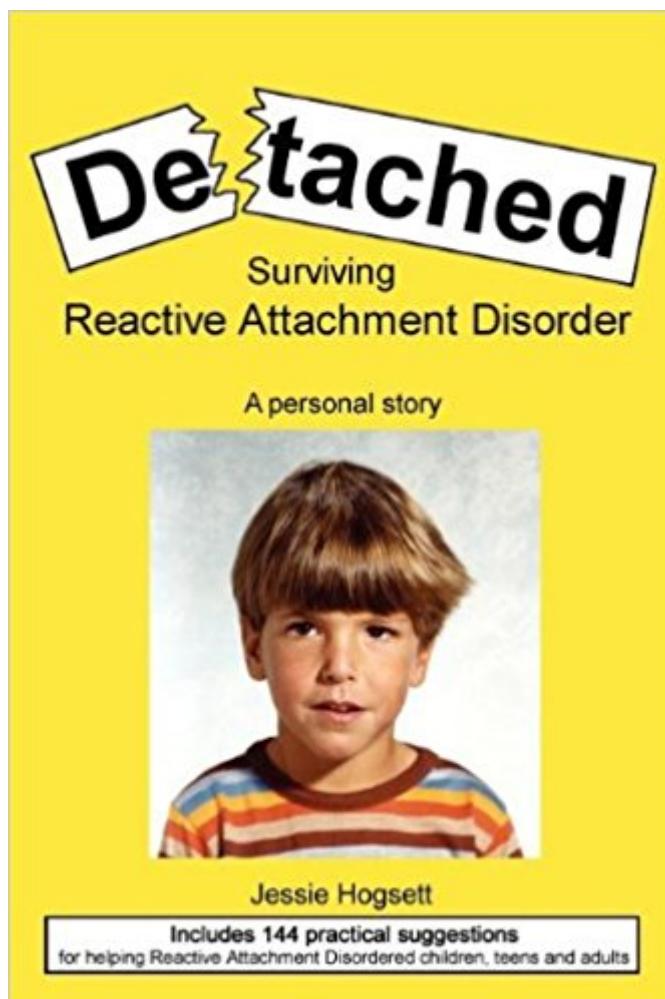


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# Detached: Surviving Reactive Attachment Disorder



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DETACHED! SURVIVING REACTIVE ATTACHMENT DISORDER is the true story of a young boy who never "attached" or "bonded" with his alcoholic mother. He felt unloved, uncared for, unsafe, sad, lonely and extremely angry. As he grew up, he, like most Reactive Attachment Disordered kids, acted out, exhibiting severely antisocial, even violent, behavior. You'll travel back in time to view a young child's life through his own eyes. You'll see an innocent boy become a severely emotionally disturbed teen. Then, against all odds, you'll read about miracles few ever thought possible.

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The last 4 years I have read all the major research books available on Reactive Attachment Disorder. I have attended workshops conducted by Forbes and Thomas. This is one of the best books that gives many helpful suggestions on how to parent a child with fear based behaviors. I highly recommend this book if you are raising a RAD child. I adopted 4 RAD children under the age of 10 years old. This book was easy to read, gave me hope and most of all good suggestions to make me a better parent.

I have three adopted boys. Two have now been diagnosed with RAD. I have read several books and online articles about the subject. This book is different because it allows us to see things from their point of view. Not only have I already strongly recommended this book but I have actually bought it for family members that are frequently around my children. They too have raved about how

much more they feel they "get" my kids now. It has helped our entire family dynamic. It's such a long, hard road for RAD kids and their parents. Reading this book gave me hope that they can and likely will begin to lead normal emotionally functioning lives at some point. If you have a child with RAD you know there are days when you go to sleep at night feeling absolutely defeated. This book has helped me tremendously especially during those defeating moments. If you're looking to better understand a child with RAD, this is your next book.

Wow did this book help me understand the struggles of my RAD foster son. Although I wasn't able to help him, I could understand him.

One of the best books dealing with RAD. I am raising a child diagnosed with RAD. I read everything I can get my hands on. It is wonderful to hear the story from such a personal perspective.

This is a great book from the child's perspective, plus he gave a lot a helps at the end. I am recommending it to the parents I work with whose child has Reactive Attachment.

Good child rearing info for group home kids.

Nice to read from an actual person with the disorder and how it affected his teen years.

I couldn't put it down really enjoyed reading it on my kindle fire

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