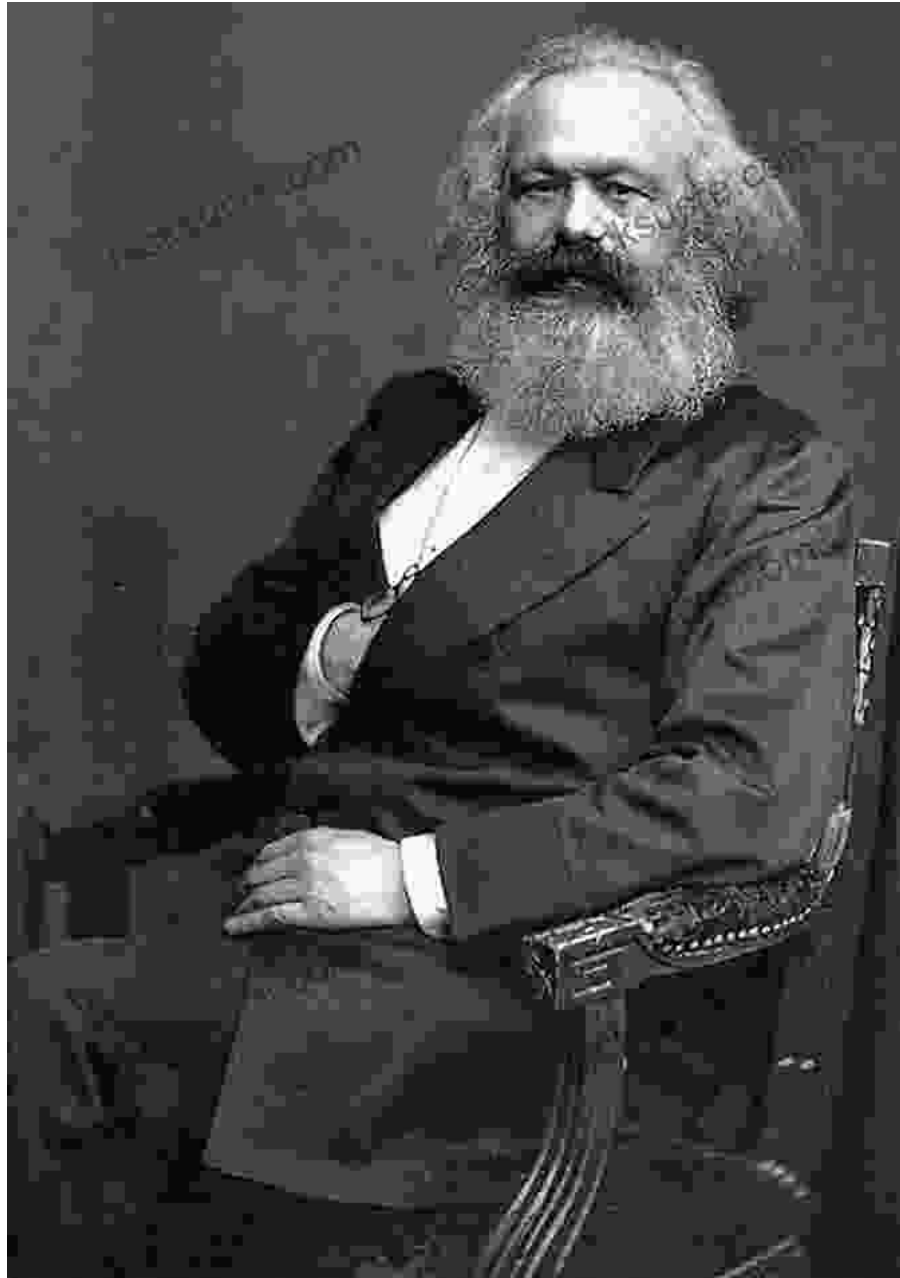
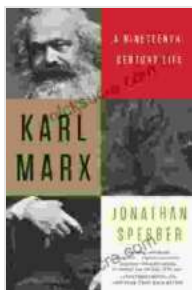


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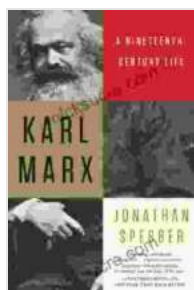
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Marx's ideas are still debated and discussed today. His work remains a source of inspiration for activists and scholars alike.

Karl Marx was a brilliant thinker who made significant contributions to our understanding of society and economics. His work has had a profound impact on the world, and it continues to be studied and debated today.



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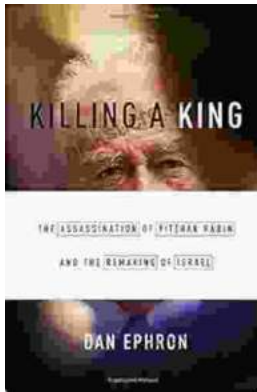
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