

# Review of: "[Commentary] The Paradox of Wealth: A Satirical Exploration of Intelligence and Financial Success"

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The author has highlighted the crucial role of risk-taking in wealth accumulation. While offering us a starting point, the text oversimplifies the complexities of wealth creation by painting a binary picture of "sensible" vs "stupid" approaches to wealth creation. Focusing on anecdotal examples of entrepreneurs and athletes overlooks more common paths like steady savings and career growth, limiting the argument.