BKLYN Picture Books about Death and Grieving

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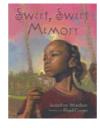
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Always remember

Cece Meng; illustrated by Jago.

When Old Turtle dies and is taken back by the sea, his friends remember that he was a wonderful teacher and friend who made his world a better place.



Sweet, sweet memory

Jacqueline Woodson; illustrations by Floyd Cooper.

A child and her grandmother feel sad when Grandpa dies, but as time passes, funny memories of him make them laugh and feel better.



Stones for Grandpa

Renee Londner; illustrations by Martha Avilâes.

After a year of missing his grandfather and remembering things they did together, a young boy and his family unveil Grandpa's tombstone, place stones on it, and share

stories, knowing the memories will never be lost.



Everett Anderson's goodbye

by Lucille Clifton; illustrated by Ann Grifalconi.

Everett Anderson has a difficult time coming to terms with his grief after his father dies.

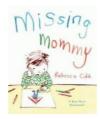


members.

The purple balloon

Chris Raschka

Easy-to-read text reveals that dying is hard work, for the old and especially the young, and how good it is that so many people help when a person dies, from medical staff to clergy and friends to family



Missing mommy

Rebecca Cobb

Daddy comforts and reassures a very young boy after Mommy dies.



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The dead bird

story by Margaret Wise Brown ; pictures by Christian Robinson

When they find a dead bird, a group of children bury it in the woods, sing a song to it, and put flowers on the grave.



My father's arms are a boat

Stein Erik Lunde ; [illustrated by] Oyvind Torseter ; translated from the Norwegian by Kari Dickson.

Unable to sleep, a young boy climbs into his father's arms and asks about birds, foxes, and whether his mother will ever awaken, then under a starry sky, the father provides clear answers and

assurances.



Uncle monarch and the Day of the Dead

Judy Goldman; illustrated by Rene King Moreno.

Upon the death of her beloved Tio Urbano, who has taught her that monarch butterflies are the souls of the dead, young Lupita gains a deeper understanding of Dia de los Muertos, the Day of the Dead, as it is observed in rural Mexico. Includes glossary of Spanish terms and facts about the Day of the...



Maya

Mahak Jain; illustrated by Elly MacKay.

The electricity in Maya's house has gone out again. Worse, she is afraid of the dark -- and her fear has been even worse since

her father died. Now it feels as if the darkness will never go away. Mayas mother distracts her with a legend about the banyan tree, which saved the world from the first mon...

