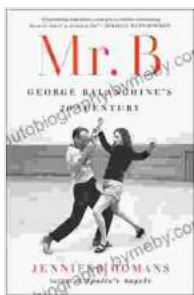


# Mr. George Balanchine: 20th Century

## A Biography of the Legendary Choreographer

George Balanchine was one of the most influential choreographers of the 20th century. His work has had a profound impact on the world of dance, and his ballets are still performed by companies around the globe. Mr. George Balanchine: 20th Century is a biography of this legendary choreographer.

The book follows Balanchine's life from his early years in Russia to his rise to fame as a choreographer in the United States. It provides a detailed look at Balanchine's creative process and his impact on the world of dance.



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Balanchine was born in St. Petersburg, Russia, in 1904. He began studying ballet at the age of nine, and he quickly showed a remarkable talent for the art form. In 1924, he joined the Diaghilev Ballets Russes, one of the most prestigious ballet companies in the world. Balanchine quickly became one of the company's leading choreographers, and he created some of his most famous ballets during his time with the company.

In 1933, Balanchine left the Diaghilev Ballets Russes and moved to the United States. He founded the School of American Ballet in New York City, and he also became the artistic director of the New York City Ballet. Balanchine created over 400 ballets during his career, and many of them are considered to be masterpieces of the art form.

Balanchine's ballets are known for their beauty, their elegance, and their technical difficulty. He was a master of movement, and his ballets are often characterized by their intricate footwork and their use of space.

Balanchine was also a great innovator. He was one of the first choreographers to use modern music in his ballets, and he was also one of the first to experiment with new dance forms. His work has had a profound impact on the world of dance, and he is considered to be one of the most important choreographers of the 20th century.

Mr. George Balanchine: 20th Century is a fascinating biography of one of the most important figures in the world of dance. The book provides a detailed look at Balanchine's life and work, and it is a must-read for anyone interested in the history of dance.

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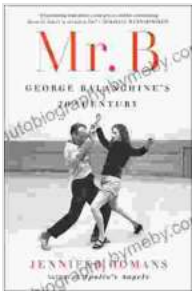
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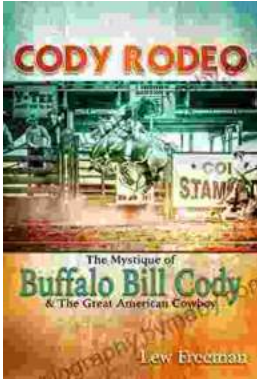
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