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My workplace gave all employees a copy of The Go Getter and encouraged us to read the book and to come up with our own Blue Vase There was also apparently a short story by P.G Wodehouse of the same name and so to avoid confusion I found a couple of places that referenced this book by Kyne as Winning the Blue Vase Other versions add the original subtitle A Story that Tells You how to Be One The book is a very short read only about 70 pages and our edition came with an afterword of another 15 pages of commentary The story is a parable fable like tale It tells the story of war veteran William Bill Peck and his efforts to get a job at a Logging Lumber Company The company is owned by Cappy Ricks but Cappy has delegated out normal management roles to two vice presidents The book was written and is set in the time immediately following World War One The book begins with Cappy berating his acting upper management team for their poor choices and their inability to find worthwhile employees Shortly after that, Peck arrives on the scene asking Cappy for a job However, he does than just ask for a job He comes to Cappy without an appointment and basically tells Cappy that Peck is the man for whatever job Cappy wants to throw at him There are other details as well Peck had already talked with the other vice presidents and been turned down, he had a great working knowledge of Cappy s business, etc but the short of it is that Cappy is very intrigued by Peck and gives him a chance However, at the same time, he makes the job as difficult as possible by giving Peck what is considered as I understood it the worst sales assignment in the company.I don

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t want to go through the whole plot with you it s a short book and it seems to be in the public domain if you want to read it online for free But I will say what you ve already guessed from the title of the book Peck continues to impress Cappy and goes on to impress the other vice presidents At which point, Cappy gives him the test of the blue vase The test is a simple personal task that Cappy asks Peck to do, namely to go and purchase a blue vase from a shop window and bring it to Cappy However Cappy throws all sorts of obstacles in the way to test Peck s ingenuity and resolve. The story is a cute little tale and it does include a number of quippy little comments that can be used as motivational blurbs The afterward in my edition expounds on the concepts of the book in case you failed to make the leap from the fiction of the story to the moral and practical lesson it s trying to teach The actual lesson being taught is actually fairly simple and straightforward on paper It basically involves setting your eye on the prize and doing whatever it takes to get there In addition it s the idea that you should go above and beyond just the status quo that you should attempt to exceed expectations, not simply meet them or worse, fail to meet them When given an assignment, you should give it your all and do the best you can without excuses When you see an opportunity, you should leap at the chance to stretch and grow even if it s outside your comfort zone or expertise. Bottom line as I take it you should not settle , you should not coast Life should always consist of your best effort, your best talent, your best energy There will always be obstacles, sometimes than others Bill Peck s motto as taught him by his general in the war was it shall be done Even if he d never done it before or if nobody had ever done it before, he always went into a task that he could and would finish the task and no matter the obstacles, he continued trying to find a way to complete the task even when others may have given up He continued after the blue vase even when everything was against him and his allotted time was up And eventually, he succeeded. This is a fun little read and I can see the reason that employers might want their employees to read it It s definitely a simple read with a simple message, but it s a worthwhile message 3 out of 5 stars I m use to my mind wandering or falling asleep after 15 30min..2hours later the book is done The Story Kept me engaged and wanting to hear

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what was next Bill Peck Values something that I feel has been watered down and lost its value over the years, His Word One man at a time we can Build Strength into Our Word so the Phrase My Word Is My Bond and the Value it Brings can Mean something once Starting with Me I Commit to Myself, I Give My WORD to Myself to Become a Go Getter For Myself For The Next Generations Commit2Urself Es Una Apasionante Obra De Motivaci N Para Aquellos Que Nunca Se Dan Por Vencidos Esos Hombres Y Mujeres A Quienes Su Coraje, Persistencia Y Sentido De Responsabilidad No Les Permite Desistir Nunca De Las Tareas Que Se Les Encomiendan A Traves Del Relato De Una De Las Pruebas Mas Duras Que Se Le Pusieron A Willia Peck, Descubrir S En Una Forma Clara Y Divertida Lo Que Se Necesita, Asi Como El Tipo De Persona Que Tendras Que Ser Para Lograr Tus Metas Y Convertirte En Un Verdadero Triunfador I added this book when Chris Hogen on EntreLeadership Podcast was doing their Must Read segment early 2014 The premise is about doing what ever is needed to reach your goals.This hour long audiobook is entertaining, but is difficult at first as it is written with very old school language This took a minute to get over and eventually made the story very pleasant The next biggest problem I have with the story line is that it challenges the character s morality Not to give away anything, but the character, if not stopped, would have made some immoral and illegal decisions to reach his goal, and the protagonist of the story would have been good with that As much as I want to be a Go Getter and have Go Getters in my organization, immoral and illegal methods are not welcome.I enjoy Mr Ramsey s podcast and I understand that he preaches Go Getter mentality, and I agree that the intention of this book is purely good, I just worry that the message new leaders will take away is do what is needed whether moral or immoral whether legal or illegal.That major concern brought my rating from a 4 star to a 2 star. Short book can easily be read in one sitting but powerfully inspirational Get this book on your shelf and read it often This is a wonderful short about the story of a go getter Peck a war veteran demonstrates the qualities of a go getter What you have here is a war veteran with an amputated leg and hand Yet, with singular focus and determination he manages to get his job done Many people might read this and think, this is just silly, but I believe it s a

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matter of perspective You can read it and each person will learn something based on his own flaws. This book written in 1920 taught me a few things The motto, It shall be done, sir Discipline Go above and beyond what is asked Persistence Never refuse Take every opportunity Never say It can't be done. Nice novelette that will motivate those in sales or seeking achievement. One hour read or less Every young person needs to read this. A very short parable you can read it during your lunch hour on how a young unemployed veteran is handed the opportunity to take his career to the top if he succeeds or go down in flames and ruin his career if he fails The book runs along the lines of the Who Moved My Cheese approach though it was written in the 20s of using a short story to explain a few very basic though powerful principles This book really sums up the guiding principle of consulting Even if you aren't sure you can do it, tell yourself that you can, figure out how to pull it off and execute and don't give up And above all always go above and beyond what's expected even if it's very painful to do so A great little short story though somewhat unrealistic I don't know of any human being that would go to all of the trouble of the main character that reminds us of what we can accomplish when our backs are against the wall and we never give up The motto of the go getter It shall be done. For anyone who doesn't wish to buy the audio book, you can download this off librivox.org volunteers who make public domain versions of audiobooks of books that have since passed into the public domain or the full text off Google books. This was a very nice short story about tireless persistence and ingenuity with the primary character being a disabled veteran of WWI contrasted with other lazy workers the bosses knew who consistently beats the almost impossible odds stacked against him and always seems to have some backup plan. Really wish I could say, as I definitely enjoyed it Despite being first published in 1921, almost seemed to have a strange intuition as if it could have been written after WWII as they have that quote attributed to Patton of how you should tell someone what needs to be done, but not insulting their intelligence by telling them how to do it Maybe the borderline spoiler is that if a task seems odd and great, it's possible you're being groomed or simply tested for bigger and better possibilities.

El Jarrón Azul



*Si hay algo que hacer...
¡seguro lo haré!*

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