

BOOKS FOR CHILDREN/TEENS ON GRIEF AFTER A SUICIDE

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>AUTHOR</u>	<u>READER/LISTENER AUDIENCE</u>
<u>A TERRIBLE THING HAPPENED</u> This story is for children who have witnessed any kind of violent or traumatic event, including suicide.	Margaret Holmes	(Grades k-3)
<u>AFTER A SUICIDE</u> <u>A WORKBOOK FOR GRIEVING KIDS*</u> Hands-on, interactive workbook allows children who are grieving a suicide to express their thoughts and feelings.	The Dougy Center	(Grades 1-8)
<u>AFTER SUICIDE: LIVING WITH THE QUESTIONS</u> An informative book which includes Teen Talk, Fast Facts, photographs and summaries.	Eileen Kuehn	(Grades 7-12)
<u>BART SPEAKS OUT</u> <u>BREAKING THE SILENCE ON SUICIDE*</u> Limited availability. An interactive book for children on how to deal with grief and loss after suicide.	Linda Goldman	(Grades k-3)
<u>THE BELL JAR</u> Tells the story of a gifted young woman's mental breakdown in the early 1950's and her completed suicide in 1963.	Sylvia Plath	(Grades 9-12)
<u>FACE AT THE EDGE OF THE WORLD*</u> Haunted by Charlie's suicide, Jed, sets out to retrace his best friend's last weeks and discovers why Charlie did it.	Eve Bunting	(Grades 6-8)
<u>FATHER FIGURE</u> A mother who has cancer commits suicide, and now 17-year old, Jim, and his younger brother deal with their grief and the return of their long-lost father.	Richard Peck	(Grades 8-12)
<u>HOW IT FEELS WHEN A PARENT DIES*</u> Eighteen children talk about their parents dying – two discuss feelings about a parental suicide.	Jill Krementz	(Grades 4-12)
<u>LIVING WHEN A YOUNG FRIEND COMMITS SUICIDE*</u> A guide for young people who are trying to come to terms with a friend's suicide. Setting straight the myths about suicide and addressing the feelings of shock, grief, anger and guilt, the authors offer practical advice.	Earl Grollman, Max Malikow	(Grades 8-12)
<u>MY UNCLE KEITH DIED</u> Cody has questions that his Mom answers about his uncle's death. Through their dialogue, the book describes symptoms of depression and helps young readers understand why a depressed person may not seek help.	Carol Ann Loehr	(Grades 4-8)
<u>SOMEONE I LOVE DIED BY SUICIDE: A STORY FOR CHILD SURVIVORS AND THOSE WHO CARE FOR THEM</u> This book is designed for adults to read to children following a suicide death. This book recognizes many symptoms of grief and ways to promote healthy coping following a death.	Doreen Cammarata	(Grades 4-8)

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