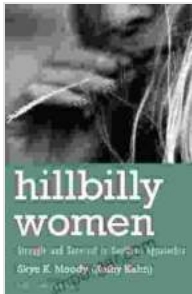


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In her powerful and evocative book, *Hillbilly Women: Struggle and Survival in Southern Appalachia*, award-winning journalist Susan Fowler takes us on a journey into the lives of these women, revealing the challenges they face and the resilience they have developed over generations.

Fowler spent years traveling throughout the Appalachian region, interviewing women from all walks of life—from coal miners to welfare recipients to stay-at-home mothers. She listened to their stories of poverty, violence, and discrimination, but she also witnessed their strength, determination, and hope.

The women in *Hillbilly Women* are not simply victims of their circumstances. They are active agents in their own lives, fighting for their families and their communities. They are working to break the cycle of poverty, to end the violence that has plagued their lives, and to create a better future for themselves and their children.

Fowler's book is a powerful indictment of the systems that have failed these women. She shows how poverty, gender discrimination, and racism have all contributed to the challenges they face. But she also offers a message of hope. She shows that these women are not defined by their circumstances, and that they have the strength to overcome them.

Hillbilly Women is a must-read for anyone who wants to understand the lives of these women and the challenges they face. It is a powerful and moving book that will stay with you long after you finish reading it.

Praise for *Hillbilly Women*

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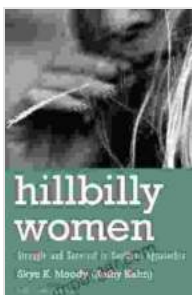
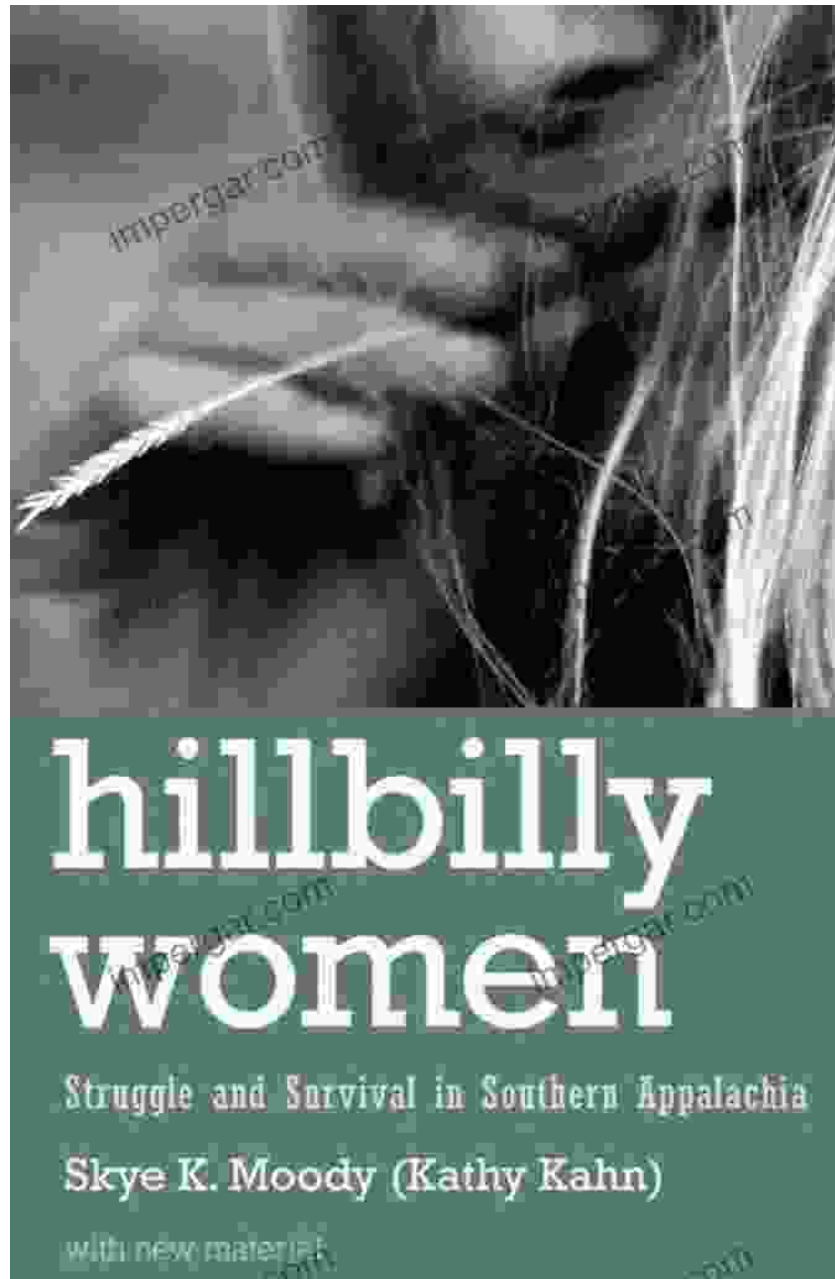
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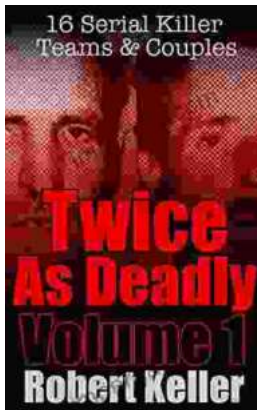
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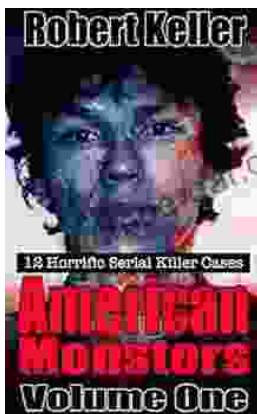
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