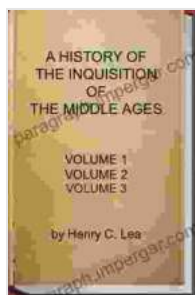


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Origins: The Rise of Heresy

The Inquisition emerged in the 12th century amidst rising concerns over heresy, particularly the Cathars, a Gnostic sect that challenged the authority of the Catholic Church. As heresy spread throughout Europe, the Church sought to suppress it by establishing a system of inquisitions to root out and punish those who deviated from its teachings.



Methods: Torture and Terror

The Inquisition employed a range of methods to extract confessions and punish heretics. These included torture, imprisonment, and public executions. Torture was often used to force suspects to incriminate themselves and others, while public executions served as a gruesome warning to those who dared to challenge the Church's authority.



Victims: The Innocent and the Accused

The victims of the Inquisition were often ordinary individuals, from peasants to noblemen, who were accused of heresy or other offenses against the Church. Many were falsely accused, and countless lives were destroyed by the relentless pursuit of the Inquisitors.



Impact: Fear and Control

The Inquisition had a profound impact on medieval society. Its pervasive fear instilled obedience and conformity, and it became a powerful tool for the Church to maintain its authority. The Inquisition also played a significant role in shaping religious and political landscapes throughout Europe.



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While the Inquisition was prevalent throughout Europe, the Spanish Inquisition emerged as its most notorious manifestation. Established in 1478, the Spanish Inquisition became a state-sponsored institution that unleashed a reign of terror on Spain and its colonies.



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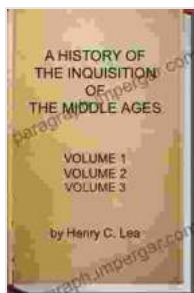
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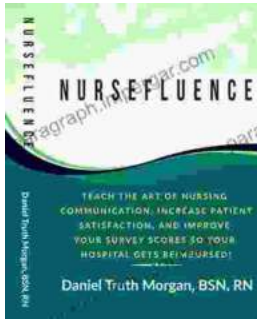


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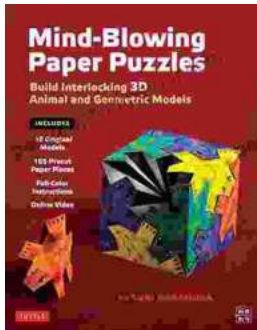
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