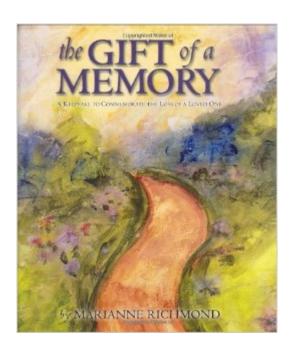
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# The Gift Of A Memory: A Keepsake To Commemorate The Loss Of A Loved One (Marianne Richmond)





## **Synopsis**

"May you sense your loved one's spiriton a lazy sunshine dayand know the one you miss delightsto watch you laugh and play."The Gift of a Memory is a warm and gentle gift of love that commemorates the loss of a special life and celebrates our most cherished memories. Each page, with its tender prose and reflective artwork, is a hug for the healing heart. Created to be a welcome friend for life's emotional journey of loss, this keepsake offers sensitive compassion, hope, and comfort. A beautiful section in the back of the book honors our memories, inviting friends and family to record their treasured recollections. This jewel of a book belongs on a coffee table or at bedside... to read and re-read whenever you need The Gift of a Memory.

## **Book Information**

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### Customer Reviews

My son died on Sept 11 in a surfing accident. A family was visiting our city from lowa and was on the beach when it happened. She was on a family getaway to honor her sons memory who had died two years before. When she got home she sent me a beautiful card and the book in honor and memory of her 18 year old son and in honor of mine. The book sits on my coffee table and continues to bring me comfort each time I read it. Others have read it and I am going to continue this tradition with other Mothers who lose their children. This is a beautiful work of love and compassion to help people in the worst of times. Thank you Marianne!

I was lucky enough to receive this book as a gift from one of my best friends when I lost my brother to cancer last year. I read it when I have had a bad day and need to be comforted, it is a wonderful way to let someone know that you care about what they are feeling and going through.

The Gift of a Memory is a nice keepsake book. The grieving process is expressed in stages permitting each individual to work through her emotions privately. I purchased a copy to review before ordering one for my Dad and each of my uncles, but I have decided against ordering each of them a copy when the time comes. I do have a close relationship with one cousin for whom I will purchase a copy of the book because she also has fond memories of our grandmother that I know she will want to share with her child when he is older. When my grandmother was suddenly hospitalized soon after the news of an aggressive cancer I thought briefly about leaving it at her house for family visitors to record their favorite memories, but the book does not lend itself to that idea as it is written for one person to author as she commemorates her memories of the loved one who has passed.

I purchased for my husband who just lost both parents in the last three months. Inside book cover says, Juvenile Fiction/Picture Book. I did not see that mentioned in 's description of product. I would not purchase this book for adults, definitely for kids!

I bought this book for a friend who had just lost her mom. It's perfect in its simplicity - beautifully illustrated, upbeat and cheerful, with just the exact right words (few but meaningful) to comfort a person who has just suffered the loss of a loved one. My friend loved it, so I am quite happy with it.

This book is a great gift for someone who has lost a loved one. I purchased 3 so that I could have a couple on hand. It is short with little wording, but the wording that is included is simply beautiful.

Bought this for a friend at work who lost her brother. I was a bit worried when reading the reviews but was very pleasantly surprised when I got the book. The art is cute and the poetry meaningful.

This book helps with people who lose loved ones. The material inside my help with the grieving process.

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