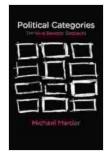
# Political Categories: Thinking Beyond Concepts



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In the realm of political discourse, we often rely on familiar categories to make sense of the complex and ever-changing landscape. We label individuals and ideologies as "left" or "right," "liberal" or "conservative," assuming that these labels provide a clear understanding of their political beliefs and motivations.

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X introduces the concept of "political schemas," which are mental frameworks that we use to organize and interpret political information. He shows how these schemas can shape our perceptions of reality and influence our political preferences.

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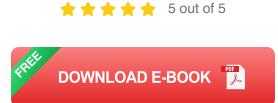
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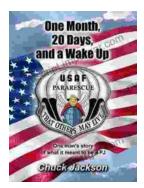
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