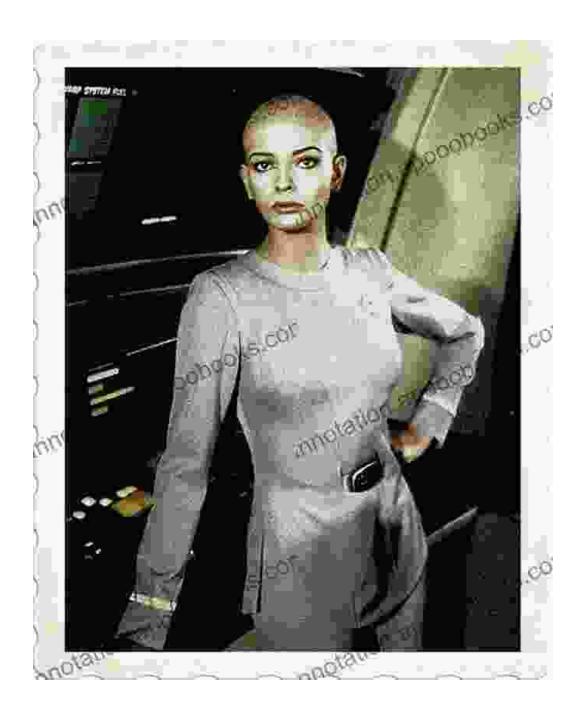
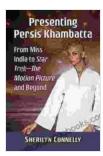
From Miss India To Star Trek The Motion Picture And Beyond: The Extraordinary Journey of Persis Khambatta



Persis Khambatta was born in Mumbai, India, on October 2, 1948. She was the daughter of a Parsi father and an Indian mother. Khambatta's father was a successful businessman, and her mother was a homemaker. Khambatta had two older brothers and one younger sister.



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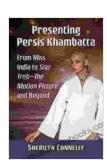
Khambatta was a beautiful and intelligent child. She attended the prestigious St. Mary's School in Mumbai, where she excelled in her studies. Khambatta was also an accomplished dancer and singer. She began modeling at a young age, and by the time she was 17, she had won the Miss India pageant.

Khambatta's victory at the Miss India pageant opened doors for her in the world of entertainment. She began appearing in Bollywood films, and she quickly became one of the most popular actresses in India. Khambatta's success in Bollywood caught the attention of Hollywood producers. In 1979, she was cast in the film Star Trek The Motion Picture. Khambatta played the role of Lieutenant Ilia, a beautiful and intelligent alien who befriends Captain James T. Kirk.

Star Trek The Motion Picture was a huge success, and Khambatta's performance was praised by critics and audiences alike. She became the first Indian woman to star in a major Hollywood film, and she inspired many other Indian actors and actresses to follow in her footsteps.

After Star Trek The Motion Picture, Khambatta continued to appear in both Bollywood and Hollywood films. She also worked as a model and television host. Khambatta was a successful and respected actress, but she never forgot her roots. She was always proud of her Indian heritage, and she used her platform to promote diversity and inclusion in the entertainment industry.

Persis Khambatta passed away on August 18, 1998, at the age of 49. She died from a heart attack, but her legacy lives on. She was a pioneering actress who broke down barriers and inspired others. Khambatta's story is a reminder that anything is possible if you have the courage to follow your dreams.



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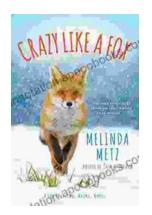
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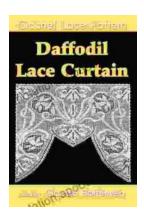
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