing a Father's Grief* by William H. Schatz

*Lay up Your Treasures in Heaven: How a Family Faced the Tragic Deaths of Three of Their Children*  
by Eleanor Tyler Mead

*Remembering Lee: The End is the Beginning (A Mother's Journey Through Loss)*  
by Linda Leith Musser

*Song for Sarah: A young Mother's Journey through Grief and Beyond* by Paula D'Arcy

*Who Lives Happily Ever After? A Handbook for Families Whose Child has Died Violently*  
by Sharon Turnbull

### **Death of a Grandchild**

*Butterflies, Grandpa, and Me* by Bruce H. Conley

*For Bereaved Grandparents* by Margaret Gerner

*The Butterfly Bush* by Dawn Michelle Evarts

*The Memory Box* by Kirsten McLaughlin

### **Death of a Parent**

*Children's Grief: How to Help the Child whose Parent has Died* by Patricia Papenbrock and  
Robert Voss

*Finding Your Way after Your Parent Dies* by Rev. Richard Gilbert

*I Heard Your Daddy Died* by Mark Scrivani

*I Heard Your Mommy Died* by Mark Scrivani

*Motherless Daughters* by Hope Edelman

*Nobody's Child Anymore: Grieving, Caring, and Comforting When Parents Die* by Barbara Bartocci

*Refuge: An Unnatural History of Family and Place* by Terry Tempest Williams

### **Death of a Spouse**

*A Handbook for Widowers* by Ed Ames

*A Journey through Widowhood* by Romaine Presnell

*But I Never Thought He'd Die: Practical Help for Widows* by Miriam Baker Nye

*Finding Your Way After Your Spouse Dies* by Marta Felber

### Death of a Spouse (continued)

- Getting to the Other Side of Grief: Overcoming the Loss of a Spouse* by Susan J. Zonnebelt-Smeenge and Robert C. De Vries (two copies)
- Grieving: A Love Story* by Ruth Coughlin
- Instantly a Widow* by Ruth Sissom
- Living When a Loved One Has Died* by Earl Grollman
- Mending: The Pain and Healing of a Widow's First Year* by Dorothy Hsu
- The Tender Scar, Life After the Death of a Spouse* by Richard L. Mabry
- Widow to Widow: Thoughtful, Practical Ideas for Rebuilding Your Life – Challenges, Changes, Decision-Making & Relationships* by Genevieve Davis Ginsburg

### Explaining Death, Grief and Funerals to Children

- A Child's View of Grief: A Guide for Parents, Teachers, and Counselors* by Alan D. Wolfelt, Ph.D.
- A Complete Book about Death for Kids* by Earl Grollman and Joy Johnson
- A Volcano In My Tummy: Helping Children to Handle Anger* by Eliane Whitehouse and Warwick Pudney
- About Dying: An Open Family Book for Parents and Children Together* by Sara Bonnett Stein
- Answers to a Child's Questions About Death* by Peter Stillman
- Bereavement Guide I: The Last Goodbye I (with activity pages)* by Jim & Joan Boulden
- Blacky the Black Snake* by Julia Poirot Thoma
- Emma Says Goodbye: A Child's Guide in Bereavement* by Carolyn Nystrom
- Good Grief: Helping Groups of Children When a Friend Dies* by Sandra Sutherland Fox
- Guiding Children Through Grief* by Katherine Bell Russell
- Healing A Child's Grieving Heart* by Alan D. Woelfelt, PhD
- Help Is Here for Facing Fear!* by Molly Wigand
- Helping Your Child Work Through Grief: Parent's Handbook* by Channing Bete Company
- I Miss You: A First Look at Death* by Pat Thomas
- It's Okay to Cry* by H. Norman Wright
- Lean On Me Gently: Helping the Grieving Child 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition* by Doug Manning
- Mad Isn't Bad: A Child's Book about Anger* by Michaelene Mundy
- Memory Garden (Bereavement Healing Cards)* by Lisa-Marie Arneson, M.A. Marriage and Family Therapist, Registered Play Therapist Supervisor
- Sad Hug, Mad Hug, Happy Hug: A Children's Story about Death* from the Channing L. Bete Company
- Sad Isn't Bad: A Good-Grief Guidebook for Kids Dealing with Loss* by Michaelene Mundy
- Saying Goodbye (with activity pages) (Brv Grades 3-4)* by Jim & Joan Boulden
- Talking to Children About Death: How to Help Your Child cope With the Loss of a Loved One* by Guideline Publications
- Talking with Children about Loss* by Maria Trozzi

### **Explaining Death, Grief and Funerals to Children (continued)**

*Tell me, Papa* by Joy and Marv Johnson

*Thank You for Coming to Say Goodbye—Involving Children in Funeral Services* by Janice Roberts and Joy Johnson

*The Garden Angel: A Young Child Discovers a Grandparent's Love Grows Even After Death* by Jan Czech

*The Secret Places: Story of a Child's Adventure with Grief* by Dr. James A. Campbell

*Water Bugs and Dragonflies* by Doris Stickney (two copies)

*When Death Happens* by Jim & Joan Boulden

*When Death Happens: Parent Guide, How to Provide Positive Emotional Support for Your Child* by Jim & Joan Boulden

*When Grief Visits School 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition: Organizing a Successful Response* by Dr. John Dudley

*When Sickness Happens* by Jim & Joan Boulden

*When Your Grandparent Dies: A Child's Guide to Good Grief* by Victoria Ryan

*Where is Robert?* by Christine Dernerlanden and illustrated by Angie Griffith (book and memory box)

### **Faith Based**

*15 Minutes of Peace With God* by Emilie Barnes

*90 Minutes in Heaven: True Story of Life and Death* by Don Piper

*A Reason for Hope: Gaining Strength for your Fight Against Cancer* by Michael S. Barry

*A Tearful Celebration: Finding God in the Midst of Loss* by Dr. James Means

*Beauty from Ashes, Strength and Joy from Sorrow* by Elizabeth Gray Vining

*Breaking Free: Making Liberty in Christ a Reality in Life* by Beth Moore

*Chicken Soup for the Grieving Soul* by Jack Canfield and Mark Victor Hansen

*Divine Worship and Human Healing: Liturgical Theology at the Margins of Life and Death* by Bruce T. Morrill

*Facing Loneliness: The Starting Point of a New Journey* by J. Oswald Sanders

*For These Tough Times: Reaching Toward Heaven for Hope and Healing* by Max Lucado

*God's Promises and Answers for Your Life* by J. Countryman Editorial Staff

*Good Grief: A Faith-Based Guide to Understanding and Healing* by Granger E. Westberg

*Good News for Modern Man: The New Testament in Today's English Version (Large Print)*

*Healing After Loss, Daily Meditations for Working Through Grief* by Martha Whitmore Hickman

*Help Me I'm Depressed* by Joyce Meyer

*How I suffered from My Theology and Regained My Faith by Questioning Three Beliefs* by Jennifer Brost

*How to Handle Life's Hurts* by James A. Nelson

*How to Win Over Worry* by John Edmund Haggai

### **Faith Based (continued)**

*Light from Lucas: Lessons in Faith from a Fragile Life* by Bob Vander Plaats  
*Living With Purpose in a Worn Out Body* by Missy Buchanan  
*Mourning Song* by Joyce Landorf  
*My Grace is Sufficient (Devotional)* by Steven Laman  
*Night of Anguish, Morning of Hope* by Jean Mize  
*Peace with God* by Billy Graham  
*Psalms of Hope: God's Gift of Comfort, Peace, and Encouragement* by Honor Books  
*Restore My Soul: A Grief Companion* by Lorraine Peterson  
*The Freedom of Forgiveness: 70x7* by David Augsberger  
*The Last Thing We Talk About* by Joseph Bayly  
*The Purpose Driven Life* by Rick Warren  
*The Shelter of His Wings: from the Salesian Collection* compiled by Sara Tarascio  
*The Top 100 Questions: Biblical Answers to Popular Questions* by Richard Bewes  
*To Help You Through the Hurting: A Loving Guide to Faith, Hope, and Healing* by Marjorie Holmes  
*Waiting for Morning: Seeking God in Our Suffering* by James R. Kok  
*When Bad Things Happen To Good People* by Harold S. Kushner  
*When Heaven Is Silent: Live By Faith, Not by Sight: How God Ministers to Us Through the Challenges of Life* by Ronald Dunn  
*When Someone Asks for Help: A Practical Guide for Counseling* by Everett L. Worthington, Jr.  
*When You're Feeling Down: Living Through Low Times* by William C. Brownson  
*Where Is God When It Hurts* by Philip Yancey  
*Who Cares When I Hurt?: Help from the Bible for Those Who are Hurting* by Edwin D. Roels  
*Why?: Trusting God When You Don't Understand* by Anne Grahma Lotz

### **Guilt & Anger**

*A Guide to Understanding Guilt During Bereavement* by Robert Baugher  
*Understanding Anger During Bereavement* by Bob Baugher

### **Holidays & Special Days**

*A Ray of Hope Video: Facing the Holidays Following a Loss* by Paul Alexander  
*Getting Past Christmas: Holiday Help* by Carlene Eneroth  
*Grief and the Holidays: Experiencing the Holidays and Special Occasions Without A Loved One*  
by Ralph L. Klicker, Ph.D.  
*Grieving at Christmastime* by Dwight Daniels  
*Holiday Blues: A Self-Help Manual on Grief Through the Holidays* by Clarence Tucker  
*How Will I get through the Holidays? 12 Ideas for Those Whose Loved One Has Died* by James Miller

## Holidays & Special Days (continued)

*Not Just Another Day* by Missy Lowery Throckmorton

## Illness

*A Guide for Living When Death Happens* by Jim Boulden

*Care of the Dying* by Richard Lamerton

*Dying Well: Peace and Possibilities at the End of Life* by Ira Byock, M.D.

*Final Gifts: Understanding the Special Awareness, Needs, and Communications of the Dying*  
by Maggie Callanan and Patricia Kelley

*Gone from my Sight: The Dying Experience* by Barbara Karnes

*Journey's End: A Guide to Understanding the Dying Process* by Deborah Sigrist

*Living with Grief: Alzheimer's Disease* by Kenneth J. Doka

*The Four Things That Matter Most: A Book About Living* by Ira Byock, M.D.

*The One You Love is Dying: 12 Thoughts to Guide You on the Journey* by James Miller

*What Cancer Cannot Do: Stories of Hope and Encouragement* by a variety of authors

*When You Know You're Dying: 12 Thoughts to Guide You Through the Days Ahead* by James Miller

## Illness for Caregivers

*A Different Season: The Hospice Journey* by G. Leigh Wilkerson

*A Gentle Death: Personal Caregiving to the Terminally Ill* by Elizabeth S. Callari

*A Guide for Caregivers When Death Threatens* by Jim Boulden

*Caring for a Loved One Receiving Home Hospice Care: Caregiver's Handbook*  
by Channing Bete Company

*Caring for the Patient with Cancer at Home: A Guide for Patients and Families*  
by the American Cancer Society

*Comfort and Care for the Critically Ill* by June Cerza Kolf

*Homecare of the Hospice Patient* by Partners Against Pain

*Preparing the Children: Information and Ideas for Families Facing Terminal Illness and Death*  
by Kathy Nussbaum

*Taking Care of Business Before Death Happens* by Jim Boulden

*The 36 Hour Day: A Family Guide for Caring for Persons with Alzheimer's Disease, Related  
Dementing Illness, and Memory Loss in Later Life* by Nancy L. Mace, M.A. and Peter V. Rabins,  
M.D., M.P.H.

*The Caregivers Handbook* by Jim & Joan Boulden

*The End-of-Life Handbook: A Compassionate Guide to Connecting with and Caring for a Dying  
Loved One* by David B. Feldman, Ph.D. and S. Andrew Lasher, Jr., MD

*The Memory Keeper: Glimpses of a Lifetime* a guided journal by G. Leigh Wilkerson, RN

## Resources for Staff and Volunteers

- Caregiving and Loss: Family Needs, Professional Responses* by Kenneth J. Doka and Joyce D. Davidson
- Caring Enough to Confront: How to Understand and Express Your Deepest Feelings toward Others* by David Augsburger
- Counting Our Losses: Reflecting on Change, Loss, and Transition in Everyday Life* edited by Darcy L. Harris
- Creating Moments of Joy (for persons with Alzheimer's or Dementia)* by Jolene Brackey
- Crisis Counseling: What to Do and Say During the First 72 Hours. A Practical Guide for Pastors, Counselors, and Friends* by H. Norman Wright
- Helping People Through Grief: A Sensitive Guide to Help You Know How and When to Share Your Concern with People in Crisis and Pain* by Delores Kuenning
- Is There Anything I can Do to Help?: Suggestions for the Friends and Relatives of the Grieving Survivor* by Amy Hillyard Jensen
- Physicians Handbook of Symptom Relief in Terminal Care 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition* by Gary A. Johanson, M.D. in cooperation with Home Hospice of Sonoma County
- The Art of Helping* by Robert R. Carkhuff
- The Art of Listening in a Healing Way* by James E. Miller
- The Complete Book of Counseling The Dying and The Grieving: A Book of Practical Counseling Tools, Inspiring Patient Stories, and Edifying Quotations* by Douglas C. Smith, MA, MS, MDiv
- The Memory Keeper: Glimpses of a Lifetime* a guided journal by G. Leigh Wilkerson, RN
- The Wounded Healer: How to Heal Ourselves While We Are Healing Others* by Douglas C. Smith, MA, MD, MDiv
- Tuesdays with Morrie: an old man, a young man, and life's greatest lesson* by Mitch Albom
- What Can I Say?: How to Talk to People in Grief* by Roger F. Miller

## Sibling Grief

- Am I still a Sister?* by Alicia M. Sims
- Sibling Grief: How Parents Can Help the Child Whose Brother or Sister has Died* by Marcia G. Scherago
- Surviving the Death of a Sibling* by T. J. Wray

## Suicide Survivors

- Suicide Survivor's Handbook* by Trudy Carlson

## Teen/Adolescent Grief

- Facing Change: Falling Apart and Coming Together Again in the Teen Years* by Donna O'Toole
- Fire in My Heart, Ice in My Veins: A Journal for Teenagers Experiencing a Loss* by Enid Samuel-Traisman

### Teen/Adolescent Grief (continued)

*Loss: How Children and Teenagers can Cope with Death & Other Kinds of Loss*  
by Patricia Papenbrock and Robert Voss

*The Common Threads of Teenage Grief* by Janet Tyson

*The Grieving Teen: A Guide for Teenagers and Their Friends* by Helen Fitzgerald

*You Shouldn't Have to Say Goodbye* by Patricia Hermes

### Miscellaneous

*Families Facing Death: A Guide for Healthcare Professionals and Volunteers* by Elliott J. Rosen

*Grief Comes to Class: A Teacher's Guide* by Majel Gliko-Braden

*I Remember ... I Remember: A Keepsake Journal* by Enid Samuel-Traisman

*Life After Life/Reflections on Life After Life* by Raymond A. Moody, Jr., M.D.

*Quest: The Life of Elisabeth Kubler Ross* by Derek Gill

*Remember Rafferty: A Book about the Death of a Pet* by Joy Johnson

*The American View of Death: Acceptance or Denial?* By Richard G. Dumont and Dennis C. Foss

*The Power of Presence: Helping People Help People* by Doug Manning (Book and DVD)

*The Worst Days: A Journal of a Young Cancer Patient for Health Care Professionals*  
by Leonaye Bulger

*Will You Remember Uncle Sam In Your Will?: Estate Planning Strategies For Today* by Dave Nielsen

### CD's

*King James Version MP# Audio Bible, Old and New Testament on 3 CDs* by Braun Media, LLC

*Relax With Sailboat Journey, Enhanced With Music* by Eclipse Music Group, Inc.

*Relax With Soothing Waterfalls, Enhanced With Music* by Eclipse Music Group, Inc.

*Solace Song Circles* by William Madhava Miller

### Music Cassette

*Just Hold Me While I Cry* music by Matthew David Seligman

### Periodicals

*Grief Digest: Hope–Information–Support*

### Video & DVD's

*A Ray of Hope Video: Facing the Holidays Following a Loss* by Paul Alexander

*Chicken Soup For the Soul Live! Volume 4 Eclectic Wisdom: Coping with Death and Dying.* DVD

*Facing the End of Life.* DVD – A Lion in the House Program

*Handling the Holidays.* DVD by Grief Inc.

**Video & DVD's (continued)**

*Living with Grief: Children and Adolescents.* DVD – Hospice Foundation of America's 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Teleconference held April 16, 2008 (2 Hrs. 17 minutes).

*The Power of Presence: Helping People Help People* by Doug Manning (Book and DVD)