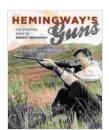
# The Sporting Arms of Ernest Hemingway: A Collector's Guide

Ernest Hemingway was one of the most famous and influential writers of the 20th century. He was also a passionate hunter and fisherman, and he wrote extensively about his experiences in the field. In *The Sporting Arms of Ernest Hemingway*, renowned firearms expert Charles Edward Harris explores Hemingway's lifelong fascination with firearms and provides a detailed guide to the guns he used and owned.

Hemingway's love of guns began at an early age. He received his first rifle, a .22 caliber Stevens Favorite, as a Christmas gift when he was just 10 years old. He quickly became proficient with the rifle and spent countless hours hunting and target shooting in the woods around his home in Michigan. As he got older, Hemingway's interest in guns only grew stronger. He eventually acquired a large collection of firearms, including rifles, shotguns, and pistols. He used these guns on hunting trips all over the world, from Africa to Europe to the Caribbean.



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In *The Sporting Arms of Ernest Hemingway*, Harris provides a comprehensive overview of Hemingway's gun collection. He describes each gun in detail, including its make, model, caliber, and serial number. He also discusses the history of each gun and its significance to Hemingway. For example, Harris tells the story of how Hemingway acquired his favorite shotgun, a Winchester Model 1897. The gun was a gift from his friend and fellow writer, John Dos Passos. Hemingway used the shotgun on many hunting trips, and it was featured in several of his stories.

In addition to providing a detailed guide to Hemingway's guns, Harris also explores the writer's philosophy on firearms. Hemingway believed that guns were essential tools for hunting and self-defense. He also saw guns as symbols of masculinity and power. Harris discusses how Hemingway's views on guns influenced his writing and how they shaped his image as a public figure.

The Sporting Arms of Ernest Hemingway is a fascinating and informative book that will appeal to gun enthusiasts and Hemingway fans alike. Harris's meticulous research and engaging writing style make this book a must-read for anyone interested in the life and times of one of America's most iconic writers.

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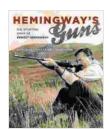
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Charles Edward Harris is a renowned firearms expert and author. He has written extensively about the history and development of firearms, and he has appeared on numerous television and radio programs as an expert on the subject. Harris is also a member of the National Rifle Association's Board of Directors.



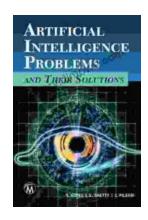
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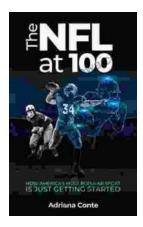
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