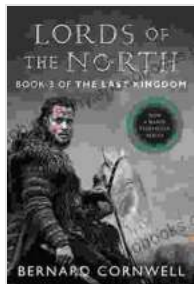


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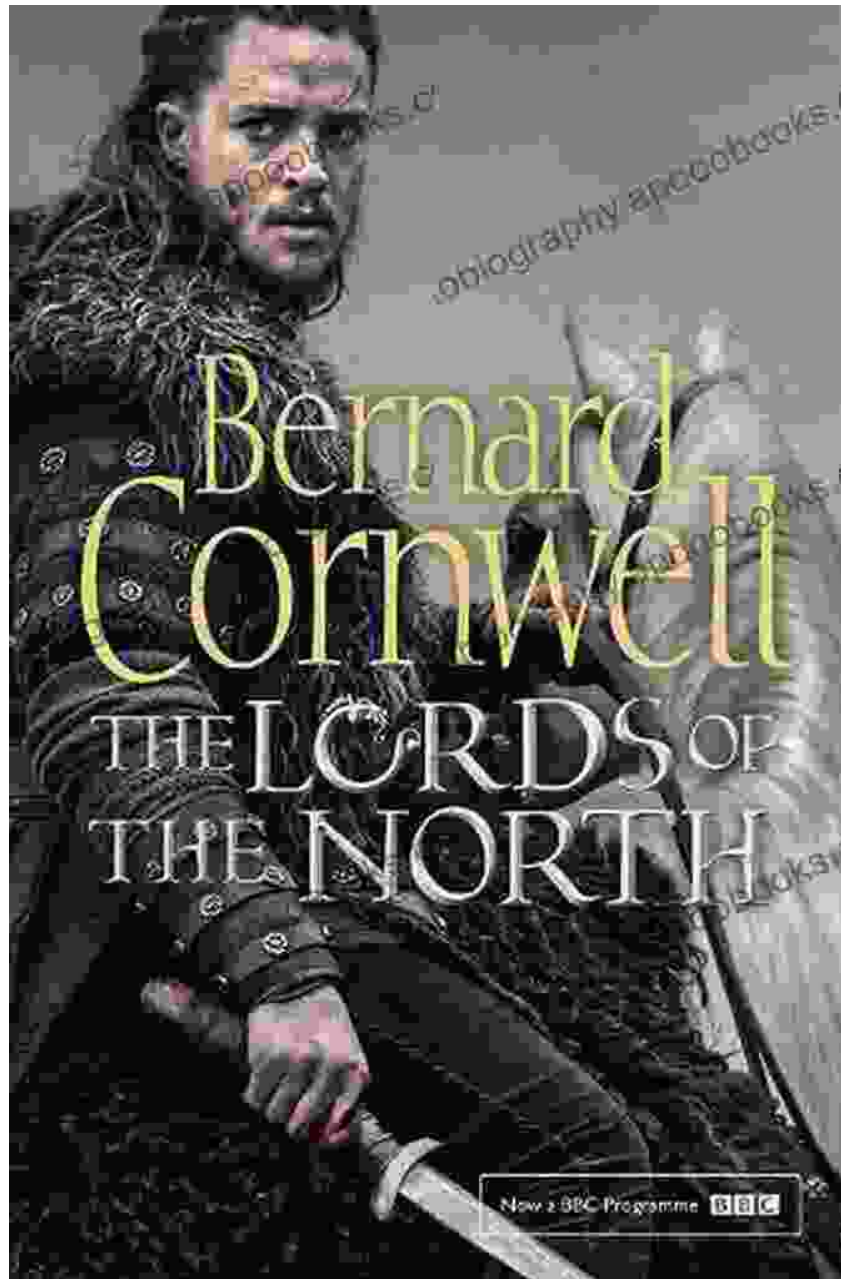
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Synopsis

Lords of the North is the first book in Bernard Cornwell's Saxon Tales series. It tells the story of Uhtred of Bebbanburg, a young Saxon warrior who is captured by the Danes and raised as one of their own. Uhtred must choose between his loyalty to his Saxon heritage and his love for the Danes.

The novel is set in the 9th century, during the time of the Viking invasions of England. Uhtred is the son of a Saxon earl, but he is captured by the Danes when he is just a child. He is raised by a Danish chieftain and becomes a skilled warrior. However, Uhtred never forgets his Saxon heritage, and he dreams of one day returning to Bebbanburg, his ancestral home.

When Uhtred is a young man, he is given the opportunity to return to Saxon England. He is offered a chance to fight for Alfred the Great, the Saxon king. Uhtred agrees, and he soon becomes one of Alfred's most trusted warriors. However, Uhtred's loyalty to Alfred is tested when he learns that the king has made a pact with the Danes. Uhtred must decide whether he will remain loyal to Alfred or fight for the freedom of his people.

Review

Lords of the North is a thrilling historical novel that brings the Viking era to life. Bernard Cornwell is a master of historical fiction, and he has created a cast of characters that are both believable and engaging. Uhtred is a complex and sympathetic protagonist, and his struggle to find his place in the world is both heartbreaking and inspiring.

The novel is also full of action and adventure. The battle scenes are gripping, and the descriptions of Viking life are both vivid and accurate. Cornwell has a gift for bringing history to life, and Lords of the North is a must-read for anyone who loves historical fiction.

About the Author

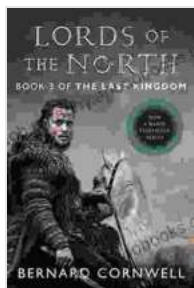
Bernard Cornwell is one of the most popular historical fiction writers in the world. He has written over 50 novels, including the Saxon Tales series, the

Sharpe series, and the Grail Quest series. Cornwell's novels have been translated into over 30 languages and have sold over 100 million copies worldwide.

Cornwell was born in London in 1944. He worked as a teacher and a journalist before becoming a full-time writer. Cornwell now lives in the United States with his wife and two children.

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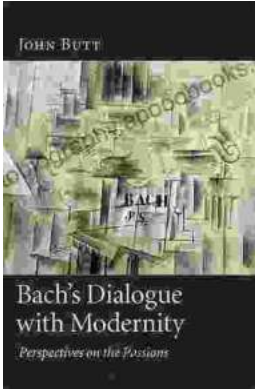
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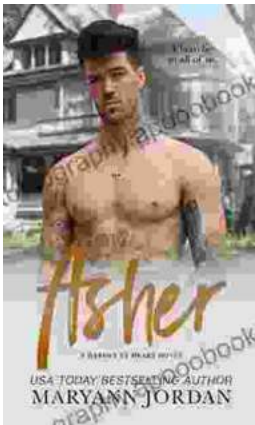
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