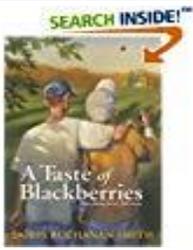


# Traumatic Death: Other

For Young Children (Ages 4-8)

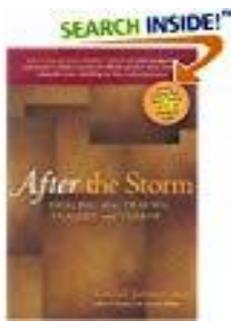


**A Taste of Blackberries**  
Doris Buchanan Smith  
(Ages 4-8), 96 pgs.

In Smith's moving story, a prank ends in tragedy, and a boy must learn to live not only with the loss of a friend, but with the feeling that he could have prevented it.

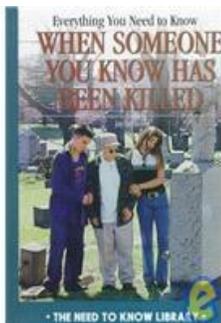
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For Teens (Ages 13-18+)



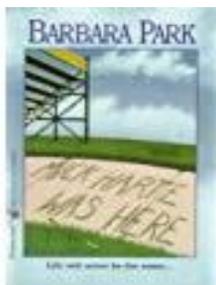
**After the Storm:  
Healing After Trauma,  
Tragedy, & Terror**  
Kendall Johnson  
(Teens/Adults), 256  
pgs.

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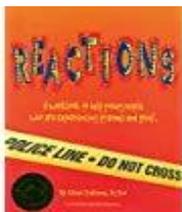
**Everything You Need  
to Know When  
Someone You Love Has  
Been Killed**  
Jay Schleifer  
(Teens), 64 pgs.

This Need to Know volume addresses a difficult topic with clarity and compassion. By briefly acknowledging cultural taboos about death and romanticized depictions of it in the visual media. Chapter 1 initiates straightforward communication that is not buoyed by histrionics or weighed down by data. Such an approach works effectively throughout, even for difficult issues like brutal gang-related murders. In the sections covering criminal deaths, the brief statistics are simultaneously frightening and engrossing.



**Mick Harte Was Here**  
Barbara Park  
(Ages 11-18), 89 pgs.

It was a bike accident. His tire just hit a rock. And he skidded into the back of a passing truck. And that was it. When her brother, Mick, is killed, Phoebe Harte's world is suddenly turned upside down. How could someone like Mick die? Mick was one of the neatest kids you'd ever want to meet. He was the kind of kid who freaked his mom out by putting a ceramic eye in a defrosted chicken. And who would ever forget the wild dance solo he performed in front of the whole school because "the music got in his pants."

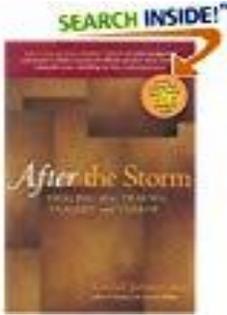
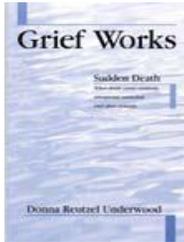
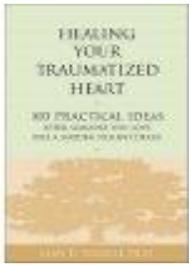
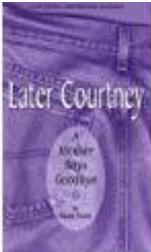
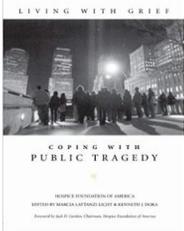


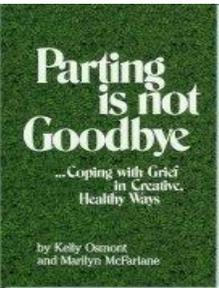
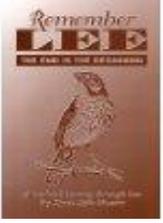
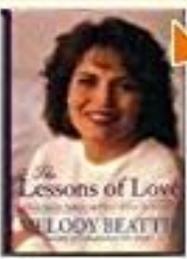
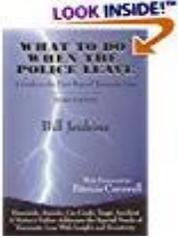
**Reactions**  
Allison Salloum  
(Teens), 40 pgs.

A workbook to help young people who are experiencing trauma and grief. Excellent workbook for children working through grief and loss after a violent crime to family member or self. May also be used for abuse.

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## For Adults (Ages 18+)

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	<p><b>Grief Works- Sudden Death</b> Donna Reutzell Underwood (Adults)</p>	<p>This book helps people cope with sudden/tragic death and allows the reader to work through the different stages of the grieving process.</p>
	<p><b>Healing Your Traumatized Heart: 100 Practical Ideas After Someone You Love Dies a Sudden Violent Death</b> Alan D. Wolfelt (Adults), 128 pgs.</p>	<p>Dealing with grief in a practical manner, this guide offers compassionate tips for those affected by a traumatic death. Included are topics such as coping with family stress, expressing feelings of hurt and anger, dealing with hurtful comments, and exploring feelings of guilt. Each of the 100 suggestions is aimed at reducing the confusion, anxiety, and huge personal void in order to help survivors begin their lives again.</p>
	<p><b>Later Courtney: A Mother Says Goodbye</b> Susan Evans (Adults)</p>	<p>A Mother's journal after the death of her daughter at the age of 22 in an automobile accident. By sharing her experiences other parents will find comfort and support while grieving the unexpected death of a child.</p>
	<p><b>Living with Grief: After Sudden Loss- Suicide, Homicide, Accident, Heart Attack, Stroke</b> Kenneth Doka (Adults), 262 pgs.</p>	<p>This volume examines the subject of abrupt, unexpected death and its effects and implications for the survivors left behind. Topics covered include: after heart attack and stroke, survivors of suicide, complicated grief in the military, and grief counseling for survivors of traumatic loss.</p>
	<p><b>Living with Grief: Coping with Public Tragedy</b> Hospice Foundation of America (Adults), 314 pgs.</p>	<p>Developed in conjunction with the Hospice Foundation of America's 10th annual tele-conference, Living with Grief: Coping with Public Tragedy examines our varied responses to public tragedy, techniques available to cope with these events, and the role of the hospice in public tragedies. The essays included look at factors that define a public tragedy and offer insight and advice to professionals as they help those coping with loss.</p>

	<p><b>Parting is Not Goodbye: Coping With Grief in Creative, Healthy Ways</b>  Kelly Osmont &amp; Marilyn McFarlane  (Adults), 100 pgs.</p>	<p>This book helps the reader cope with grief in creative, healthy ways. Explores the real life issues of dying and death in an open manner. The story of a mother's struggle after the death of her only child in a tragic accident gives encouragement and suggestions for grieving parents.</p>
	<p><b>Remember Lee</b>  Linda Leith Musser  (Adults)</p>	<p>Linda started to write after the death of her son, Lee, in an automobile accident. Walk with her as she faces friends, families and the reality of her grief.</p>
	<p><b>The Lessons of Love</b>  Melody Beattie  (Adults), 225 pgs.</p>	<p>Beattie (Codependent No More) chronicles her grief over the death of her son Shane in a skiing accident in 1991; for two years she found herself unable to work. But with the help of family, friends and her own inner resources, she was finally able to put her life back together. Then, however, she was faced with another test: her daughter Nichole's alcoholism. But this time, from her reserves of spiritual strength, Beattie met the problem head-on. Convincing her daughter to enter a treatment center, she was able to forge a closer relationship between them. Beattie's inspiring message should bring hope to those who think that they "just can't take it any more."</p>
	<p><b>What to Do When the Police Leave</b>  Bill Jenkins  (Adults)</p>	<p>This one of a kind resource is heart-to-heart practical advice from one who has been through the trenches of grief and loss, encouraging and helping others in their own paths. The victims' voice has never spoken so clearly. New to this edition are sections on crime scene cleanup, unsolved cases, grief in the workplace, a new chapter entitled "Long-Term Grief: Living The Marathon,"</p>