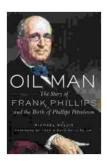
# The Story of Frank Phillips and the Birth of Phillips Petroleum



Frank Phillips was born in Iowa in 1873. He grew up on a farm and learned the value of hard work and determination. After graduating from high school, Phillips moved to Oklahoma, where he worked as a schoolteacher,

a farmer, and a store clerk. In 1905, he struck oil on his farm near Bartlesville, Oklahoma. This discovery changed his life forever.

Phillips was convinced that the oil industry had a bright future. He quit his job and founded Phillips Petroleum in 1917. The company's early years were difficult. Phillips had to overcome many challenges, including a lack of capital and competition from larger oil companies. But he persevered, and Phillips Petroleum gradually grew into a major player in the industry.



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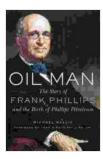
Phillips was a brilliant marketer. He was one of the first oilmen to use advertising to promote his products. He also developed a network of gasoline stations that helped to make Phillips Petroleum a household name.

In the 1920s, Phillips Petroleum became one of the largest oil companies in the world. The company's success was due in large part to Phillips' leadership. He was a visionary leader who was always looking for new opportunities. He was also a tough negotiator who was not afraid to take risks.

Phillips died in 1950, but his legacy lives on. Phillips Petroleum is still one of the largest oil companies in the world. The company has also diversified into other businesses, such as chemicals and plastics.

The story of Frank Phillips and the birth of Phillips Petroleum is a classic American tale of entrepreneurship and innovation. Phillips was a visionary leader who saw the potential of the oil industry and had the courage to take risks to make his dreams a reality. His company, Phillips Petroleum, became one of the largest and most successful oil companies in the world.

Frank Phillips was a true pioneer in the oil industry. He was a visionary leader who had the courage to take risks and the determination to succeed. His legacy lives on through Phillips Petroleum, one of the largest and most successful oil companies in the world.



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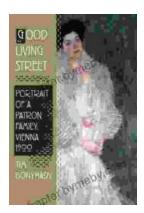
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