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Coming Back to Life
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A doctor recounts patient

stories from her five-year clinical study of Near-Death Experiences, revealing how this phenomenon is more powerful than we realize Dr. Penny Sartori is a registered nurse who began researching Near-Death Experiences (NDEs) in 1995 after one of her long-term intensive care patients begged her to let him die in peace. Inspired by this

encounter, she went on to research NDEs in a PhD program, where she learned profound spiritual lessons and made startling discoveries that she now shares in *The Wisdom of Near-Death Experiences*. During her academic work, Dr. Sartori studied three samples of ICU patients during a five-year period. Here, she recounts the eye-opening stories of those patients who experienced NDEs and out-of-body experiences (OBEs). In one group, as many as 18% of patients experienced an NDE—though Patient #10 stood out among the others. After being unresponsive, he awoke to report he had experienced an OBE. He was able to describe what happened in the hospital room while he was unconscious and claimed he met not only his deceased father but a Jesus-like

figure. Most shocking of all, he had regained the use of his hand—which had been paralyzed since birth. When talking about the biggest takeaways from her research, Dr. Sartori shares how her findings have made her question the common belief that the brain gives rise to consciousness. Most importantly, she has gained a deeper appreciation for death—an experience she now views with less fear and anxiety. In addition to detailing dozens of case studies, *The Wisdom of Near-Death Experiences* also discusses childhood NDEs, the differences in NDEs among different cultures, and the after-effects of NDEs. *Near-Death Experiences* William Morrow & Company Can Christians Trust Tales from Heaven? Yes! Millions have read the testimonies of those who have been to heaven and returned. But what do these stories mean for

Christians? How do they fit with what the Bible teaches? What do they say about who goes to heaven? Debate has raged throughout the church about whether we should trust these testimonies, since they don't always align with what we think the Bible teaches. Reverend John Price, a pastor who has been a pioneer in integrating near-death accounts into ministry, surveys the Bible and Christian doctrines to discover that these firsthand accounts of encounters with God are fully compatible with Christian spirituality. Price began his ministry not believing in heaven. In *Revealing Heaven*, after hearing over two hundred accounts of near-death experiences, Price narrates the stories of those who helped change his mind and now makes a case not only for why Christians can trust near-death accounts but for why we should treat these amazing stories as precious gifts from God.

Transformed by the Light

Simon and Schuster

This book investigates the astonishing claim that blind persons, including those

blind from birth, can actually "see" during near-death or out-of-body episodes. The authors present their findings in scrupulous detail, investigating case histories of blind persons who have actually reported visual experiences under these conditions. There is fascinating evidence that the blind do "see" in these moments, but it is not sight as we think of it. Ring and Cooper suggest a kind of "transcendental awareness" they refer to as Mindsight. It involves seeing in detail, sometimes from all angles at once, with everything in focus, and a sense of "knowing" the subject, not just visually, but with multisensory knowledge. Human beings may be more talented than we think, gifted with amazing abilities of perception. This book is an

opportunity to assess the evidence for yourself.

Lessons from the Light

Authentic Media Inc
Bill's Vandenburg's account of overcoming tremendous odds during the Vietnam War and near-death experiences which led to his spiritual awakening and a purpose in life.

The Handbook of Near-Death Experiences:

Thirty Years of Investigation Rainbow Ridge Pub

Encompasses every aspect of the near-death phenomenon: the experience, aftereffects and implications, reporting on the power of changed lives, the reality of deceased who come back, visitors at death's edge, out-of-body

travel, the expansion of normal faculties, the awesome presence of Deity and the importance of spirituality.

Original.

Consciousness

Beyond Life

Psychology Press

Near-death

experiences

tantalize the

public's interest

in what lies beyond

the final human

breath. Answers

have been streaming

by the thousands

during the last few

decades from people

who have had them.

However, grand

designs can only be

splendidly revealed

by connecting

thousands of NDE

accounts like a

jigsaw puzzle. In

his groundbreaking book, "Psychology and the Near-Death Experience," Roy L. Hill roughly sketches God's canvas by integrating hundreds of NDE testimonies within the context of human psychology. As an inquisitive psychologist with strong spiritual roots, Roy's book uniquely mixes academic curiosity with a deep reverence for the sacred. The reader can expect exposure to profound spiritual insights throughout the book. Systems of meaning will be challenged, new

purpose will be defined, and the nature of self will be primed for discovery. In this manner, "Psychology and the Near-Death Experience" may aid the spiritual explorer in their search for God.

Evidence of the Afterlife Watkins Media Limited
The Most Compelling Scientific Evidence for Life Beyond Death Ever Compiled Evidence of the Afterlife shares the firsthand accounts of people who have died and lived to tell about it. Through their work at the Near Death Experience Research Foundation, radiation oncologist Jeffrey Long and his wife, Jody, have gathered thousands of accounts of near-death

experiences (NDEs) from all over the world. In addition to sharing the personal narrative of their experiences, visitors to the website are asked to fill out a one hundred-item questionnaire designed to isolate specific elements of the experience and to flag counterfeit accounts. The website has become the largest NDE research database in the world, containing over 1,600 NDE accounts. The people whose stories are captured in the database span all age groups, races, and religious affiliations and come from all over the world, yet the similarities in their stories are as awe-inspiring as they are revealing. Using this treasure trove of data, Dr. Long

explains how medical evidence fails to explain these reports and why there is only one plausible explanation—that people have survived death and traveled to another dimension.

Near-death Experiences Oxford University Press

Near death experiences fascinate everyone, from theologians to sociologists and neuroscientists. This groundbreaking book introduces the phenomenon of NDEs, their personal impact and the dominant scientific explanations. Taking a strikingly original cross-cultural approach and incorporating new medical research, it

combines new theories concludes that we of mind and body with need to move towards contemporary research a more integrated into how the brain view of embodiment, functions. Ornella in order to Corazza analyses understand what human dualist models of life is and also what mind and body, it can be. Ornella discussing the main Corazza is a NDE features of NDEs as researcher at the reported by many School of Oriental people who have and African Studies experienced them. She (SOAS), University of studies the use of London. In 2004-5 she ketamine to reveal was a Member of the how characteristics 21st Century Centre of NDEs can be of Excellence (COE) chemically induced 'Program on the without being close Construction of Death to death. This and Life Studies' at evidence challenges the University of the conventional Tokyo. 'survivalist **What Is a Near-Death Experience?** Hampton hypothesis', according to which Roads Publishing the near death Company Incorporated experience is a proof A doctor's account of the existence of of her own an afterlife. This experience of death, remarkable book heaven and return to

life with a new realization of her purpose on earth. Dr Mary Neal, an orthopaedic surgeon, was on a kayaking holiday in Chile. Sceptical of near death experiences, she was to have her life transformed when her kayak became wedged in rocks at the bottom of a waterfall and was underwater for so long that her heart stopped. To Heaven And Back is Mary's faith-enriching story of her spiritual journey, her first-hand experience of heaven and its continuing life-enhancing effects. *Heaven is for Real Deluxe Edition* Pan By the author of "Jesus: the Evidence" .

This book investigates the question of whether there is life after death, based on real-life experiences. It explores aspects of the near-death experience, such as the floating " out of body" and the " going back" to physical life.

If Morning Never Comes HarperOne

The scientific evidence for life after death • Explains why near-death experiences (NDEs) offer evidence of an afterlife and discredits the psychological and physiological explanations for them • Challenges materialist arguments against consciousness surviving death •

Examines ancient and modern accounts of NDEs from around the world, including China, India, and many from tribal societies such as the Native American and the Maori Predating all organized religion, the belief in an afterlife is fundamental to the human experience and dates back at least to the Neanderthals. By the mid-19th century, however, spurred by the progress of science, many people began to question the existence of an afterlife, and the doctrine of materialism--which believes that consciousness is a creation of the brain--began to

spread. Now, using scientific evidence, Chris Carter challenges materialist arguments against consciousness surviving death and shows how near-death experiences (NDEs) may truly provide a glimpse of an awaiting afterlife. Using evidence from scientific studies, quantum mechanics, and consciousness research, Carter reveals how consciousness does not depend on the brain and may, in fact, survive the death of our bodies. Examining ancient and modern accounts of NDEs from around the world, including China, India, and tribal societies such as the Native

American and the Maori, he explains how NDEs provide evidence of consciousness surviving the death of our bodies. He looks at the many psychological and physiological explanations for NDEs raised by skeptics--such as stress, birth memories, or oxygen starvation--and clearly shows why each of them fails to truly explain the NDE. Exploring the similarities between NDEs and visions experienced during actual death and the intersection of physics and consciousness, Carter uncovers the truth about mind, matter, and life after death.

Life at Death Hampton Roads Publishing
A team of international experts presents the history, recent developments, and controversies in the intriguing study of near-death experience. • 14 tables

Psychology and the Near-Death Experience Da Capo Press

An updated edition of a controversial guide to the near-death experience draws on interviews with more than 4,000 adults and children who have had an NDE and includes cautionary reports that not everything that subjects have

experienced was
positive and
comforting.
Original.

The Science of Near-Death Experiences

Praeger

Death is the only
certainty in life
yet many people shy
away from thinking
about it until
something drastic
happens such as the
diagnosis of a life-
threatening
illness, or the
sudden death of a
loved one, which
can throw us into
turmoil. Yet,
paradoxically,
contemplating death
and the frequently-
experienced
phenomenon of near-
death experiences
(NDEs) - which are

so little
recognised and
supported within
the traditional
medical environment
- can really help
alter our
relationship with
death and release
us from the fear
that often
surrounds it. After
an insightful
introduction about
why the subject of
NDEs is so worth
exploring, each
chapter in this
book addresses a
key question: What
are the
Characteristics of
an NDE, and are
there different
types? Are all NDE
experiences
pleasant, or can
some be

distressing? Who has NDEs and under what circumstances do they occur? How do they affect the people who have them, and how can this change their lives? How can NDEs be scientifically explained - aren't they just hallucinations? What can we learn from NDEs, and can they change our attitude to life and death? Can a greater understanding of NDEs lead to an evolution in our consciousness and an enhanced sense of spirituality? As such, this book really brings readers on an

exploratory journey through the world of NDEs, challenging preconceptions about what they are and the impact they can have, encouraging us to accept and feel empowered by death, rather than living in fear of it, and giving us useful insights about life along the way.

The Gifts of Near-Death Experiences

Routledge

Near-death

experiences gives

an account of the

profound meaning

and striking

transformative

effects that near-

death experiences

engender. They

argue that the integrity of scientific inquiry is compatible with genuine understanding of the significance of human spirituality. Near-Death Experiences Jessica Kingsley Publishers While providing many accounts of near-death experiences (NDEs) from men, women, and children of all ages and backgrounds, Lessons from the Light is much more than just an inspiring collection of NDEs. In Lessons near-death expert Kenneth Ring extracts the pure

gold of the NDE and with a beautiful balance of sound research and human insight reveals the practical wisdom held within these experiences. As Stanley Krippner states, "In this remarkable book, Ring presents evidence that merely learning about the near-death experience has similar positive effects to those reported by people who actually have had near-death experiences. Kenneth Ring is one of the few authors whose gifts include the capacity to transform their readers' lives."

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Consciousness

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 there a light at the soul, God,
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 and lived to tell purpose of life. It
 the tale—an investigates and

reports on the power of changed lives, the expansion of normal faculties, and the importance of spirituality. With drawings, cartoons, and sidebars from experts, *The Big Book of Near-Death Experiences* is also simple and accessible, designed for the busy reader who wants quick little nuggets of wisdom. If you want to know what lies ahead, this book gives you a road map while exploring and affirming the presence of a spirit and the ultimate power of love.

To Heaven and Back
Harper Collins
#1 New York Times best-seller with more than 11 million copies sold and Amazon's #17 best-selling book of all time. *Heaven Is for Real* was the best-selling non-fiction book of 2011 as reported by Nielsen's Bookscan, and was developed as a major motion picture by Sony in 2014. "Do you remember the hospital, Colton?" Sonja said. "Yes, mommy, I remember," he said. "That's where the angels sang to me." When Colton Burpo made it through an emergency appendectomy, his family was overjoyed at his miraculous

survival. What they weren't expecting, though, was the story that emerged in the months that followed—a beautiful as it was extraordinary, detailing their little boy's trip to heaven and back. Colton, not yet four years old, told his parents he left his body during the surgery—and authenticated that claim by describing exactly what his parents were doing in another part of the hospital while he was being operated on. He talked of visiting heaven and relayed stories told to him by people he met there whom he had never met in life, sharing events that happened even before he was born. He also astonished his parents with descriptions and obscure details about heaven that matched the Bible exactly, though he had not yet learned to read. With disarming innocence and the plainspoken boldness of a child, Colton tells of meeting long-departed family members. He describes Jesus, the angels, how "really, really big" God is, and how much God loves us. Retold by his father, but using Colton's uniquely simple words, Heaven Is for Real offers a glimpse of the world that awaits us, where as Colton says, "Nobody is old and nobody wears

glasses." Heaven Is for Real will forever change the way you think of eternity, offering the chance to see, and believe, like a child. Continue the Burpos story in Heaven Changes Everything: The Rest of Our Story. Heaven Is for Real also is available in Spanish, El cielo es real. *Jesus and the Near-Death Experience* Moment Point Press Near-death experiences (NDEs) are common, well-documented, and similar across cultures throughout the world. Current estimates are that between 4 and 15 percent of the world's population have had an NDE.

Some of the fascination with NDEs comes from the fact that they often result in great leaps in personal growth. These leaps are characterized by the loss of the fear of death, the healing of deep hurts, an increase in self-esteem and compassion for others, a sense of union with all things, and a clearer sense of how to fulfill one's purpose in life. This is a book that teaches readers how to reap the benefits of NDEs without having to experience trauma. In the course of their many workshops around the world, the authors have discovered that when one immerses oneself

in accounts of NDEs, one can experience love, hope, healing, and a sense of purpose. This is the only book that systematically encourages the reader to create a spiritual and psychological healing practice based on NDEs. Each chapter includes an account of a fascinating NDE, followed by a series of questions, meditations, exercises, and video links. The reader is encouraged to contemplate these stories and their own lives. It is truly a profound guide to both living and dying.