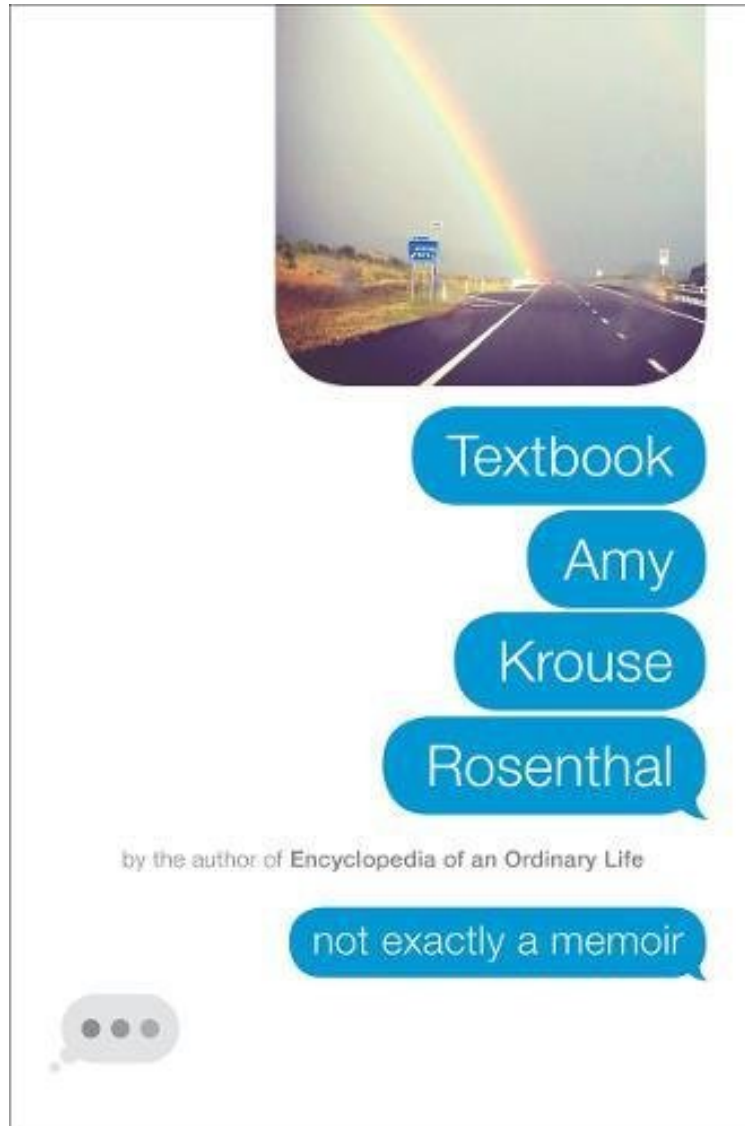


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and assuming some form of further conversation about what she has written. My favorite one is she hopes to have readers join together and who knows, maybe form a group of sorts. Like one big book club made up of digi-pals who might aspire to form a deep friendship, or take a trip together – the world will be your oyster thanks to Krouse Rosenthal. It's like Textbook.com. Love it. Her ideas are brilliant – she gives you little exercises of pure delight. So simple yet so powerful. I found myself highlighting everything, taking furious notes. The 'experiments' are not just sweet but fun. And funny. Rosenthal delivers amusing wisdom of the everyday, and pinpoints things that we all think about but probably don't write down unless we keep a journal and take the time to re-read it or talk out loud and laugh at ourselves. Yes, there is texting and yes, we post on Instagram and laugh at our witty selves. But somehow sharing all those sweet, tender and hilarious moments with others in a way that is meaningful. And, not just relegated to your kid's first day of school adorableness (although I know he/she is so cute!), your dog's latest trick or that incredible cocktail that you must post, but real life goodness – things that you wish for, things that you can try to achieve, observations in the small things that really matter, something that you find so funny or so coincidental or so truly astounding you need anyone who will listen to know about this because it is that amazing that it might start a movement. ?Krouse Rosenthal is the friend you want to have and the writer you want to keep writing. Jump on the TEXTBOOK bandwagon. 3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. Rest In Peace Amy By Salted Radish This book (and Encyclopedia of an Ordinary Life) have been on my wish list for months and sadly it took until I read about Amy's death that I read Textbook Amy Krouse Rosenthal. I so wish I had read it sooner. Her writing speaks to me, we are simpatico! Fun to read and the interactive texting bot was fun. Poignant, funny, random and creative. This book leaves you wanting more..... I am off to listen to Amy Krouse Rosenthal's Ted Talks and YouTube Videos. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. A Unique and Unforgettable Not Exactly a Memoir... By M. Carroll Textbook is so many things, including a cute play on words. I've never read anything quite like it and maybe because I am such a fan of AKR's writing, I loved all of it. I bought this book shortly before the author died and finished it after attending a celebration of her life in Chicago, which may explain why it was so very moving to me to read her last work. I recommend reading Textbook with your phone in hand, and please follow all the text prompts and links. Especially, listen to the soundtrack while reading her end notes and keep tissues handy. I'm sad this book isn't more popular and sadder that Amy's voice is gone from this world. She left us a lovely and inspirational goodbye letter. #Makethemostofyourtimehere

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