Denis Compton: The Authorized Biography



Denis Compton was one of the most gifted and versatile cricketers to ever play the game. He was a superb batsman, a fine bowler, and an exceptional fielder. He was also a true gentleman of the game, always playing with fairness and sportsmanship.



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Compton was born in Hendon, Middlesex, on May 23, 1918. He began playing cricket at an early age, and soon showed great promise. He made his first-class debut for Middlesex in 1936, and quickly established himself as one of the best batsmen in the country.

Compton made his England debut in 1937, and went on to play 78 Tests for his country. He scored over 5,000 runs in Tests, and took over 100 wickets. He was also a member of the England team that won the Ashes in 1953.

In addition to his cricketing career, Compton also played football for Arsenal and England. He was a talented wing-half, and made over 100 appearances for Arsenal.

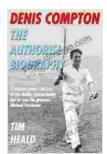
Compton retired from cricket in 1957, but he remained involved in the game as a commentator and writer. He died on April 23, 1997, at the age of 78.

Denis Compton was one of the greatest cricketers of all time. He was a gifted all-rounder who excelled in all aspects of the game. He was also a true gentleman of the game, always playing with fairness and sportsmanship.

This authorized biography, written with the full cooperation of the Compton family, tells the story of Denis Compton's extraordinary life and career. It is a must-read for any fan of cricket.

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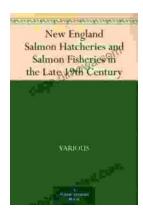
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