

Thriving In Your Work

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Peter Shaw : Thriving In Your Work before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Thriving In Your Work:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Short easy reading pieces with limited help to defend yourself against office politics By ServantofGod The author wrote tens of chapters, each with an eye catching but often not readily understandable title, a sentence to explain that (as per reference below), a small paragraph of the author's "insights" and a case study of a John or Mary for further elaboration. Perhaps I do not like this format or more likely I

think potential readers should be fully aware of the facts presented in it. It simply can't satisfy customers who desire the means to equip themselves better in the battles or even wars of office politics. Actionable advice that people can take to improve their chance of survival in an ever shrinking economy is rare. In case you prefer playing friendly offensive to reacting risky defensive, I would strongly recommend "How to win friends and influence people", "Life's a game so fix the odds", "Why people fail" and "Everyone communicates, few connects" instead of this.p.s. Below please find the few relatively better chapters IMHO for your reference.12. Protect your leader. (Do not dump your woes upward)17. Recognise when you have two left feet. (Watch over-reliance on one skill)19. See round corners. (The more I look round the bends, the further I see ahead)20. Lay still. (Do nothing to change the world)21. Acknowledge when you are wrong. (When you show your vulnerability, you build your inner strength)25. Recognise when you are about to snap. (Be alert to when you are close to the edge)31. Watch ever so slowly. (Go slow to go fast)36. Don't count your chickens. (When you cross the finishing line you cross the finishing line)37. Beware of false dawns. (When others indulge your optimism too much)40. Watch for sharp elbows. (They may be nice to your face but...)47. Notice the brick wall coming. (Bashing your head against a brick wall will damage your head more than the brick wall)48. See the ridiculous. (Truth has many angles)

How to keep motivated and driven at work in times of high pressure and high expectation. The pressures in your work are relentless. There is always more to be done. Expectations are high from your boss, your customers and your clients. Resources are tight and there is a perpetual squeeze on the support available to you. How on earth do you thrive and succeed in such an environment? This book contains practical approaches to enable you to clarify the outcomes, choose your impact, develop your skills, work as a team, build your approach, recognise your emotions, be aware of the risks, be alert to the unexpected, use your energy well and keep it all in perspective. In such unstable and relentless times, this book will enable you to stand back and reflect, and keep you motivated and focused on your career goals.