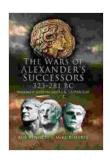
# The Wars of Alexander's Successors: Commanders and Campaigns

#### An Epic Saga of Conquest and Betrayal

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#### **Unveiling the Commanders**

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\* Battle of Ipsus (301 BC): A decisive clash between Antigonus and his rivals, where Antigonus met his demise and his empire was shattered. \*

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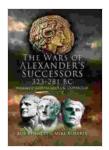
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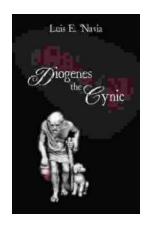
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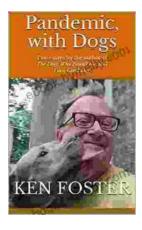
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