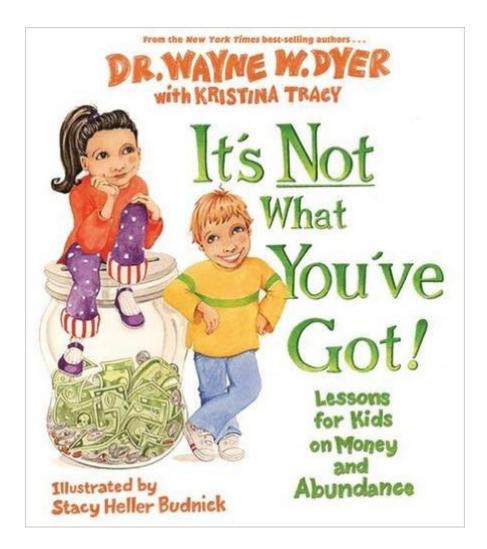


It's Not What You've Got





Synopsis

Dr. Wayne W. Dyer, the internationally best-selling author and lecturer, has written a new book in his series of inspirational books for kids. You're Not What You've Gotaddresses the topics of money and abundance, with the understanding that childrenâ [™]s earliest thoughts and perceptions about money are those that will last throughout their lives.The concepts presented in this beautifully illustrated book include: Money does not define who you are; it doesn't matter what others have, and abundance comes in many forms. Unlike most books on this subject, You,re Not What You've Got is not a how-to manual on spending and saving for kids, but rather a positive, spiritual approach to the meaning of money.

Book Information

Lexile Measure: 780L (What's this?) Hardcover: 32 pages Publisher: Hay House (September 21, 2007) Language: English ISBN-10: 1401918506 ISBN-13: 978-1401918507 Product Dimensions: 0.8 × 9.2 × 11 inches Shipping Weight: 14.4 ounces (View shipping rates and policies) Average Customer Review: 4.7 out of 5 stars Â See all reviews (50 customer reviews) Best Sellers Rank: #57,550 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #17 in Books > Children's Books > Growing Up & Facts of Life > Family Life > Money #30 in Books > Children's Books > Education & Reference > Money & Saving #243 in Books > Children's Books > Growing Up & Facts of Life > Family Life > Values Age Range: 4 - 7 years Grade Level: Preschool - 2

Customer Reviews

I read this book with no prior familiarity with the author. Although it seemed very promising and innovative at first, I won't be adding it to my list of recommended books for children. I would put this book in the same category as "Oh The Places You'll Go" (Dr. Seuss) and "I Knew That You Could" (Dorfman and Ong). All three contain pithy advice about life, set to rhyme, and illustrated for children. Unfortunately, these books tend to appeal far more to adults than to children. In my experience, rhyming read-alouds are best for children up to about kindergarten-age. Only more

sophisticated illustration or writing will extend the use-life of the book into early or mid elementary. In the case of "It's Not What You've Got," the ideas presented in the book will be difficult to grasp for young children with little life experience. By the time they are old enough to understand and make use of the advice, the book will seem far too childish. Therefore, I can imagine adults really loving the idea of a book like this, and giving it as a gift, only to see it gather dust. The illustration style is so unremarkable that I doubt that many kids will be drawn to it. Further, the wordy title just screams "Educational Book!" and will repel most children browsing the shelves for a bedtime story or something to idly pass the time. As for the book's advice, I find most of it to be sound, but I agree with a previous reviewer that Tip #4 (You Have the Power to Get What You Want) is somewhat at odds with the advice to be happy with what you have, especially with the picture of a girl aspiring to own a car, a pony, a bg house, an expensive handbag, and dreaming about travel and adventure.

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