

Failure Family



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A picture book that challenges and encourages those who are afraid of failure through the delightful stories of this family, making failure seem like a normal part of life.

Whenever Seth sees his family who seem to thrive on failure, he can't make sense of it. From the older brother who dreams of becoming a comedian but is often criticized for his gags, to the mother who loves to make clothes but makes clothes that people don't like, to the father who has never won a tennis match, this is a failure family. Seth strives to keep his heart intact by sticking to his fail-proof tips: only do what you are good at and do not do anything you have never done before. But is failure really something to be avoided?

'...Failure is like this blister. It is bitter and hurts, but every time I look at it, I feel fulfilled because it is proof that I have been practicing tennis hard.' – from the content





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