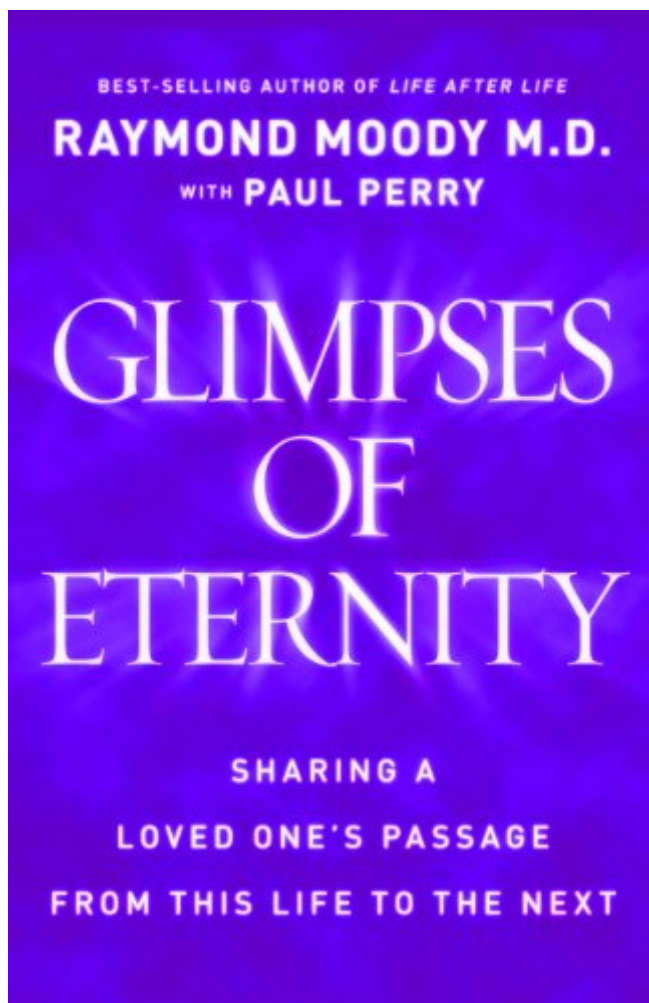


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Glimpses Of Eternity



Synopsis

Dr. Raymond Moody revolutionized the way we think about death with his first book, *Life After Life*, first-hand accounts from people who clinically died and then returned to life. Their experiences of going through a tunnel and encountering angelic beings confirmed life after death for millions of readers. Since the publication of *Life After Life*, thousands of people contact Dr. Moody each year to share the unexpected things they felt, saw and heard when they were close to death ... or when someone dear to them passed away. As a result of this steady stream of material, Dr. Moody uncovered another common thread to what happens when we die. *Glimpses of Eternity*, his new book, tells us that family and friends are often swept into the first moments of their loved one's journey from this life to the next. Dr. Moody calls these "shared death experiences." *Glimpses of Eternity* is the first book to talk about this beautiful aspect of our spiritual connections with one another. Entire families gathered for a loved one's passing all see a bright light from an unknown source. Some witness a gentle mist rising from an unknown source. Others tell of accompanying a family member halfway to heaven. A woman recounts experiencing a film-like review of her spouse's life and learning things she could never have known otherwise. The stories in *Glimpses of Eternity* are at once surprising and soothing. They offer comfort and hope, and shed new light on the mysterious journey we take at life's end.

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when we or our loved ones pass over to the other side. In 1971 my mom passed on and for 5 years I cried every single day but after reading Dr. Moody's first book *Life After Life* in '76 my tears stopped flowing and I actually became happy knowing what happens at death and that I'll be with my mom again. Now in his book *Glimpses of Eternity* it just validates it even more so. Exciting that the shared death experience happens so often and gives one comfort in knowing our loved ones live on. In this book Dr. Moody gives the first hand accounts [like in his other books] of those who've shared death experiences with loved ones, friends or patients. If you've lost someone you dearly love or are about to or if you, yourself may be passing on soon I highly recommend this book. It will give you comfort and the knowledge to help you cope with the eventual prospect of death.

Talking about death used to be taboo. I remember my grandfather dying when I was a child and no one really told me what had happened. At least I did not know what death was. Looking at pictures of my grandfather in his casket did however make me feel scared. It wasn't until my twenties that I actually started understanding what death was. I still had no idea what a soul was until much later. Lately while facing thoughts of my own mortality I've been more interested in reading about near-death experiences. I got a movie on the subject and then learned about this book. I had no idea that some people were sharing a death experience. This book is filled with compelling stories of people who have shared the experience of death while not dying themselves. There are descriptions of people leaving their bodies and following the dead up tunnels into heavenly realms. There are also stories of deathbed visions and indications that when dying people speak to invisible people in the room they are actually communicating with deceased relatives and friends. In the Bible it says that we are not supposed to try to contact the deceased but the shared near death experience and the near-death experience never seems like a conscious decision. Also, this book indicates that experiences are the same all over the world. I have heard otherwise. So this book is really a collection of stories and lots of analysis. Raymond Moody explains why the experiences are not hallucinations or the result of a lack of oxygen. The people who have shared death experiences all seem to be quite alive and well. What they see is a radiant light, heavenly places and beings of light. This can sometimes also promote a transformation in the human psyche. People no longer are afraid of death once they've had the experience. What I did find odd however is that there are no negative experiences. When reading about near-death experiences I've always read there were

some negative ones. So why not negative ones in the shared near-death experience? They do say however that negative experiences are repressed and people don't want to talk about them. So if you are looking for just a positive book you might enjoy this. I just feel it may lull people into a false sense of security. I've heard of many negative experiences with death and I think those types of experiences were just not included in this book. If you are thinking about your own mortality you may want to read: *Done.: What most religions don't tell you about the Bible* ~The Rebecca Review

Raymond Moody's "Life After Life" changed my life in a very positive way years ago, convincing me, after years of unbelief, of the reality of God, Jesus, and life after life. Now his "Glimpses of Eternity" has added another dimension for me to ponder. I already have four friends who have had shared-death experiences similar to some he describes, so the leap isn't as great, but still I'm challenged by some of the implications that Dr. Moody draws. I suggest that you may want to read it for yourselves and make your own conclusions.

I purchased this book in hopes of understanding more about the after life because of a recent passing of a close family member. I found this book to be very comforting. I recommend anyone experiencing the sting of death because of a loved one's passing...to read this book. It will change the way you think about dying and bring comfort beyond belief.

I've read countless books on spiritual and metaphysical topics, many about the near death experience. But this is the first time in all of my research that I had ever even heard of the Shared Death Experience. These are profound and powerful stories, and it was incredibly eye-opening to learn that so many doctors and healthcare professionals have these otherworldly experiences so frequently. Beautifully and clearly written with a scientific framework by the renowned researcher and psychologist Dr. Raymond Moody. Thank you, Dr. Moody, for bringing these important topics to light!

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