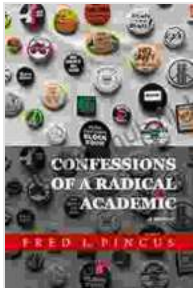


# Confessions of a Radical Academic: A Memoir of Love, Loss, and Learning



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Robin D.G. Kelley's *Confessions of a Radical Academic* is a powerful and moving memoir that tells the story of his journey from a working-class background to becoming one of the most influential voices in the field of African-American studies.

The book is divided into three parts. The first part, "Love," chronicles Kelley's childhood and adolescence in New York City. He grew up in a working-class family, and his parents instilled in him a strong sense of social justice. Kelley was an excellent student, and he went on to attend Columbia University, where he studied history.

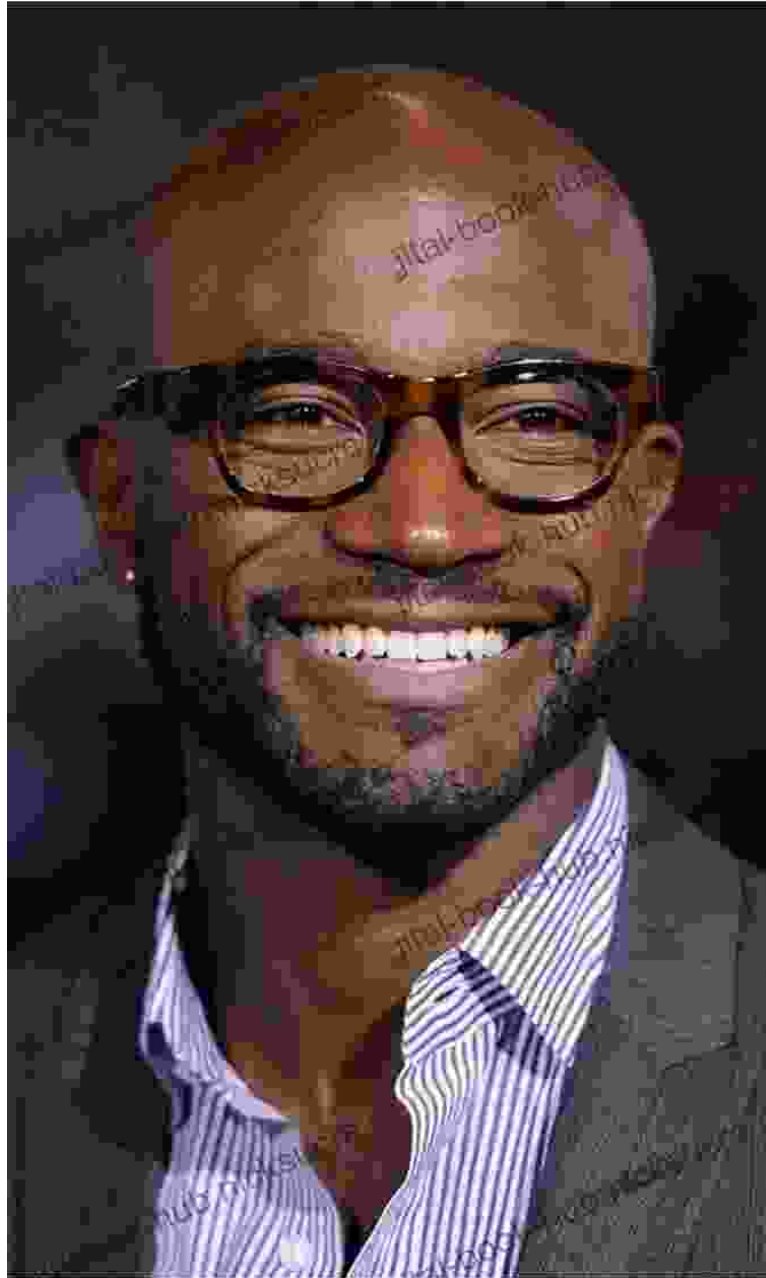
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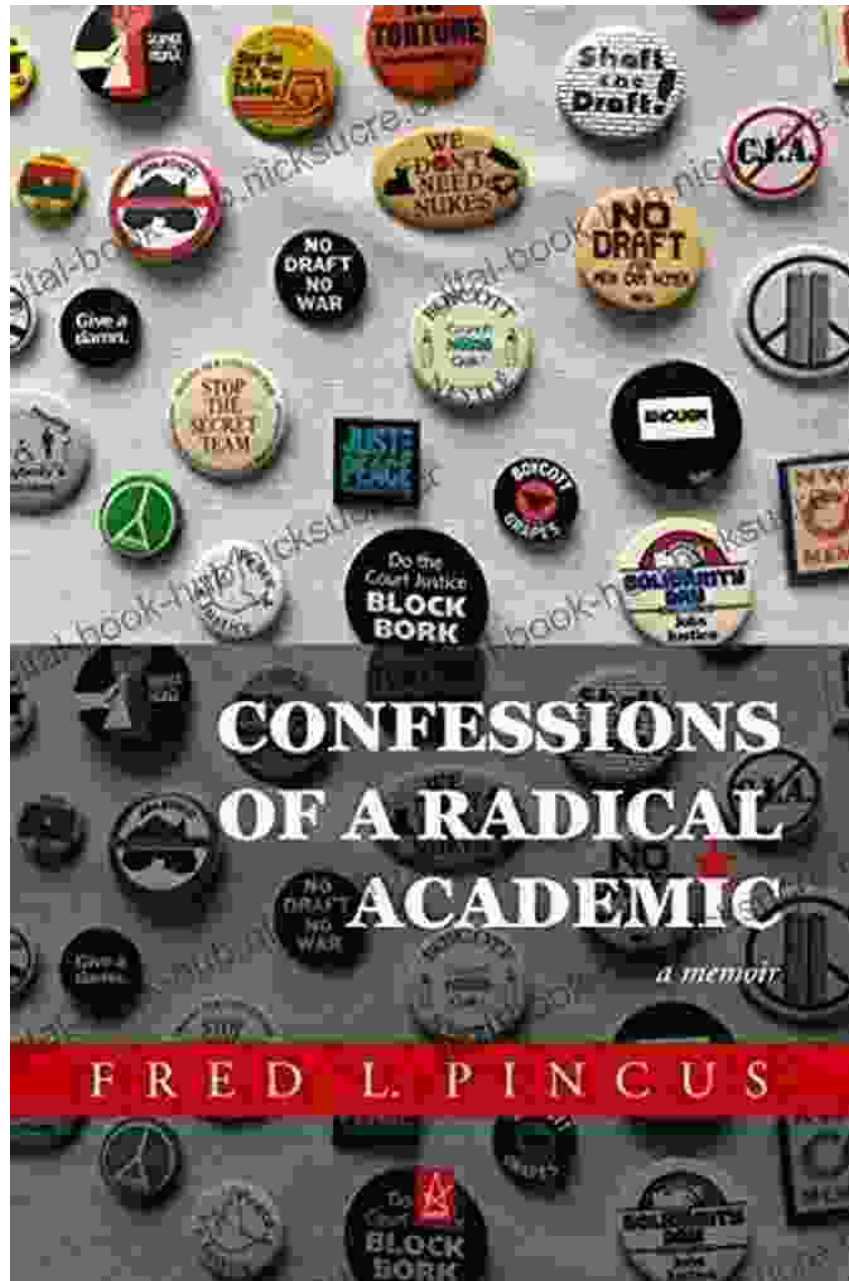
anti-war movement, and he was arrested and jailed several times. Kelley also lost several close friends and mentors during this time.

The third part of the book, "Learning," chronicles Kelley's journey as a scholar and activist. He earned a PhD from Yale University, and he went on to teach at the University of California, Berkeley, and Columbia University. Kelley has written numerous books and articles on African-American history and culture, and he is a leading voice in the movement for social justice.

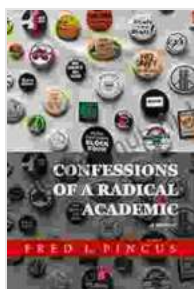
*Confessions of a Radical Academic* is a powerful and moving memoir that tells the story of a man who has dedicated his life to fighting for social justice. Kelley's writing is clear and engaging, and his story is sure to inspire readers.

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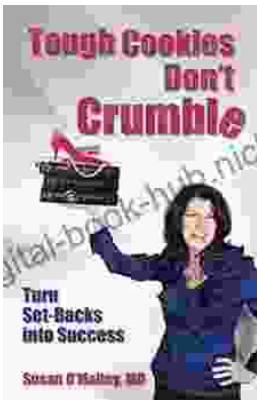


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