Introduces the social lives of animals as collective solutions to fundamental individual problems in life—eat, not be eaten, reproduce. Explores the fundamental concepts of behavioral ecology to contextualize how animals behave collectively in the marine realm and how the trade-offs of group living shape their social lives.

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