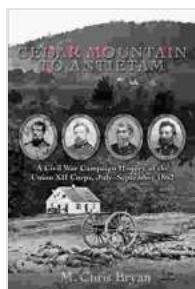


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Drawing on a wealth of archival material and expert analysis, the author meticulously reconstructs the events leading up to and during the battle, providing a deep understanding of the motivations and decisions that shaped its outcome. Readers will gain insights into the personalities of key commanders, including Lee, Stonewall Jackson, and George B. McClellan, and their influence on the course of the war.

The Road to Antietam

From Cedar Mountain, the book follows the armies as they maneuvered through the rugged terrain of Virginia and Maryland. The author meticulously traces the strategic decisions and tactical gambits that led to the fateful clash at Antietam Creek.

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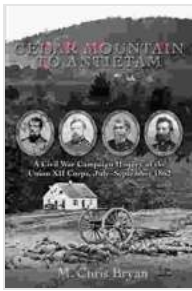
The Aftermath and Legacy of Antietam

Following the Battle of Antietam, the book explores the far-reaching consequences of this pivotal conflict. The author examines the political and military impact of the battle, including President Lincoln's issuance of the Emancipation Proclamation and the shift in the balance of power between the North and the South.

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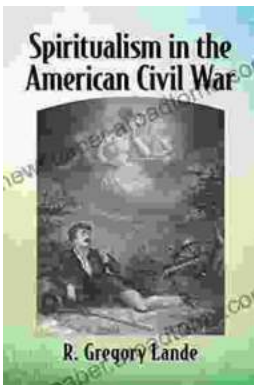


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