

## When Someone You Love Is Kinky

Clinical psychologist and anger expert W. Doyle Gentry offers compassionate, practical insight to those with angry loved ones, providing coping strategies that help strengthen emotional intimacy and establish boundaries-and avoid being held hostage to a partner's angry words and behavior. When Someone You Love Is Angry combines the latest research with real-life testimony, resulting in a survival guide for those exposed to toxic anger, outlining a unique seven-step program to minimize the emotional damage of loving, but angry, relationships: - Reaching out for support - Abandoning the eight myths about love and anger - Recognizing and putting a stop to abusive behavior - Avoiding facilitation of the anger syndrome - Refraining from angry responses - Inoculating oneself against stress - Exploring one's options

The purpose of this book is to help children find hope during a time of loss. It is also a resource for parents as they lead their children into an understanding of the deep, hard things concerning death. The first part of the book is THE Story and the second part of the book is a devotional for the whole family with practical, fun activities for each day as they learn to apply God's truth and love in their lives. While this book cannot take the pain out of your grief, it endeavors to guide you as you walk through your grief in the light of His Word. This is our story. We would be honored if you would share your story with us at: [www.whensomeoneyoulovebook.com](http://www.whensomeoneyoulovebook.com) Jennifer Powers has produced an excellent resource to guide families through grief over loss. Jennifer arranges her careful thoughts in a 31-day journey for those going through loss. Her writing style is clear and captivates and is accessible for adults and children. I highly recommend this scriptural resource to those impacted by the loss of a loved one and those counseling others through such loss! Dr. Brent Belford Senior Pastor at Colonial Baptist Church Virginia Beach, Virginia Death invades each life with grief and loss. We all are confronted by suffering and sorrow, whether in our own families or in those of our friends, our neighbors, co-workers or church families. Navigating our emotions and thoughts biblically can be painful and confusing, but helping children in their journey through grief can be especially challenging. Jenny Powers, in her poignant yet practical book, When Someone You Love..., has provided a much needed resource for those who minister to children in their loss. Jenny has walked this journey through grief and loss and has helped her children work through the death of their sibling. She has experienced God's grace in her life during her own deep pain in the valley of the shadow of death. She shares the comfort of the Holy Spirit in this sensitive and scripturally sound devotional for use with children. Written as conversations between a parent and child, Jenny's book is filled with the gospel-laced truths of Scripture. Immensely personal yet extremely practical. By far the greatest treasure of the book is Jenny's continual focus on the child's relationship with God-looking to Him as the source of hope and purpose. She leads the reader through a clear and uncompromising presentation of the gospel that will guide the reader in how to lead the child to Christ. As a biblical counselor, a mother and grandmother, I am thankful for this resource. As each one has received a special gift, employ it in serving one another as good stewards of the manifold grace of God. 1 Peter 4:10 Powers has stewarded God's grace through her journey of suffering by employing her gifts to produce a work that will serve the body of Christ for generations to come. Carrie Foldberg MABC from The Master's University Certified Member of the Association of Certified Biblical Counselors Jenny Powers is the wife of Mac and the mother of 11 children. At the still birth of their eighth child, Jenny and Mac were given numerous, teachable moments to share with their children the hope of salvation as they processed through their grief individually and as a family. This book is the result of the heart wrenching and heartwarming conversations they had with their children. After the loss of their son the Lord added three beautiful boys to their family through adoption.

The Weird Things That Happen When Someone You Love Dies is a book of lists to help middle schoolaged children get through some of the weird, sad, angry, and confusing things that happen when a loved one dies. This book will help children to make sense of all the strange behavior of friends and family, what happens at a funeral, what to expect when it's over, how to deal with all the emotions they might be feeling, and all the weird things in between.

Named a 2010 Self Help Best Book by Library Journal Saying Goodbye To Someone You Love consists of moving narratives about end of life and grief. These personal histories are complemented by practical guidelines for those caring for their loved ones through the last stages of life. For those who are grieving, the true-to-life-stories demonstrate how others have navigated through the tidal wave of emotions and reactions that characterize the grief process. For health care professionals and those who are offering support to grievers, Saying Goodbye To Someone You Love provides a new perspective on the challenges of caring for the dying and living with grief. Hundreds of poignant, touching, loving, humorous personal experiences address readers' concerns and curiosity about how others have faced life's final chapter with love and dignity. Specific issues include talking about death, hospice, funerals, grieving, and celebrating life. Saying Goodbye To Someone You Love empowers readers by Bringing compassion and awareness to end of life issues Providing examples of loving care at the moment of death illuminating uncharted territory Demonstrating how others cope Demystifying the grief process Inspiring hope The narratives and advice in Saying Goodbye To Someone You Love benefits family members, friends and health care professionals as they travel the emotional journey through end of life and grief.

Many, many people have sexual interests or practices that are in some way unusual. These people may enjoy bondage or spanking, erotic role-playing, dressing in special clothes that turn them on, or a host of other activities that place them outside the sexual mainstream. Your mechanic might have an alternative sexuality, or your librarian, or your kids' teacher, or your boss.... If someone you love has a sexual kink, or if you suspect that she may, and you want to know more about what that means to her and how you can deal with what it means to you, this book is for you. "When Someone You Love Is Kinky will do more for family values than anything the right wing ever dreamed up, because it lets people communicate and love and respect each other on the basis of who they really are. A wonderful contribution towards a more sex-positive culture." - Dr. Carol Queen, author, Real Live Nude Girl "Dossie Easton and Catherine A. Liszt, both wise and compassionate women, and both players in the world of kink, welcome the reader gently into that world and answer everything anyone might have wanted to ask but was really afraid to find out." - Isadora Alman, syndicated sex and relationship columnist

From the creator of the beloved and universally acclaimed television series BoJack Horseman, a fabulously off-beat collection of short stories about love—the best and worst thing in the universe. “Complex, daring, emotional, and unique, with notes of melancholic brilliance and an aftertaste of subtle elation: it is hard to describe the writing of Raphael Bob-Waksberg without sounding like Frasier discussing wine.” —B. J. Novak, author of One More Thing Written with all the scathing dark humor that is a hallmark of BoJack Horseman, Raphael Bob-Waksberg's stories will make you laugh, weep, and shiver in uncomfortably delicious recognition. In “A Most Blessed and Auspicious Occasion,” a young couple engaged to be married is forced to deal with interfering relatives dictating the appropriate number of ritual goat sacrifices for their wedding. “Missed Connection—m4w” is the tragicomic tale of a pair of lonely commuters eternally failing to make that longed-for contact. And in “More of the You That You Already Are,” a struggling employee at a theme park of dead presidents finds that love can't be genetically modified. Equally at home with the surreal and the painfully relatable (and both at once), Bob-Waksberg delivers a killer combination of humor, romance, whimsy, cultural commentary, and crushing emotional vulnerability.

Provides caregivers with compassionate strategies for dealing with the challenges related to Alzheimer's, from memory loss and behavior problems to maintaining quality of life and taking important legal steps.

Poetry book

A practicing psychologist defines grief as the normal, expected, and healthy response to loss and provides a realistic appreciation for the pain, frustration, and difficult work required to overcome grief

Many books have been written for those suffering from depression, but what if you're suffering because someone you love is depressed?

Research shows that if you are close to a depressed person, you are at a much higher risk of developing problems yourself, including anxiety, phobias, and even a kind of contagious depression. In this authoritative and compassionate book, psychologists Laura Epstein Rosen and Cavier Francisco Amador explain the mechanisms of depression that can cause communication breakdown, increase hostility, and ultimately destroy relationships. Through compelling real-life stories and step-by-step advice, the authors teach concrete methods that you and your loved one can use to protect yourselves and your relationship from depression's impact. Drawing on their own innovative research, they give sensitive guidance about how to recognize your needs, how to provide the best kind of support, and how to encourage the depressed person to seek treatment. Whether you are the partner, parent, friend, or child of a depressed person, you'll find this book and invaluable companion in your journey back to health.

Someone You Love Independently Published

When bipolar disorder afflicts the person you love, you suffer too. How have other couples learned to manage the relationship strains caused by this illness? What can you do to provide your partner with truly helpful nurturance and support? No one cares more deeply about these questions than Dr. Cynthia Last, a highly regarded therapist/researcher who also has bipolar disorder. Sharing stories and solutions from her own experience and the couples she has treated, Dr. Last offers heartfelt, practical guidance for getting through the out-of-control highs and the devastating lows--together. Learn how you can help your spouse come to terms with a bipolar diagnosis, get the most out of treatment, and reduce or prevent future mood episodes, while also taking care of yourself.

"A beautiful, haunting story of one family, spanning generations and continents, as they face life's inevitable losses, struggle with grief and reach for redemption." —Shilpi Somaya Gowda, New York Times bestselling author of *Secret Daughter* and *The Golden Son* Perfect for readers of Jhumpa Lahiri and Anne Tyler, *Someone You Love Is Gone* is a beautifully rendered, multi-generational story of secrets and ghosts that haunt a family. I sit at the table and forget myself for a moment and the past steps forward. The house is as it was before Father died, and even before that, before Diwa left and before Jyoti was born. The house had a different light then or perhaps that's just memory casting a glow on everything, candlelight and sunset, everything only slightly visible. Mother is in the kitchen, washing the dinner dishes. Steam is rising and the window in front of her fogs over her reflection. Even here, she is a ghost. Simran's mother has died but is not gone. Haunted by her mother's spirit and memories of the past, she struggles to make sense of her world. Faced with disillusion in her marriage, growing distance from her daughter and sister, and the return of her long-estranged brother, she is troubled by questions to which she has no answers. As the life Simran has carefully constructed unravels, she must confront the truth of why her brother was separated from the family at a young age, and in doing so she uncovers an ancestral inheritance that changes everything. She allows her grief to transform her life, but in ways that ultimately give her the deep sense of self she has been craving, discovering along the way family secrets that cross continents, generations, and even lifetimes. Gurjinder Basran's mesmerizingly beautiful novel, *Someone You Love Is Gone*, is a powerful exploration of loss and love, memory and history, family ties and family secrets, and the thin veil between this life and the next.

A clinical psychologist describes the warning signs of clinical depression and explains how to offer comfort, maintain communications, deal with the mental health community, and handle suicide threats, in an updated manual. Original. 15,000 first printing.

Filled with expressive sentiments and beautifully simple illustrations from the personal grief journal of award winning artist/author Joanne Fink, this special edition of *When You Lose Someone You Love* offers a healing connection with all who are dealing with one of life's most challenging times. Readers will understand that they are not alone, that there will be days when you feel overwhelmed, nights when you can't sleep, and times when waves of sadness wash over you unexpectedly. Affirming and cathartic, this book will help bring healing without sugarcoating the challenges of losing a loved one. *When You Lose Someone You Love* is an incredible gift of comfort for anyone who endures the journey of losing a spouse, a family member or close friend. *When You Lose Someone You Love* features... • Life-affirming insights from the personal grief journal of an award-winning artist. • Expressive sentiments take readers through the many emotions of loss. • Beautifully illustrated on every page. • A 116 page book that offers the "look and feel" of a very personal greeting card.

Mic Hunter is Minnesota author.

A powerful, ground-breaking book that shows you, in concrete steps, how to stop a loved one from engaging in self destructive behavior. Stop your husband from drinking himself to death. Don't let your brother lose it all to gambling. Get your kid off drugs. Motivate your best friend to lose weight. Make your spendthrift brother-in-law stop maxing out his credit cards. Get your sister out of an abusive relationship. Erase anger in your co-worker. If you're tired of watching your spouse, child, relative, or best friend go downhill, dragging you with them, *How to Change Someone You Love* will help you turn their lives around. You don't have to endure behavior that is unhealthy, abusive, possibly deadly, and that threatens to unravel relationships. You can change it. Many books will tell you that you can't change anyone. They advise you not to even try. The problem is, they ignore the tremendous power you actually have to change people. If most books about change are written for the addict or troubled person, *How to Change Someone You Love* reaches out to the loved ones who know that change is critical and urgent. *How to Change Someone You Love* is not just a self-help book; this is a help-you-act book. "Brad Lamm's step-by-step approach empowers families and friends to change their loved ones through compassionate, caring and continuing support."-- Dr. Mehmet Oz

Discusses home care versus a treatment facility, financial assistance, selecting a physician, handling stress, balancing family needs, and other issues

This inspirational book addresses a very difficult topic--the loss of a loved one--with grace and compassion. Chapter themes follow the stages of grief and offer comfort, hope, and healing for those who mourn.

Few losses are as painful as the death of someone close. No valley is as vast as grief, no journey as personal and life changing.

Compassionate and wise guides Raymond Mitsch and Lynn Brookside shine a light on the road through grief. They can help you endure the anguish and uncertainty; understand the cycles of grief; sort through the emotions of anger, guilt, fear, and depression; and face the God who allowed you to lose the one you love. A series of thoughtful daily devotions, *Grieving the Loss of Someone You Love* shares wisdom, insight, and comfort that will help you through and beyond your grief.

*When Someone You Love is Being Treated for Cancer* is a booklet for friends or family members giving care to a person with cancer. This booklet covers understanding the changes that come in your life with caregiving, how to cope with your feelings and ask for help, tips on caring for both your physical and emotional self, how to talk with your kids about cancer, communicating with your loved one who has cancer, and dealing with other family members and friends. Related products: *Caring for the Caregiver: Support for Cancer Caregivers* – ePub format only – ISBN: 9780160947520 *Children with Cancer: A Guide for Parents* -- ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947537 *Coping with Advanced Cancer: Support for People with Cancer* -- ePub format only ISBN: 9780160947544 *Eating Hints: Before, during and after Cancer Treatment* -- ePub format only --ISBN: 9780160947551 *Life After Cancer Treatment: Facing Forward* -- ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947568 *Pain Control: Support for People with Cancer* -- ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947575 *Radiation Therapy and You: Support for People with Cancer* --ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947582 *Surgery Choice for Women with DCIS and Breast Cancer* -- ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947599 *Taking Part in Cancer Research Studies* --ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947605 *Understanding Breast Changes: A Health Guide for Women* --ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947612 *Understanding Cervical Changes: A Health Guide for Women* -- ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947629 *When Cancer Returns: Support for People with Cancer* -- ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947636 *When Someone You Love Has Advanced Cancer: Support for Caregivers* --ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947643 *When Someone You Love Has Completed Cancer Treatment: Facing Forward* --ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947650 *When Your Brother or Sister Has*

Cancer: A Guide for Teens --ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947674 When Your Parent Has Cancer: A Guide for Teens -- ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947681

Bestselling author Cecil Murphey provides comfort, advice, stories, and prayers for those who journey alongside a loved one whose memory is fading. Tranquil paintings by popular artist Michal Sparks create a sanctuary for readers as they embrace Murphey's guidance and draw strength from those who have walked a similar path.

"This compassionate, helpful book will bring hope and comfort to the loved ones of those who struggle to overcome the most common of mental illnesses."—Rosalynn Carter When someone you love is depressed . . . . . you feel lost, afraid, confused. . . . you long for the person who was. . . . you don't recognize who he or she has become. . . . you feel shut out. . . . you feel angry and frustrated. . . . you feel drained. . . . you are desperate for a way to connect. . . . you feel guilty and alone. . . . you will do anything to help. "What motivates me now is to share with you what I've learned about how to cope when someone you love is depressed. What I have discovered from years of training and from having counseled hundreds of families who have shared their sorrows and their joys is that there are ways you can help someone you love who is depressed. And in that process, you will grow closer."—from *What to Do When Someone You Love is Depressed*

Discusses visiting loved ones in the hospital, how to make them feel better, how they look as patients, and the scary feelings one has at such a time.

Shows family and friends of those suffering from depression how to understand their own reactions and feelings and how to avoid damaging a relationship

"The most crucial relationship advice book since *Men Are from Mars*."—Erin Meanley, *Glamour.com* A groundbreaking, interactive relationship tool that literally places in the hands of couples the power to transform chronically frustrating relationship dynamics. We've all been there. A conversation with a loved one escalates into conflict. Voices rise to a fever pitch and angry, accusative words fly through the air. At times like these, it seems impossible to find the magic words that will lead to healing. Enter *Talk to Me Like I'm Someone You Love*. A psychotherapist with decades of experience in counseling couples, Nancy Dreyfus hit upon the revolutionary practice outlined in this book during a couples-therapy session in which a wife's unrelenting criticism of her husband was causing him to become emotionally withdrawn. In the midst of this, Dreyfus found herself scribbling on a scrap of paper, "Talk to me like I'm someone you love," and gestured to the husband that he should hold it up. He did and within seconds the familiar power differential between the two shifted, and a gentler, more genuine connection emerged. Dreyfus was startled, then intrigued, and then motivated to create a tool that could help others. This book features more than one hundred of Dreyfus's "flash cards for real life," written statements that express what we wish we could communicate to the person we love, but either can't find the right words or the right tone in which to say it. The statements include: • Taking responsibility: "I realize I'm overreacting. Can you give me a minute to get sane again?" • Apologizing: "I know I've really hurt you. What can I do to help you trust me again?" • Loving: "You are precious, and I get that I haven't been treating you like you are." A one-of-a-kind, practical relationship tool, *Talk to Me Like I'm Someone You Love* will help couples to stop arguing and begin healing.

Wickedly seductive, the Marquis of Darley, infamous for his sexual exploits, is determined to teach the respectable Lady Grafton, who is trapped in a loveless marriage, a much-needed lesson in passion, but he gets more than he bargained for when he loses his heart to this vibrant beauty. Reissue.

From New York Times bestselling author Kristen Callihan comes a charming, emotional romance about redefining dreams and discovering unlikely love along the way. Life for Emma isn't good. The world knows her as Princess Anya on Dark Castle, but then her character gets the axe--literally. The cherry on top is finding her boyfriend in bed with another woman. She needs a break, and sanctuary comes in the form of Rosemont, a gorgeous estate in California promising rest and relaxation. Then she meets the owner's equally gorgeous grandson, ex-hockey player and current recluse Lucian Osmond, and she sees her own pain and yearning reflected in his eyes. He's charming when he wants to be but also secretive and gruff, with protective walls as thick as Emma's own. Despite a growing attraction, they avoid each other. But then there's an impromptu nighttime skinny-dip, and Lucian's luscious homemade tarts and cream cakes start arriving at Emma's door, tempting her to taste life again... In trying to stay apart, they only grow closer--and their broken pieces just might fit together and make them whole.

Help and Hope for an Unexpected Journey Do real Christians commit suicide? Yes, they do. And for those left behind, the journey following such a tragedy is unbearably painful. *Finding Your Way after the Suicide of Someone You Love* is a compassionate and practical guide that addresses the intensely personal issues of survivors of suicide (SOS). This gentle and faith-affirming resource helps survivors know what to expect, especially during the first year following a suicide. It includes personal stories of survivors and suggestions on how to move beyond survival to live life again. Designed for use by individuals, couples, and SOS groups, this book offers help for parents, siblings, friends, and extended families, as well as practical guidelines for pastors, Christian counselors, and other church leaders. Topics include: • What to do in the immediate aftermath of a suicide • Handling guilt and understanding the role of depression in suicides • Dealing with questions of faith and meaning • Creating a support system • Choosing a Christian therapist • Trusted resources and websites

The author of *The Complete Idiot's Guide to Paganism* offers an accessible introduction to one of the world's most misunderstood spiritual practices. Today, the spiritual traditions of Wicca and Paganism are enjoying a renaissance among the world's fastest growing religions. But for many years, these life-affirming belief systems have been tragically misunderstood. Especially since so many Wiccan newcomers are young, it is understandably a source of concern for many parents, friends, and associates of today's witches. In this accessible volume, spiritual scholar Carl McColman dispels the common misconceptions about Wicca and Paganism. McColman offers an objective, honest introduction to this newly popular old religion, while providing comfort to worried readers.

*When Someone You Love Has Advanced Cancer* is a booklet for friends and family members taking care of a person with advanced cancer. This booklet covers making new decisions about care, how to discuss issues and changes with the health care team, getting support and asking for help, life planning and advance directives, talking with family and friends, talking with children and teens about advanced cancer, communicating with your loved one who has cancer, and tips on caring for both your physical and emotional self. Related products: *Caring for the Caregiver: Support for Cancer Caregivers* – ePub format only – ISBN: 9780160947520 *Children with Cancer: A Guide for Parents* -- ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947537 *Coping with Advanced Cancer: Support for People with Cancer* -- ePub format only ISBN: 9780160947544 *Eating Hints: Before, during and after Cancer Treatment* -- ePub format only --ISBN: 9780160947551 *Life After Cancer Treatment: Facing Forward* -- ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947568 *Pain Control: Support for People with Cancer* -- ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947575 *Radiation Therapy and You: Support for People with Cancer* --ePub format only -- ISBN: 9780160947582 *Surgery Choice for Women with DCIS and*

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Having a friend or family member come out to you as polyamorous can be confusing and stressful. Chances are, you have a lot of questions: Is this just a phase? Won't they settle down someday? What's going to happen to their kids? Do I have to invite all their partners over for Thanksgiving dinner? Why can't they just keep it in the bedroom? When Someone You Love Is Polyamorous offers answers to these and more questions, to help you better understand and support your polyamorous loved ones.

Few things affect a family's everyday life like the presence of an illness like cancer. Whether it's a grandparent, another family member, a teacher or neighbor or friend, children especially experience confusion, fear and misunderstanding. This book will help kids cope with the presence of cancer in their lives. Book includes 14 wonderful, full-color, full-page illustrations, and some 40 helpful pointers written expressly for children 4-12. A rare and excellent resource!

Does someone you love struggle with depression or mental illness? As much as you want to fix it, you won't be able to. But it is important that you take care of yourself - both physically and spiritually - during this difficult time.

Charly Johnson created a bucket list when cancer left her mother with less than a year to live. They didn't make it all the way through the list before she died, but she made Charly promise to finish it and live her life to the fullest. Spending the summer in a coastal mountain city in Maine is next on her list. The scenic town is perfect for finding adventure, and the quirky inn owner makes her feel right at home in the guest house. Except for the fact that her new living quarters belong to the owner's grump of a grandson. Bryce Holden was an NFL player before sustaining a career-ending spinal injury. The people he thought would stand by his side left him when he was no longer a football star. Now, he prefers to live his life as a recluse, keeping outsiders at arm's length where his heart is safe. The last thing Bryce needs is to fall for a beautiful woman who will leave him like everyone else. But when he sees Charly's incomplete bucket list, and the bruised heart she wears on her sleeve, he resolves to help her on her journey. Even if it means losing her at the end of it. \*Someone You Love is a touching forced-proximity summer contemporary romance about a former NFL star who is disabled, and a sweet heroine who's trying to heal after the loss of her mother. This is a standalone novel with several open-door steamy scenes, and a HEA.

In The 5 Love Languages, you will discover the secret that has transformed millions of relationships worldwide. Whether your relationship is flourishing or failing, Dr. Gary Chapman's proven approach to showing and receiving love will help you experience deeper and richer levels of intimacy with your partner starting today.

Soothing paintings by a beloved watercolor artist combined with practical ways to help a loved one deal with a devastating disease teach caregivers how best to handle anxiety and apprehension, answer questions honestly and with love, deal with emotions of exhaustion and helplessness, and bring hidden feelings to the surface.

You're in love with someone, but they don't love you back, and it's killing you inside. The rejection makes you feel like you're not good enough, and that something must be wrong with you. You've given your all to this person, and you're willing to give them so much more, but they don't want anything to do with you. You think that something must be wrong with you for them to reject you. You think that if you were prettier or smarter or richer they would choose you. I mean why can't they love you just like you love them? I mean are you that hard to love? You've even tried to prove your worth to them. You stood by their side whenever they needed you and you gave them your best, but your best wasn't good enough for them. Now, they're moving on and they don't want you to be a part of their life anymore. Or they've moved on to someone else. Or they've put you in the friend zone or friend with benefits zone. Or they've replaced you with someone else. Either way they've rejected you or replaced you and now you're hurting inside and you're trying your best to move on. You're moving on because you have to not because you want to. If it was up to you you'd stay with them forever, but it's not up to you this time. In order for you to move on you have to go through several stages. This guide will give you 25 steps to let go of someone you love. This guide is for people who want the truth. If you're looking for a sugar coated guide this book isn't for you.

Tackling relationships, career, and family issues, John Kim, LMFT, thinks of himself as a life-styledesigner, not a therapist. His radical new approach, that he sometimes calls "self-help in a shot glass" is easy, real, and to the point. He helps people make changes to their lives so that personal growth happens organically, just by living. Let's face it, therapy is a luxury. Few of us have the time or money to devote to going to an office every week. With anecdotes illustrating principles in action (in relatable and sometimes irreverent fashion) and stand-alone practices and exercises, Kim gives readers the tools and directions to focus on what's right with them instead of what's wrong. When John Kim was going through the end of a relationship, he began blogging as The Angry Therapist, documenting his personal journey post-divorce. Traditional therapists avoid transparency, but Kim preferred the language of "me too" as opposed to "you should." He blogged about his own shortcomings, revelations, views on relationships, and the world. He spoke a different therapeutic language —open, raw, and at times subversive — and people responded. The Angry Therapist blog, that inspired this book, has been featured in The Atlantic Monthly and on NPR.

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