

Books- Adult

When Your Pet Dies: A Guide to Mourning, Remembering and Healing by Alan Wolfelt
Pet Loss: A thoughtful Guide for Adults and Children by Herbert Neiburg and Arlene Fischer
[*Goodbye My Friend: Grieving the Loss of a Pet*](#) by Mary and Herb Montgomery
The Loss of a Pet by Wallace Sife
Saying Goodbye to the Pet You Love by Lorri Greene
The Grief Recovery Handbook for Pet Loss by Russell Friedman
Coping With Sorrow on the Loss of Your Pet by Moira Anderson Allen
Coping With the Loss of Your Pet by Christine Lemieux
My Personal Pet Remembrance Journal by Enid Samuel Traisman
Pet Parents: A Journey Through Unconditional Love and Grief by Coleen Ellis

Books-Children

When a Pet Dies by Fred Rogers
The Tenth Good Thing About Barney by Judith Viorst
Dog Heaven by Cynthia Rylant
Cat Heaven by Cynthia Rylant
I'll Always Love You by Hans Wilhelm
Healing Your Grieving Heart for Kids by Alan Wolfelt
Saying Goodbye to Lulu by Corinne Demas
Goodbye Mousie by Robbie Harris
The Fall of Freddie the Leaf by Leo Buscaglia

This is just a small sample of books you may find helpful. For a more extensive list, including genres such as memoirs, short stories, religious themes, and journals, see the Association for Pet Loss and Bereavement Recommended Reading List:

<https://www.aplb.org/resources/recommended-reading/>

Resources for Professionals

Pet Loss and Human Emotion by Cheri Barton Ross

Connecting with Grieving Clients: Supportive Communication for Fourteen Common Situations by Laurel Lagoni and Dana Durrance

Companioning You! A Soulful Guide to Caring for Yourself While You Care for the Dying and the Bereaved
by Alan Wolfelt

Booklets and brochures to offer veterinary clients

Downloadable (free) articles and booklets on euthanasia and grief by Veterinary Wisdom:
<https://www.veterinarywisdom.com/resource-center/support-for-pet-parents/#resources>

Educational Enclosures by Veterinary Wisdom (buy): <https://www.veterinarywisdom.com/pet-sympathy-cards>

Booklets and wallet cards by The Center for Loss and Life Transition (buy): <https://www.centerforloss.com/bookstore-category/for-adults/pet-loss/>

Booklet (buy): *Goodbye My Friend: Grieving the Loss of a Pet* by Mary and Herb Montgomery
<https://www.dogwise.com/goodbye-my-friend-grieving-the-loss-of-a-pet/>

Booklet (buy): *Coping With the Loss of Your Pet* by Kathleen Ayl
https://ams.aaha.org/eweb/DynamicPage.aspx?site=store&Action=Add&ObjectKeyFrom=1A83491A-9853-4C87-86A4-F7D95601C2E2&WebCode=ProdDetailAdd&DoNotSave=yes&ParentObject=CentralizedOrderEntry&ParentDataObject=Invoice%20Detail&ivd_formkey=69202792-63d7-4ba2-bf4e-a0da41270555&ivd_cst_key=00000000-0000-0000-0000-000000000000&ivd_cst_ship_key=00000000-0000-0000-0000-000000000000&ivd_prc_prd_key=82A801B4-D24F-4DA4-9A2C-E35CCEACBFB4

Brochure (buy): AVMA brochure on pet loss and grief
<https://ebusiness.avma.org/ProductCatalog/product.aspx?ID=101>

Ideas for Memorialization

<https://pet-loss.net>