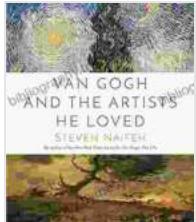


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## Early Influences

Van Gogh was born in the Netherlands in 1853. His early influences included the Dutch Golden Age painters, such as Rembrandt and Frans Hals. These artists taught van Gogh the importance of light and shadow, and how to use color to create mood and atmosphere.



Rembrandt van Rijn, *The Night Watch*, 1642

## Impressionism

In the late 1870s, van Gogh moved to Paris, where he came into contact with the Impressionists. The Impressionists were a group of artists who sought to capture the fleeting effects of light and atmosphere. Van Gogh was particularly influenced by the work of Claude Monet and Edgar Degas.



## Post-Impressionism

In the early 1880s, van Gogh developed his own unique style, which became known as Post-Impressionism. Post-Impressionism was characterized by the use of bold colors and exaggerated forms. Van Gogh was influenced by the work of Paul Cézanne, Georges Seurat, and Henri de Toulouse-Lautrec.

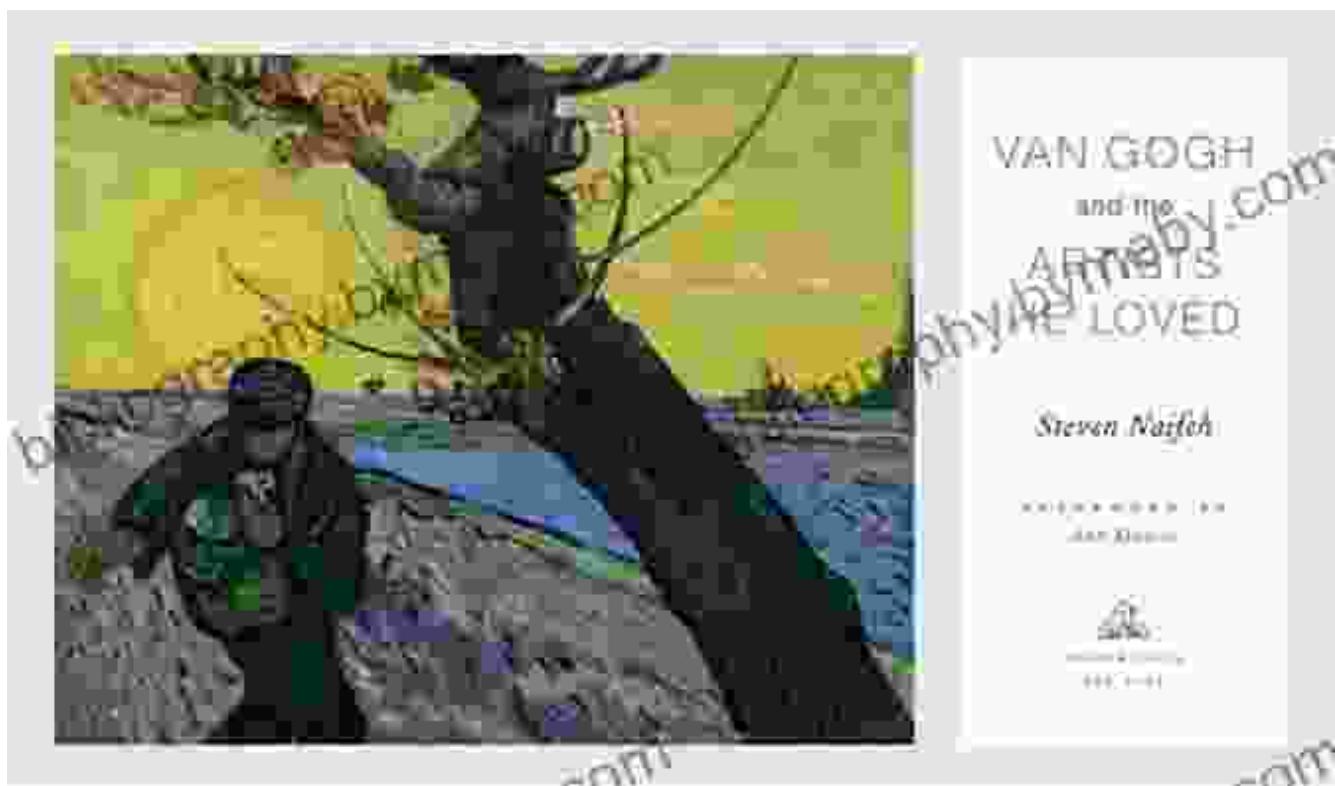


Paul Cézanne, *The Card Players*, 1892

## Modern Art

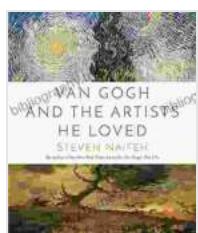
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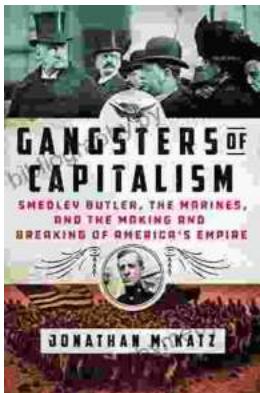
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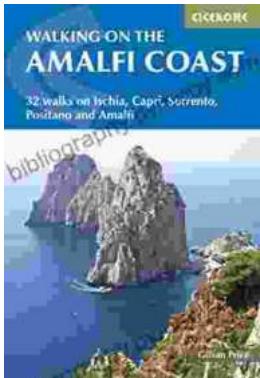
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