Book List for Grieving Children



Young Children:

The Goodbye Book by Todd Parr

Something Very Sad Happened by Bonnie Zucker

Always and Forever by Alan Duran

Water Bugs and Dragonflies by Doris Stickney

Giants by A. E. McIntyre

Sibling Loss:

Since My Brother Died by Marisol Munoz-Kiehne

Where's Jess? by Marvin Johnson

Father Loss:

Samantha Jane's Missing Smile by Julie Kaplow

Saying Goodbye to Daddy by Judith Vigna

Not the End by Chandler Baker

Grief is like a Snowflake by Julia Cook

Mother Loss:

Thinking of Mom by M.O. Lufkin

That's Me Loving You by Amy Krouse Rosenthal

Molly's Mom Died by Margaret M. Holmes

Grandparent Loss:

When Your Grandparent Dies by Victoria Ryan

Are You Sad Little Bear? by Rachel Rivette

Finding Grandpa Everywhere by John Hodge

Miscarriage/Infant Loss:

We Were Going to Have a Baby but We Had an Angel Instead by Pat Schwiebert







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Something Happened by Cathy Blanford

No New Baby by Marilyn Gryte

Ethan's Butterflies by Christine Jonas-Simpson

School Aged:

I Miss You by Pat Thomas

Always Remember by Cece Meng

Death Is Stupid by Anatasia Hingginbotham

When Dinosaurs Die by Laurie Krasney Brown

The Scar by Charlotte Moundlic

Badger's Parting Gifts by Susan Varley

The Fall of Freddie The Leaf by Leo Buscaglia

Sad isn't Bad by Michaelene Mundy

Connection/Memories:

The Invisible String by Patrice Karst

Chester Raccoon and the Acorn Full of Memories by Audrey Penn

The Heart and the Bottle by Oliver Jeffers

The Memory Box by Joanna Rowland

Teens:

Grieving the Sibling You Lost by Erica Goldblott

Tear Soup by Pat Schwiebert

Fire in my Heart, Ice in my Veins by Enid Samuel Traisman

Grief Recovery for Teens by Coral Popowitz

Suicide:

Rafi's Red Racing Car by Louise Moir

Luna's Red Hat by Emmi Smid









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Someone I Love Died By Suicide Doreen Cammarata

Pets:

Saying Goodbye to Luna by Corrine Demas

Dog Heaven by Cynthia Rylant

When A Pet Dies by Fred Rogers

The Tenth Good Thing About Barney Judith Viorst

I Miss My Pet by Pat Thomas

Sammy In The Sky by Barbara Walsh

A Rainbow Bridge For Gus by Barbara Bareis Rigbar

Books about feelings:

The Way I Feel by Janan Cain

A Little Book About Feelings by Abbie Schiller

Today I Feel Silly by Jamie Lee Curtis

In My Heart by Jo Witek

Workbooks:

When Someone Has A Very Serious Illness by Marge Heegaard

When Someone Very Special Dies by Marge Heegaard

Draw It Out by Art with Heart

Help Me Say Goodbye by Janis Silverman





