

Must-read

New York Times Best Seller *Notes Left Behind* by Brooke and Keith Desserich (Harper Collins, \$24.99, out now)

Elena dreamed of becoming a teacher.

Although her time on this earth was far too short to fulfil her dream, she left behind an enlightening lesson on life.

Elena taught those around her to appreciate the miracle of everyday living even as the six-year-old battled brain cancer.

Written by her parents as a remembrance for Elena's younger sister, Brooke and Keith Desserich

share their emotional journey in *Notes Left Behind* as they learn to cherish each precious moment they have with their children.

Included in this book are the personal messages that Elena secretly hid around her home, knowing her family would find them when she was gone. Through her selfless love, these notes show us how even during the hard times in life, hope and encouragement are still possible to find.

They have created a compassionate story about love and about appreciating the everyday moments.

