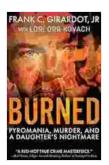
# Burned: Pyromania, Murder, and a Daughter's Nightmare

#### A True Crime Story by John Glatt

On a cold winter night in January 1985, a fire tore through a small home in suburban Chicago. Inside, six people were trapped: a mother, father, and four children. By the time firefighters arrived, it was too late. The house was completely engulfed in flames, and all six victims were dead.

The fire was quickly ruled arson, and the investigation soon focused on the father, John Orr. Orr had a history of mental illness, including pyromania, and he had been abusive towards his wife and children in the past.



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As the investigation continued, detectives uncovered a chilling story of domestic violence, mental illness, and murder. Orr had been planning to kill

his family for months, and he had even Free Downloadd a can of gasoline to use as an accelerant.

On the night of the fire, Orr poured gasoline throughout the house and then set it ablaze. He then locked the doors and windows, trapping his family inside.

As the fire raged, Orr's wife and children screamed for help. But their cries were drowned out by the roar of the flames.

One by one, they succumbed to the smoke and flames. Orr's wife died first, followed by his three youngest children. His oldest daughter, 11-year-old Jennifer, managed to escape through a window.

Jennifer was the only survivor of the fire, and she was the one who told police about her father's plot to kill the family.

Orr was arrested and charged with six counts of murder. He was convicted and sentenced to death. He died in prison in 1995.

Jennifer Orr's story is a harrowing account of survival and resilience. She lost her entire family in a senseless act of violence, but she refused to let her father's actions define her.

Today, Jennifer is a successful businesswoman and mother. She has dedicated her life to helping others who have experienced domestic violence and child abuse.

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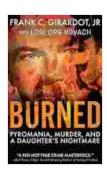
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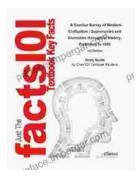
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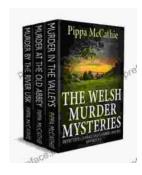
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