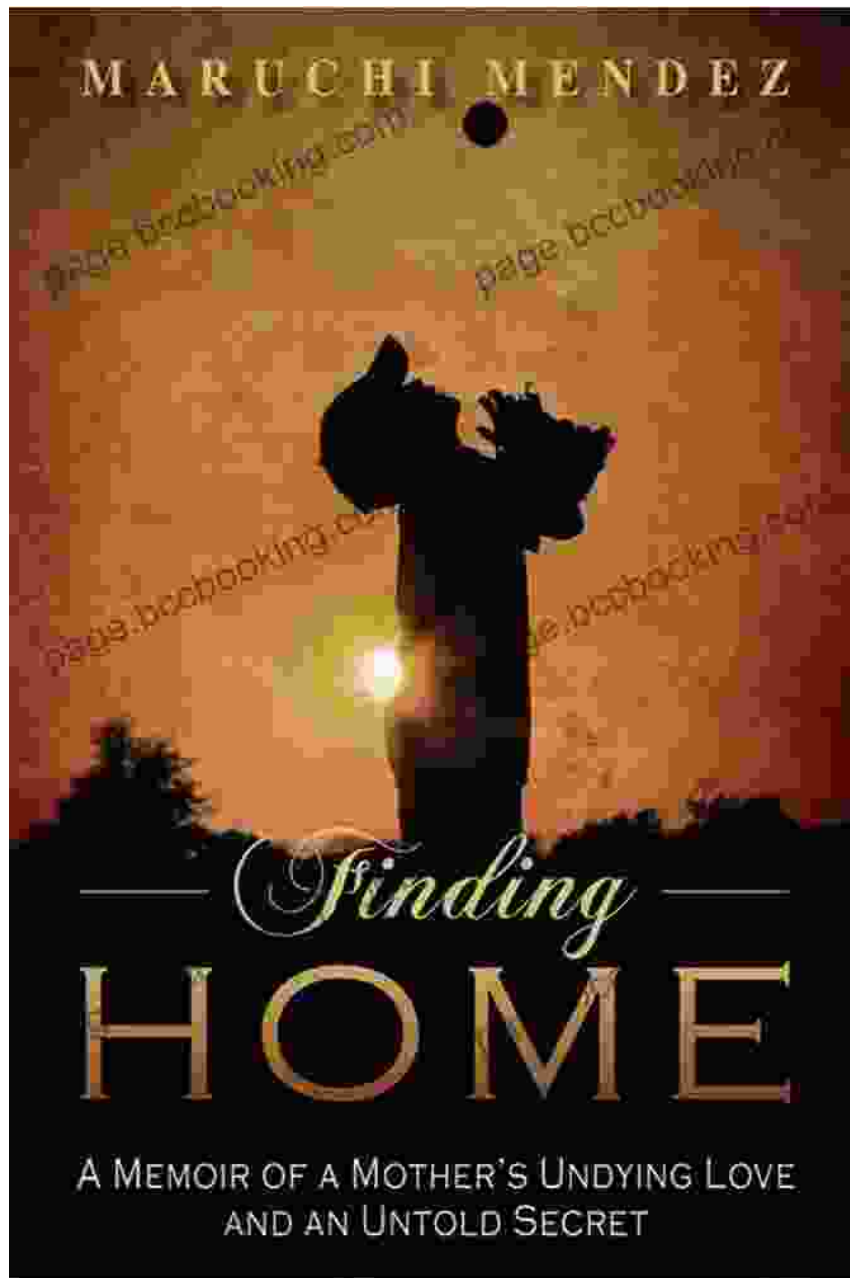


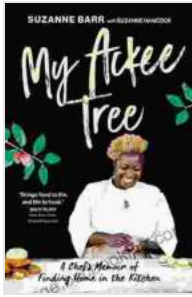
# Chef: A Memoir of Finding Home in the Kitchen



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Through his evocative storytelling and mouthwatering recipes, Lee explores the transformative power of food, family, and the kitchen as a place of healing and connection. He shares his experiences of cooking with his grandmother in Seoul, learning the craft of fine dining in New York City, and finding his own unique voice as a chef in Louisville, Kentucky.

Along the way, Lee grapples with issues of race, identity, and the pursuit of success. He reflects on the challenges he faced as a Korean American chef in a predominantly white industry, and the ways in which food has helped him to bridge cultural divides and build community.

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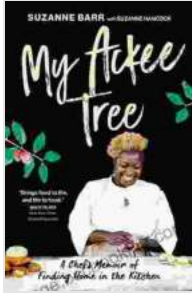
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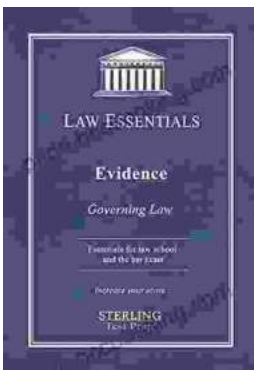
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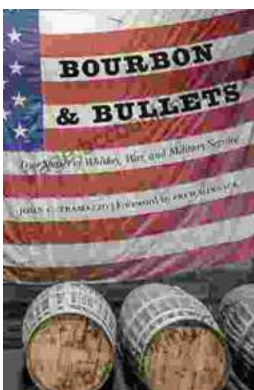


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