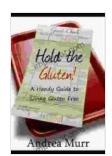
# Hold the Gluten: Your Handy Guide to Living Gluten Free

#### The Gluten-Free Diet: What It Is and Why You Might Need It

A gluten-free diet is one that excludes all foods containing gluten, a protein found in wheat, rye, and barley. Gluten can cause serious health problems for people with celiac disease, an autoimmune disFree Download that damages the small intestine when gluten is consumed. Celiac disease is a serious condition, but it can be managed with a gluten-free diet. In addition to celiac disease, there are other conditions that may benefit from a gluten-free diet, such as non-celiac gluten sensitivity and wheat allergy.



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#### **Symptoms of Celiac Disease**

- Abdominal pain
- Diarrhea

- Constipation
- Gas
- Bloating
- Weight loss
- Fatigue
- Iron deficiency anemia
- Vitamin B12 deficiency
- Osteoporosis
- Infertility
- Depression
- Anxiety

#### **Diagnosis of Celiac Disease**

Celiac disease is diagnosed with a blood test and a biopsy of the small intestine. The blood test looks for antibodies that are produced by the body in response to gluten. The biopsy is a procedure in which a small sample of tissue is taken from the small intestine and examined under a microscope. If the biopsy shows damage to the small intestine, a diagnosis of celiac disease is made.

#### **Benefits of a Gluten-Free Diet**

A gluten-free diet can improve the health of people with celiac disease and other conditions that benefit from a gluten-free diet. Benefits of a gluten-free diet include:

- Improved digestion
- Reduced abdominal pain
- Increased energy
- Weight gain
- Improved mood
- Reduced risk of osteoporosis
- Improved fertility

#### **Challenges of a Gluten-Free Diet**

A gluten-free diet can be challenging, but it is possible to live a healthy and fulfilling life with a gluten-free diet. Some of the challenges of a gluten-free diet include:

- Learning to read food labels
- Finding gluten-free foods
- Eating out
- Socializing

## Tips for Living a Gluten-Free Lifestyle

Here are some tips for living a gluten-free lifestyle:

- Read food labels carefully.
- Look for the gluten-free label on food products.
- Avoid foods that contain wheat, rye, or barley.

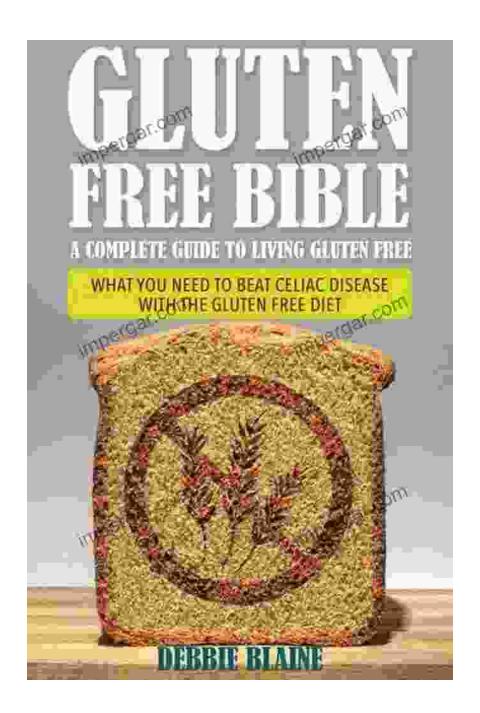
- Substitute gluten-free foods for gluten-containing foods.
- Talk to your doctor or a registered dietitian about your gluten-free diet.
- Join a support group for people with celiac disease or gluten intolerance.

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Hold the Gluten is a comprehensive guide to living a gluten-free lifestyle. This book covers everything you need to know about celiac disease, gluten intolerance, and the gluten-free diet. Hold the Gluten also includes over 100 gluten-free recipes, a gluten-free food guide, and a list of resources for people with celiac disease or gluten intolerance.

Hold the Gluten is an essential resource for anyone who is newly diagnosed with celiac disease or gluten intolerance, or for anyone who wants to learn more about living a gluten-free lifestyle.

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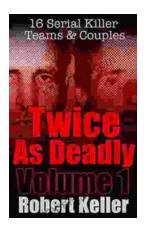
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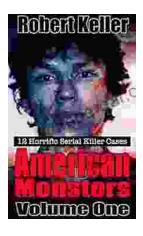
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