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Further Down the Track

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A collection of personal experiences of adoption reunions in the authors' own words which may generate a range of emotions in the reader.

This booklet relates the experiences of 31 people, adoptees, birth parents, adoptive parents and siblings, who have made the move to search since 1990. It is the opportunity to unveil the unknown but also illustrates that every search is different and individual. The book provides examples of hope for those who are looking for some consolation and company to those who can relate to one of the stories that are simply told. The style of each is individual and varied, as are the experiences from the heights of great joy to ongoing sorrow to even despair. This booklet records a number of experiences which may generate a range of emotions in the reader.

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