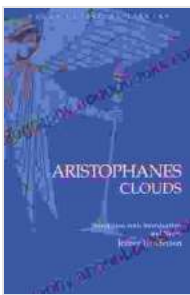


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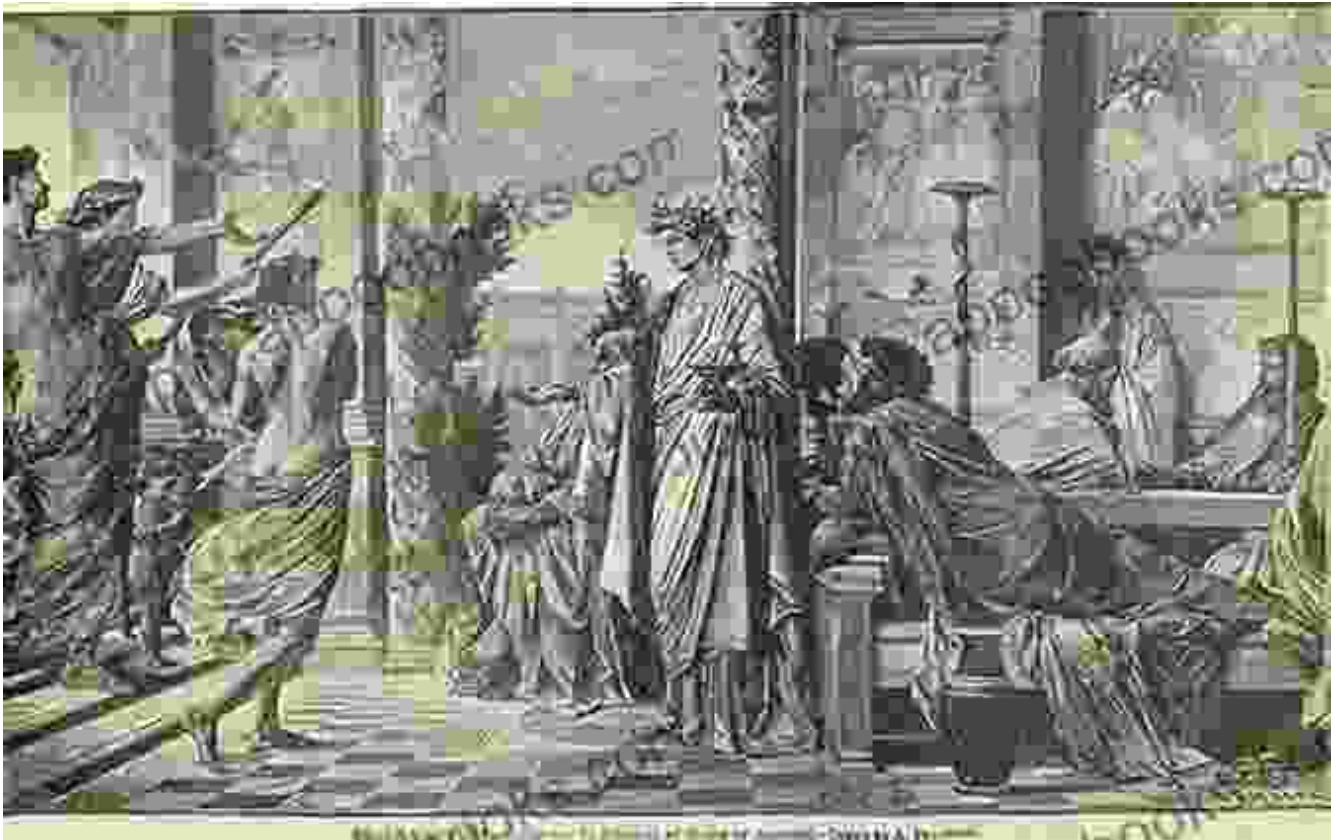
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Meet Strepsiades, a Harried Father Desperate for a Quick Fix

At the heart of *Clouds* is Strepsiades, a hapless farmer burdened by debt and a disobedient son, Pheidippides. Desperate for a solution to his

troubles, he seeks the wisdom of Socrates, the eccentric philosopher who has become the talk of Athens.

Socrates' school, the "Thinkery," becomes the setting for a series of hilarious scenes. Strepsiades attempts to learn the art of sophistry, hoping to use it to escape his financial woes. However, his bumbling efforts only lead to further chaos and misadventures.



Witness the Clash of Old and New: Tradition vs. Progress

Clouds is more than just a comedy; it is a profound exploration of the clash between tradition and progress. Strepsiades represents the old guard, clinging to outdated beliefs and values. Pheidippides, on the other hand, embraces the new ideas of Socrates, challenging the established Free Download.

Through this conflict, Aristophanes examines the nature of education, the role of philosophy, and the importance of critical thinking. He invites us to question our own beliefs and to embrace the transformative power of laughter.

A Masterful Translation for Modern Readers

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With its lucid prose and comprehensive notes, this edition provides an immersive experience that allows you to fully appreciate the brilliance of Aristophanes' writing. Whether you are a seasoned classicist or a newcomer to ancient Greek drama, *Clouds* will captivate and entertain you.

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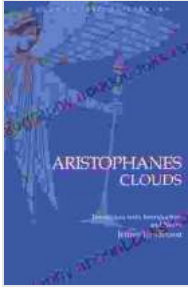
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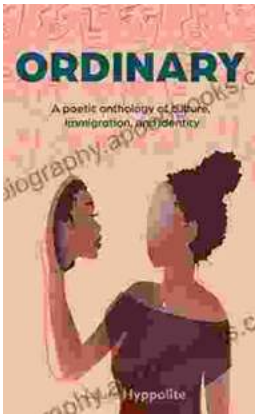
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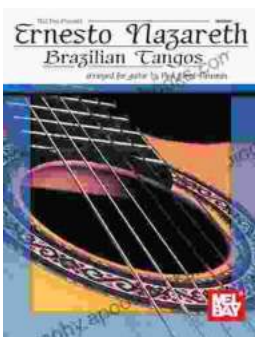


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