

LIBRARY COLLECTION



The Thérèse Brady Library was established in 2003 to support the Irish Hospice Foundation's information and education functions. It houses a collection of over 4,000 items on death, dying, and palliative and hospice care and has a specialist focus on bereavement resources.

While the library is primarily reserved for staff and students of the Irish Hospice Foundation, public access and a professional membership option are available.

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Striving for the best care
at end of life for all

Bereavement Resources

**The Grieving
Family**



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EACH FAMILY
GRIEVES IN ITS
OWN WAY, JUST
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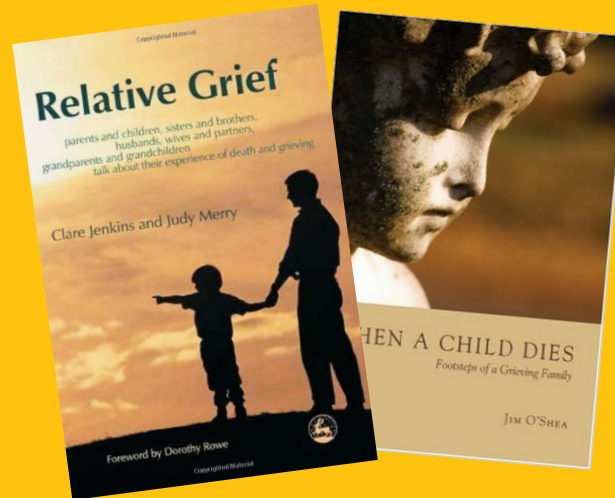
The truth is that things can never be the same after the death of somebody in your family. When a close relative dies, it not only causes major grief for you as an individual, it also affects how your family functions.

This doesn't mean that your family will never function well again, but adjusting to the death can be painful and it takes time.

For more information on coping as a grieving family, browse the resources listed here.

RECOMMENDED RESOURCES

BOOKS

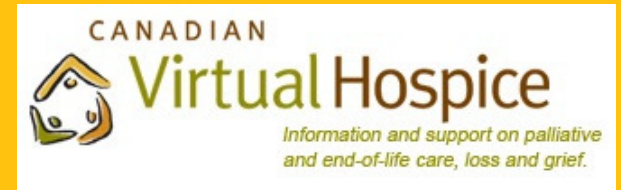


Relative grief: Parents and children, sisters and brothers, husbands, wives and partners, grandparents and grandchildren talk about their experience of death and grieving

by Clare Jenkins and Judy Merry (2005)

When a child dies: Footsteps of a grieving family
by Jim O'Shea (2009)

ONLINE RESOURCES



Canadian Virtual Hospice

<http://www.virtualhospice.ca/>

This site features personal stories of grief and loss from many different perspectives. It also includes a section where questions can be submitted online to counsellors.

**Cruse Bereavement Care:
Grief Within the Family**

www.cruse.org.uk/publications/fact-sheets

This factsheet, written by Cruse Bereavement Care counsellors, provides information about what grieving families might encounter during bereavement.