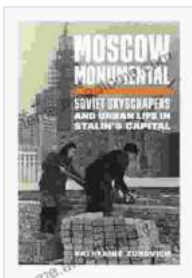


# Unveiling the Secrets of Soviet Skyscrapers: A Historical Journey

In the heart of Moscow, Soviet skyscrapers stand as towering testaments to an era of ambition, architectural prowess, and political symbolism. These iconic structures, erected during the reign of Joseph Stalin, have captivated the world with their grandeur, elegance, and intriguing history.



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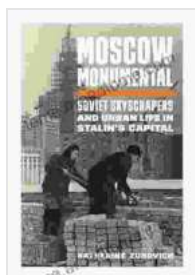
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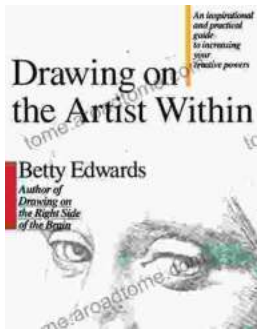
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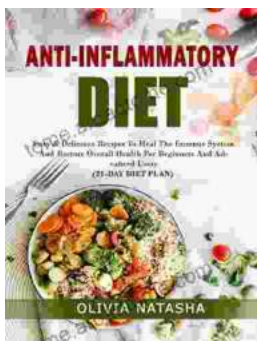
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