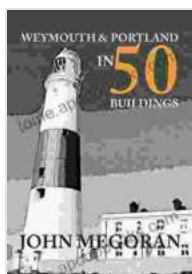


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The Buildings

- St Nicholas' Church, Weymouth (c. 1170)
- St John's Church, Portland (c. 1200)
- Portland Castle (1540-1547)
- Weymouth Esplanade (1850-1900)
- Weymouth Pavilion (1935)
- Nothe Fort (1860-1872)
- Portland Harbour Breakwaters (1849-1905)
- Portland Stone Quarry (prehistoric)
- Portland Museum (1999)
- Hope and Anchor (1605)
- The Duke of Burlington (1766)
- The King's Arms (1770)
- The Old Ship (1660)
- The Royal Horse Guards Hotel (1820)
- The Town House (1775)
- Weymouth Guildhall (1897)
- Weymouth Railway Station (1865)
- Portland Bill Lighthouse (1716)
- St George's Church, Portland (1839)
- Trinity House (1859)

- Weymouth College (1863)
- Weymouth Hospital (1864)
- Weymouth Library (1904)
- Weymouth Police Station (1937)
- Weymouth Town Bridge (1831)
- The Portland Arms (1782)
- The Three Horseshoes (1753)
- The Yeobridge Almshouses (1827)
- Nothe Gardens (1888)
- Weymouth Sea Life Centre (1996)
- Portland Plaza (2007)
- Weymouth Beach (natural feature)
- Chesil Beach (natural feature)

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Jennifer Robin is an architectural historian and writer. She has written extensively about the architecture of Weymouth and Portland, and has worked with the Royal Commission on the Historical Monuments of England on the survey of the two towns' buildings.

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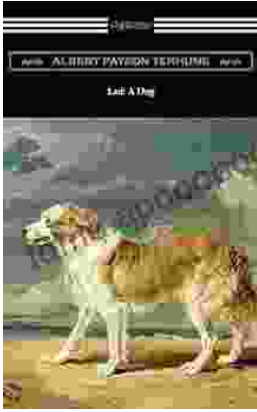
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