



News from the Library: September 9, 2021

Remembering 9/11

It's hard to believe, but the 20th anniversary of the tragic events of 9/11 will be this coming Saturday, which makes it a good time to stop and reflect. What have we accomplished in the years since that day? What do we want to accomplish going forward? A good place to start is on the PBS site [America After 9/11](#), which looks not only at the events of that terrible day but also examines many of the consequences. Remembering the powerful sense of community we all felt then, can we find that again and harness it to help us deal with the many challenges ahead of us now? Those looking for local projects for this weekend can check the city's web page [here](#) or go to [Volunteer New York](#). If you are interested in some of the library's resources, you can find a list [here](#); if you prefer a more personal take on the tragedy, these books might be of interest:

[*The Man I Never Met: A Memoir*](#)

[*A Decade of Hope: Stories of Grief and Endurance From 9/11 Families and friends*](#)

[*Until the Fires Stopped Burning: 9/11 and New York City*](#)

[*Tower Stories: An Oral History of 9/11*](#)

[*The Day the World Came to Town: 9/11 in Gander, Newfoundland*](#)

[*Portraits 9/11/01*](#)

For anyone struggling with grief or depression as this anniversary approaches, one of these books might be of interest:

[*No Time for Tears: Coping with Grief in a Busy World*](#)

[*Opening to Grief: Finding Your Way from Lost to Peace*](#)

[*This Is Depression: A Comprehensive Guide for Anyone Who Wants to Understand Depression*](#)

[*What Happened to You: Conversations On Trauma, Resilience and Healing*](#)