

Football and European Identity: How the Beautiful Game Is Shaping the Continent

Football is more than just a game in Europe. It is a way of life, a source of national pride, and a powerful force for social and political change. In this groundbreaking book, acclaimed author David Goldblatt explores the complex and fascinating relationship between football and European identity.



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Goldblatt argues that football has played a major role in shaping the way Europeans see themselves and their place in the world. The game has helped to create a sense of shared identity among Europeans, while also reinforcing national differences. Football has also been a catalyst for social and political change, helping to break down barriers and promote tolerance and understanding.

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About the Author

David Goldblatt is an acclaimed author and journalist who has written extensively about football and its relationship to society. He is the author of several books, including *The Ball Is Round: A Global History of Football* and *The Game of Our Lives: The Meaning and Making of Football*.

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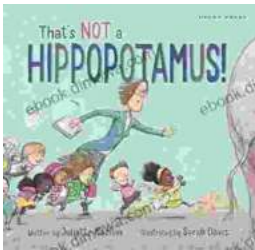
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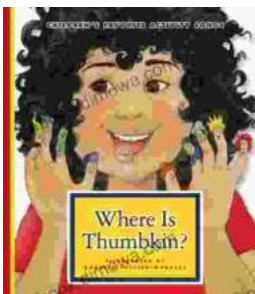


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