

PATHWAYS CENTER *for* GRIEF & LOSS

BIBLIOGRAPHY FOR SUPPORTING BEREAVED CHILDREN AND TEENS

Carrell, Susan. **Group Exercises for Adolescents: A Manual For Therapists.**

Although not specifically for grieving teens, this manual is a practical guide that provides excellent activities for working with teens -- highly readable and most are applicable for bereaved teens.

*Cassini, K. & Rogers, J. **Death and the Classroom.**

A practical guide for teachers and administrators for situations in which a teacher encounters death in the school setting and must face students' feelings, questions, and fears.

*Cook, Alicia & Dworkin, D. **Helping the Bereaved.**

Excellent foundational text on therapeutic interventions for children, adolescents and adults.

*Corr, C. & Balk, D. Ed. **Handbook of Adolescent Death & Bereavement.**

Comprehensive textbook for all who work with grieving teens.

*Cunningham, Linda. **Teenage Grief Activity Book.**

Excellent compilation of grief specific group activities for grieving teens.

Dodd, Robert. **Helping Children Cope With Death.**

Sensitive booklet provides guidelines for adults to help children cope with their feelings of death, grief, and loss.

*Dougy Center. **Instructor's Manual for Training Facilitators.**

Excellent, comprehensive materials and activities to train adults to work with bereaved children.

*Fogarty, James. **The Magical Thoughts of Grieving Children.**

Particularly helpful with children experiencing complicated mourning. Includes many interactive therapeutic techniques. Parental suggestions and summaries included with the close of each chapter.

Fry, Virginia L. **Part of Me Died, Too.**

Wonderfully sensitive book that can help professionals consider a variety of creative ways to work with children who experience loss. Case examples range from the common, uncomplicated loss of a pet through complex losses such as suicide and murder.

*Goldman, Linda. **Life & Loss: A Guide to Help Grieving Children.**

Excellent, comprehensive, and current teaching manual for everyone who works or lives with grieving children.

Goldman, Linda. **Raising Our Children to be Resilient.**

A timely and important book that addresses the emotional wellbeing of children growing up in a world filled with violence, fear, and loss. Provides sound, practical suggestions and strategies for adults to support children coping with trauma and grief that empowers resiliency.

*Grollman, Earl. **Talking About Death: A Dialogue Between Parent and Child.**
Includes an explanation of death with illustrations written for children and a detailed parents' guide to help initiate discussion of the meaning of death and answer questions that children may have for adults.

*Haasl, Beth & Marnocha, Jean. **Bereavement Support Group Program for Children.**
Leader Manual and Participant Workbook. Excellent variety of exercises to use in leading grief groups, a mainstay if you are working with grieving kids.

*Hospice of Lancaster County. **The Teacher's Guide to the Grieving Student.**
Short and concise booklet that addresses common reactions according to developmental stages and types of losses and suggested interventions.

Jewett, Claudia. **Helping Children Cope With Separation and Loss.**
Practical book for any adult who wants to help a child who has experienced the loss of a loved one, whether the loss is great or small. Good, clear, specific suggestions provided.

*Lehmann, Jimerson & Gaasch. **Mourning Child Grief Support Group Curriculum: Preschool, Early and Middle Childhood Editions.**
Written for professionals, these books provide 10 sessions that include age-appropriate fun and engaging activities to help children cope with their loss.

Schaefer, Dan & Lyons, Christine. **How Do We Tell The Children?**
A step-by-step guide for helping children ages two to teen cope when someone dies.

Silverman, Phyllis. **Never Too Young To Know.**
Drawing on a rich collection of life stories from parents and children, this book addresses many long-standing and erroneous beliefs about how children grieve, and how they heal.

*Webb, Nancy Boyd. **Helping Bereaved Children.**
Practical textbook filled with theory, illustrative cases, and clinically based approaches to helping children cope with loss.

Wolfelt, Alan. **Healing The Bereaved Child.**
This comprehensive guide to caring for the bereaved child includes an excellent section on teens.

(*Available in the PATHways Center for Grief & Loss Resource Library)