

Cocoon Of Love For Caregivers

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Discover the 'Cocoon Of Love,' a dedicated sanctuary designed to provide essential support and foster the well-being of caregivers. This vital resource offers a much-needed haven for respite, helping to prevent burnout and encourage crucial self-care. Caregivers deserve a space for emotional support and renewal, empowering them to continue their invaluable work with strength and compassion.

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Cocoon of Love for Caregivers

A caregiver's life is a whirlwind of activity and emotion. You are dealing with a lot of stress and many unknowns. Some days it gets you down. When you need encouragement, you need it to be fast and powerful. You know you need to take care of yourself. It's time to feel the love. It's time to look at things from a different perspective. Get the Caregiver Attitude and discover: How to keep your spirits up when you are discouraged What your care means to your loved one What true strength really is A new perspective on life's priorities How to deal with the change in your life How caregiver courage overcomes fear How to care for yourself, with love "Cocoon of Love for Caregivers" is a series of short, powerful, and inspirational readings to help busy caregivers deal with the challenges life throws at them. These encouraging messages are filled with wisdom and practical tips to help caregivers stay positive and feel the love at a stressful and challenging time in their life.

Cocoon of Love for Cancer Caregivers

At Last--Care for the Caregiver! Soon after you begin caring for your loved one with Cancer, you realize what an overwhelming commitment you have made. As you search for answers and understanding, you may feel alone and in need of someone to help you along. It seems others don't really understand what you are dealing with. You may even feel like it's all too much to bear. You have a lot of questions. This is not your usual caregiver book. "Cocoon of Love for Cancer Caregivers" will take you on the caregiver journey with compassion and practical tips to help both you and your loved one through this difficult time. It's a beautiful read with a heart-warming message of love for the caregiver. Within this book, you will discover - How to care for yourself at this challenging time How to make your loved one feel loved Ways to bring comfort, compassion, and joy into your daily lives What butterflies have to do with your loved one and you How to face your fears head on How to emerge from this experience a changed, but stronger person

Cocoon of Love for Cancer Caregivers

Rather than focus on how to perform hands-on caregiving, this book delves into practical ways to help the caregiver survive the emotional and physical impact of being a cancer caregiver. This book has many practical tips and suggestions which are certain to help any caregiver when caring for a loved one with a devastating illness. -- Amazon.

Love in the Land of Dementia

Caregiver Shouse celebrates spiritual and practical lessons learned on her unscripted yet rewarding journey with her mother through Alzheimer's disease.

A Loving Approach to Dementia Care

"This is the third edition of Laura Wayman's guide for caregivers of individuals with dementia. The book is concise, down to earth, and practical. Each chapter begins with a real-life vignette that the author then analyzes. For this third edition, the content has expanded by approximately 13,000 words, including two new chapters and a section of resources"--

The Caregivers

"From a gifted writer who spent two years in a support group for people caring for elderly and ill spouses, parents, and friends, The Caregivers chronicles the daily experiences--heart-breaking, poignant, and redemptive--of ordinary Americans as they face their final life passages"--

Love, Honor and Value

This book is about family caregivers--those who are just beginning a caregiving journey and those for whom family caregiving is an integral part of their daily lives.

Elderly Parent Caregiver Guide

Elderly Parent Caregiver 101 is the ultimate guide for adult children who are or will become their parents' caregivers. Filled with valuable information and ideas, this book offers hope, support, and plenty of practical advice for anyone caring for their elderly parents. Each chapter describes a different area of caregiving, including: • Becoming a Caregiver • Medical Providers • Facility Care • Caregiver Support • Financial Concerns • Medical Devices • Special Circumstances • End of Life As the author guides you through the maze of caregiving, she shares her knowledge as a nurse and examples from her own journey of caregiving for her elderly parents. This book defines medical terms, explains insurance options, and highlights the many tools available to caregivers. Through these topics, you'll gain the understanding needed to be a caregiver for your elderly parents. Each section offers helpful information and true insights only a caregiver can provide. The tips in every chapter are practical facts and advice for every area of your caregiving. You are not alone in your caregiving journey. Don't struggle without having the best resource for knowing everything you need to know about caring for your elderly parents. This guide is your trusted companion for that journey. About the Expert Rebecca Rehak, LPN, is a nurse, writer, and public speaker who has worked in the medical field for over 20 years, including kidney dialysis, community health, and Memory Care. As a public speaker, she helped advance programs for dialysis access care and currently teaches science camps for children. Her work has touched the lives of thousands of people. After caring for both her elderly parents, she now devotes much of her time to writing articles, blogs, and providing support for other caregivers. She and her husband live with their big, furry dog in Wisconsin. The author would like to thank the doctors and staff at Froedtert Hospital, the Medical College of Wisconsin, and Horizon Home Care and Hospice for the wonderful care they provided to both her parents. HowExpert publishes quick 'how to' guides on all topics from A to Z by everyday experts.

Chicken Soup for the Soul: Family Caregivers

Readers caring for an ailing family member will find support and encouragement in these stories by others like them. Chicken Soup for the Soul: Family Caregivers will inspire and uplift family members who are making sacrifices to make sure their loved ones are well cared for. Do you have a family member who requires constant care? You are not alone. This collection offers support and encouragement in its 101 stories for family caregivers of all ages, including the "sandwich" generation caring for a family member while raising their children. With stories by those on the receiving end of

the care too. These stories of love, sacrifice, and lessons will inspire and uplift family members making sacrifices to make sure their loved ones are well cared for, whether in their own homes or elsewhere.

Loving Someone Who Has Dementia

Research-based advice for people who care for someone with dementia Nearly half of U.S. citizens over the age of 85 are suffering from some kind of dementia and require care. *Loving Someone Who Has Dementia* is a new kind of caregiving book. It's not about the usual techniques, but about how to manage on-going stress and grief. The book is for caregivers, family members, friends, neighbors as well as educators and professionals—anyone touched by the epidemic of dementia. Dr. Boss helps caregivers find hope in "ambiguous loss"—having a loved one both here and not here, physically present but psychologically absent. Outlines seven guidelines to stay resilient while caring for someone who has dementia Discusses the meaning of relationships with individuals who are cognitively impaired and no longer as they used to be Offers approaches to understand and cope with the emotional strain of care-giving Boss's book builds on research and clinical experience, yet the material is presented as a conversation. She shows you a way to embrace rather than resist the ambiguity in your relationship with someone who has dementia.

Shades of Love and Loss

The journey of self-care and spousal care as portrayed in this non-fiction story is thoughtful, intelligent and questioning. It is like a dialogue about a stage in life and disease that is occurring in many households. The ability to articulate the feelings, facts and relationship creates a rich texture of life. The author seamlessly entwines the love story of a couple whose relationship is tested and redefined by dementia with the raw, earnest insights into the moment-by-moment mindset of the partner who becomes the caregiver.

Care Giving Gift of Unconditional Love

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Cocoon of Cancer

A book of inspiration for those diagnosed with cancer, their caregivers, families, and staff. This collection offers an insider's look at the way life changes forever when the word cancer is uttered. The essays and poems reflect an attitude of wonder, defiance, acceptance, and beauty through the painful journey.

A Loving Approach to Dementia Care

Wayman offers compassionate advice on overcoming practical and emotional obstacles to maintaining meaningful relationship with loved ones who have dementia and memory loss. She offers caregiving insights and information about the dangers of denying the onset of cognitive problems.

Labours of Love

SHORTLISTED FOR THE ORWELL PRIZE FOR POLITICAL WRITING Long before the pandemic, care work has been underpaid and its values disregarded. In this remarkable and compassionate book, Madeleine Bunting speaks to those on the front line of the care crisis, struggling to hold together a crumbling infrastructure. A combination of extraordinary first-hand accounts of caring with a history of care and its language, *Labours of Love* is an impassioned call for change at a time when we need it most.

Caregiving with Love and Joy

A revolutionary, practical, uplifting guide for the caregivers of people with Alzheimer's disease and dementia. When it comes to caring for a loved one with Alzheimer's disease or dementia, the right caregiving can make all the difference. Here, Patricia Boswell shares structured routines, life hacks, and best practices that are evidence-based and focused on maintaining the highest possible quality of life for the entire family. As a nurse and dementia expert, Boswell knows that the best caregivers think like a problem-solver, addressing physical and emotional issues as they come up. Whether readers

are providing the care themselves, managing a caregiver, or sharing the responsibilities, this book presents the most effective tips, tricks, and small changes that can reduce stress and make life easier. This comprehensive guidebook will redefine the caregiving experience as one that can be life-affirming and enjoyable. It offers a singular resource for anyone who is looking to provide or manage outstanding daily care while maintaining—and even enhancing—their own health and mental well-being.

Unbinding Love

Are you struggling with the burden of loving someone with a debilitating illness? Are you weary in your caregiving? Do you want to throw in the towel... and just give up? This simple and inspirational book will help you make the necessary changes to stay motivated in your caregiving journey. If you are looking to put balance back into your life, set boundaries with others, let go of the guilt and embrace your role as caregiver, this book is for you. In Unbinding Love you will find: A first person journey from broken to peace inside caregiving A clear path connecting you with God through a healing model created by the author Easy tips to overcome suffering in your caregiving How to quickly have hope again in your life Grant you free access to my ecourse 10 Steps to Finding Peace in Caregiving Unbinding Love is different from any other caregiver guide because the author knows firsthand what it feels like to hit rock bottom and make mistakes! Just like you, she is imperfect in her caregiving. But through the four pillars: faith, grace, surrender, and hope, you will experience the power of God that will give you the strength and guidance you need to find freedom in your caregiving. What's stopping you from living the life God created you to live?

Love in a Time of Crisis

Our Journey of Love, 5 Steps to Navigate Your Caregiving Journey shares the lessons, tips & tricks learned over the past thirty years in roles of caregiving. Sue Ryan's journey began with her feeling like she was on an emotional roller coaster-often blindfolded-and not knowing what to expect next. She didn't know anything about the disease or caregiving. She constantly felt overwhelmed. She felt like she was missing something. Sue was disappointed in herself because she felt like she should be able to do more for the person receiving the specialized care she was providing. She was exhausted mentally, physically and emotionally. She lost who she was in giving care. She was only surviving. She didn't like the disease. She didn't like what it was doing to her care receiver, to her, and to those around them. She didn't like how she felt, so she began to learn. Now, instead of feeling helpless and overwhelmed, she feels balanced, filled with hope and love. Our Journey of Love: 5 Steps to Navigate Your Caregiving Journey, is written to help everyone in roles of care support positively navigate their journey, the journey of their care receiver, and the journeys of those who support them. Through the massive acceptance and radical presence learned along this journey, Sue embraces each insight with an open mind. She's learned the value of self-care and how using it creates a better experience for her care receiver and for her. She gives you guidance about what she's learned in many areas including identifying caregiving roles with clarity, making it easier to handle frustrations (including friends stepping away), creating more positive experiences for you and your care receiver, reducing stress and eliminating overwhelm, having the hard conversations we would rather not have. Our Journey of Love: 5 Steps to Navigate Your Caregiving Journey, is written in the first person to clearly reflect sharing Sue's story, not to tell you what you need to do. You are invited to consider what Sue has learned, both what has and what has not worked for her.

Our Journey of Love

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Care Giving Gift of Unconditional Love

PREVIEW THE BOOK TRAILERS, Visit Peggi Speers' Author Page Below. The Inspired Caregiver is "a must" for you if: * You have suddenly become a caregiver * You are caregiving for a loved one who has Alzheimer's or another type of Dementia * You are a caregiver for a difficult person (Could it be they have Narcissistic Personality Disorder?) * You have caregiver burnout * You place your needs last on your daily priority list * You desire to be a healthy, inspired caregiver * You feel as if your life isn't yours anymore The Inspired Caregiver was created for the HEALTH OF THE CAREGIVER. The Inspired Caregiver shows you how to: * Balance life and caregiving responsibilities * Care for Yourself While

Caregiving for Others * Eliminate Guilt and Other Useless, Negative Emotions * Identify and Respond to the Warning Signs of Caregiver Burnout * Transform Yourself Into an Inspired Caregiver, And More! If you are a caregiver, this is a book you dog ear, underline, write in, and keep with you throughout your caregiving journey for inspiration and strength. The information in this book, if implemented, might save YOUR life.

The Inspired Caregiver

Calling All Caregivers... This book will help you! You are not alone! BE ALERT, BE HOPEFUL, BE READY! YOU CAN MAKE THE DIFFERENCE IN THE OUTCOME! This is a love story of Jane & Bernie. Two hearts united by God. The man he was and the woman, who loved him, cared for him 'til the end. It gives insight to understanding Lewy Body Dementia & Alzheimer's, through stories of challenges & triumphs. It tells many funny stories that will warm your heart! This was a beautifully written story, both heartwarming and heartbreaking. Truly an inspirational guide to all caregivers...teaching them they are "Never Alone" and to "Always choose love and happiness over fear." This book is for all those who do not know where to turn when your loved one is starting to be a little more than forgetful. It is scary to think something may truly be wrong. Where do you start? What is to come? Everyone's experience caring for a loved one with dementia will be different, but this book offers the reader hope that love can persevere through even the most trying of circumstances, "that an individual can find within themselves a light in the darkness." Facing dementia will change you and everything around you! Facing dementia is a call to love and care more deeply! "Love it!!! Find it refreshing and not so negative, but sweet and caring. I think that you have done a wonderful thing with the book and I am so pleased that you did it...can't wait to see it in print!!!" You are not alone!

Life's Journey

Linda Abbit, founder of Tender Loving Eldercare and a veteran of the caregiving industry, shares her advice on taking care of an older parent or loved one and how to handle everything that goes along with this dramatic life change. Being a caregiver can be a difficult role. It requires patience, tenderness, selflessness, and hard work. Providing care for someone, whether it's a parent, a loved one, or as a professional requires a high level of self-love and self-care. But while it may be a rewarding experience to care for a loved one, the emotional and physical stress of caregiving can lead to burnout and exhaustion—causing caregivers to put themselves and their own well-being in the background. How can you fulfill your role as a caregiver without losing yourself? Conscious Caregiver teaches you how to navigate caring for your loved one, whether it's full-time in-house caregiving or hiring support from outside services. With information on how to talk to your loved ones about the situation, handle the emotional stress, stay financially secure, and take the time to care for yourself, this guide can help you care for your loved one and yourself at the same time.

Caregiver

My nonfiction, self-help book, Caring for Someone You Love, deals with helping my father during the last year of his life. Healthy and active all his life, Dad suddenly took a fall at age 80 that resulted in a downward spiral that rendered this fiercely independent man suddenly dependent. Caring for Someone You Love, is the story of how this affected both of us. It is a story of love and adjustment and lessons learned, a personal story with broad implications at a time when our older population is larger than ever before in history. With more than 40 million Americans 65 and older, countless sons and daughters will one day find themselves in my position. My father's end of life was an inspiration to me. It is my hope this book will be an inspiration to others. I am also the author of an earlier book, Kindness on a Budget, which illustrates the gifts of being kind daily, both for the giver and the receiver alike. I am an experienced promoter, having discussed Kindness on a Budget on numerous radio shows and as a featured guest speaker before various organizations. Keywords: Family Relationships, Illness, Elderly Parents, Healthcare, Assisted Living, Care Giving, Inspiration, Kindness, Love, Respect, Positivity

The Conscious Caregiver

Stories taken from real life situations teach how to interact better with any person having dementia, the importance of the caregiver caring for their own needs and how to capture the love and laughter as well as manage the mayhem one might encounter while caregiving.

Caring For Someone You Love

A Story of a Marriage Through Dementia and Beyond is the extraordinary, unflinching account from sociologist Laurel Richardson of her love and caregiving through the last period of her husband Ernest Lockridge's life - from his transient amnesia to his death from Lewy Body Dementia. Focusing on the lived experience of the caregiver through the loved one's journey from mild cognitive impairment to death, the book gives the reader the experience of what the medical diagnoses mean and what has led up to the loss. It shows the complex, nuanced lives of a couple both living with the worst effects of a disease like Lewy Body Dementia, while maintaining, sometimes with hope and laughter, their loving connection nourished through a 40-year marriage. Dementia is a 'silver tsunami' - the third leading cause of death amongst senior populations. Richardson's beautifully written book gives on-the-ground emotional support to those already in service as caregivers and helps prepare others for such service. Hospices, book clubs, and medical and allied professionals will find this book extraordinarily valuable. Weaving in autoethnographic and sociological methods and scholarship, as well as a list of reading and further resources for caregivers and scholars, this book will also appeal to courses in a wide range of disciplines and fields, including health communication, nursing and allied health, courses covering death and dying, end-of-life, and illness care, and, of course, scholars pursuing autoethnography, creative non-fiction, and qualitative methods.

Love, Laughter, and Mayhem

"Never before has there been a caregiving book more needed than Sharing The Care. Every day I see families experience guilt and fear as they search for a care community for their loved ones. We have always known that if we all join together for the good of the residents, it works best. Now Sharing The Care takes us to another level of understanding how both sides think and how we can all do it right! I want all my families and staff to read this book because we truly believe we do share the care." Kathy Kalk, GM, Harbor Place, Port Saint Lucie, Florida. "Truly a voice in the wilderness!" Steve Nyhan, Chaplain, The Palms, Sebring, Florida "It's just what the doctor ordered!" Carol Hopkins, Family Caregiver, Pultneyvill, New York

A Story of a Marriage Through Dementia and Beyond

Drawing on the real-life stories of twenty exemplary caregivers, Dr. Charles Garfield explains the widely used Shanti caregivers model he originated--and shows how to set limits, avoid burnout, accept gratitude, and grapple with issues of life and death when caring for people with HIV/AIDS.--Amazon.com.

Sharing the Care

With Love: A Caregiver's Journal is an authentic, sincere, and loving documentation of the caregiving realities and experiences from someone who has been there. It is the true, heartfelt account of the author's daily experiences as her elderly mother's primary and sole caregiver for over five years. Taken from her daily journal recordings, the author honestly expresses the full gamut of her emotions while struggling with the dilemmas, frustrations, joys, grief, and fears during the greatest challenge of her life. This is an inspirational story showing how life's lessons are instruments toward the evolvment of an individual's spiritual growth.

Sometimes My Heart Goes Numb

Caregiving comes with heartfelt devotion and heartbreaking inner turmoil. Caregiving, especially for an elderly family member, is a silent epidemic afflicting millions of people in the United States. While the caregiver is taking care of a loved one or an aging parent, who is taking care of the caregiver? Whether you are a baby boomer in the core of the sandwich generation or a person facing the day-to-day, demanding responsibility of caring for a loved one of any age with a disability or failing health, this book is for you. It captures the depth of every human emotion. As our own mothers aged, we welcomed them to live in our homes with hopes of caring for them until their final day. We shockingly woke one day to realize the mothers we loved had evolved into mothers with strange thoughts and behaviors that we were not fully prepared to understand and deal with. We found ourselves adrift in unknown waters in a boat with a hole in it. As our rose-colored glasses shattered along with our hopes of being perfect caregivers, we were thrown into a world of chaos of which the unfortunate outcome would be the loss of someone we truly loved. Our individual stories embody two raw confessions of the reality caregivers are suddenly and overwhelmingly consumed with, while caring for aging mothers. Our goal now is to reach the desperate people who've been thrown into this turmoil and are trying to navigate

this unfamiliar world and come to terms with their conflicting emotions. The perspective we bring does not come from a professional standpoint but from the heartbreaking and demanding front lines of being the sole caregiver. These are our stories of love and commitment tested until the last breath and longer.

Love Or Duty?

A practical discussion of the emotional challenges of caring for an aged or chronically ill loved one. Combines expert narrative with personal vignettes of four caregivers. Helps readers deal with the reality of tragedy, understand the dramatic changes in life expectations, and accept the validity of their emotional responses. Chapters cover what it means to be a caregiver, physical and cognitive changes in the patient, the impact on one's beliefs and life expectations, developing healthy coping strategies. Appendices offer detailed descriptions of stroke, head injury, tumors, Parkinson's and more.

With Love

Do you feel you are losing your love for your loved one? That would be tragic. There are many subplots in the caregiver picture, but none more tragic than the loss of love felt by caregivers, as the direct result of their constant and time-consuming, caregiving responsibilities. A highly heralded and expansive study completed by AARP and NAC noted that 56% of the caregivers surveyed had lost or were losing their affection for their patient. This Short-Book makes a strong case for the ever-present possibility of re-kindling and re-igniting that love. Never before have so many dedicated and well-intended individuals volunteered to provide tender care for a spouse, family member, friend or companion. Over 44 million caregivers are providing loving service to over 60 million loved patients with far too little information and assistance. Adding to those numbers are the 10 million Millennials who are soon to join their ranks, completing a concerning, exponential rise in the number of those engaged in this remarkable work. And still, the numbers keep growing while the frustrations increase. In what should be an environment of love and understanding, many caregivers are trapped in a deplorable, even unforgivable dilemma. The bottom line is they are worn out and many want out. This book clearly provides hope and solutions to: 1. Solve emotional issues 2. Lessen physical trials 3. Find help and assistance 4. Restore confidence 5. Achieve success and satisfaction 6. Renew hope and happiness

As Love Wrinkles

Structured in short vignettes, this beautiful teaching memoir offers an honest, sometimes humorous, yet loving window into the lives of Towne and his beloved Nan as they navigate the changing landscape of her illness. Caregivers will recognize themselves in Towne as he reveals the daily challenges and joys that a diagnosis of dementia bring to a marriage. The prayers that follow each vignette will give readers/caregivers a new perspective on what it means to know that "Love Cares."

Caregiver's Reprieve

No one wakes upon day and says "I want to be a caregiver." Being a caregiver is truly a journey of unconditional love. Follow our journeys as we share pieces of the days in our lives as caregivers.

Finding Hope

Greta Rey recognizes the emotional and spiritual needs of those who assume daily, often round-the-clock, nurturing of one who has physical and/or mental in sufficiencies. This book has prayers, meditations, and encouragements for caregivers.

Love Cares

A survival guide for caregivers of the seriously ill, this book offers the information and support needed to navigate the stages from initial diagnosis to planning a memorial. Rich with resources, helpful exercises, and questions to explore, this book combines the author's personal experience with her professional expertise as a psychotherapist.

My Life for Yours

Love is Not Enough

