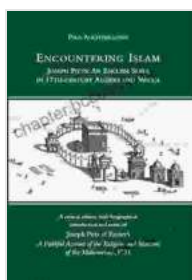


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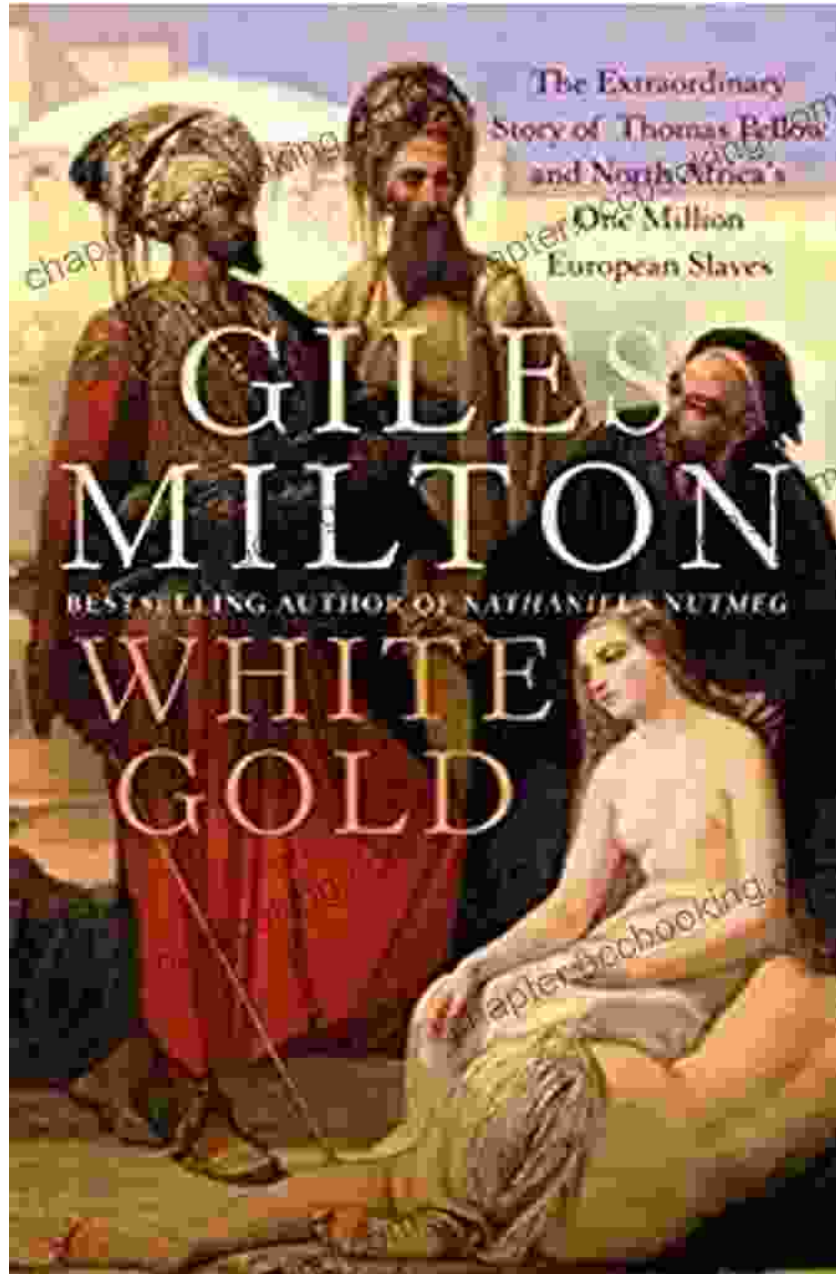
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Thomas Pellow, as depicted in an 18th century engraving.

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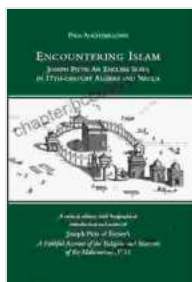
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