



Suggested Reading List

Sexual Assault (General)

- Estrich, Susan. (1987). Real Rape. Harvard University Press.
- Kemmer, Elizabeth. (1977). Rape and Rape-Related Issues, An Annotated Bibliography. Garland Publishing.
- La Asociación de Texas Confronta el Asalto Sexual. (Undated). Un Folleto Para Sobrevivientes.
- Nelson, Terri Spahr, and Campbell-Ruggaard, Julie. (2000). Coping with Sexual Assault: A Guide to Resolution, Healing & Recovery. (Spanish version: Enfrentandose a la Violacion y El Abuso Sexual: Guia para facilitar el alivio y la recuperacion. Graille version. Victims Rights Advocacy in Oxford.)
- Pellauer, Chester, Boyajian. (1987). Sexual Assault and Abuse: A Handbook for Clergy and Religious Professionals. Harper Collins Publishers.
- Buchwald, Emilie, Fletcher, Pamela and Roth, Martha. (2005). Transforming a Rape Culture (Revised Edition). Milkweed Editions.
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Sexual Assault and Disabilities

- Baladerian, Nora. (1998). Forensic Assessment of Consent to Sex. Spectrum Institute.
- Baladerian, Nora. (1998). Interviewing Skills to Use with Abuse Victims who has Developmental Disabilities. Spectrum Institute.

- Lefkowitz, Bernard. (1997). [Our Guys: The Glen Ridge Rape and the Secret Life of the Perfect Suburb](#). Vintage Books.
- Los Angeles Commission on Assaults Against Women. (1986). [Survivor: For People with Developmental Disabilities Who Have Been Sexually Assaulted](#).
- Wisconsin Coalition Against Sexual Assault. (2001). [Transcending Silence: A Series About Speaking Out & Taking Action in Our Communities](#).

Adult Survivors of Child Abuse

- [Strong at the Heart: How It Feels to Heal from Sexual Abuse](#)
by Carolyn Lehman, with Forward by Laura Davis
Farrar, Straus and Giroux / November 2005
- [The Tricky Part](#)
Martin Moran
Beacon Press / June 2005
[Read a Review of this book](#)
- [The Courage to Heal - Third Edition - Revised and Expanded : A Guide for Women Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse](#)
Ellen Bass (Preface), Laura Davis (Preface)
Harpers Perennial / February 1990
Available in Spanish [El coraje de sanar](#)
- [Healing from the Trauma of Childhood Sexual Abuse : The Journey for Women](#)
by Karen A. Duncan
Praeger Publishers / August 2004
- [Trauma and Recovery](#)
Judith Herman MD
Basic Books; Reprint edition / May 1997
- [The Right to Innocence: Healing the Trauma of Childhood Sexual Abuse](#)
Beverly Engel
Ivy Books; Reprint edition / August 1991
- [Misinformation Concerning Child Sexual Abuse and Adult Survivors](#)
Charles L. Whitfield (Editor), Joyanna L. Silberg (Editor), Paul Jay Fink (Editor)
Haworth Maltreatment & Trauma Press / July 2002
- [No Secrets No Lies : How Black Families Can Heal from Sexual Abuse](#)
Robin Stone
Broadway Books / March 2004
- [I Will Survive: The African-American Guide to Healing from Sexual Assault and Abuse](#)
Lori S. Robinson, Foreword by Iyanla Vanzant, Foreword by Julia A. Boyd
Avalon Publishing Group / January 2003

- [The Obsidian Mirror: Healing from Childhood Sexual Abuse](#)
Louise M. Wischild, Foreword by Laura Davis
Seal Press WA / March 2003
- [The Sexual Healing Journey : A Guide for Survivors of Sexual Abuse \(Revised Edition\)](#)
Wendy Maltz, Carol Arian (Illustrator)
Quill, Revised Edition/ February 2001
- [Beginning to Heal \(Revised Edition\) : A First Book for Men and Women Who Were Sexually Abused As Children](#)
Ellen Bass, Laura Davis
HarperCollins Publishers / April 1993
- [Paths to Wellness: A Holistic Approach and Guide for Personal Recovery](#)
Freeman-Longo, R.E.
Holyoke, MA: NEARI Press / December 2001
- [Victims No Longer: Men Recovering from Incest and Other Sexual Child Abuse](#) (second edition)
Mike Lew
HarperCollins / May 2004
- [Leaping upon the Mountains: Men Proclaiming Victory over Sexual Child Abuse](#)
Mike Lew
North Atlantic Book / March 2000
- [Abused Boys: The Neglected Victims of Sexual Abuse](#)
Mic Hunter
Ballantine Books; Reprint edition / July 1991
- [Secret Survivors: Uncovering Incest and Its Aftereffects in Women](#)
E. Sue Blume
Ballantine Books; Reprint edition / March 1991
- [What About Me? A Guide for Men Helping Female Partners Deal with Childhood Sexual Abuse](#)
Grant Cameron
Creative Bound, Incorporated / June 1994
- [Allies in Healing: When the Person You Love Was Sexually Abused as a Child](#)
Laura Davis
Perennial / September 1991
- [Shine the Light: Sexual Abuse and Healing in the Jewish Community](#)
Rachel Lev
Northeastern University Press / November 2002

Children Survivors of Child Abuse

- [The Kindness of Strangers](#)
Katrina Kittle
William Morrow / February 2006
- [Kids Helping Kids: Break the Silence of Sexual Abuse](#)
Linda Lee Foltz
Lighthouse Point Press / March 2003
- [I Told My Secret: A Book for Kids Who Were Abused](#)
Eliana Gil
Launch Press / November 1986
- [Spread Your Wings & Fly: Inspired by Actual Events](#)
Rebecca Engle Smith
Agreka Books / July 2000
- [I Can't Talk About It: A Child's Book About Sexual Abuse](#)
Doris Sanford
Multnomah Publishers/ February 1988
- [My Very Own Book About Me: A Personal Safety Book](#)
Jo Stowell, Mary Dietzel
ACT for Kids / January 2000
- [The Me Nobody Knows: A Guide for Teen Survivors](#)
Barbara Bean, Shari Bennett
Jossey-Bass / September 1998
- [How Long Does It Hurt: A Guide to Recovering from Incest and Sexual Abuse for Teenagers, Their Friends and Their Families](#)
Cynthia Mather, Kristina E. Debye
Jossey-Bass / September 1994
- [When Your Child Has Been Molested : A Parent's Guide to Healing and Recovery](#)
Kathryn B. Hagans, Joyce Case
Jossey-Bass; Reprint edition / January 1998
- [It Happens to Boys Too](#)
Russell Bradway, Roberta Russell, Pat A. Bradway, Jane A. Satullo
Elizabeth Freeman Center / May 1987

Perpetrators

- [Child Survivors and Perpetrators of Sexual Abuse : Treatment Innovations](#)
Mic Hunter
Sage / April 1995
- [Sexual Abuse in Christian Homes and Churches](#)
Carolyn Holderread Heggen, Marie M. Fortune
Herald Press / December 1999
- [Children Who Don't Speak Out: About Children Being Abused in Child Pornography](#)

- Carl Goran Svedin, Kristina Black, Kristina Back
Radda Barnen Forlag / May 1997
- [From Victim To Survivor: Women Survivors Of Female Perpetrators](#)
Juliann Mitchell, Juliann Whetsell-Mitchell, Jill Morse
Taylor & Francis, Inc. / September 1997

Legislation and support providers

- [Child Sexual Abuse in Civil Cases: A Guide to Custody and Tort Actions](#)
Ann M. Haralambie
American Bar Association / 1999
[Coordinating Child Sexual Abuse Services in Rural Communities](#)
Barry Trute, Elizabeth Adkins, George MacDonald
University of Toronto Press / July 1994
- [Treatment and Prevention of Childhood Sexual Abuse: A Child-Generated Model](#)
Sandra A. Burkhardt (Editor), Anthony F. Rotatori (Editor)
Taylor and Francis, Inc. / May 1995
- [Overcoming Child Abuse: A Window on a World Problem](#)
Michael D. Freeman (Editor)
Ashgate Publishing, Limited / November 1999
- [Childhood Sexual Abuse: A Reference Handbook](#)
Edgar W. Butler, Karen L. Kinnear
A B C-CLIO, Incorporated / December 1995
- [Dialogues with Forgotten Voices: Relational Perspectives on Child Abuse Trauma and the Treatment of Severe Dissociative Disorders](#)
Harvey L. Schwartz
Basic Books / October 2000
- [Readings on Groupwork Intervention in Child Sexual Abuse](#)
Andrew Kerslake (Editor)
Human Science Publishers / April 1994
- [Confronting Child Abuse: Research for Effective Program Design](#)
Deborah Daro
Simon & Schuster / January 1988
- [Children and Adolescents in Need : A Legal Primer for the Helping Professional](#)
Virginia G. Weisz
SAGE Publications / October 1994
- [Family Violence: A Clinical and Legal Guide](#)
Sandra J. Kaplan, Howard A. Davidson
American Psychiatric Publishing, Incorporated / January 1996

Young Adult Fiction

- I Was a Teenage Fairy. By Lia Francesca Block. HarperCollins, 1998. *A feisty, sexy fairy helps a young woman heal traumas from her past. An ALA Notable/Best Books; starred reviews from SLJ, BCCB, Horn Book. Reviews online at Barnesandnoble.com*
- Laurie Tells. By Linda Lowrey. Illustrated by John Eric Karpinski. Carolrhoda, 1994. *When her mother doesn't believe her, eleven-year-old Laurie tells a supportive aunt that she is being sexually abused by her father. Deals with the topic of incest. Reviews at Amazon.com.*
- Silver. By Norma Fox Mazer. William Morrow, 1988. *Despite their different backgrounds, Sarabeth, a teenager living with her mother in a trailer and transferring to a new school, makes friends with Grant and her affluent friends, including troubled Patty who shares a painful secret about her uncle. An ALA Best Books for Young Adults. Review at Amazon.com.*
- My Aunt Is a Pilot Whale. By Anne Provoost. Translated by Ria Bleumer. Women's Press, 1994. *Anna is not happy when her cousin Tara's family moves into the house where a sea witch used to live. Tara's behavior is strange at best particularly after her mother dies. The cousins share the experience of the rescue operation of a baby pilot whale. As Tara opens up to her cousin, Anna is shocked to discover that Tara is a victim of incest. Book received international awards. Reviews at Amazon.com.*
- Telling. By Marilyn Reynolds. Morning Glory Press, 1996. *After being sexually abused by the father of the children she is babysitting, twelve-year-old Cassie faces a difficult journey before she finds the strength and insight to deal with the problem.*
- Don't Count on Homecoming Queen. By Nancy Rue. WaterBrook Pr., 1998. *First book in a Christian-fiction series . Tobey is the unofficial leader of her before-class prayer group. When she learns that one of her classmates has been sexually abused by a popular teacher, she convinces her to report it. The group's faith is tested.*
- The Storm's Crossing. By Reanne S. Singer. Deaconess Press, 1993. *Twelve-year-old Maggie, suffering sexual abuse from her father, struggles to deal with the problem and to begin the healing process. Reviews at Barnesandnoble.com.*
- When She Hollers. By Cynthia Voight. Scholastic, 1994. *Tish, a teenager who has been enduring abuse from her adoptive stepfather since she was a small child, finally decides she must do something to stop him.*
- I Hadn't Meant to Tell You This. By Jacqueline Woodson. Bantam Doubleday Dell Books for Young Readers, 1994. *Marie, the only African-American girl in the eighth grade willing to befriend her white classmate Lena, discovers that Lena's father is doing horrible things to her in private. Notable/Best Books ALA; SLJ and Horn Book starred. Reviews at Barnesandnoble.com.*