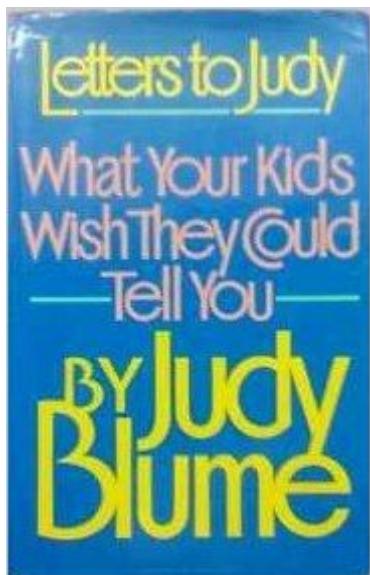


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# Letters To Judy



## **Synopsis**

In thousands of letters every month, young people everywhere open their hearts to Judy Blume. Now, in this special and caring book, Judy shares the deepest concerns of kids and often responds with the experiences that affected her own life, both as a child and as a mother.

## **Book Information**

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Blume quotes correspondence she receives asking for advice, written by readers of her children's books, boys and girls who don't feel free to confide in their parents. The letters here come from youngsters 10 years old through the teens and tell about specific problems. Some of these kids are loners rejected by peers; others feel neglected at home or hurt by divorce. The author hears from victims of child abuse, including incest; from those trying to quit drugs. A divorced mother herself, Blume is sympathetic to the young people who write her and sympathizes with parents as well; she intends this book to help them become more aware of their children's needs. Copyright 1986 Reed Business Information, Inc.

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Love Judy Blume!! She's an awesome writer.

What's not to enjoy about Judy Blume?

Judy Blume's empathy for children is obvious in this compilation of letters she's received over the years. The book is at once funny and heartbreakingly, and serves to remind the reader of their own childhood ---- It's easy to forget the magnitude of problems at school, with parents, with friends, etc etc. And this book brings it all back. Well done.

This book is old, but I knew that buying it. It is wonderful to read letters from young girls. Some are funny, some are sad. I love the book and are telling others about it.

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