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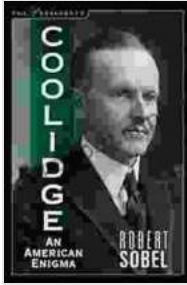


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Calvin Coolidge was a complex and enigmatic figure. He was a man of few words, but his actions spoke volumes. He was a conservative Republican who presided over a period of great economic prosperity, but he was also a compassionate man who cared deeply about the American people.

Coolidge's life story is a fascinating one. He was born in a small town in Vermont in 1872. His father was a farmer and his mother was a schoolteacher. Coolidge attended Amherst College and then Harvard Law School. After graduating from law school, he returned to Vermont and began practicing law.

Coolidge entered politics in 1898, when he was elected to the Massachusetts House of Representatives. He served in the state legislature for six years, and then was elected mayor of Northampton, Massachusetts. In 1910, he was elected lieutenant governor of Massachusetts, and in 1915, he was elected governor.

As governor, Coolidge gained a reputation as a fiscal conservative. He reduced state spending and taxes, and he balanced the state budget. He also supported a number of progressive reforms, such as workers' compensation and unemployment insurance.

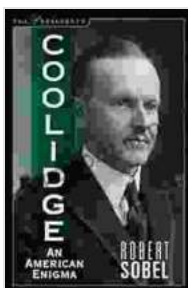
In 1920, Coolidge was elected vice president of the United States. He served under President Warren G. Harding. Harding died in office in 1923, and Coolidge became president.

Coolidge's presidency was a time of great economic prosperity. The stock market boomed, and unemployment was low. Coolidge's policies, which included tax cuts and deregulation, helped to create a climate of economic growth.

Coolidge was also a compassionate man. He cared deeply about the American people, and he worked to improve their lives. He supported a number of social welfare programs, such as old-age pensions and health insurance. He also worked to promote peace and disarmament.

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Coolidge: An American Enigma is a fascinating biography of a complex and enigmatic figure. Robert Sobel vividly recreates Coolidge's life and times, from his humble beginnings in Vermont to his rise to the presidency. This book is a must-read for anyone interested in American history or biography.



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