BookShelf | My Favorite Reads

(And a short reason why I liked them)

The Fastlane | M.J. Demarco

Great for someone thinking about taking the journey into entrepreneurship.

Zero To One | Peter Thiel

Great for someone thinking about building something TRULY revolutionary, and good reasons why it should be done.

Steve Jobs | Walter Issacson

Great insights into an influential man's life.

The Subtle Art of Not giving a fuck | Mark Manson

Great way to reduce anxiety and wake up to some facts of life that make it easier to live.

Willpower Doesn’t Work | Benjamin Hardy

Great insight into how the best way to change your habits is to change your environment

The War of Art | Steven Pressfield

I guess I don’t remember too much from this book, just that it was a good read. I made this bookshelf years after I read it, and didn't have notes on the books at the time so they are based on recollection.

The Obstacle Is The Way | Ryan Holiday

Stoic thoughts are winners, and Ryan Holiday is, in my eyes, the best modern stoic writer. Besides what's written on https://NeoStoicism.com of course.

Deep Work: Rules for Focused Success in a Distracted World | Cal Newport

WAYYY more people need to learn about the idea of attention glue as described here. Insights to understand why some people get 10x more done in the same amount of time.

Spiral Dynamics | Don Beck & Christopher Cowan

Am yet to finish this one, other books became more useful in the MOMENT I am in, but it's some dank knowledge that I will definitely return to when the time is right, and I would recommended it to anyone who is thinking about thinking, thinking about changing the world, and looking to understand the dynamics of people more clearly.

Atomic Habits: An Easy & Proven Way to Build Good Habits & Break Bad Ones | James Clear

Put the habits on top of each other and they will become easier. This was important to me because it allowed me to see how when I pushed myself to do something, I knew next time it would be easier, and that made it seem less hard the first time, because it increased the perceived value and increased my dopamine.

A Guide to the Good Life: The Ancient Art of Stoic Joy | Ryan Holiday

Some truth here, the biggest insight I took... Stoicism is truly about being happy not about being emotionless.

Start with why | Simon Sinek

Build your house on the rock.

Life 3.0 | Max Tegmark

This intro is an absolute favorite and is in one of my article sections since I took the audiobook file I had and converted it into text so I could continue writing on top of the piece. Learn about AI and how it's going to affect our future.

Fundraising | Ryan Breslow

Short and sweet with all the best tips on fundraising in the venture capital world.

Recruiting | Ryan Breslow

Some really key insights and another short and sweet book about recruiting for your startup.