

"If you've ever struggled with finding a way to a deep, happy, and healthy connection with your body and food, The Slow Down Diet is your bible."

—Mark Hyman, M.D., director of Cleveland Clinic Center for Functional Medicine and author of the #1 New York Times Bestseller *The Blood Sugar Solution*

THE SLOW DOWN DIET

Eating for Pleasure, Energy & Weight Loss



An 8-Week Breakthrough Program

♥ 10TH ANNIVERSARY EDITION

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A revolutionary approach to enhancing metabolism that enables lasting weight loss and facilitates spiritual well-being • Presents an eight-week weight-loss plan • Many of us arrive to the end of a day sense undernourished, uninspired, and overweight. Shows how completely enjoying each meal may be the optimal way to a healthy body Our modern culture revolves around fitting as much as possible into the least amount of time. In this 10th anniversary edition, Marc David presents a new way to understand our relationship to food, focusing on quality and the pleasure of consuming to transform and improve metabolism. He shows instead how to decrease cortisol and various other stress hormones and increase metabolic power through appropriate breathing and dietary strategies that nourish both body and soul, proving that fully enjoying each meal is the optimal way to a healthy body. Explains how relaxed consuming stimulates metabolic function and how tension hormones encourage excess weight gain • Because of this, most people propel themselves through existence at a dizzying speed that is contrary to a wholesome lifestyle. Citing cutting-edge study on body biochemistry and also success tales from his own dietary counseling practice, he demonstrates we have been creatures of body, mind, and spirit and that whenever we focus on these levels concurrently we can shed pounds, increase energy, and enhance digestion to feel rejuvenated and motivated. He presents an eight-week program that allows visitors to explore their particular connection to meals, assisting them in allowing go of their fears, guilt, and old habits so they can figure out how to deal with their bodies in a dignified and caring method. Drawing on a lot more than 30 years of encounter in nutritional medicine, the psychology of consuming, and the research of yoga exercise, Marc David offers visitors practical tools which will yield life-transforming, sustainable results. the proper way to lose weight is to eat much less and exercise even more." We eat fast, on the run, and often under stress, not only removing most of the enjoyment we might have based on our food and creating digestive upset but also wreaking havoc on our rate of metabolism. He reveals the shortcomings of most quick-fix digestive aids and fad diets and debunks common nourishment myths, such as "



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Unusual take on managing our diet plan This is probably the most unusual books about managing our eating habits I've come across. The author doesn't individual body and soul but displays how they're two sides of the same coin. And he does it in a beautifully created and lyrical way. Best book ever. I'm not really a huuuuge eater but I'm bigger than I will be. It doesn't look like it would change lives, but it does. Thankfully, Marc David doesn't do this. He separates his dietary information into eight interesting aspects, one for each week of his two month program, which I'll do my best to summarise below.1) Relaxation. This is the importance of eating slowly, with your full attention, as long as you're relaxed and happy. Extremely helpful! Instead of stressing approximately which of the myriad diets we ought to try, simply elevating the standard of our food could be the way to go. David explains the way the meals we ingest actually speaks to the cells of our bodies. I like his advice that rather than going smooth out fanatical about it, we should shoot for an 80% quality food target every day. It's counter-productive when the stress of searching for the best quality meals neutralises its good effects.3) Awareness. We should focus on the pleasure we take from the flavours and aromas of our food and drinks, rather than wolfing it down on auto-pilot. He convincingly argues something I've often heard dieters say as a tale. Would you believe our thoughts actually can be fattening? It seems that using self-denial while fantasising about forbidden foods might not be all its cracked up to end up being. It is the dose that maketh the medication.4) Rhythm In this section, he talks about the body temperature in different phases of the sun, when it comes to timing our meals. A must read Love this perspective with food and taking in.5) Pleasure. Science shows that whenever the pleasure element is taken away, the vitamins and minerals of meals plummets. That is a life-style prescription, on not just how to get probably the most out of your meal (i. Diet), but ways to get the most out of existence and yourself! Each eater metabolises the same meal quite differently from others at the desk, according to your unique thoughts. It's convenient to learn that digestion is bound by toxic thoughts of any kind. We should prevent labeling different foods 'good' or 'bad' to begin with. David discusses our 'inner pharmacies' secreting chemicals to your bodies based on positive and negative thoughts. The tales we tell ourselves are like powerful medicines that ignite our fat burning capacity and create our biochemistry, so we ought to tell ourselves great ones. I knew this inside somewhere but to learn what was feeding my soul. Even processed foods eaten with a content mind set may give us more advantage than superfoods with a negative mind set. He makes some amazing quotes, such as for example, 'Our DNA may be the biochemical equivalent of a story.'8) The Sacred. So many keys to understanding! The eight sacred metabolisers he mentions audio similar to the fruits of the spirit talked about in the Bible. Completely new concepts! Just as God said, 'Let there become light,' we often don't

prevent to consider that people may be saying, 'Let there be anger,' or 'Let there be dread,' or 'Let there end up being discord. Far exceeded my expectations Don't let the name of the book make you think this is yet another diet book in this whole wellness diet industry. Like Marc David's mind. Although I haven't place this publication to the test however as a weightloss program, it rings accurate and convinces me never to focus on superficial factors such as calories and personal appearance anyway. I'm sure I'll use it as a reference frequently. I hope you'll take my short sentences or paragraphs above as an invitation to read something a lot more profound and initial. Thank you! Thanks to the publisher, Inner Traditions, for providing me with a review duplicate.' Relating to Marc David, even partial negativity may undernourish the soul and rob the body of nutrition. This book is so much more! Which means this is a great chapter for those folks who deny our taste buds by consuming spartan, non-tasty food. Attitude and Attention Impact Absorption This book enters our attitudes about eating and how the body works when digesting food.6) Thoughts. I definitely recommend this to anyone who's prepared to grow and excell in existence! Helpful support for How exactly we eat to boost our relationship to food and our bodies One of the best books There is that has helped me personally to slow down with appreciation as I eat. Marc builds an excellent case for staying in "heart-coherence" while eating to improve nutrient absorption and improve digestive issues. I found his support for paying attention to HOW we eat as much as WHAT we eat very helpful. He addresses both. Grateful to have got found this book and will read it often. This is a great "non-diet" diet book This is an excellent "non-diet" diet book. Describes more of a way of eating that needs to be practiced regardless of what you're eating or who you are. Everyone could benefit from eating just how Marc David suggests, and he provides very solid evidence to support his suggestions. Individually, I'm more satisfied and have less indigestion consuming with satisfaction and awareness, as opposed to eating while watching tv or while browsing the internet on my mobile phone. I'm tired of needing to wrap my mind around something similar to a mini science/diet course to obtain healthier! And a big difference at that. When I traced the pattern, I placed on fat when I'm in detrimental states although my hunger never really adjustments.e. Informative plenty of for experts and easy plenty of to follow for anyone. I'm about halfway through the reserve now (he suggests reading it over eight weeks) and I'm actually enjoying it. I actually needed that perspective!7) Story. Many diet plan books make an effort to convince us to make the effort of rationing carbs and proteins, etc. Strongly suggested book and a fairly short read. It had been nice to hear ' there are no good and bad foods'. Food is mutual. We would as well consume the treats with mindful gratitude.Many thanks!2) Quality. This was a totally different type of "diet" book. I've tried a lot of his tips at the end of the chapters and I am finding eating to be

a more enjoyable encounter. anybody with . It's about how and why you eat and what meals does for and within you. Fascinating to understand my attention (or insufficient it) is a factor in my body getting the nutrition it needs. In this chapter, he pieces out showing that what people sometimes call miraculous phenomenon may actually be latent biological traits which are activated when we're touched by the divine. I am a RN and understood most of the scientific concepts behind nutrition but didn't have very much regard for the emotional elements. I love how the writer provides great study and compelling tales to convey his truths. I recommend it to anyone discouraged with attempting to diet for whatever reason. And if I really do lose a bit of pounds by embracing all of this, I'll be recommending it all the more. The very best health book out there. Far from being another dry health book, this often reads like a poem. He winds up with an eloquent plea for all of us to allow the vocabulary of the soul and sacred things back to science and medicine. Once we create the body chemistry instantly, we would as well be certain it's what we wish. Totally new concepts rather than the same old. This is a life changing book.. I enjoy that as a Health Coach who reads avidly to stay in tune. Specifically, he explains why eating smallish portions throughout the day, followed by a big main meal during the night when we're hungry, can create problems. My condensed version In a nutshell, the publication says to loosen up and eat slowly.. This book offers you the chance to explore alternate paths to a wholesome brain, body and soul.. It's not about what you take in.. Different Perspective I think most people know counting points or calories, do not work. That is a life changing book. any one with any kind of issues around food, their weight or their body picture should read this reserve.



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