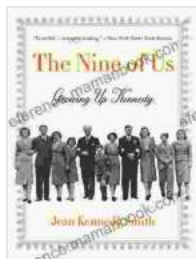
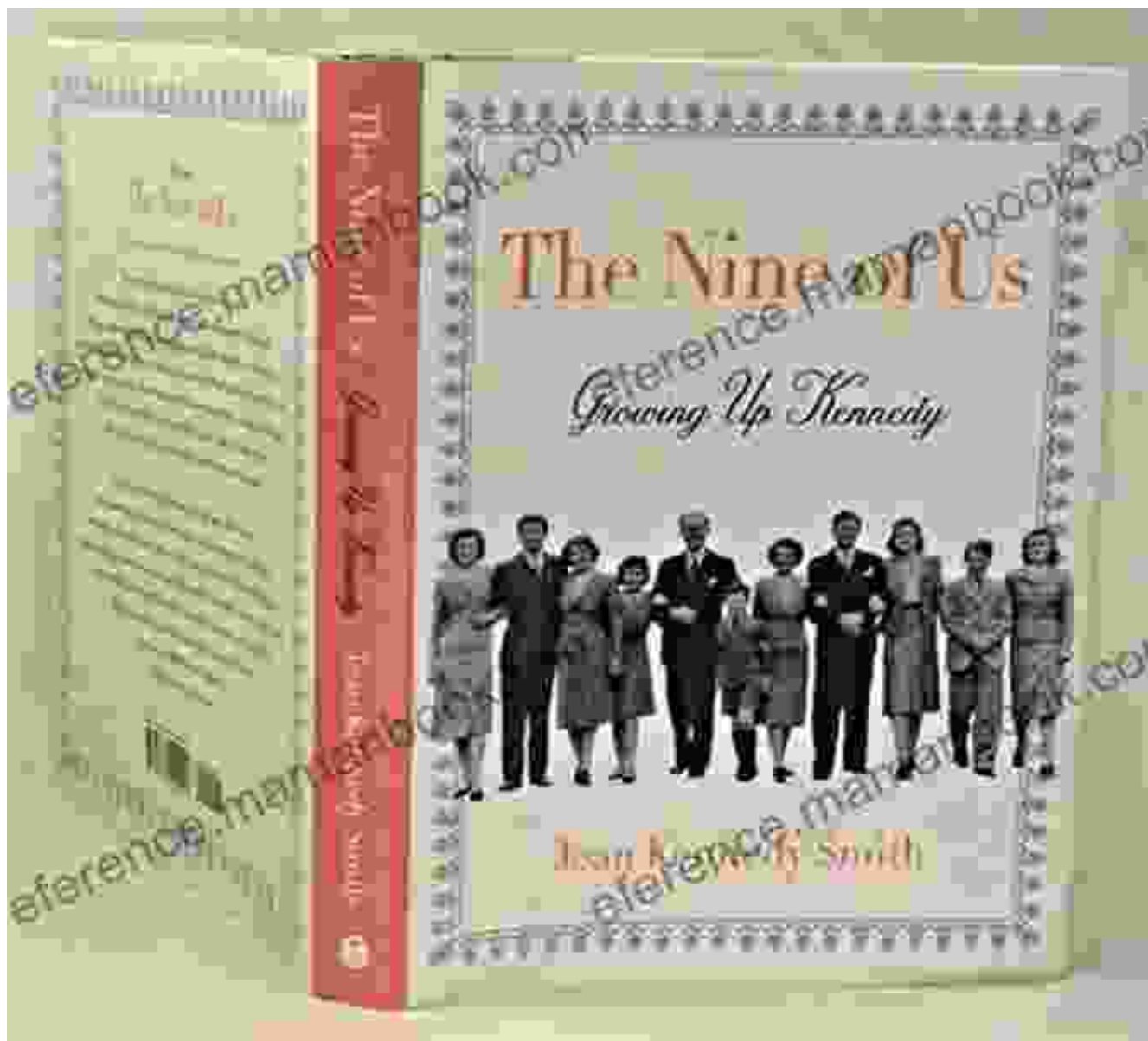


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Jean Kennedy Smith's memoir, *The Nine of Us: Growing Up Kennedy*, is a must-read for anyone interested in American history, the Kennedy family, or simply a well-written and engaging memoir. This book provides a unique and intimate look into the lives of one of America's most famous families, and it is sure to leave a lasting impression.

Smith was the youngest of the nine Kennedy children, and her memoir offers a firsthand account of growing up in a family that was constantly in the public eye. She writes about her parents, Joseph and Rose Kennedy, and her siblings, John, Robert, Ted, Eunice, Patricia, Jean, and Rosemary. She also discusses the family's tragic losses, including the assassinations of John and Robert Kennedy.

The Nine of Us is a deeply personal and moving account of a family that has had a profound impact on American history. Smith's writing is clear and concise, and she does an excellent job of capturing the personalities of her family members. She also provides a wealth of historical detail, making this book a valuable resource for anyone interested in the Kennedy family or American history.

The Kennedy Family

The Kennedy family is one of the most famous and influential families in American history. The family's patriarch, Joseph P. Kennedy Sr., was a successful businessman and politician who served as the U.S. ambassador

to the United Kingdom from 1938 to 1940. His wife, Rose Kennedy, was a devout Catholic and a strong advocate for her children's education.

The Kennedys had nine children:

- Joseph P. Kennedy Jr. (1915-1944)
- John F. Kennedy (1917-1963)
- Rosemary Kennedy (1918-2005)
- Kathleen Kennedy Cavendish (1920-1948)
- Eunice Kennedy Shriver (1921-2009)
- Patricia Kennedy Lawford (1924-2006)
- Robert F. Kennedy (1925-1968)
- Jean Kennedy Smith (born 1928)
- Edward M. Kennedy (1932-2009)

The Kennedy children were raised in a strict Catholic household, and they were expected to achieve great things. All of the children went on to successful careers in politics, business, or public service.

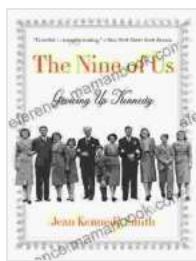
The Kennedy Legacy

The Kennedy family has had a profound impact on American history. John F. Kennedy was the 35th president of the United States, and he is widely considered to be one of the greatest presidents in American history. Robert F. Kennedy was a U.S. senator from New York, and he was a leading voice in the civil rights movement. Edward M. Kennedy was also a U.S. senator from Massachusetts, and he served for 47 years.

The Kennedy family has also been involved in a number of tragedies. Joseph P. Kennedy Jr. was killed in action during World War II. Kathleen Kennedy Cavendish died in a plane crash in 1948. John F. Kennedy was assassinated in 1963. Robert F. Kennedy was assassinated in 1968. Edward M. Kennedy died of brain cancer in 2009.

Despite these tragedies, the Kennedy family continues to be a source of inspiration for Americans. The family's commitment to public service and their ability to overcome adversity are a testament to the strength of the human spirit.

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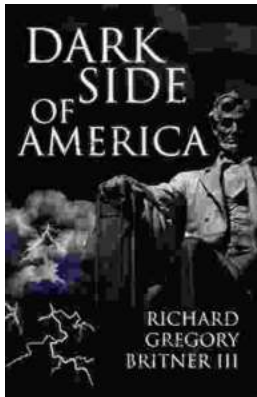


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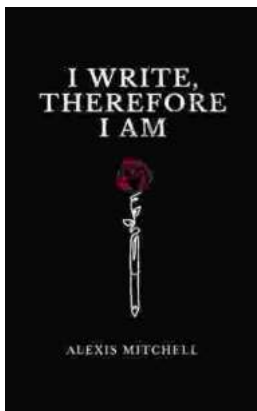
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