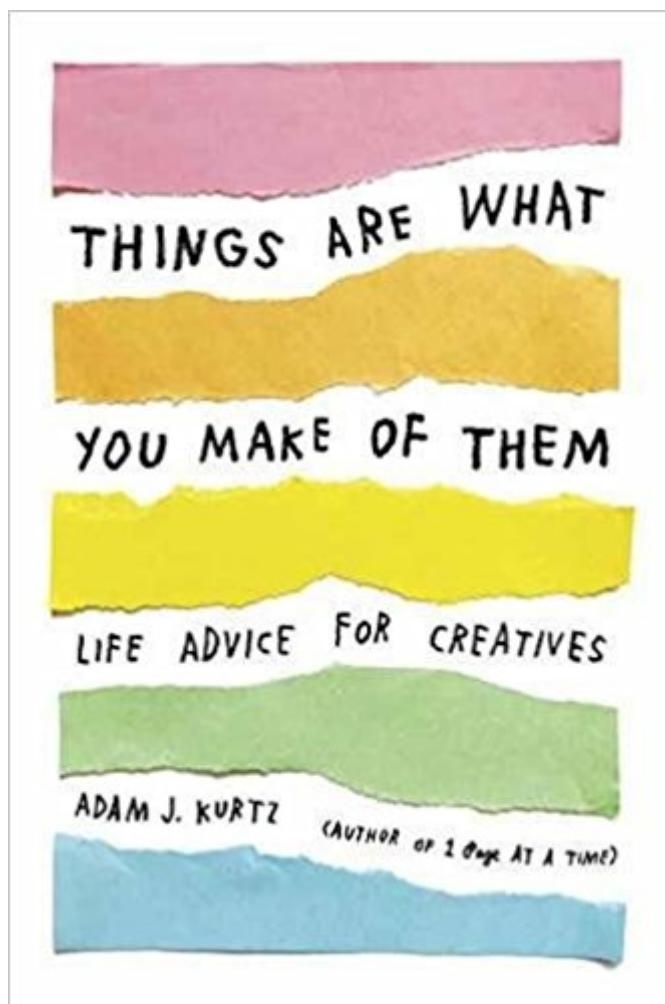


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# Things Are What You Make Of Them: Life Advice For Creatives



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