

### Abuse and Survival

*This list focuses primarily on stories of teens that have been abused (sexually, emotionally, and/or physically). In some instances they escape their circumstances and seek help, but not all. Exposure to this topic can be important for personal healing or lead to understanding of such situations. It is important to keep this in mind when seeking out these materials.*

#### Physical & Emotional abuse:

- A List of Cages – Y ROE
- Bruiser- Y SHU
- Forged by fire- Y DRA
- Goodnight, Boy- Y SHE
- Still life with tornado- Y KIN
- The last to let go- Y SMI
- Starfish – Y BOW
- After the fire- Y HIL
- Sweethearts- Y ZAR
- The closest I've come- Y ACE
- Not after everything- Y LEV
- More than we can tell- Y KEM
- If you find me- Y MUR

#### Sexual abuse (rape, incest, pedophilia):

- Stained – Y RAI
- Scars – Y RAI
- Naondel – Y TUR
- The opposite of innocent – Y SON
- Bait – Y SAN
- Identical – Y HOP
- That's How I Roll- Y VAC
- My truth – Y THR
- Push – FIC SAP (adult section)
- Girl made of Stars- Y BLA
- Fade- Y MCM
- We now return to regular life – Y WIL
- The leading edge of now – Y CUR
- Girl in pieces- Y GLA
- Rani Patel in full effect – Y PAT

- This is where the world ends- Y ZHA
- Bad Romance- Y DEM
- Always forever maybe- Y RIS
- Until today- Y FLU (Fairchild only)
- The nowhere girls- Y REE
- Someone I wanted to be – Y WIL
- Aftermath – Y KEN
- Speak – Y AND (YA fiction and graphic novel)

Non-fiction:

- Things we haven't said : sexual violence survivors speak out - Y 362.883 THI
- Not that bad : dispatches from rape culture – 364.1532 NOT (adult section)
- Sexual assault : the ultimate teen guide – Y 362.883 GHA
- Gaslighting : recognize manipulative and emotionally abusive people-and break free - 158.2 SAR (adult section)
- I have the right to : a high school survivor's story of sexual assault, justice, and hope - 362.88 PRO (adult section)
- A list of things that didn't kill me – YB SCHMIDT, J.
- Deep Dark Blue – YB TATE, P.
- We can't be friends : a true story – Y 363.209 ETL