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In Gone Home: Race and Roots Through Appalachia, author Nikita Crump explores the complex and often overlooked history of race and racism in the Appalachian region. Drawing on her own family's history, Crump tells a personal and powerful story of the ways that race has shaped the region's past and present.

Crump begins her book by recounting her own experiences growing up as a black child in a predominantly white Appalachian community. She describes the ways that she was often made to feel like an outsider, both by her white classmates and by the adults in her community. She also explores the ways that racism has affected her family, both past and present.

Crump's personal story is interwoven with a broader history of race and racism in Appalachia. She traces the region's history of slavery, segregation, and racial violence. She also shows how racism has shaped the region's economy, politics, and culture.

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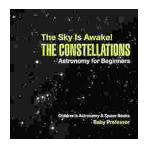
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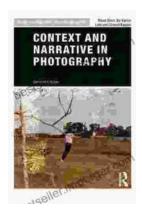
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