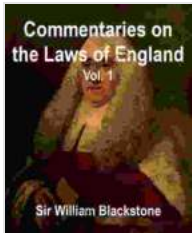


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### The Author

William Blackstone was born in London in 1723. He studied law at Oxford University and was called to the bar in 1746. He quickly became a leading barrister and was appointed Solicitor General in 1761. In 1765, he was appointed to the bench as a Justice of the Common Pleas. He served in this capacity until his death in 1780.

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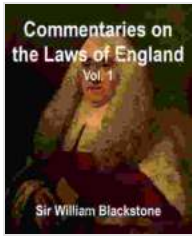
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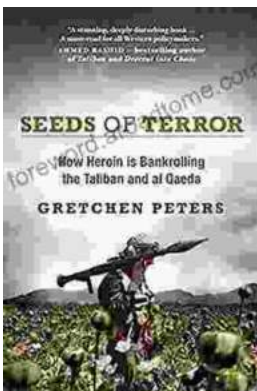
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