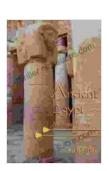
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The book begins with an exploration of the land itself, from the fertile Nile Valley to the barren deserts that surround it. Ikram describes the geography, climate, and natural resources of Ancient Egypt, and how these factors shaped the development of its civilization.

The heart of the book is a detailed examination of Ancient Egyptian society, from its political and religious systems to its social and economic structures. Ikram discusses the role of pharaohs, the importance of religion, and the daily lives of ordinary Egyptians.

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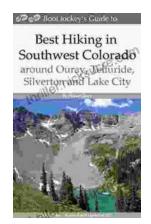
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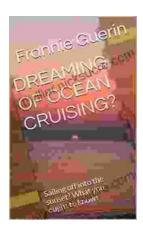
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