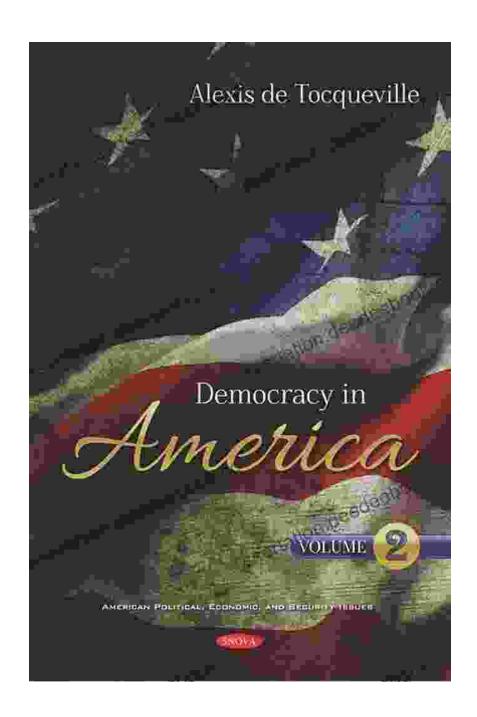
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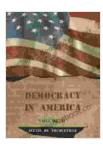
equality is essential for the preservation of democracy, and that it is a necessary condition for human progress.

Tocqueville's Legacy

"Democracy in America" remains one of the most important works of political thought ever written. Tocqueville's insights into the nature of democracy and its potential for both good and evil are still relevant today. The book is a must-read for anyone who wants to understand American society and politics.

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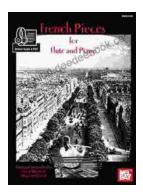
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