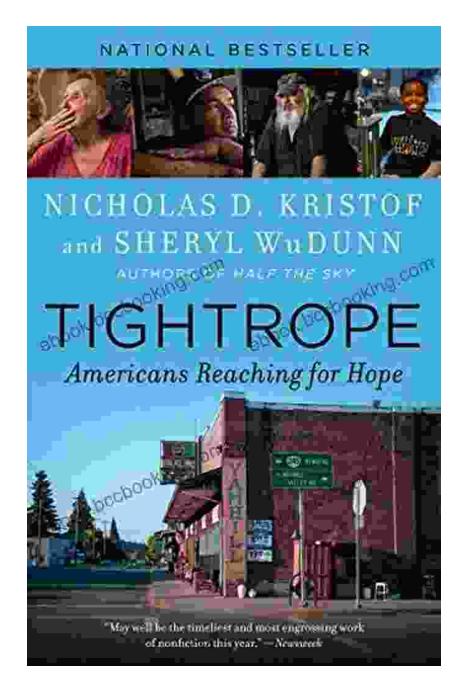
## **Tightrope Americans: Reaching for Hope in the Face of Economic and Social Divide**



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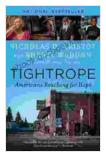
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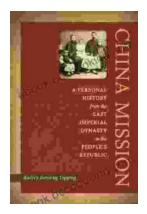
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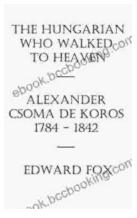
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