



## “Special Words” Series

### Book #4: “DEATH”

#### Love Codes: Compassion & Kindness

Some people are more compassionate than others. Some are kinder than others. However, knowing how to be compassionate and kind are two important traits in life.

So teach our children about compassion and kindness. Validate their feelings of anger, sadness, grievances and losses when a loved one passes away. Allow them to reflect how they would feel if the one who passes away is someone they love and care about.

## 「特別詞彙」系列

### 第四冊：《死亡》

#### 親子心語：同情心和仁慈

有些人比其他人更富同情心。有些人比其他人更仁慈。不管怎樣，懂得如何做個有同情心和仁慈的人，是生命中兩個重要的特點。

所以，要教導我們的孩子認識同情心和仁慈。當親人去世時，要承認他們感到憤怒、悲傷、委屈和失落是正常的。如果去世的人是他們所愛和關心的，便要讓他們把感受反映出來。

#### For Children Age: Birth – 3 Years Old

- 1) Which pictures in the book do we like?
- 2) What do we like about these pictures?
- 3) If we miss someone but cannot see him/her, maybe we can draw a picture together of him/her? Or how about singing a song together as we think about him/her?
- 4) When is our favorite reading time each day?
- 5) Where do we put this book after we read it? Do we need to turn off the computer, iPad or laptop after we read this book online?

#### 適合年齡：由出生至3歲

- 1) 我們喜歡這書中的哪些圖畫？
- 2) 這些圖畫有甚麼吸引我們喜歡？

- 3) 我們若想念某人，卻看不見他 / 她，也許我們可以一起畫一幅他 / 她的圖畫？或者在想著他 / 她的時候，一起唱一首歌？
- 4) 我們最喜歡在每天甚麼時候一起閱讀？
- 5) 看完這本書後，我們該把它放在哪裡？我們在網上讀完這本書後，需要關掉電腦、iPad 或筆記本電腦嗎？

#### **For Children Age: 3 – 6 Years Old**

- 1) Which is your favorite part of the book?
- 2) What is the story about? Which words do you not understand?
- 3) Have you ever lost something? Have you ever seen any sick or dead animal?
- 4) Do you know of anyone who has died? Is the person a member of your family? Can you tell me more about this person and what happened to him/her? Did you feel sad? Did you see others sad? What can you do to comfort them?
- 5) How would you feel if someone we love leaves us and can no longer be with us again? What are some kind things we can do for this person who has lost a loved one and feels sad? Why, how and where do people die?
- 6) If you can add more things to this book, what would you like to add?

#### **適合年齡：3至6歲**

- 1) 你最喜歡這本書的哪一部分？
- 2) 這個故事是關於甚麼？哪些詞彙是你不明白的？
- 3) 你試過遺失東西嗎？你有見過生病或死亡的小動物嗎？
- 4) 你認識有誰死了嗎？這人是你的家人嗎？你能告訴我更多關於這人的事，以及他 / 她發生了甚麼事情嗎？你是否感到難過？你看見別人也感到難過嗎？你可以怎樣安慰他們？
- 5) 如果我們所愛的人離開了我們，不能再和我們在一起，你會有何感覺？對於這個因為失去親人而感到難過的人，我們可以為他 / 她做些甚麼仁愛的事？人會為何、如何及在哪裏死亡？
- 6) 如果你可以在這本書中增添一些內容，你想增添甚麼？

#### **For Children Age: 6 – 10 Years Old**

- 1) How do you spell the word, “Death”?
- 2) What do you like or not like about this book?
- 3) Do you think this is a happy story or a sad story? Why?
- 4) Why do we want to live and not die? Where do people go after death? Do you know of anyone who has died? Is the person a member of your family? Can you tell me more about this person and what happened to him/her? Did you feel sad? Did you see

others sad? What can you do to comfort them? How would you feel if someone we love leaves us and can no longer be with us again? What are some kind things we can do for this person who has lost a loved one and feels sad?

- 5) What is compassion? Why do we want to be compassionate to people who are sad and suffering? What are some examples of being compassionate?
- 6) What is kindness? Why do we want to be kind? What are some examples of being kind?
- 7) Are there other words you want to see in a book like this?

### 適合年齡：6至10歲

- 1) 你怎麼寫「死亡」這個詞彙？
- 2) 這本書有甚麼是你喜歡或不喜歡的？
- 3) 你覺得這是一個快樂的故事，還是一個悲傷的故事？為甚麼？
- 4) 我們為甚麼想生存而不是死去？人死後往哪裏去？你認識有誰死了嗎？這人是你的家人嗎？你能告訴我更多關於這人的事，以及他／她發生了甚麼事情嗎？你是否感到難過？你看見別人也感到難過嗎？你可以怎樣安慰他們？如果我們所愛的人離開了我們，不能再和我們在一起，你會有何感覺？對於這個因為失去親人而感到難過的人，我們可以為他／她做些甚麼仁愛的事？
- 5) 甚麼是同情心？為甚麼我們要對悲傷和受苦的人有同情心？你能列舉一些顯出同情心的例子嗎？
- 6) 甚麼是仁慈？為甚麼我們想做一個仁慈的人？你能列舉一些顯出仁慈的例子嗎？
- 7) 你還想在這樣的書中看到其他詞彙嗎？