Down the Charles River: A Journey in Pursuit of New Environmentalism

In his new book, *Down the Charles River: In Pursuit of New Environmentalism*, John Waldman takes readers on a journey down one of the most iconic rivers in the United States, exploring the challenges and opportunities facing the environment in the 21st century.



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The Charles River has long been a symbol of both the beauty and fragility of the natural world. It is a place where people come to relax and recreate, but it is also a river that has been polluted and damaged by human activity. In recent years, the Charles has become a focal point for the new environmentalism, a movement that is working to protect and restore our natural resources.

Waldman's book tells the story of the Charles River, from its headwaters in the hills of central Massachusetts to its mouth at Boston Harbor. Along the way, he meets with scientists, activists, and ordinary citizens who are working to make the river a healthier place. He also explores the history of the river, from the days when it was a pristine wilderness to the present day, when it is a vital part of the Boston metropolitan area.

Down the Charles River is a beautifully written and deeply personal book. It is a must-read for anyone who cares about the environment, and it is a powerful reminder that we can all make a difference.

Reviews

"Down the Charles River is a lyrical and deeply personal journey that explores the challenges and opportunities facing the environment in the 21st century. John Waldman is a gifted writer and a passionate advocate for the natural world. This book is a must-read for anyone who cares about the future of our planet." —Bill McKibben, author of *The End of Nature*

"John Waldman's *Down the Charles River* is a powerful and inspiring story of how one river can bring people together to protect the environment. This book is a must-read for anyone who cares about the future of our planet."

—Robert F. Kennedy Jr., author of *The Riverkeepers*

About the Author

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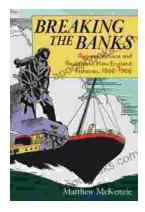
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