Overbooked - Treatment.

Overbooked; a motivational, comedy, feel-good movie.

The story is based on the premise of a young man; Luke, pretty much a failure all his life, petty crook, etc., that accidently steals 5,000 copies of a self-help book, written by an unknown author.

Not knowing what to do with the books, but not wanting to throw them away, he returns to his home town, stocking them in his parent's garage, lying to them that he has been given these copies, by the author, who he has convinced that he can publicise and sell them.

He comes from an outwardly successful, but, in reality, dysfunctional family and is known to all the authorities of his home town, as a failure and petty criminal.

The girl that he loves, has long since dumped him as a non-starter.

Luke has also to deal with the local Mafia boss, to whom he owes money to, and was under the impression that Luke had stolen 20 pallets of 'hot cash'.

When Luke is asked what the book is about, he is forced to start reading it. Only to realise that the advices in the book can be used to sort out his real problems.

Little by little, he starts to get his life in order and local people start to notice. He is invited to give a talk in the local community centre and calms an ancient quarrel between certain committee members. He is then invited on the radio, and then on local, and finally onto national TV, where he becomes a New Age Guru, based on the book's advice.

Eventually the author finds out about this and rushes to the TV station to confront Luke, who welcomes him, and presents him to the national audience as the writer of the book, ... and he gets his girl.