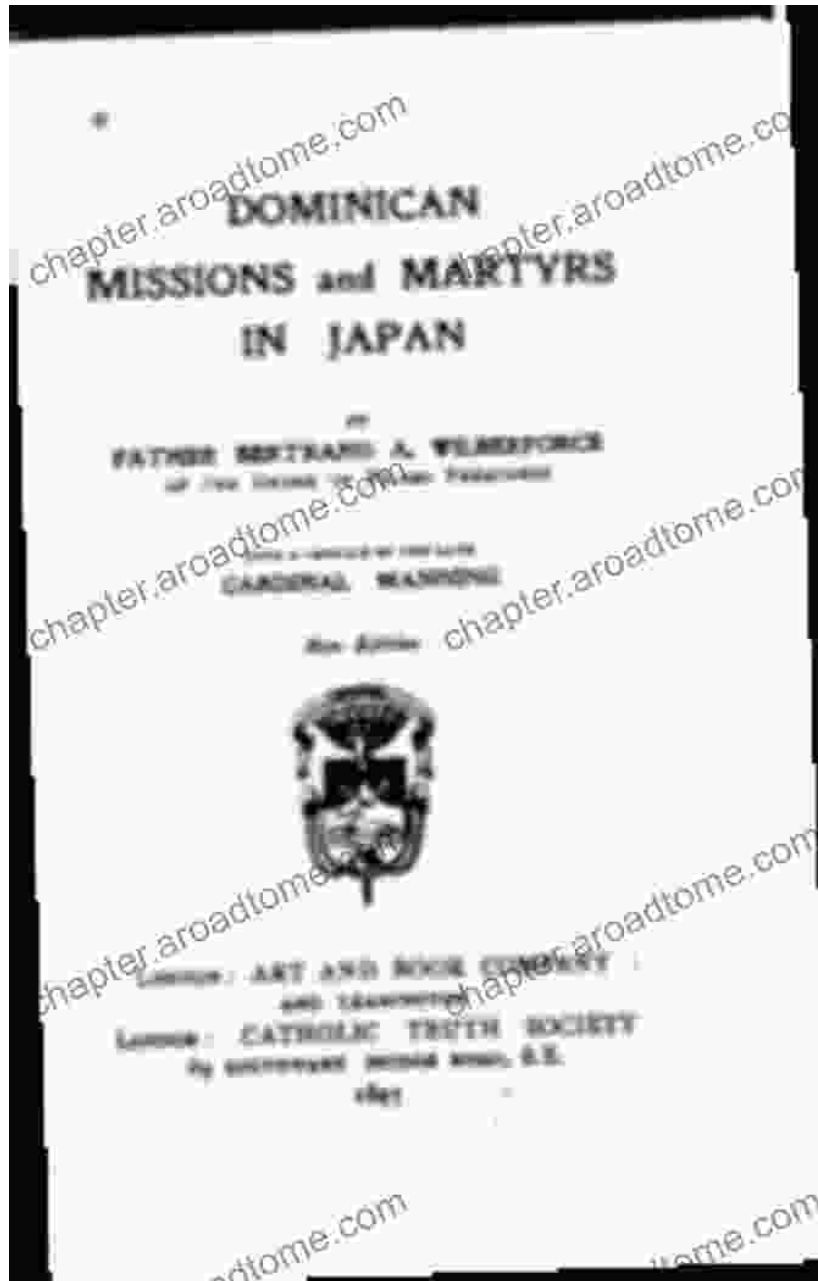
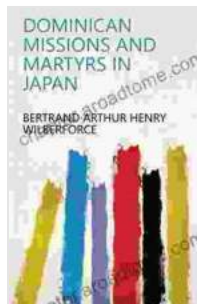


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The Pioneers: Planting Seeds of Faith in a Distant Land

In the 16th century, a band of intrepid Dominican missionaries set sail from Spain, driven by an unwavering faith and a burning desire to spread the Gospel to the uncharted realms of Japan. Led by the legendary friar Luis de Alcazaba, these pioneers faced countless perils and hardships along their arduous journey.

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The Dominican martyrs of Japan stand as beacons of courage and unwavering faith. Their unwavering commitment to the Gospel led them to endure unimaginable suffering and ultimately sacrifice their lives.

Among the most renowned martyrs was Saint Thomas of Nagasaki, a Japanese convert who was crucified in 1635. His martyrdom became a symbol of the strength and resilience of the early Japanese Church.

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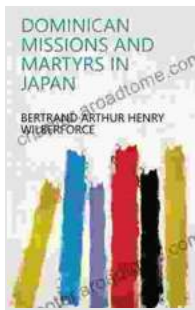
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