



# Saying Goodbye

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Saying Goodbye is usually a assortment of true stories about saying goodbye to the people, places, and things inside our lives. The tales are common. and the very best American Essays series, which are much longer form. Plus they are amazingly uplifting and cathartic.brief and sweet"Saying Goodbye may be the first anthology in a fresh series from Dream of Things intended to fill the gap between well-known anthologies of stories which are "These stories show that there surely is sadness in goodbyes, but there is also irony and humor. "Despite all the sadness and grief that include saying goodbye, there's love and joy and humor on the other hand." Says another: "If you have ever had to cope with loss, go through this book. It'll make you feel better. We find out because the contributors are unflinchingly open and honest with regards to sharing very personal tales about how they and their loved ones state goodbye. says one critic. We cry about the sad tales, we laugh at the funny ones, and along the way, we learn valuable lessons about how exactly we say goodbye -- sometimes under the most difficult of circumstances." Taken together, these stories serve as amazing examples of how to say goodbye with grace, dignity, and good humor.The stories are about love, really, not sadness," " They are incredibly powerful and moving. Dream of Things anthologies are selections of quality tales between 500 and 2,500 words. Rather than short and lovely, these stories are short and deep.



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The tales in here were great, some were very short The tales in here were great, some were very brief. The thing I didn't like about any of it was the size.. This is particularly so because therefore many involved the loss of life of a parent - mostly a mother. However, generally these were well crafted, thoughtful, occasionally mildly humorous.If you're a fan of short story collections then perhaps you would enjoy this. Reminds you to cherish all that is important. A few of the essays are great and I am certain each is particular to the individual who wrote it. I used this in my class "Loss of life & Dying" to greatly help the traditional age college students realize that everyone deals with loss, and that death is not the only kind of loss.. This book is a compilation of essays;com).doesn't suggest you have nothing to say. Excellent book for me I purchased this book during the 2016 presidential campaigning and it had been extremely useful for me. I like the essays in it. It helped me appear at some of my friendships during this time of tremendous turnoil. Maybe I'm cold hearted... It might be lifestyle changing. I few tales do make me smile.. I assume this is where I mean that maybe I am frosty hearted because all I kept considering was "Wow, they where blessed to live this long." Some of the stories, I thought rambled a bit and I just didn't care to finish a few of them. I think the title and idea of the reserve has great potential. What are you searching for? Very touching What wonderful stories! Many thanks so much because of this wonderful resource! I've not read this book yet, however the information given leads be to believe I could perform it. There are numerous people much even worse off and occasionally I want their help. Although many were informed about endings they were touching and inspirational.Many thanks. Great assortment of short stories I thought this was a somewhat unusual choice of subject matter, but having had a substantial amount of trained in grief and reduction counseling, We was intrigued. We were holding all good authors, and the stories are not gloomy. Being old . I do highly recommend this one. Fond Hello to Telling Goodbye The title of the book says so much. I love collections of short stories, easy to pick and choose up and deposit as period for reading permits. I believe this book can help everyone as they journey thru life and face their many goodbyes. Helpful to Nurses I must say i enjoyed this book. Maybe that is the issue - grief and/or stating goodbye to a loved one can be an intensely personal procedure and none of the essays resonated with my own encounters. I am generally the one the family looks to for answers many times which book has helped cope with my emotions and present me information to spread to families. I have a medical condition I sometimes find difficult to cope with. I would be more specific, but it has been a little while since I browse it. It mostly handled dealing with the death of elderly people between 70-93.. Since many of my students had not experienced the increased loss of a significant person, this publication helped them to relate to the topic. I highly recommend this book. Life has given you vocabulary others have to understand. We was hoping for a real tearjerker, but We didn't get that out of this book. I made a decision to read this book to help me. Those hateful pounds produced me laugh. Still others made me cry but almost all of them touched my heart. Awesome Read! "Saying Goodbye" was a classic great collection of short tales. I read their tales and understand how lucky I am and wish these beautiful people will get their shining star. To be fair, I am not usually a lover of the short tale collection, which was outside my normal genres. Perfectly written. Thank-you all for posting your stories. Not really about saying goodbye. By the end of 31 tales, I felt my interest waning.... How they stated goodbye and shifted.. The students loved the book and I included a lot of their general comments on the Imagine Things webpage (dreamofthings. apparently heartfelt essays from the perspective of each author. Excellent for classes This is an excellent book for teachers of classes covering topics of loss. As a nurse in LTC I deal with patients

passing away alot. The book never really caught my curiosity - didn't make a direct effect or impression upon me I'm sorry to say. Many effective stories of goodbye Many touching stories of people losing family members and leaving a part of their life behind.. This assortment of short stories was hard to place down and definitely provides some important insight about how to prepare for and approach the most difficult goodbyes.



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