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# THINKING IN PICTURES

MY LIFE WITH AUTISM

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Thinking in Pictures, Expanded Edition: My Life with Autism



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Temple Grandin, Ph.D. Composing from the dual perspectives of a scientist and an autistic person, she tells us how that nation is experienced by its inhabitants and how she managed to breach its boundaries to function in the outside globe. She also lectures broadly on autism. What emerges in *Considering in Pictures* is the document of an extraordinary human being, person who, in gracefully and lucidly bridging the gulf between her condition and our own, sheds light on the riddle of our common identity. In this unprecedented reserve, Grandin delivers a written report from the united states of autism., is normally a gifted animal scientist who has designed one third of all the livestock-handling facilities in the United States. because Temple Grandin is autistic, a female who thinks, feels, and experiences the world in ways that are incomprehensible to ordinary people.



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fascinating This was a remarkable read. Grandin continues to demonstrate that one person can make a difference in the world. That's why I look up to her. It has been hinted at for a long time but finally someone pointed me at this book and a few others by the same writer and my entire life and hers are therefore alike it 1st shocked me, then made me pleased to know I am not by yourself after that depressed me because she experienced individuals who understood and motivated her, I acquired beatings and known as "retard". The street to success is long and difficult however, not difficult. She devotes two entire chapters to animals, their thoughts and emotions and connecting with them, and while it was very interesting, I certainly do not have the passion for that particular subject that she does. Excellent My son is normally Autistic and I've a neurological/autonomic nervous system disorder that helps me empathize with persons who've Autism. Overall I got out of the book what I thought I would an improved understanding of differences in idea pattern. Personally i think I'm on the path to liberation. Great book Great publication. I learned very much about myself and the down sides I have had through existence. and she actually is also a fascinating individual in my opinion. Her style of writing was intriguing and I think actually showed her logical method of seeing things. By no means knew why, until I watched the movie and began reading this reserve. Temple Grandin, PhD who is actually Autistic, to give insight into the world from the perspective of one who had Autism? I loved it! I loved this book so much. Many grateful for this and all of Dr. My buddy is autistic and this publication helps me to relatively realize why he did some of the stuff he did." frequently you have to create notes in the margins (or in the kindle version attract highlights and add many annotations)? It was so insulting. She is actually very scientific and authentic in her explanations. She does not keep any stones unturned or un-shown. EASILY had approved that my son could not do certain stuff, he wouldn't end up being speaking now. The one thing I wish she'd have included is taste reactions when she discusses over-stimulation. THIS REVIEW WAS DESIGNED FOR "THE NAMESAKE" BY JHUMPA LAHIRI PLEASE USUALLY DO NOT Browse THIS AS DESIGNED FOR "THINKING IN Images" PLEASE DELETE THIS REVIEW FOR "THINKING IN Photos" IT HAD BEEN INCORRECTLY POSTED MANY THANKS All time great reserve. I would suggest reading Temple Grandin's books and viewing the movie about . This one is going in the donation pile.. I would suggest reading Temple Grandin's books and viewing the movie on the subject of her existence, if you want to learn more about Autism; I'm 53 and was just told end up being my MH person that what I have been trying to deal with all this time is Aspergers. I myself have high functioning Autism too, so I can relate to her quite a bit; But, I love that she overcame all the obstacles that a lot of people with disabilities encounter; That my dog was my greatest friend was even more of an understatement than I'd actually conceived until she died, such have been our relationship and ability to communicate. despite having different passions. Different, not less. It's very helpful in understanding the different way autistic people believe. Some of these chapters I sensed like I had to plod through a bit. I, as well, "think in images" and find a few of myself in this book, along with my gaining an improved knowledge of how my small boy likely views the world. Who much better than Dr. Towards the end, very much is repeated but nonetheless 5 star. Done well. Grandin can be an amazing person who shows what one can attain if one will not accept "you can't" for a remedy, no matter your circumstances. She and her mom have inspired me to combat for my son, even when "specialists" say he has reached his peak or he will never have the ability to take action. I've learned that occasionally "no" isn't the answer. I like this a whole lot about her publication and it is eyes opening. It really is filled with a great deal of facts and lots of them are very relatable for autistic people. Grandin's books. This book has recently changed my life You understand when you read something and you feel agitated because somebody says something to which you can relate strongly and you neither ever had defined or quite understood about yourself before? The kind of agitation where you say to yourself, "Yes! I believe that Grandin produced this book to help other autistic people in the world and to also encourage them in a way. The type of book that's so personally psychological and enlightening but agitation-inducing that you decide you can't read it before bedtime? That

was this book, for me. Social behavior and language have always been fascinating to me, but always from a specialized and somewhat international perspective. In my mind I see whole systems, cause-and-effect flows, principles, theories; disappointing. I "get" animals and frankly relate with most of them faster and easier than to other humans. For example, she's more scientifically oriented than I am. Meanwhile, I still struggle to interact with other people, to understand boundaries and the elaborate customs and assumptions overlooked by neurotypical individuals. I could not continue reading and simply threw the reserve down. I've no doubt any more. I know given that I am not a failed intellectual, simply an obstinate genius unwilling to conform. I recommend this book to anybody that knows someone that are socially inept or seems to fail to surpass their intellectual potential, and specifically to anybody that feels they are see your face. I know, now, that I'm much less screwed up as I believed. And with the research I have continuing, I can now observe how various traits considered components on the autism scale operate in my own family, sometimes residing only a couple or few within an individual, sometimes therefore several traits that the person is usually socially incapacitated. I'm glad I read it. Would that I were not in my forties, already, when discovering these things. That's what people explained all my lifestyle and although it didn't experience accurate, I internalized the derision. SO inspiring! It brought back lots of early recollections for me personally when my now 52 year old boy was youthful. She allows her readers to relate to her and allows us to enter her personal lifestyle experiences to show how far she has come despite the many obstacles she's experienced to overcome. Dr. Bragging about how amazing she is Honestly I possibly could not get past 2 first pages that was the author bragging about how exactly amazing her visual thinking is. She is not some egotistical scientist who would like to make a incredibly biased point on an issue. I'd been waffling over whether I should pursue therapy and an Asperger analysis, whether it had been accurate or I had been a hypochondriac, until I read THIS book.. Great tale by a genius with autism. This is an excellent explanation of how one genius with autism experiences the world. Good job Temple. surprised this was a best seller story seemed oddly simple-minded and superficial for the acclaim this reserve got. yet the "pictures" could be dang right extremely difficult to place into coherent words, at times. Different Thinking I loved Temple's story. You will learn a lot reading this well written reserve and I am certain you will love it. hardly ever is a book a waste of money but I felt that one was. Other than that she covered everything I could possibly think about wondering or requesting about autism. One of the best books We've ever go through. Anyone who's visually oriented- like performers- will find it illuminating. like people making fun of her, and saying that she can't live a normal life as a couple of examples when she grew up in a difficult time frame for people like that. Dr. I especially liked the first half when she talked about her childhood, her remembrances and how she came to learn things. very little of depth heading on. Great publication, Temple Grandin is so inspiring and brings light to the Autism community in so many levels! He is now a higher functioning autistic person who works as a specialist musician. For the next half I had to continually keep reminding myself that she actually is talking about her life and her own interests. the story just didn't happen. Four Stars Very good book.



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