

Why Some Ideas Survive and Others Die Chip Heath & Dan Heath

Made to Stick by Chip and Dan Heath

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The Villain

Curse of Knowledge

The Curse of Knowledge is when someone is too familiar with a topic, they struggle to make their idea 'sticky'

SUCCESs

- Ideas are sticky when they utilize:

Simplicity

Unexpectedness

Concreteness

Credibility

Emotional

Stories

Impactful Examples

https://youtu.be/qt3flXhuURE?t=28

(best watched without the visual)

The Good, The Bad



Great examples



Not a lot of ideas for the length of the book

Examples over 'formula' or how to make an idea 'sticky'



Takeaways

Find the core

Thanks!