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**Hilary Robertson : The Stuff of Life** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Stuff of Life:

25 of 25 people found the following review helpful. Love This a Book!By KittyIf you are the kid that liked playing house only because you could decorate it, or if you automatically and unconsciously rearrange other people's decor, then this is the book for you. Even more so if you are the person who reads home decor magazines with your nose pressed to the page to see just what that interesting object on that coffee table in the photo is, then this is the book you've been waiting for FOREVER! Beautiful photography and interesting commentary.14 of 15 people found the following review helpful. Beautiful, but also a bit cold.By LadybugA beautiful book, overall. The pictures are visually stunning and interestingly arranged--though I wish they were less "cold." The exaggerated shadows and grey tones gave the whole book an old and almost sad feel.There were a couple of exceptions: I thought the profiles on Hilary Roberston and Leida Nassir-Pour were lovely, noticeably warmer and more inviting. Ultimately, I wish the book, as a whole, had more color and a broader range of tones. I think the variety would have added some depth and life to the

pictures.9 of 9 people found the following review helpful. stunning and insightfulBy sabinethis book is not only beautiful to me, but everyone who flips through the book when they see it on my table wants it instantly. well done! its gorgeous, every image and every chapter of the way its well thought out and photographed.

In her gorgeous new book, sought-after interiors stylist Hilary Robertson reveals a multitude of different ways to style and display the stuff of lifethe flotsam and jetsam of possessions that we all slowly acquire. In the first chapter, How to Arrange your Stuff, Hilary identifies and illustrates four different approaches to arrangements and shows how each one can be achieved. She also considers the variety of display locations available within the home blank walls, mantelpieces, windowsills, chests of drawers, tabletops and suggests how to make the most of them. Next, in Stories told by Real Homes, Hilary shares inspiration from real-life interiors that fall into five different stylesNeatnik, Bohemian, Naturalist, Sculpture Vulture, and Noble Salvage. Some people are magpiesthey love stuff; finding, collecting, and displaying it, while their opposite, the minimalists, are on a mission to contain it or tame it.The ideas in this book are sure to appeal to both magpies and minimalists and everyone in between.

About the AuthorHilary Robertson is a well-known interiors stylist and journalist with an illustrious client list that includes Canvas, Ochre, Elle Decoration, Vogue Living, and the Telegraph Magazine. Also a talented writer, Hilary wrote the text for Josephine Ryans French Home (also Ryland Peters Small). Hilary lives in Brooklyn with her husband and son. She recently opened Mrs. Robertson, a store selling vintage furniture and accessories.