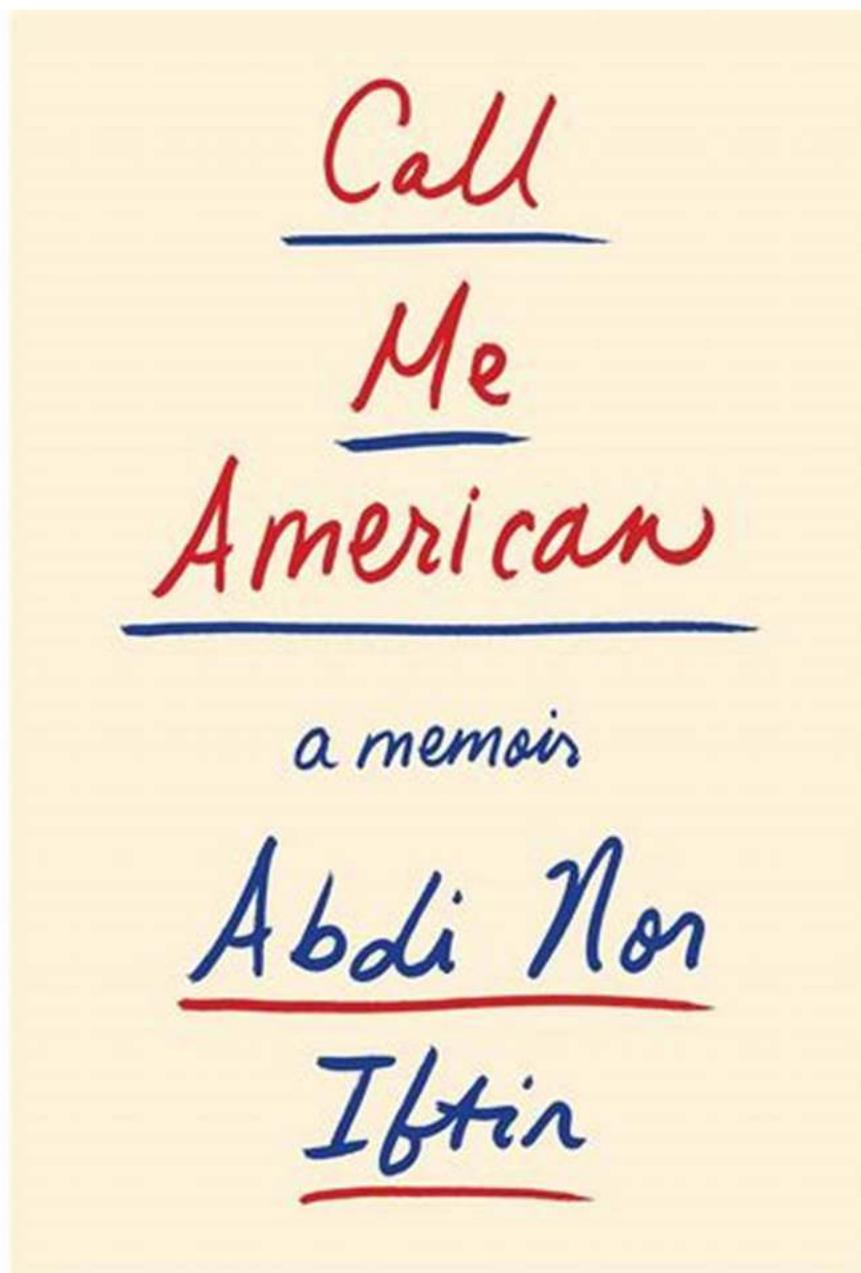


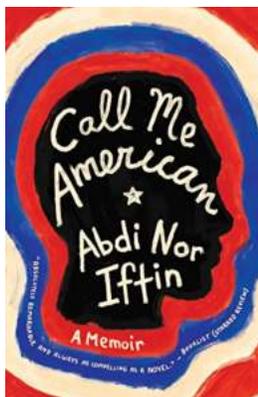
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Chapter 1: A Childhood amidst Chaos

In this chapter, Abdi transports us to his early years in Somalia, where he vividly describes the devastating impact of civil war and how it drastically changed his once idyllic childhood. Witness the countless challenges Abdi faced on a daily basis, including the constant threat of violence, limited access to education, and the profound sense of loss that accompanied watching his country crumble before his eyes.



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Chapter 2: Escaping Somalia

In this chapter, Abdi recounts his daring escape from Somalia, as he embarks on a perilous journey in search of safety and freedom. Experience the heart-pounding moments as Abdi confronts treacherous obstacles, survives life-threatening situations, and ultimately finds refuge in Kenya. Abdi's incredible resilience and unwavering hope shine through as he navigates his way towards a new life.

Chapter 3: Dreams of America

Join Abdi on his quest for the American dream in this chapter, as he shares his unyielding determination to make it to the United States. Discover the lengths Abdi goes to obtain a visa, the challenges he faces as an immigrant, and the unwavering hope that propels him forward. Abdi's infectious optimism and unshakable belief in a better future will leave you in awe and inspired to chase your own aspirations.

Chapter 4: From Refugee to Citizen

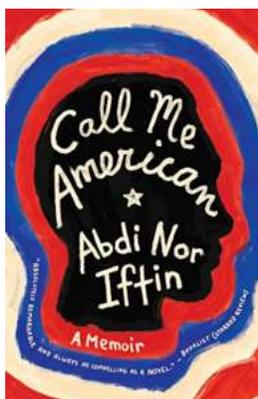
Abdi's transformation from a refugee to a proud American citizen is the crux of this chapter. Delve into the complexities of the immigration system, as Abdi navigates through bureaucratic hurdles, adapts to a new culture, and works tirelessly to build a life in Maine, USA. Abdi's story of assimilation and the realities of being an immigrant shed light on the resilience and courage required to forge a new identity while preserving one's roots.

Chapter 5: The Power of Education

Education plays a pivotal role in Abdi's life, and in this chapter, he highlights its transformative power. Accompany Abdi as he enrolls in English language classes, pursues higher education, and uses knowledge as a driving force for change. Through education, Abdi not only empowers himself but also becomes a beacon of hope for others facing similar challenges.

Abdi Nor Iftin's memoir, "Call Me American," is a profound testament to the indomitable human spirit and the enduring power of hope. Abdi's extraordinary journey from war-torn Somalia to life as an American citizen is a captivating tale that will leave readers amazed and inspired. In a world filled with adversity, Abdi's story serves as a reminder that dreams can come true with unwavering determination and resilience.

So, grab a copy of "Call Me American" and embark on this remarkable journey alongside Abdi Nor Iftin. You won't be able to put this memoir down, as you witness the triumph of the human spirit amidst unimaginable challenges. Abdi's story is a testament to the boundless possibilities that await those who dare to dream.



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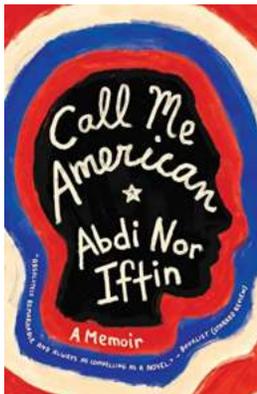


Abdi Nor Iftin first fell in love with America from afar. As a child, he learned English by listening to American pop and watching action films starring Arnold Schwarzenegger. When U.S. marines landed in Mogadishu to take on the

warlords, Abdi cheered the arrival of these Americans, who seemed as heroic as those of the movies.

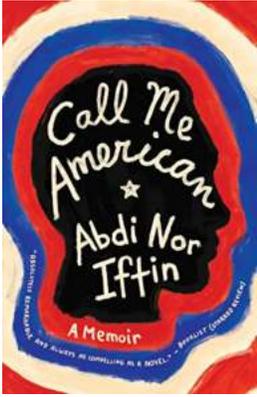
Sporting American clothes and dance moves, he became known around Mogadishu as Abdi American, but when the radical Islamist group al-Shabaab rose to power in 2006, it became dangerous to celebrate Western culture. Desperate to make a living, Abdi used his language skills to post secret dispatches, which found an audience of worldwide listeners. Eventually, though, Abdi was forced to flee to Kenya.

In an amazing stroke of luck, Abdi won entrance to the U.S. in the annual visa lottery, though his route to America did not come easily. Parts of his story were first heard on the BBC World Service and This American Life. Now a proud resident of Maine, on the path to citizenship, Abdi Nor Iftin's dramatic, deeply stirring memoir is truly a story for our time: a vivid reminder of why America still beckons to those looking to make a better life.



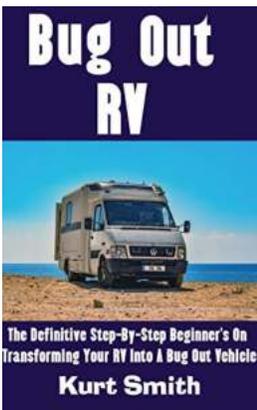
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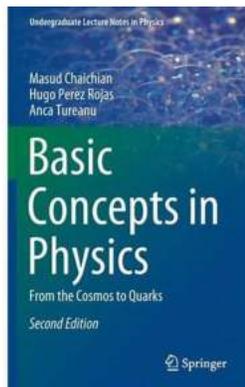
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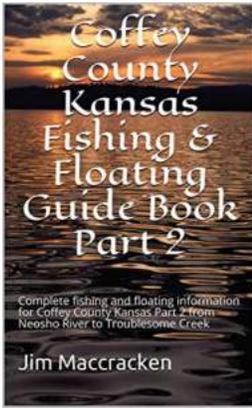
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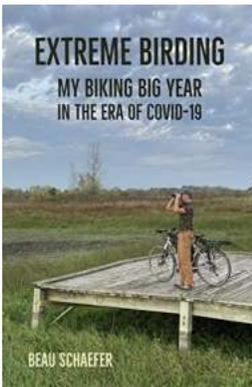
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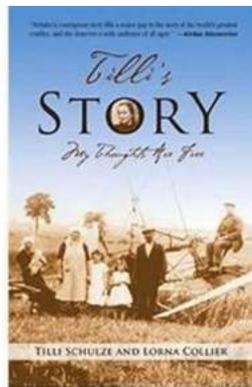
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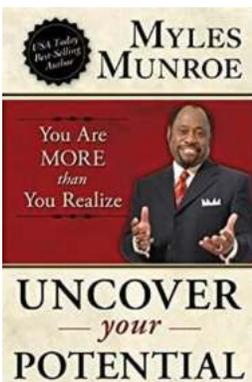
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