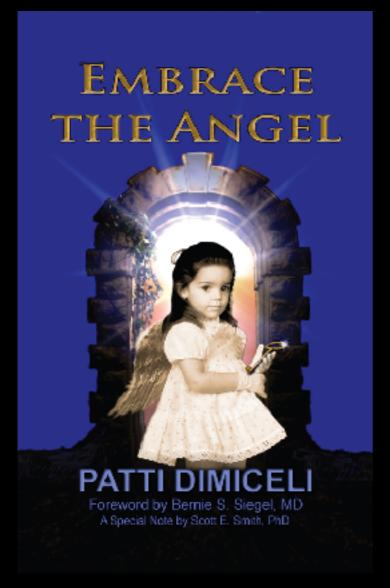
Embrace the Angel



Sharing Amber's message of "hope, heaven, and the miracle of life and death."

Patti DiMiceli



"We are all of us angels with only one wing and we can only fly by embracing each other."

— Luciano de Crescenzo

- Comfort and understanding
- · Share and dispel our grief
- · Find hope amidst the darkness
- · Learn how to cope, re-live, thrive
- For ourselves & to help others

The Early Years































Freeport, Grand Bahamas Summer of 1980













Coming Home Fall of 1980













The Key to Heaven Amber's Link



Amber taught me...

- · Death does not delete
- · We don't die, we "change"
- · Amber's purpose / my purpose (Life Task)
- Priorities
- Time and the health to enjoy it
- · Love, family, friends, good relationships
- Meaning in my life
- Gratitude is vehicle for healing
- · She will show me ways to believe

To Grieve is to Love

"Our tears are like liquid love. We cry because we feel. And we feel because we care. Caring for someone you love is a miracle to savor... a gift from the heart. This gift is Amber..."

excerpt from the Preface of "Embrace the Angel" (page xi)

From a Crusader to a Woman Who Cares

- · Sense of peace, returned to the Bahamas
- · Opened Studio 3, rebuilt "Sea Wing"
- Married Gary, created Toby
- · Seething, silent rage, despair, revenge
- Determined to force people to listen
- ·TV, radio, newspapers, presentations
- · Environmental action groups
- · Change the world all at once and now!
- · "Sailed away to Paradise"



My New Life: Gary & Toby



















Living Life with the "Man of My Dreams"

























Hope, Heaven, and the Miracle of Life and Death

Hope: Our children... our loved ones are with us, but *different*. Keep your heart open, look for links in the real world. (Angel Coin)

Heaven: Amber's vision: "It's a BIG white house with lots of rooms and you can anything you want—cookies, candy, ice cream. And DO anything you want." Heaven is the realm beyond the one we see with our human eyes. It *is* real.

Life and Death: Spirit enters this life... this body; spirit leaves this body behind. Each is a miracle of promise. Being a human carries the potential to understand our purpose, learn our "Life Lesson," and accomplish our "Life Task."

How Do I Cope?

- · Restore, maintain physical / mental / emotional health
- · Dr. Scott Smith, John, being involved, helping people
- · Reading, getting inspired by others, BPUSA
- · Occasional "Pity Party"
- · Work to unite "Cancer World"
- · Walking in woods, listening for "instructions"









How Do IThrive?

- · Tap into my childlike sense of wonder and curiosity
- · Reconnect with nature, people, dreams, visions
- · Be grateful, elevate others ("Angels in Your Pocket"), live "in the moment"
- · Pamper myself: Massage, sleep, eat well, travel with John
- · Look forward to writing and exploring for my next books:
 - · "Walking in the Metaphorest with Annie"
 - · "In Search of Whoo Hoo!!!"





We need each other to cope, to thrive, to live!

