



Excerpts on Life

BEHIND
THE
SCENES



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Intro

Behind the scenes or the making of a project is what I am greatly attracted to, sometimes even more so than the actual project itself. Perhaps that is why I often buy DVD's for behind the scenes footage and extras, or sketch books from artists and designers, or why I watch cooking shows when I don't cook or even like the food they're making. From set designs of a film, sketches for models or paintings, to the process of an experiment, they all have a life behind what is being shown: the experience, the hours spent, the hard work put in, the failures and breakthroughs, and all the tears, sweat, and blood. That is the essence, the soul, that drives the whole project.

As a designer, animator, and builder, to me the ride of the process should be just as interesting; I mean, what fun is it when you're dropped off at the end of a rollercoaster ride? This book gives an insight on the creative and technical process of making *Excerpts on Life*.

Relationship



Concept

"Relationship" is a motion graphic short which showcases the complications of different relationships.