



CONVERSATIONS
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Care & The Close of Life Reading List

The following books were on display at the 2019 Conversations in Bioethics event on “Care and the Close of Life,” and are from the Bioethics Research Library at Georgetown University. You are welcome to contact Patty Martin (martinp@georgetown.edu) if you would like additional information on any listed below or other library resources.

Sacred dying : creating rituals for embracing the end of life

Creator: Anderson, Megory
Publisher: Roseville, Calif. : Prima Pub.
Publication Date: c2001

How we die : reflections on life's final chapter

Creator: Nuland, Sherwin B.
Edition: 1st ed.
Publisher: New York : Vintage Books
Publication Date: 1995

Aging, death, and human longevity a philosophical inquiry

Creator: Overall, Christine, 1949-
Publisher: Berkeley : University of California Press
Publication Date: c2003

The future of assisted suicide and euthanasia

Creator: Gorsuch, Neil M. (Neil McGill), 1967-
Publisher: Princeton, N.J. : Princeton University Press
Publication Date: 2006

Managing death in the ICU : the transition from cure to comfort

Publisher: New York : Oxford University Press
Publication Date: 2001

How to break bad news : a guide for health care professionals

Creator: Buckman, Rob, author.
Publisher: Toronto, Ontario ; Buffalo, New York ; London, England :
University of Toronto Press
Publication Date: 1992

Life after death, resurrection, judgment and the final destiny of the soul : studies in Islamic eschatology

Creator: Husayni Tihrani, Muhammad Husayn, author
Publisher: United States? : Great Books of the Islamic World
Publication Date: 2015-

Modern death : how medicine changed the end of life

Creator: Warraich, Haider, author.
Edition: First edition.
Publisher: New York : St. Martin's Press
Publication Date: 2017

Will the Circle Be Unbroken? : Reflections on Death, Rebirth, and Hunger for a Faith.

Creator: Terkel, Studs.
Publisher: Minocqua : The New Press
Publication Date: 2014

Death's door : modern dying and the ways we grieve

Creator: Gilbert, Sandra M.
Edition: 1st ed.
Publisher: New York : W.W. Norton
Publication Date: 2006

The map of heaven : how science, religion, and ordinary people are proving the afterlife

Creator: Alexander, Eben.
Edition: First Simon & Schuster hardcover edition.
Publisher: New York : Simon & Schuster
Publication Date: 2014

Cultural Changes in Attitudes Toward Death, Dying, and Bereavement

Creator: Peveto, Cynthia A. ; Hayslip, Bert
Publisher: New York: Springer Publishing Company
Publication Date: 2004

The way we die now

Creator: O'Mahony, Seamus, author.
Edition: First U.S. edition.
Publisher: New York, N.Y. : Thomas Dunne Books
Publication Date: 2017

Heavens on earth : the scientific search for the afterlife, immortality, and utopia

Creator: Shermer, Michael, author.
Edition: First edition.
Publisher: New York, New York : Henry Holt and Company
Publication Date: 2018

Ethics in palliative care : a complete guide

Creator: Macauley, Robert C., author.
Publisher: New York, NY : Oxford University Press
Publication Date: 2018

Corpses, coffins, and crypts : a history of burial

Creator: Colman, Penny.
Edition: 1st ed.
Publisher: New York : Henry Holt
Publication Date: 1997

The Greek way of death

Creator: Garland, Robert, 1947-
Publisher: Ithaca, N.Y. : Cornell University Press
Publication Date: 1985

Teaching death and dying

Publisher: Oxford ; New York : Oxford University Press
Publication Date: 2008

Lessons from the dying

Creator: Smith, Rodney, M.S.W
Publisher: Boston : Wisdom Publications
Publication Date: c1998

At death's door : end of life stories from the bedside

Creator: Sepulveda, Sebastian, 1960- author.
Publisher: Lanham : Rowman & Littlefield
Publication Date: 2017

Smoke gets in your eyes : and other lessons from the crematory

Creator: Doughty, Caitlin, author.
Edition: First edition.
Publisher: New York : W. W. Norton & Company
Publication Date: 2014

Books of the dead : manuals for living and dying

Creator: Grof, Stanislav, 1931- author
Edition: New edition
Publisher: New York, New York : Thames & Hudson
Publication Date: 2013

What does it mean to be human? : life, death, personhood and the transhumanist movement

Creator: Doyle, D. John (Daniel John), 1951- author.
Publisher: Cham, Switzerland : Springer
Publication Date: 2018

Ethical issues in death and dying

Edition: 2nd ed.
Publisher: Upper Saddle River, N.J. : Prentice Hall
Publication Date: 1996

Malignant : medical ethicists confront cancer

Publisher: Oxford : Oxford University Press
Publication Date: c2012

Prayers & rituals at a time of illness & dying : the practices of five world religions

Creator: Fosarelli, Patricia D
Publisher: West Conshohocken, Pa. : Templeton Foundation Press
Publication Date: c2008

The American way of death revisited

Creator: Mitford, Jessica, 1917-1996.

Edition: Rev. ed.

Publisher: New York : Vintage Books

Publication Date: 2000

Practical plans for difficult conversations in medicine : strategies that work in breaking bad news

Creator: Buckman, Rob

Publisher: Baltimore : Johns Hopkins University Press

Publication Date: 2010

Entertaining judgment : the afterlife in popular imagination

Creator: Garrett, Greg, author.

Publisher: New York, NY : Oxford University Press

Publication Date: 2015

The meanings of death

Creator: Bowker, John, 1935-

Publisher: Cambridge ; New York : Cambridge University Press

Publication Date: 1991

When treatment fails : how medicine cares for dying children

Creator: Bearison, David J Author

Publisher: Oxford : Oxford University Press

Publication Date: 2006

Prelude to hospice : Florence Wald, dying people and their families

Creator: Abel, Emily K., author.

Publisher: New Brunswick : Rutgers University Press

Publication Date: 2018

A Brief History of Death

Creator: Spellman, W. M.

Publisher: London: Reaktion Books, Limited

Publication Date: 2014

The Hastings Center guidelines for decisions on life-sustaining treatment and care near the end of life

Creator: Berlinger, Nancy.

Edition: Rev. and expanded 2nd ed.

Publisher: Oxford : Oxford University Press

Publication Date: c2013

New Methuselahs : the ethics of life extension

Creator: Davis, John K., 1956- author.

Publisher: Cambridge, Massachusetts : MIT Press

Publication Date: 2018

The continuous Katherine Morten

Creator: Compton, D. G. (David Guy), 1930- author.
Publisher: New York : New York Review Books
Publication Date: 2016

Sedation, suicide, and the limits of ethics

Creator: Dunson, James A., III, author.
Publisher: Lanham, Maryland : Lexington Books
Publication Date: 2018

**When children die improving palliative and end-of-life care
for children and their families : [popular summary]**

Publisher: Washington, D.C. : National Academy Press
Publication Date: 2003

Ultimate Journey : Death and Dying in the World's Major Religions.

Creator: Rosen, Steven J.
Publisher: Santa Barbara : ABC-CLIO, LLC
Publication Date: 2008

**Dying in America : Improving Quality and Honoring Individual Preferences
Near the End of Life.**

Creator: Medicine, Institute of.
Publisher: Washington, D.C. : National Academies Press
Publication Date: 2015

**Advice for future corpses * and those who love them : a practical perspective
on death and dying**

Creator: Tisdale, Sallie, author.
Publisher: New York : Touchstone
Publication Date: 2018

Death at intervals

Creator: Saramago, José
Publisher: London : Harvill Secker
Publication Date: 2008

From here to eternity : traveling the world to find the good death

Creator: Doughty, Caitlin, author.
Edition: First edition.
Publisher: New York : W.W. Norton & Company
Publication Date: 2017

The work of the dead : a cultural history of mortal remains

Creator: Laqueur, Thomas Walter.
Publisher: Princeton, New Jersey : Princeton University Press
Publication Date: 2015