

Heretics: The Wondrous and Fearsome World of Female Saints Who Dared to Follow Their Own Path

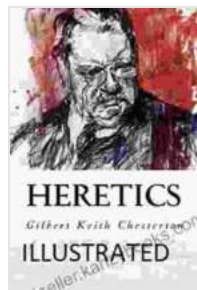
In "Heretics," Dan Cohn Sherbok takes us on a fascinating journey into the lives of some of the most remarkable women in Christian history. These are women who dared to challenge the status quo, to push the boundaries of what was considered acceptable, and to live their lives according to their own beliefs.

Sherbok introduces us to women like:

- **Joan of Arc**, the peasant girl who led the French army to victory against the English
- **Hildegard of Bingen**, the abbess and visionary who wrote about everything from medicine to music
- **Catherine of Siena**, the mystic and diplomat who helped to broker peace between warring factions
- **Margery Kempe**, the visionary who claimed to have experienced multiple marriages to Jesus Christ
- **Anne Hutchinson**, the Puritan who was excommunicated for her beliefs
- **Mary Baker Eddy**, the founder of the Christian Science movement

These women were all outsiders, misfits, and rebels. They were often persecuted and misunderstood, but they never gave up on their beliefs.

They were pioneers who paved the way for the women who came after them.



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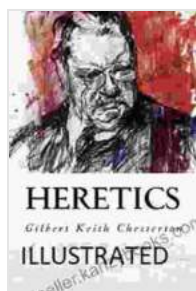
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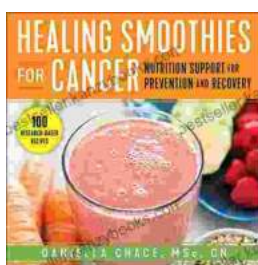
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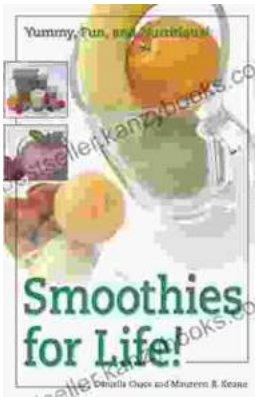
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