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Grief and Loss Journal Prompts

Journal prompts to help children and adults understand and process Grief and Loss



Fully
understanding
the problem
can help us
work out what
to try

Introduction

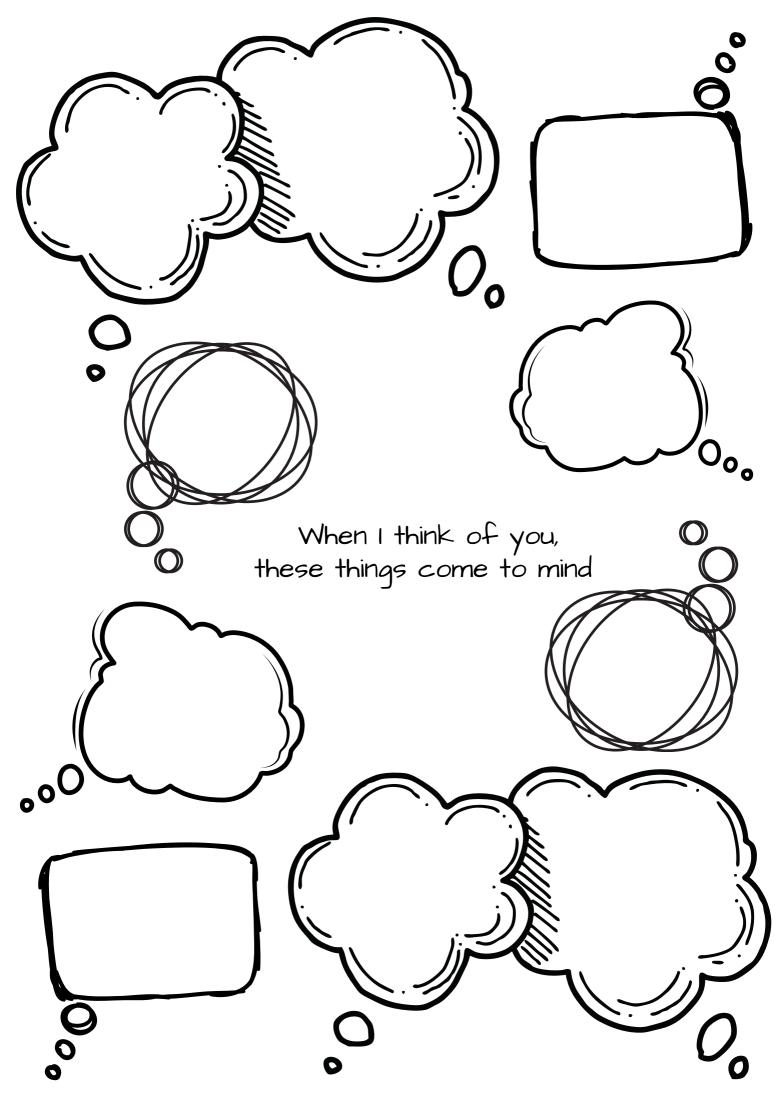
Journaling can be a really powerful tool for reflection, processing feelings and creatively expressing how we're feeling. Journalling can also help to build bridges and understanding between adult and child if the child is happy to be supported or to share what they create.

There's no right or wrong way to use these prompts; just whatever feels right for you and the child you're supporting. You don't have to do them in order. You don't have to do them all. You might choose to do some many times.

You are welcome to copy and share these pages and if you have ideas for other topics or pages I should add, I'd love to hear them!

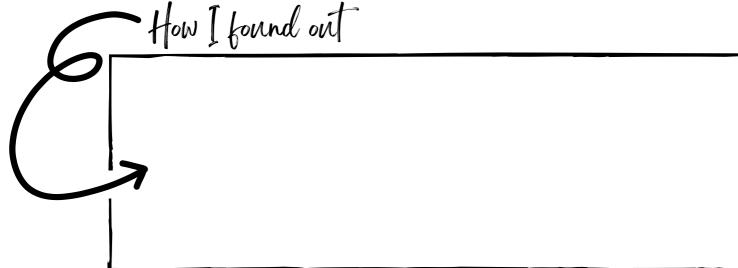
Good luck!





The Day You Died





How I felt

A happy memory of our time together

-N here we were -

- Who was there -

- What happened -

- How I felt-

If you were here, you'd tell me...



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Playlist

These songs reflect how I feel right now

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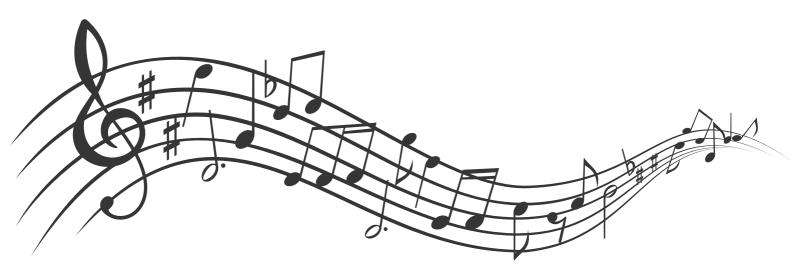
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The best advice you ever gave me

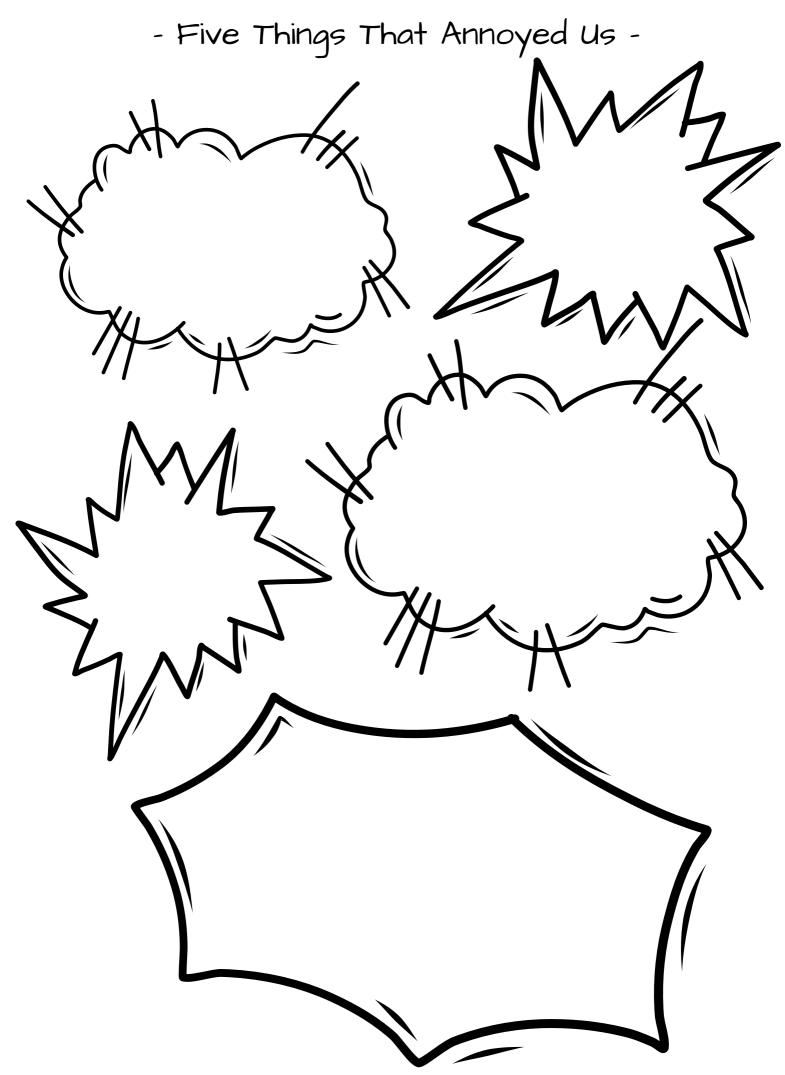


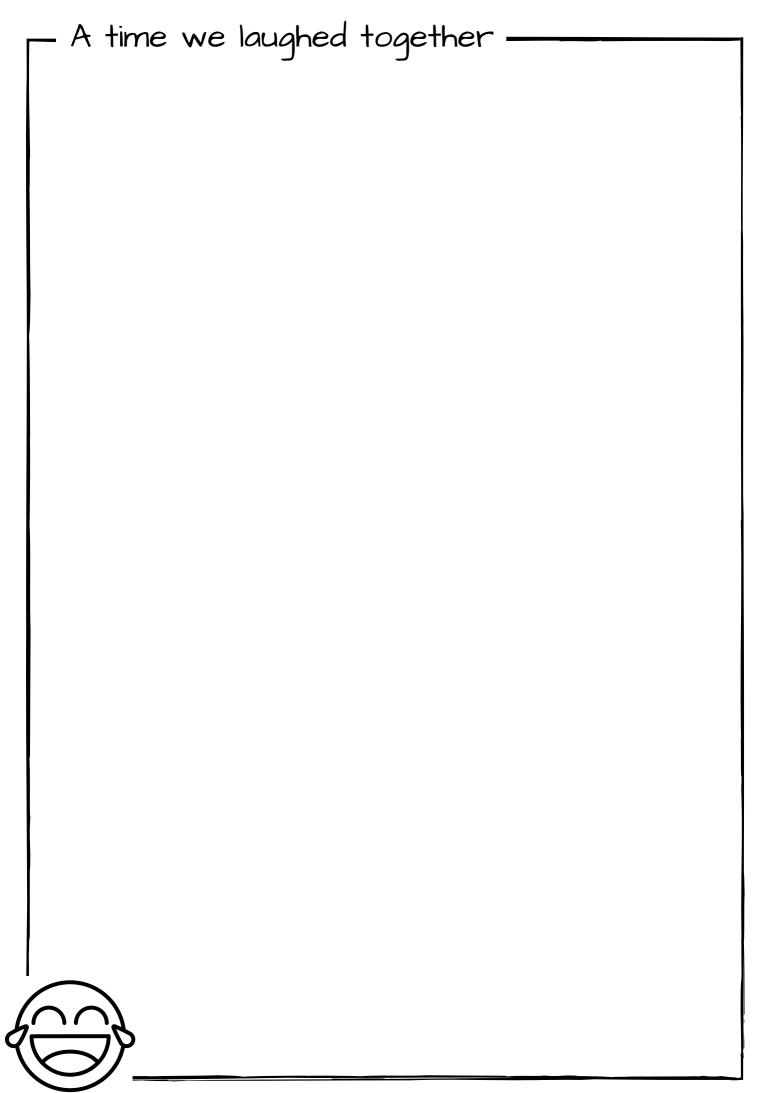
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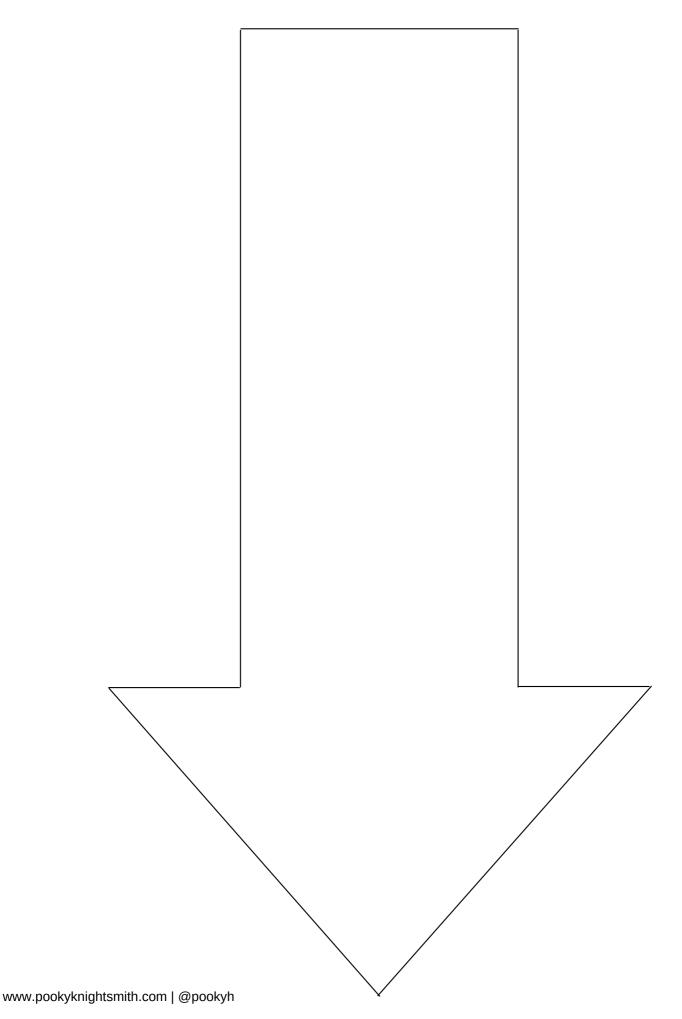
When I SEE	
When I SMELL	
When I HEAR	
When I TASTE	
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These things always make me think of you:

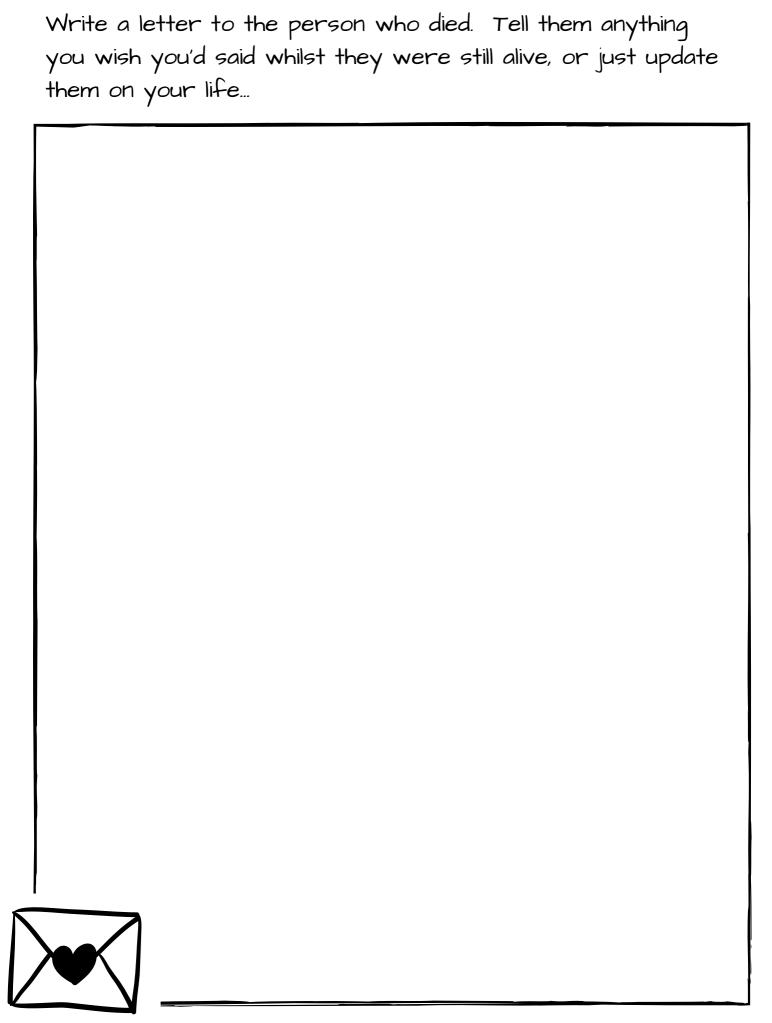
Things I wish I could change

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Writing to reach you



A kind reply Write a letter to yourself as if from the person who's died. Imagine what they'd say to you when they were in their kindest, most loving mood.

Your worst or weirdest advice



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- Ten Things we Both Loved -

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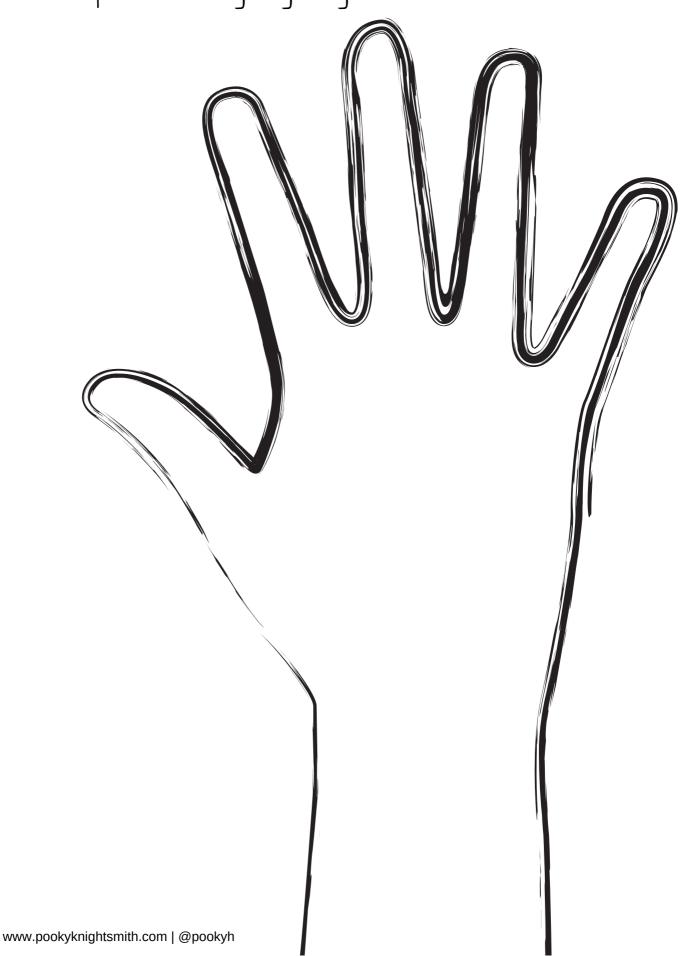
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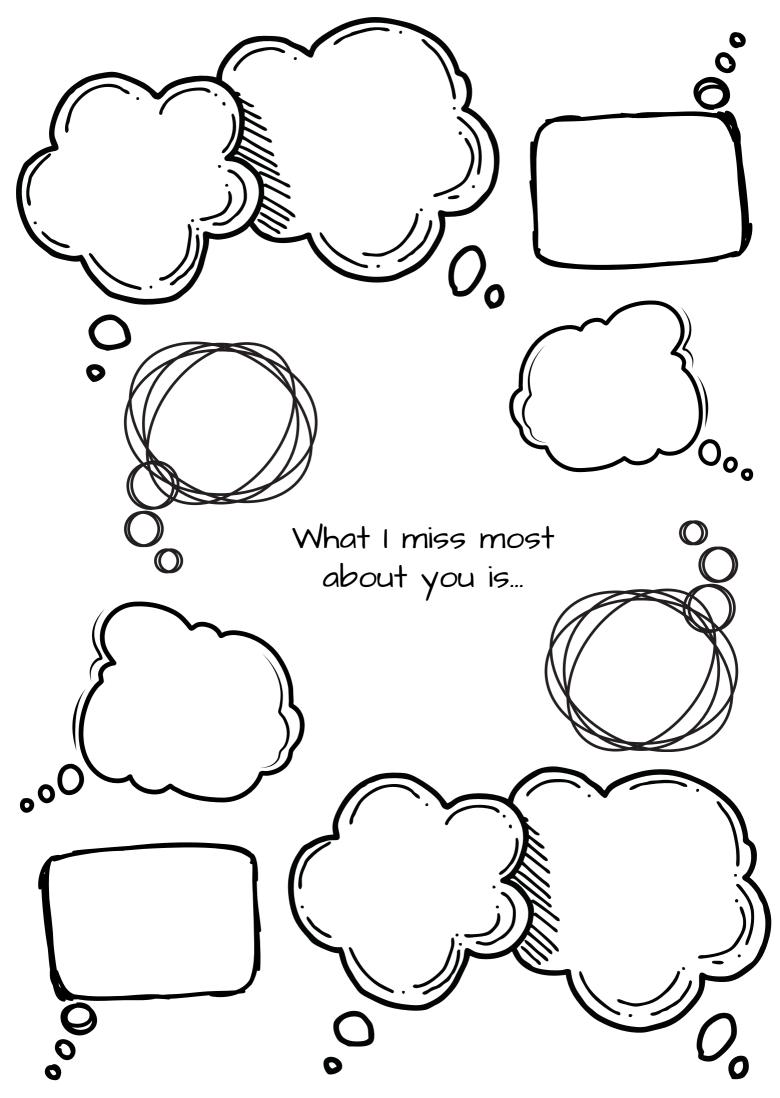
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Your Hands

Use this page to remember their hands. You might think literally about how they looked and felt or you might think about what their hands represented e.g. a guiding hand

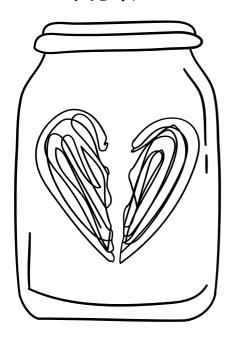




Growing Through Grief

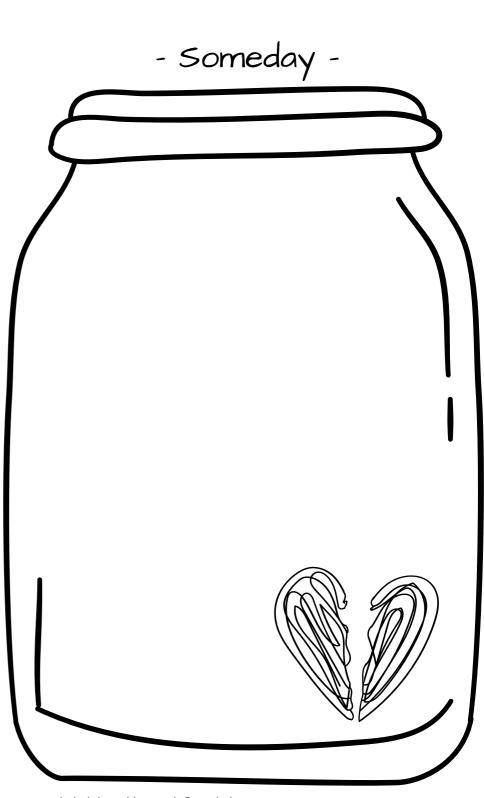
Whilst our grief may not get smaller over time, we grow and change so we can contain it better.

- Now -



The heart is our grief, the jar is our ability to cope. The grief doesn't change, but we do as our jar grows...

Fill the jar with things that might help it grow. This might be people, places, things, hobbies, activities, skills... you name it; There are no wrong answers.



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