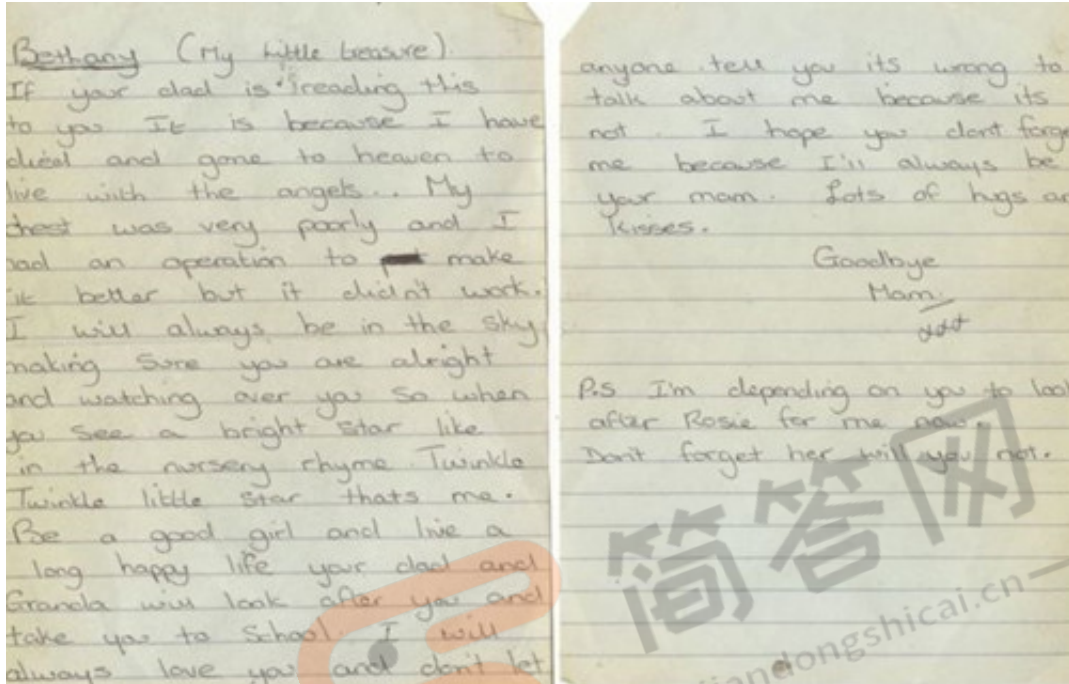


《招领：二手书店发现一封妈妈生前写的信》

导读:在一堆二手书中，掉出了一封已故母亲写给她女儿的一封信。



A letter from a dying woman to her daughter has been discovered in a pile of second-hand books.

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Gordon Draper, owner of Bondgate Books in Bishop Auckland, hopes to return the note and an accompanying photograph to its rightful owner.

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The letter is addressed to "Bethany" and the writer, whose "chest was very poorly", says "don't forget me because I'll always be your mum".

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Mr Draper said: "I just thought I have to do something with it."

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He added: "Hopefully we will find this Bethany to hand her it back. My only wish at the moment is to get it back to its rightful owner."

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The letter fell out of a pile of books which had been given to the shop.

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It reads: "If your dad is reading this to you it is because I have died and gone to heaven to live with the angels."

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The writer said she had an operation to fix her "poorly chest" but the procedure did not work.

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She said: "I will always be in the sky making sure you are alright and watching over you so when you see a bright star, like in the nursery rhyme Twinkle twinkle Little Star, that's me."

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"I hope you don't forget me because I'll always be your mam."

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