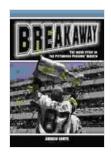
## Breakaway: Michael Labossiere's Unforgettable Journey from Addiction to Redemption

Michael Labossiere's memoir, *Breakaway*, is a powerful and inspiring account of his struggles with addiction and his eventual recovery. Born into poverty in Haiti, Labossiere was adopted by a loving family in the United States, but his childhood was marked by instability and trauma. As a teenager, he turned to drugs and alcohol to cope with his pain.



#### **Breakaway** by Michael LaBossiere

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Print length : 256 pages



Breakaway chronicles Labossiere's downward spiral into addiction and his eventual decision to get clean. With unflinching honesty, he describes the challenges he faced in rehab, the setbacks he experienced, and the unwavering support of his family and friends. Breakaway is a testament to the power of hope and the human spirit.

### A Troubled Childhood

Labossiere was born in Haiti in 1975. His parents were poor and struggled to make ends meet. When Labossiere was six years old, his father left the family. His mother remarried, but her new husband was abusive. Labossiere and his siblings were often beaten and neglected.

In 1985, Labossiere was adopted by a family in the United States. His new parents were loving and supportive, but Labossiere struggled to adjust to his new life. He felt like an outsider in his new family and community. He was also haunted by the memories of his childhood trauma.

As a teenager, Labossiere began to experiment with drugs and alcohol. He quickly became addicted to cocaine and crack. His addiction led to a downward spiral of crime and homelessness. He was arrested several times and spent time in jail.

### **A Journey to Recovery**

In 2006, Labossiere reached his breaking point. He was tired of living on the streets and addicted to drugs. He decided to get clean. He checked into a rehab program and began the long journey to recovery.

Recovery was not easy for Labossiere. He faced many challenges and setbacks along the way. He relapsed several times, but he never gave up. He was determined to build a new life for himself.

With the support of his family and friends, Labossiere eventually got clean and sober. He has been sober for over 10 years. He now works as a counselor, helping others who are struggling with addiction.

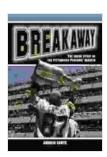
### **A Powerful Message of Hope**

Breakaway is a powerful and inspiring story of hope and redemption. Labossiere's journey from addiction to recovery is a reminder that it is never too late to turn your life around. No matter how difficult your circumstances may be, there is always hope.

Breakaway is a must-read for anyone who has been affected by addiction. It is a story of hope, healing, and the power of the human spirit.

#### **Additional Resources**

- Breakaway website
- Breakaway on Amazon
- Breakaway on Goodreads



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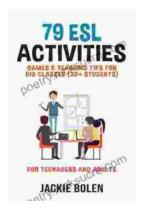
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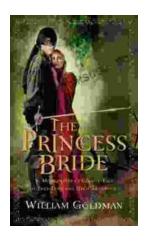


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