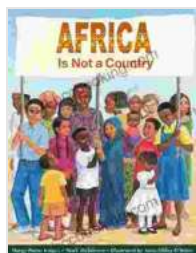


# **Africa: A Symphony of Nations, Not a Homogeneous Entity**

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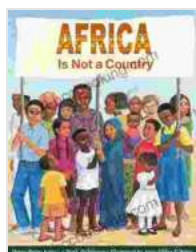
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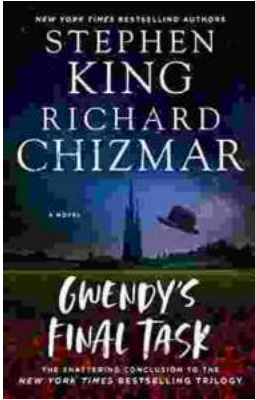
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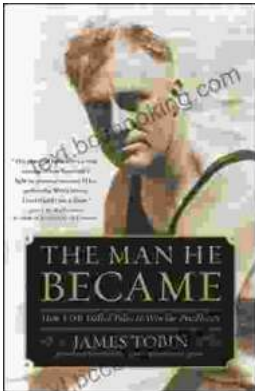
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