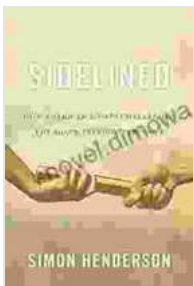


How American Sports Challenged The Black Freedom Struggle: Civil Rights And The

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The book begins by examining the history of racism in American sports. It shows how African Americans were excluded from organized sports for

much of the 19th and early 20th centuries. Even when they were allowed to participate, they often faced discrimination and segregation.

The book then examines the role that sports played in the civil rights movement. It shows how African American athletes used their platform to speak out against racism and segregation. They also used their athletic achievements to inspire other African Americans to fight for their rights.

The book concludes by examining the legacy of the Black freedom struggle in American sports. It shows how the civil rights movement led to greater opportunities for African Americans in sports. However, it also shows how racism and segregation continue to exist in American sports today.

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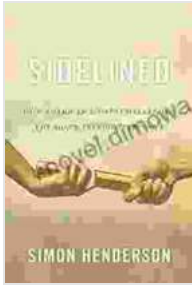
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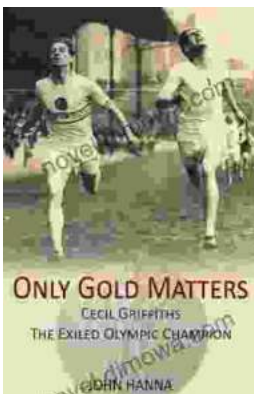


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