

Teen Fiction

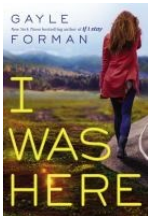
Books dealing with Suicide & Depression

National Suicide Prevention Hotline– 1-800-273-TALK (8255)



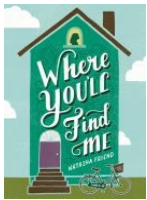
***Playlist for the dead* by Michelle Falkoff– YA Fiction Falkoff**

After his best friend, Hayden, commits, suicide, fifteen-year-old Sam is determined to find out why--using the clues in the playlist Hayden left for him.



***I Was here* by Gayle Foreman– YA Fiction Foreman**

In an attempt to understand why her best friend committed suicide, eighteen-year-old Cody Reynolds retraces her dead friend's footsteps and makes some startling discoveries.



***Where You'll Find Me* by Natasha Friend– YA Fiction Friend**

After her mother's attempted suicide, thirteen-year-old Anna goes to live with her father and his new family, and learns to navigate the shifting loyalties of middle school friendships.



***The last Time We Say Goodbye* by Cynthia Hand– YA Fiction Hand**

After her younger brother, Tyler, commits suicide, Lex struggles to work through her grief in the face of a family that has fallen apart, the sudden distance between her and her friends, and memories of Tyler that still feel all too real.



***Hold Still* by Nina LaCour– YA Fiction LaCour**

Ingrid didn't leave a note. Three months after her best friend's suicide, Caitlin finds what she left instead: a journal, hidden under Caitlin's bed.



***All the Bright Places* by Jennifer Niven– YA Fiction Niven**

Told in alternating voices, when Theodore Finch and Violet Markey meet on the ledge of the bell tower at school--both teetering on the edge--it's the beginning of an unlikely relationship, a journey to discover the "natural wonders" of the state of Indiana, and two teens' desperate desire to heal and save one another.



***By the time you read this, I'll be dead* by Julie Anne Peters– YA Fiction Peters**

After a lifetime of being bullied, Daelyn Rice is broken beyond repair. She has tried to kill herself before, and is determined to get it right this time. In a harrowing story, a National Book Award finalist shines a light on how bullying can push young people to the very edge.

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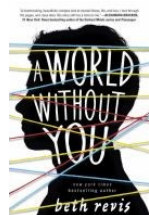
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***Forgive Me, Leonard Peacock* by Matthew Quick– YA Fiction Quick**

A day in the life of a suicidal teen boy saying good-bye to the four people who matter most to him.



***A World Without You* by Beth Revis– YA Fiction Revis**

Seventeen-year-old Bo attends Berkshire Academy, which he believes is a school for kids with superpowers, and struggles in the aftermath of his girlfriend, Sofia's, suicide. Convinced he can travel through time, Bo refuses to believe Sofia died. Instead, he's certain she's trapped in the year 1692.



***This Song Will Save Your Life* by Leila Sales– YA Fiction Sales**

Nearly a year after a failed suicide attempt, fifteen-year-old Elise discovers that she has the passion, and the talent, to be a disc jockey.



***The memory of light* by Francisco X. Stork—YA Fiction Stork**

When Victoria Cruz wakes up in the psychiatric ward of a Texas hospital after her failed suicide attempt, she still has no desire to live, but as the weeks pass, and she meets Dr. Desai and three of the other patients, she begins to reflect on the reasons why she feels like a loser compared with the rest of her family, and to see a path ahead where she can make a life of her own.



***My heart and other black holes* by Jasmine Warga—YA Fiction Warga**

Seventeen-year-old Aysel's hobby--planning her own death--take a new path when she meets a boy who has similar plan of his own

Non-Fiction Books on Suicide Prevention362.28, 616.8527

National Suicide Prevention Hotline

1-800-273-8255

GLBT National Help Center Hotline

1-888-THE-GLNH (888-843-4564)

Crisis Text Line

Text HOME to 741741 from anywhere in the USA, anytime, about any type of crisis.