

A Powerful Memoir on Love, Loss, and Equality: Arlene Goldberg's Simple Human Dignity

My Life, My Wife, Our Story Sheds Light on LGBTQ+ Rights



Fort Myers, Florida Apr 22, 2025 ([Issuewire.com](https://www.issuewire.com)) - Arlene Goldberg's heartfelt memoir, *Simple Human Dignity: My Life, My Wife, Our Story*, is a powerful testament to love, resilience, and the ongoing fight for equality. Through her deeply personal narrative, Goldberg shares her life journey, the struggles she and her late wife Carol Goldwasser faced, and their battle for recognition as a legally married couple. Goldberg and Goldwasser spent 47 years together, building a life filled with love and commitment despite the challenges posed by legal and social discrimination. Their story became a landmark case in the fight for marriage equality when Arlene was one of the plaintiffs in *Brenner v. Scott*, the lawsuit that led to the overturning of Florida's same-sex marriage ban in 2015. *Simple Human Dignity* is not only a touching love story but also an inspiring call to action. Goldberg takes readers through the highs and lows of her relationship, from their first meeting to the heartbreaking loss of Carol in 2014. As she recounts their experiences, she highlights the injustices faced by LGBTQ+ couples and the urgent need for continued advocacy. "I wrote this book to ensure that no one else has to endure what Carol and I went through," says Goldberg. "Our love was real, and we deserved the same rights as anyone else. I hope our story inspires change and encourages others to keep fighting for justice." The

memoir has already received praise from advocates and readers alike, who commend Goldberg for her courage in sharing her personal story. It serves as a crucial reminder that love transcends societal barriers and that the fight for equality is far from over. *Simple Human Dignity: My Life, My Wife, Our Story* is now available for purchase through major online retailers and bookstores. Readers looking for a poignant, eye-opening account of love and perseverance will find this book both moving and enlightening.

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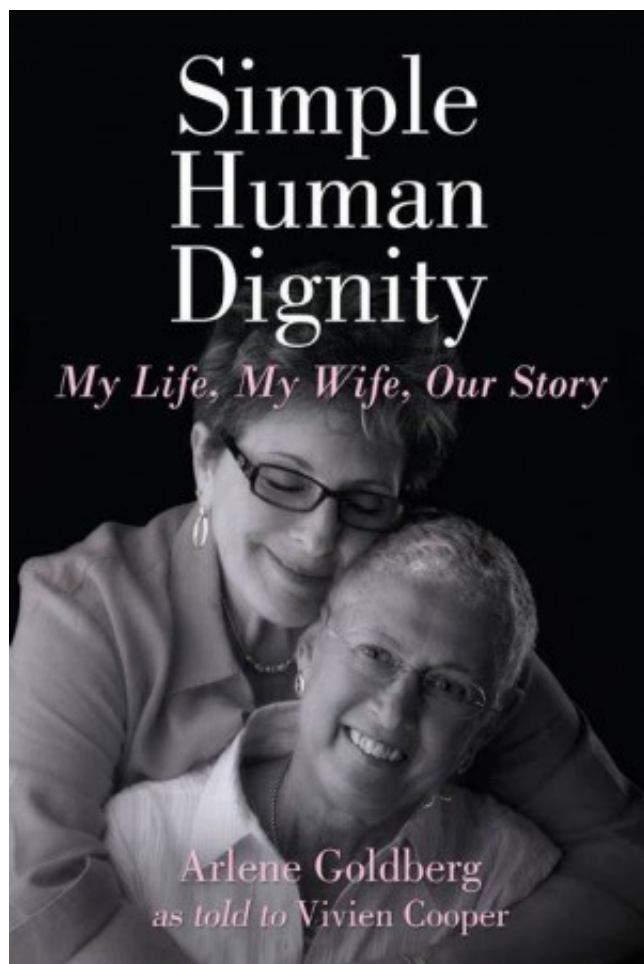
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Arlene Goldberg is a lifelong advocate for LGBTQ+ rights and a history maker in the fight for marriage equality. She continues to share her story to inspire and educate others about the importance of love, dignity, and justice for all.



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