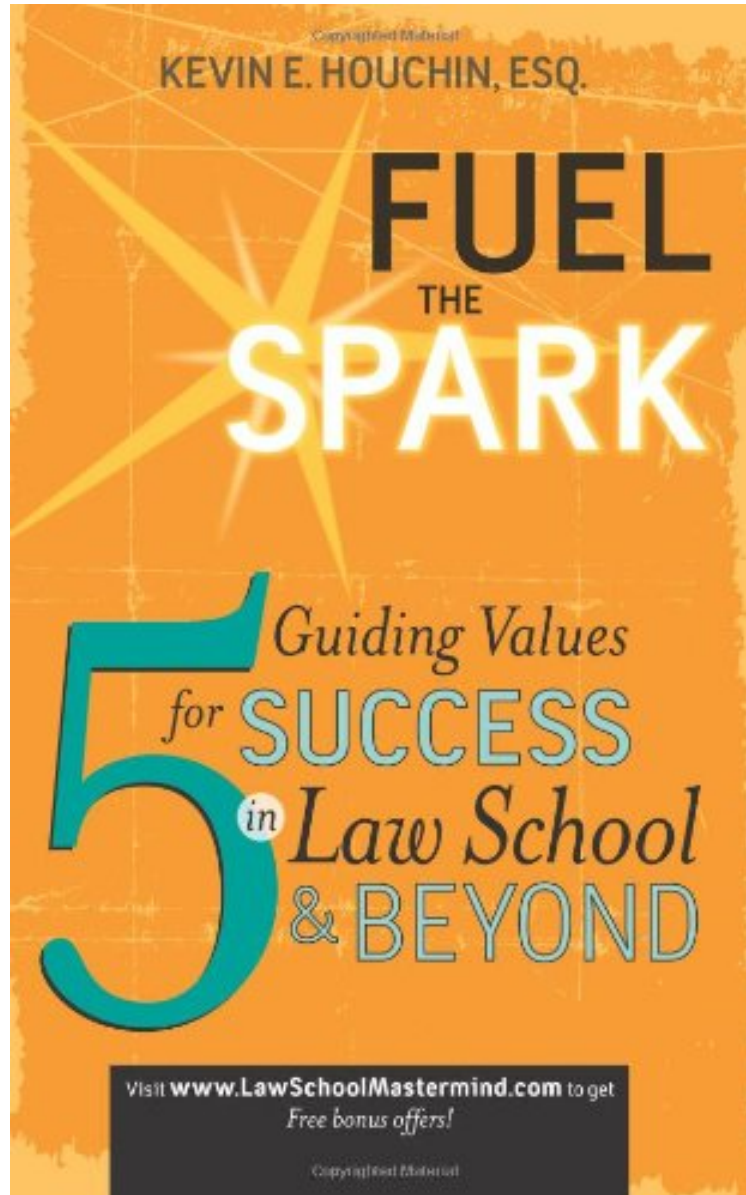


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law school student (and never will be!), but Kevin Houchin, Esq. has written a concise, interesting, and above all, extremely helpful guide to succeeding in all areas of life, not just in law school. Mr. Houchin assures that if we follow 5 guiding values, 1: Accept 2: Show Up 3: Pay 100% Attention 4: Keep Many Irons in the Fire and 5: Stewardship, we will be happier, more balanced and successful individuals, no matter what field of work we enter. I found the chapter on acceptance particularly insightful, especially the discussion of surrender, where instead of meaning giving up, we learn the importance of releasing and letting go. Building upon the principles in the first section of Fuel the Spark, Part 2 helps the reader write a manifesto for the next five years of life. The appendix even provides an outline for creating a successful mastermind group, and encourages law school students to check out Houchin's membership-based, social media mastermind Web site.

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Fuel the Spark: 5 Guiding Values for Success in Law School Beyond was written to give law students, and students of life, a context within which to filter the decisions that will shape our lives, our families, our communities, our country, and our world. What responsibilities do you accept as your own? What situations will you accept as they exist? When will you show up? Where will you put your attention? How will you stay engaged? How will you give back? All these questions and more are explored. Leadership strategies for people who want to use their legal educations to make a positive difference in our world. While the book is written specifically for law students, it is easily applied to the situations faced by every leader, in almost every situation requiring focused attention and engagement in a complex, competitive, intellectual environment. Engage your full potential. Fuel your spark.

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