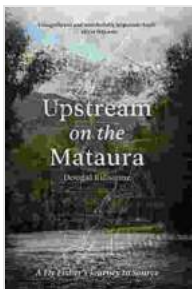


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In the heart of New Zealand's South Island lies the Maitaura River, a wild and beautiful waterway that has long been a source of sustenance and inspiration for the people of the region. From its source in the towering Southern Alps to its mouth at the roaring ocean, the Maitaura River flows through a stunning landscape of mountains, forests, and lakes.

In this book, author and adventurer Dave McIndoe takes us on an extraordinary journey along the entire length of the Maitaura River. Along the way, he encounters a cast of characters as diverse as the landscape itself, from rugged farmers and fly fishermen to Maori elders and conservationists. Through his vivid descriptions and stunning photography, McIndoe captures the awe-inspiring beauty and hidden wonders of this unspoiled wilderness.

The Source of the Maitaura River

The Maitaura River begins its journey in the высокогорье of the Southern Alps, an area of stunning natural beauty. Here, the river is a mere trickle, winding its way through tussock grasslands and alpine meadows. As it descends from the mountains, the Maitaura River gathers strength, becoming a powerful force of nature.

The Middle Reaches of the Maitaura River

The middle reaches of the Maitaura River flow through a variety of landscapes, including rolling hills, dense forests, and open farmland. In this section of the river, McIndoe encounters a variety of characters, including farmers, fishermen, and hunters. He also explores the river's rich history and cultural heritage, visiting Maori settlements and historic gold mining sites.

The Lower Reaches of the Mataura River

As the Mataura River approaches the coast, it widens and slows, becoming a broad, meandering waterway. In this section of the river, McIndoe encounters a variety of wildlife, including seals, penguins, and dolphins. He also visits the river's mouth, where it meets the roaring ocean.

Upstream on the Mataura is a captivating account of one man's journey along New Zealand's longest river. Through his vivid descriptions and stunning photography, McIndoe captures the awe-inspiring beauty and hidden wonders of this unspoiled wilderness. This book is a must-read for anyone who loves adventure, exploration, or simply the beauty of the natural world.



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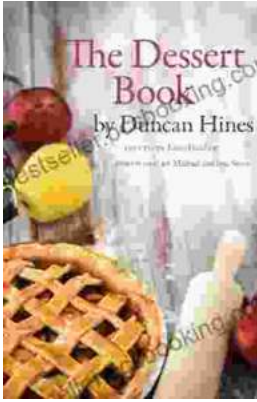
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