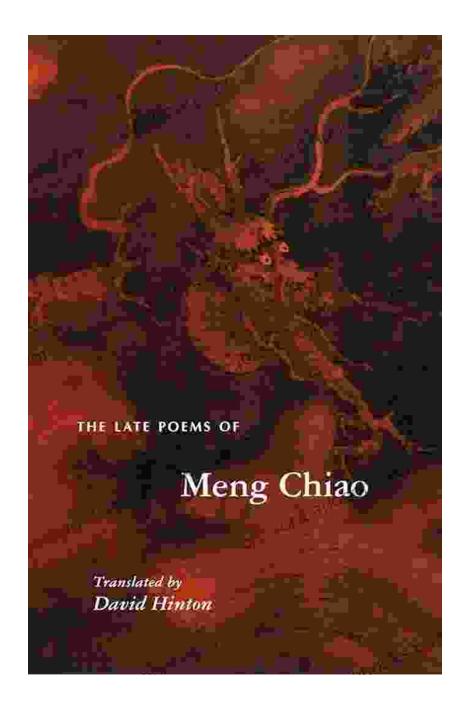
# Delving into the Timeless Masterpieces: "The Late Poems of Meng Chiao"

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#### **Unveiling the Depths of a Poetic Master**

Meng Chiao lived during the tumultuous Tang dynasty, a period of both cultural brilliance and political turmoil. His experiences as a marginalized official and a Buddhist monk profoundly shaped his worldview, infusing his poetry with a unique blend of wisdom, compassion, and understated elegance.

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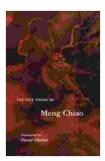
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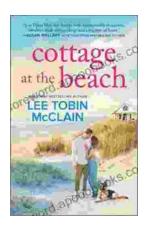
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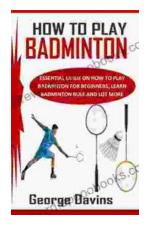
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