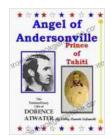
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Dorence Atwater was a remarkable figure who lived an extraordinary life. He was known as the "Angel of Andersonville" for his work as a nurse during the Civil War, and he later became the "Prince of Tahiti" after he was adopted by the royal family of that island.

Atwater was born in New York City in 1845. He was the son of a wealthy merchant, and he received a privileged education. However, he was also a deeply compassionate person, and he was moved by the plight of the sick and wounded during the Civil War.

In 1864, Atwater volunteered to serve as a nurse at Andersonville Prison, a Confederate prisoner-of-war camp in Georgia. Conditions at Andersonville

were horrific, and the prisoners were subjected to starvation, disease, and overcrowding. Atwater worked tirelessly to care for the sick and dying, and he became known for his compassion and dedication.

After the war, Atwater returned to New York City, where he continued to work as a nurse. He also became involved in social reform, and he was a strong advocate for the rights of the poor and disadvantaged.

In 1880, Atwater traveled to Tahiti, where he was adopted by the royal family. He was given the title of "Prince of Tahiti," and he lived on the island for the rest of his life.

Atwater died in Tahiti in 1921. He was buried with full royal honors, and he is still revered as a hero on the island.

The Angel of Andersonville

Dorence Atwater's work as a nurse at Andersonville Prison earned him the nickname "The Angel of Andersonville." He was known for his compassion and dedication, and he worked tirelessly to care for the sick and dying.

Conditions at Andersonville were horrific. The prisoners were subjected to starvation, disease, and overcrowding. Thousands of prisoners died, and many more were left with lifelong disabilities.

Atwater worked tirelessly to care for the sick and dying. He bandaged wounds, distributed food and water, and provided comfort to the dying. He also risked his own life to speak out against the inhumane conditions at the camp.

Atwater's work at Andersonville was a shining example of compassion and dedication. He helped to save countless lives, and he provided comfort to the dying.

The Prince of Tahiti

After the Civil War, Dorence Atwater traveled to Tahiti, where he was adopted by the royal family. He was given the title of "Prince of Tahiti," and he lived on the island for the rest of his life.

Atwater was a popular figure in Tahiti. He was known for his kindness and generosity, and he was a strong advocate for the rights of the native Tahitians.

Atwater also played a role in the development of Tahiti. He helped to introduce new crops and industries to the island, and he promoted education and healthcare.

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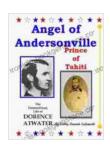
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Atwater's legacy lives on today. He is remembered as a hero in both the United States and Tahiti, and his story continues to inspire people around the world.

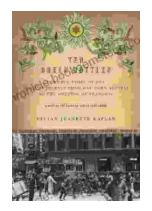


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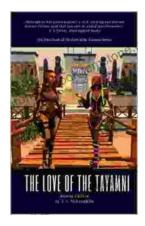
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