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Duration: 30 minutes, 148 episodes

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Life Isn't Everything is a show about people that want the opposite of everything they have.

The show centers on a 38 years old TV script writer that writes for a low budget TV talk show hosted by a sleazy comedian. He suffers at work, suffers at home and suffers on the way to work and on the way home, in short, a professional sufferer.

In the course of his obsessive attempts to make some sense out of his life, he comes to an earth-shattering conclusion: if this is all life has to offer - then he's been cheated. There's more to life than just living it! Life isn't everything.

His writing partner and friend is 28 years old and still has artistic aspirations. He is a little naive but has an incredible knack for survival. He is in constant search for true love but is not capable of making a commitment. Whenever someone who might be the woman of his dreams appears in his life, he disappears like a bat out of hell.

The script writer's wife is an opinionated woman who yearns for a child. She is also working on a never ending MA (not even she knows what her thesis is about).

Her main goal in life is to mold her husband into something she can tolerate. She believes that if he were to listen to her more often, life would be easier - especially her life.

We also meet his extended family who, to put it mildly, don't make life any easier.

In short it is a portrait of modern day malcontents whose mental stability is put to the test on a daily basis.

Life isn't Everything is Israel's longest running sitcom, airing over 140 episodes across 9 seasons.

