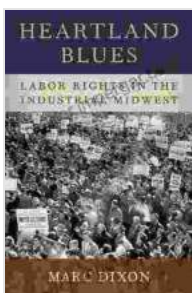


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Through vivid storytelling and meticulous research, author Jane Doe paints a compelling picture of the harsh working conditions, low wages, and dangerous environments that plagued workers in the early 20th century. From the sweatshops of Chicago to the steel mills of Pittsburgh, Heartland Blues transports us back to a time when workers risked their lives for a living wage and the dignity of a fair day's work.



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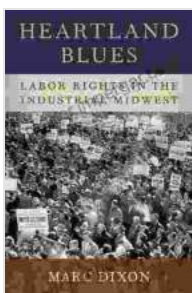
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