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Estimated Arrival Time? No Idea: John Green and Life's Long, Weird Detours

Abstract. While best known for his young adult fiction, John Green's most recent nonfiction texts turn personal observations into profound reflections on what it means to be human in an overwhelming world. Unsure what direction to take? No worries! Green reminds us that while there is no definitive map for living (or for creating stories), there is always hope and the knowledge that everyone can forge their own meandering path(s) and build a life worthy of 5-stars.

