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ADOPTION & FOSTERING **(includes children's books)**

First Steps In Parenting The Child Who Hurts

Tiddlers And Toddlers

Caroline Archer \$38.95

Practical guidance about attachment & developmental issues in young adopted & foster children.

Next Steps In Parenting The Child Who Hurts

Tykes and Teens

Caroline Archer \$39.95

A guide for adoptive parents of older children.

The Colour Of Difference

Sarah Armstrong/Petrina Slaytor ed \$29.95

Stories of transracial adoption in Australia, personal experiences of success and failure, hopes and dreams. Essential reading for anyone touched by adoption.

The Adoption Reunion Survival Guide

Julie Bailey & Lynn Giddens \$33.95

Preparing yourself for the search, reunion & beyond.

A Road Called Adoption

Irene Berman \$29.95

Stories about the far reaching implication of adoption.

Jesse's World

Baasia Bonkowski \$29.95

Story of adoption and the global family, nine adoptive families interact.

Attachment, Trauma And Resilience

Kate Cairns \$46.95

Therapeutic caring for children separated from their families. By a social worker who has fostered twelve children.

The Face In The Mirror

Marion Crook \$19.95

Teenagers & adoption: coming to terms with the past, & facing the future. Written for both teenagers & adults.

Troubled Transplants

Richard Delaney \$32.95

Strategies for helping disturbed foster and adopted children.

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Unsung accomplishments and everyday heroics of foster and adoptive parents.

Making Room In Our Hearts

Micky Duxbury \$38.95

Keeping family ties open through adoption. Great for families and professionals.

20 Things Adoptive parents Need To Succeed

Sherrie Eldridge \$29.95

Discover the unique needs of your adopted child, and how to become the best parent you can be.

Adopting : Parent's Stories

Jane Turner Goldsmith ed \$27.95

Australian parents recount their experiences of local and intercountry adoption. Joys, hopes, and challenges.

Adoption Without Fear

James Gritter \$25.95

Couples tell of emotion-filled experiences with open adoption.

Developing Adoption Support and Therapy

Angie Hart \$49.95

Draws together parents experiences, professional practice & research with adoption of older children, single, lesbian & gay, importance of openness in adoptive relationships.

Great Answers To Difficult Questions About Adoption

Fanny Herlem \$25.95

All the things children need to know.

Lesbian & Gay Fostering & Adoption

Stephen Hicks ed \$39.95

Written by gay and lesbian people in UK, moving accounts of true experiences. Encouragement to lesbians or gay men wanting to foster or adopt.

Creative Therapy For Children In New Families

Angela Hobday et al \$67.95

Therapy for children in new families through adoption or fostering.

Family Wanted:Adoption Stories

Sara Holloway ed \$24.95

Powerful collection of pieces on adoption by notable writers from all three sides of the issue, includes Jeanette Winterson and Robert Dessaix, who were both adopted.

Toddler Adoption

Mary Hopkins-Best \$53.95

Looks at the challenges involved in adoption of a toddler. Invaluable for adoptive parents and professionals.

Patterns of Adoption

David Howe \$69.95

Working together for children, young people & their families.

Facilitating Developmental Attachment

Daniela Hughes \$83.95

A major contributor to all workers involved with foster and adopted children, and can lead the way to more effective treatment options.

Issues In Foster Care

Greg Kelly & Robbie Gilligan \$55.95

Assessing the current state of policy, practice, and research. Published in UK but relevant to Aust conditions.

Open Adoption

Jeanne Lindsay \$19.75

Helps adoptive parents, birthparents and counselor, to be open, honest and have trust in the adoption triangle.

The Many-Sided Triangle

Audrey Marshall & Margaret McDonald \$34.70

A comprehensive account of the complexity of adoption in Australia, covers history, law and practice

Parenting Your Adopted Older Child

Brenda McCreight \$39.95

How to overcome the unique challenges and raise a happy and healthy child who has been adopted at an age over two years.

Adoption Crisis

JoEllen McKelvey \$40.65

Outlines ways to achieve the greatest possibility of long-term success through post-adoption support systems. Covers foster care, legal issues, attachment, foreign adoption, the multi-cultural debate, challenged children, loss and healing.

The Adoption Experience

Ann Morris \$51.65

Real life stories of families who have given children a second chance, looking at every stage of the adoption process.

Family of Adoption (Revised Edition)

Joyce Pavao \$48.95

Demonstrates the developmental stages & challenges for all adopted people with insightful, informative and moving information.

Adoption The Common Thread

Parramatta/Holroyd Family Support \$25.00

Short personal stories of adoption.

Adoption and the Family System

Miriam Reitz \$76.95

Touching on universal themes of abandonment, identity, sexuality, parenthood and sense of belonging, this book utilizes a family systems theory approach. Practical guidance for birth parents, adoptive families and adoptees

Life Story Work

Tony Ryan & Rodger Walker \$47.95

Practical guide to helping adopted / fostered children understand their past Using narrative process.

Other Mother

Carol Schaefer \$29.65

True story about surrendering a child for adoption.

Welcome Home!

Lita Schwartz ed \$47.95

An international and nontraditional reader of personal stories for anyone considering cross-cultural adoption.

On Their Own

Martha Shirk \$47.00

What happens to kids when they age out of the foster care system. Recommendations for action.

The Realities of Adoption

Jerome Smith \$29.65

Examines controversies associated with adoption, and the dramatic changes of the last twenty years. Also looks at role of the birth father, and children's rights.

To Search for Self

Phillip Swain \$34.95

Explores key issues for today's Australian adoption practice, birthparents, adopted children, adoptive parent, social workers and the experience of access to adoption information.

The Adoption Reunion Handbook

Liz Trinder et al \$37.95

Large scale research study and how-to guide into experiences of adopted people who have had a reunion with birth relatives.

Coming Home To Self

Nancy Verrier \$49.95

For all members of the adoption triad, the adopted child grows up.

The Primal Wound

Nancy Verrier \$39.95

Understanding the adopted child. A book to revolutionize the way we think about adoption. Brings insight to the experiences of abandonment and loss.

The Birth of an Adoptive, Foster or Stepmother

Barbara Waterman \$43.95

Shows the important ways non-biological attachment is both similar to and different from biological attachment.

CHILDREN'S BOOKS

My Lifebook Journal

Therese Accinelli \$32.95

A self-esteem workbook for children in foster care. Worksheets can be copied for work with a counselor or teacher.

Zachary's New Home

Geraldine Blomquist \$17.95

A story for foster and adopted children, explaining their experiences, emotions and difficulties.

Our Baby From China

Nancy D'Antonio \$27.95

An adoption story for children, illustrated with appealing photographs

Adoption Is For Always

Linda Girard \$12.95

A story for young children.

We Adopted You, Benjamin Koo

Linda Girard \$12.95

A children's story about a young boy adopted from Korea and his feelings about what is family.

Our Twitchy

Kes Gray \$16.95

Twitchy the bunny is not the same as his mum and dad, and they explain why.

Adopted And Wondering

Marge Heegaard \$19.95

Drawing workbook for children to explore feelings about adoption.

Finding The Right Spot

Janice Levy \$19.95

When children can't live with their parents, easy reader for young children.

I Love You Like Crazy Cakes

Rose Lewis \$27.95

Personal story of a single mother adopting a baby girl from China with beautiful illustrations

Tell Me A Real Adoption Story

Betty Lifton \$26.35

A story for children explaining why we need to know about our heritage and how adoptive parents can help their child feel secure by being honest.

“Why Was I Adopted?”

Carole Livingston \$24.95

Picture book for young children, explaining the facts of adoption as an act of love.

A Koala For Kate

Jonathan London \$24.15

Story about a young girl who asks questions about her birth and adoption. She is answered honestly with simple information, which makes her feel valued and accepted.

Did My First Mother Love Me?

Kathryn Miller \$12.95

A story for an adopted child.

Kids Need To Be Safe

Julie Nelson \$17.95

Picture story book for young children in foster care.

Families Change

Julie Nelson \$19.95

Picture story book for young children experiencing termination of parental rights, about changes re adoption or fostering.

All About Adoption

Marc Nemiroff \$17.95

How families are made. Answers lots of questions kids ask about adoption.

We Belong Together

Todd Parr \$14.95

Bright and breezy picture storybook for very young children explaining adoption.

What Do We Think About Adoption?

Jillian Powell \$19.95

Explains to children that everybody has parents by birth, but sometimes they can't look after their children, and have them adopted or fostered. Explores children's feelings about being adopted.

Maybe Days

Jennifer Wilgocki \$19.95

A reassuring book for young children in foster care. The answer to many questions for these children must be “maybe”.

This Is How We Became A Family

Wayne Willis \$27.95

Suitable for children of all ages, beautiful illustrations, and simple story explaining adoption.

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