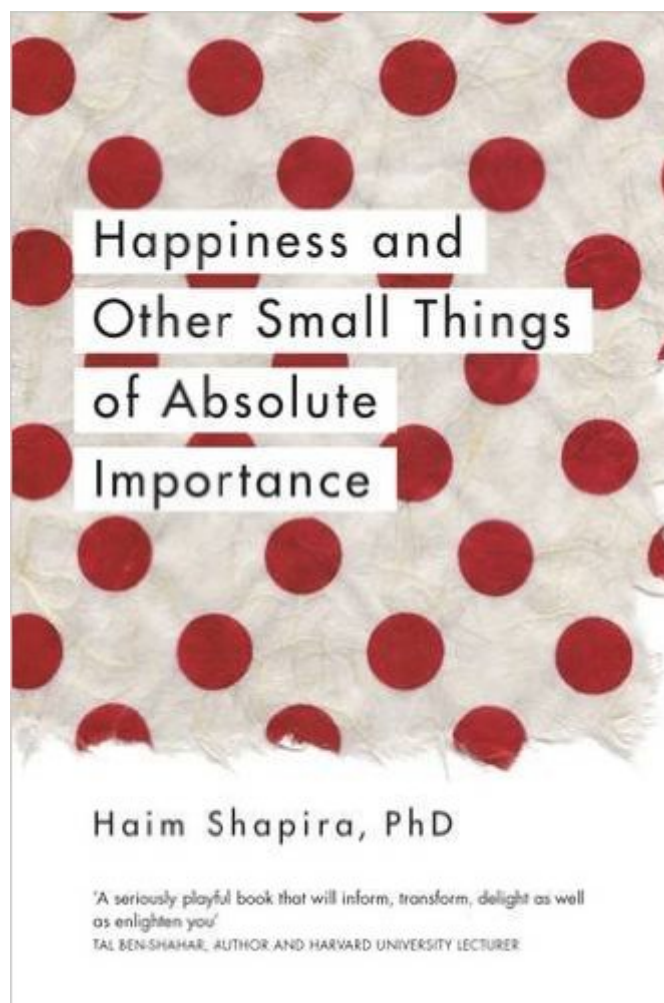


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Happiness And Other Small Things Of Absolute Importance



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This is not a self-help book! Haim Shapira says: "There are no organised trips to happiness." You will not find here instructions how to solve life problems, but this book will "delight as well as enlighten you". This playful book is very well written and deals with serious matters with a wonderfully refreshing voice. Should become a classic.

Maybe the words of Dr. Tal Ben-Shahar describe this book perfectly: "A seriously playful book that will inform, transform, delight as well as enlighten you". A great book, should become a classic, both enlightening and entertaining.

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