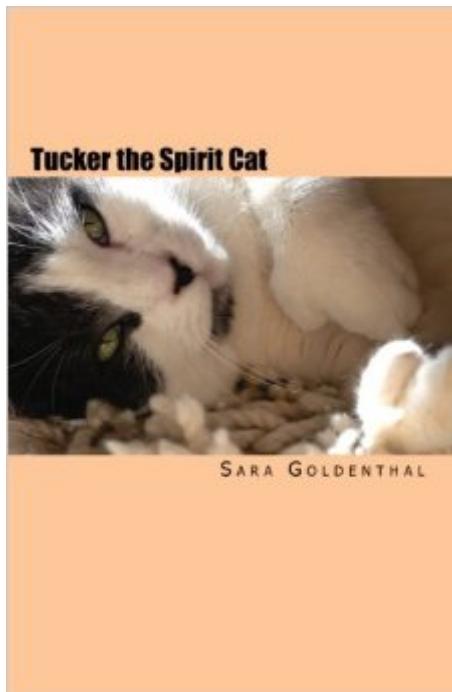


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# Tucker The Spirit Cat: A Meditation On Love And Hope For Anyone Grieving The Loss Of An Animal Friend



## **Synopsis**

"If ever you have lost a beloved animal, this beautiful story will soothe you and provide a balm for your grief." - Zoe Weil Co-founder and President The Institute for Human Education "This book is a universal message of love and how the love we have for our pets never has to end." - Patsy Murphy, Executive Director Animal Refuge League of Greater Portland, ME Inspired by real life events, TUCKER THE SPIRIT CAT is the story of a great love between a girl and her cat, and how the love transforms when Tucker the cat moves from the physical to the spirit realm. This brief tale is a meditation for anyone who has ever loved an animal friend deeply, and felt a tremendous grief at their passing. It will take only moments to read, yet will forever change the way you look at life, and love, and loss. It may even confirm feelings you've had that your pet who died is still close to you. It is a story to bring peace and hope, and ultimately concludes that our animal friends never really leave us, and love between humans and animals never ends.

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## **Customer Reviews**

This book is a beautiful look at the love between a woman and her precious feline companion Tucker (and how such a bond remains even after death). After having just lost my beloved cat days prior to reading this, I was desperate to find a book to reassure me in some way and help soothe my grief. I laughed and I cried, as the words were all too familiar and the story so similar to my own. I recommend this to anyone dealing with the agonizing emotions involved in losing a pet. It will make your heart feel a little bit lighter.

You can read this book in 15 minutes. But if you've ever loved and lost a pet, you'll never forget its

comforting message. Based on an incident in the author's life, the story opens when a woman named Sasha finds a homeless kitten by the sidewalk as she walks home from work. "Hello, little kitten," the writer has Sasha say. "You don't have anyone, and I don't have anyone, either. What's your name? Is it Tucker did you say?" By the time Sasha reached her home, Tucker is running beside her, "...darting back and forth between her feet." He follows his new owner indoors, as if familiar with her place. Sasha's loneliness vanishes. Ten happy years rush by. Then without warning, Tucker has the cat equivalent of a human heart attack. Sasha finds the best medical help for her friend. Their bond grows even stronger and, for a while, Tucker's health returns. But there's no hope when a second crisis comes. Her veterinarian advises her to end his suffering. "The doctor released Tucker from his physical body," the author writes. "Sasha held him and kissed him and sang to him the whole time." She is devastated. "At home," the story continues, "everywhere she looked was where he should be." But Tucker is gone. Or is he? There comes a night when Sasha dreams that Tucker is with her. She cries when she wakes and realizes it was a dream. But there's more to come in this beautiful unforgettable story. I bought the print version from . It's a very nicely designed 68-page soft cover with a photograph of Tucker on the front. You'll love this book. Buy a second copy for a friend grieving his or her lost pal.

I just received this book yesterday. It took all of 5 minutes to read. The similarities (such as the back porch & birds) really hit home. I just lost my little Blue of 10 yrs. on 10/26/14. I've never felt such sadness. This book (whether true or not - I SO wanna believe it)! But it has helped me somewhat. It's a beautiful story & I recommend it to anyone who has lost their beloved furry kitty friend. The authors story & mine were SO similar it kinda freaked me out a bit! Hoping to hear from my Blue soon. This book is beautiful & I'm SO glad I purchased it!

I downloaded Tucker, The Spirit Cat a couple of days after losing my own cat, who had lived with us for about 10 years, to congestive heart failure. My children and I read the story, cried, and began the healing process. 'Sasha' is a great pet parent and 'Tucker' reminded me of my own cat - I even found him on the street! This author truly understands the impact your pets can have on your life. They are not simply 'pets', but rather family members and their loss has a major impact on the entire family. Tucker's story was so touching and reading about his relationship with Sasha really served as a sort of catharsis for me at a time when it was greatly needed.

This is an excellent book to read to, or have a child read, at a time when they are sad beyond

measure, when they have lost a cherished pet. It will give them comfort in the loss, and hope for an eventual reunion with that pet. It will help their understanding of why you sometimes must make the difficult decision of letting go, and giving that pet the very last gift and assurance of the love you feel for them, by releasing them from the pain they may be suffering. It should be a balm of comfort to the reader. I'm not sure that the book is written for that purpose, but feel as if it is a tool to foster understanding.

Highly recommended to anyone who has recently lost a cat or any pet who was dear to them. I recently lost my beloved cat of 17 years and stumbled across this little gem shortly after. The messages of love and continued connection between pet and owner resonated deeply with me and was a great source of comfort for my soul. Tucker's story gives me hope and appreciation for these beautiful animals that enter and enrich our lives. It brought smiles, tears, and an uplifting ending that will help bring peace to those experiencing grief. I also recommend "Soul comfort for cat lovers", by Liz Eastwood.

How hopeful to think that those we love are somehow, in some form still here. This sweet little story makes me believe for a second that maybe my little guy is still around me.

This book helped me with my grief of losing my cat. I liked that Tucker became a spirit cat and sent signs to assist his owner with their grief

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