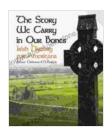
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See's narrative begins with her childhood in Los Angeles, where she grew up as the daughter of a Chinese immigrant father and an American mother. As a child, she struggled to reconcile her bicultural upbringing, feeling like an outsider in both her Chinese and American communities. It was not until later in life, after her father's death, that she began to explore her Chinese heritage in earnest. Armed with a box of her father's belongings, See embarks on a quest to uncover the hidden stories of her ancestors. She travels to China, visiting the villages where her family once lived and meeting distant relatives who share her bloodline. Through these encounters, she gains a deeper understanding of her own identity and the resilience of her family in the face of adversity.

See's writing is both poetic and deeply personal, capturing the complexities of family relationships, the search for belonging, and the power of storytelling to heal wounds and bridge divides. She explores the ways in which our past traumas can haunt us, but also how they can be transformed into sources of strength and resilience.

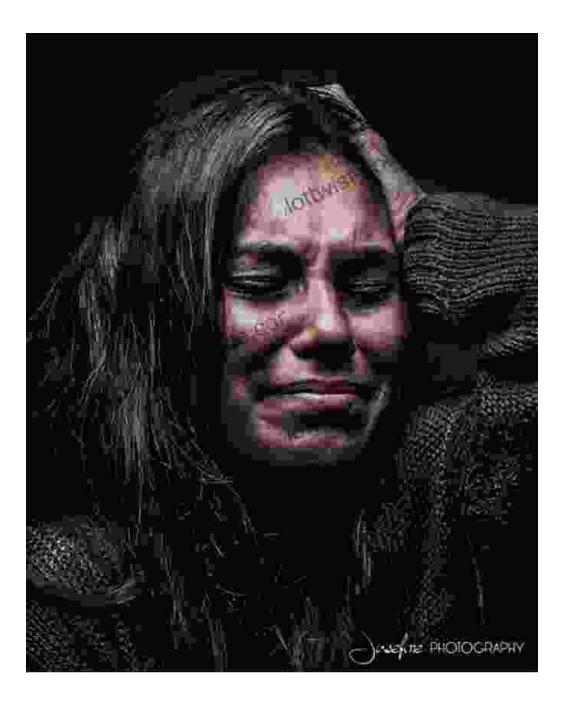
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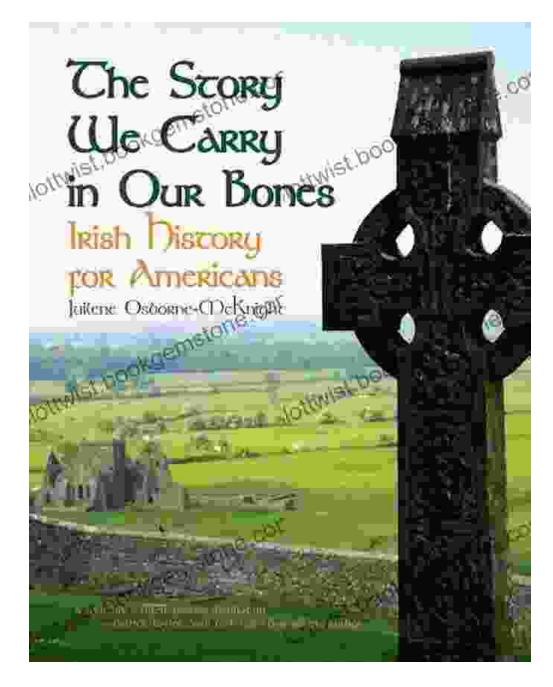
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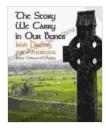




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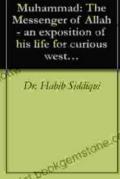
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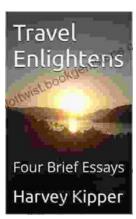
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