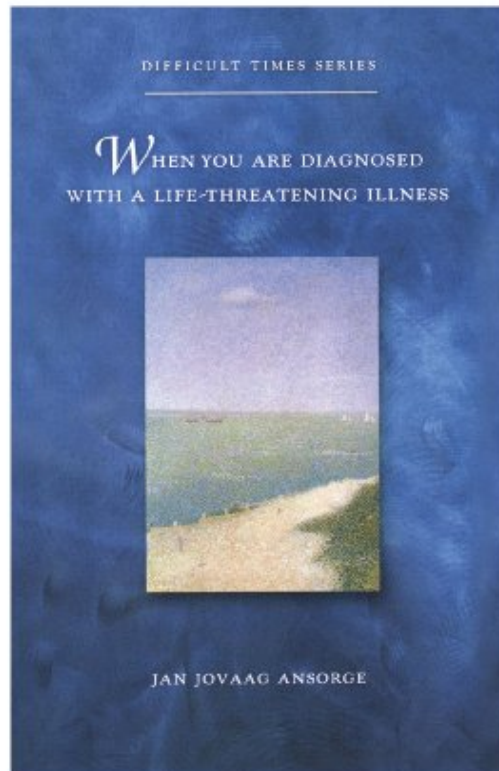


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news of a life-threatening illness. I recommend this book without reservation to all those affected by a life-threatening illness, from the individual diagnosed to the family member to the helping professional (doctor, nurse, minister, and/or psychotherapist). Kudos to Ms. Jovaag Ansorge for her insight, courage, and faith.

Living with a terminal illness is a challenge none of us wish to face. In this helpful, brief book, Jan Ansorge speaks from her own experience addressing issues everyone in such a situation faces. From the time of diagnosis through the end of treatments and life beyond treatments, Ansorge suggests ways readers can cope with the emotions, spiritual questions, and practical matters associated with such a diagnosis.

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