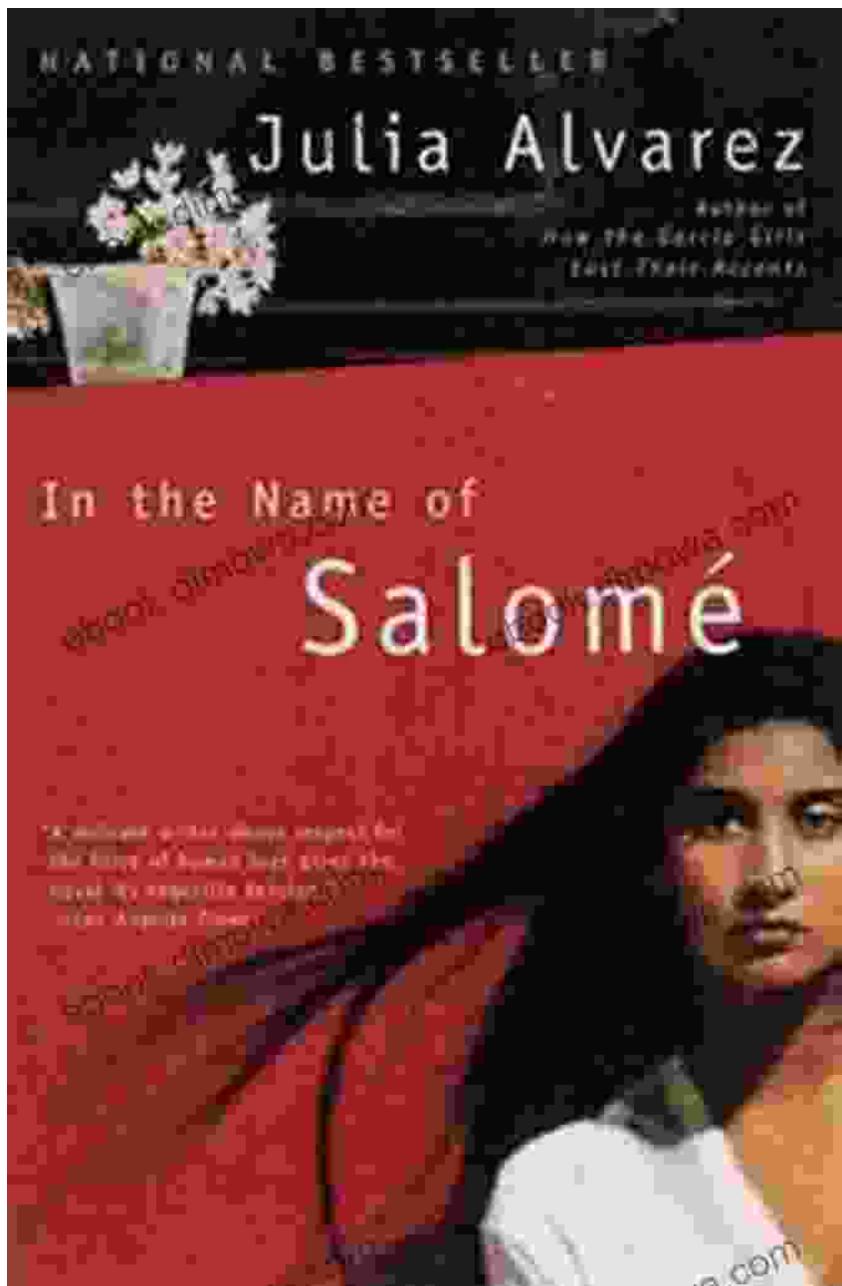


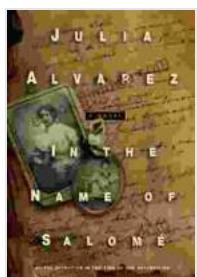
# Journey into the Enigmatic World of "In the Name of Salome"



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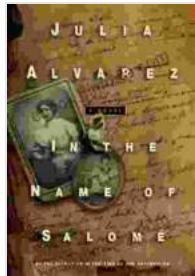
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## **Unlock the Mysteries of "In the Name of Salome"**

Join Padre Florentino on his quest to uncover the truth about Salome's death. Delve into the labyrinthine streets of colonial Manila and witness the clash of cultures and identities. Experience the haunting beauty of Nick Joaquin's prose and unravel the mysteries that lie within the pages of "In the Name of Salome."

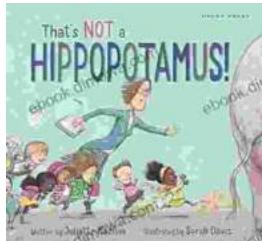
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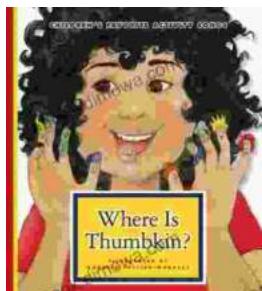
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