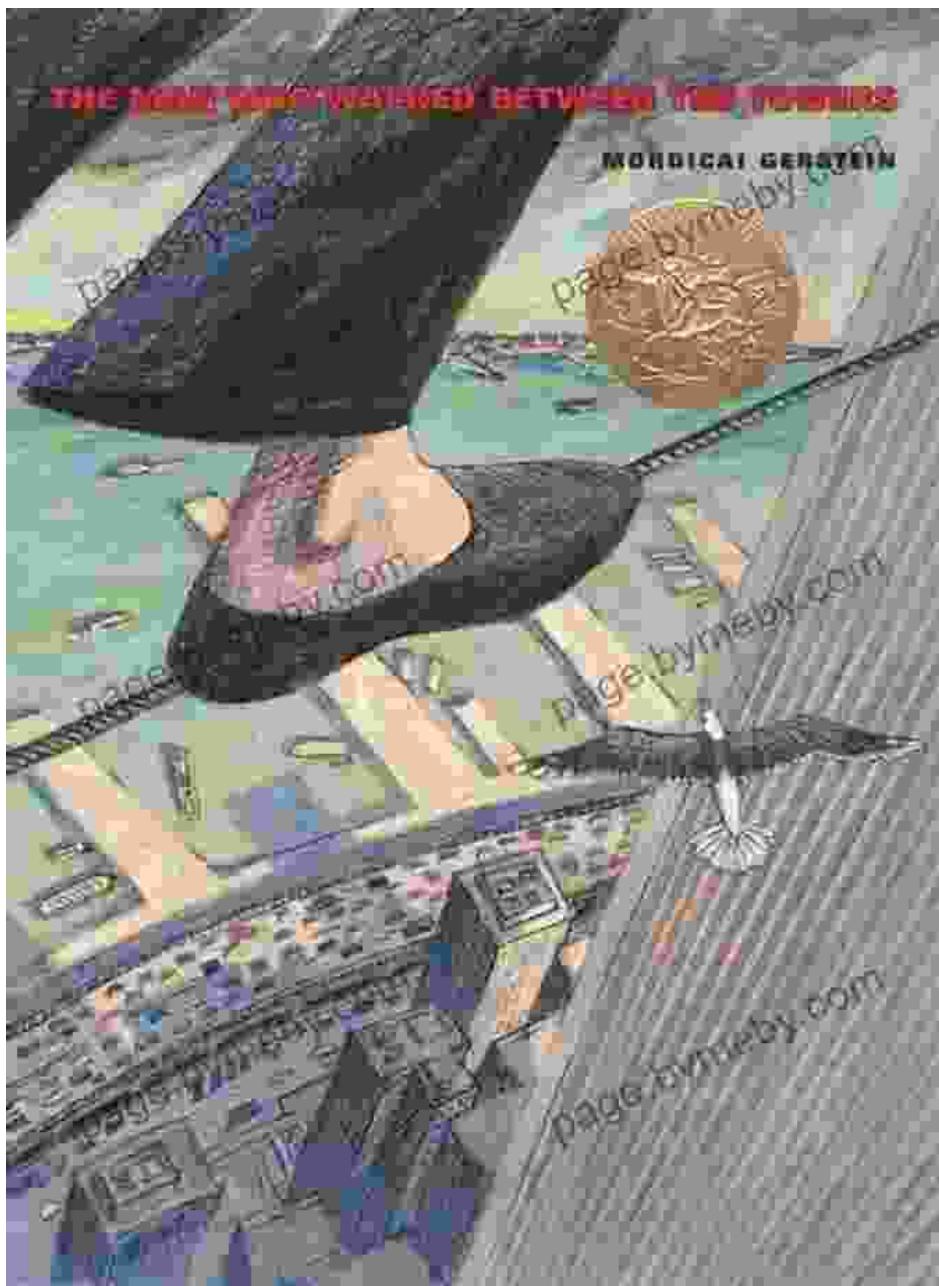


# The Man Who Walked Between the Towers: A Caldecott Medal-Winning Masterpiece



## The Story of a True Hero

In the vibrant pages of *The Man Who Walked Between the Towers*, readers embark on an extraordinary journey with Philippe Petit, a daring French

aerialist. On the morning of August 7, 1974, Petit stunned the world by walking across a high-wire suspended between the Twin Towers of the World Trade Center.



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This heart-stopping feat is brought to life through the captivating storytelling of Mordicai Gerstein, who weaves together Petit's childhood dreams, meticulous planning, and the fateful day of his walk itself.

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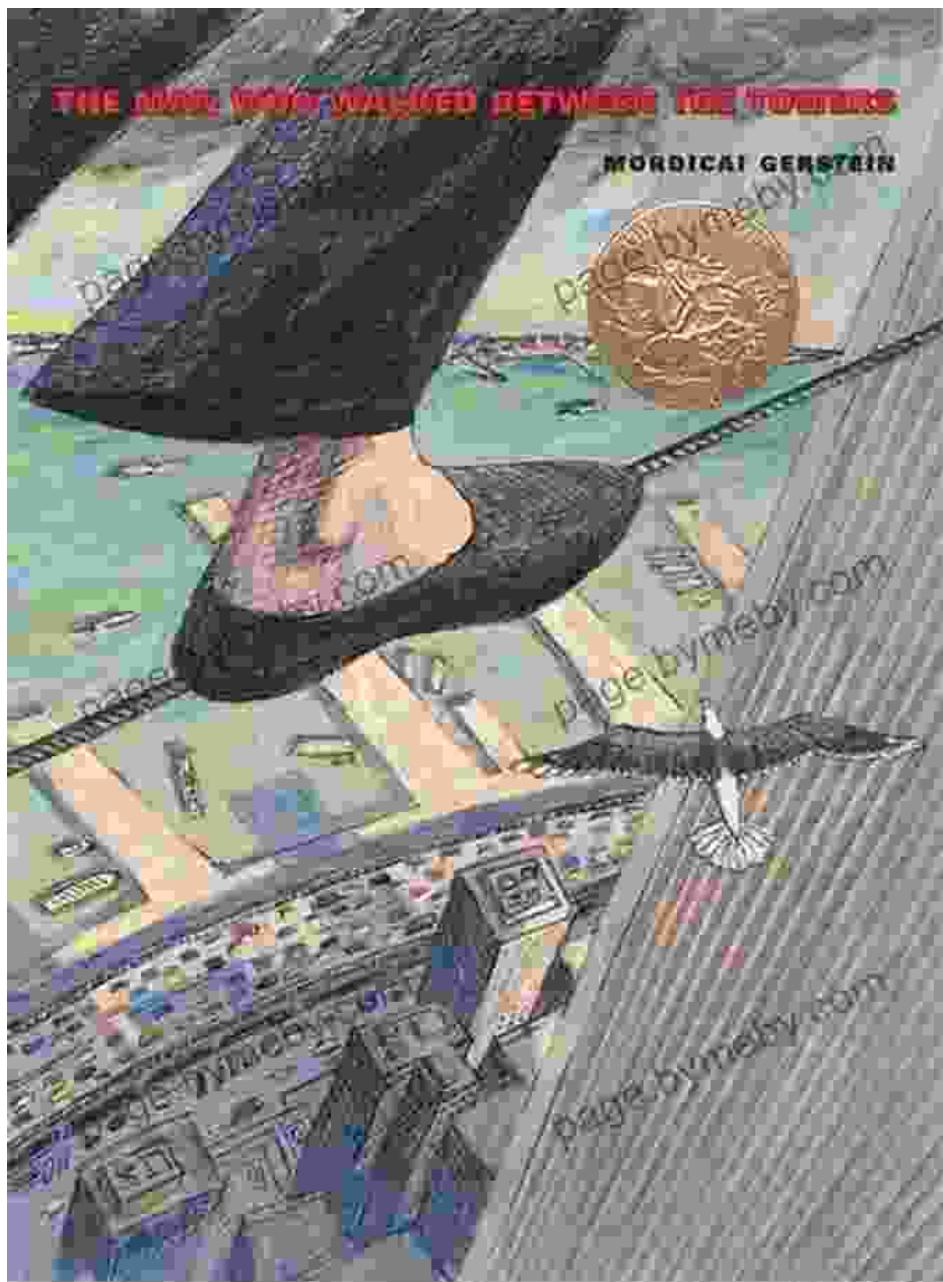
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Gianni's detailed pencil drawings and watercolor washes convey the ethereal beauty of the wire, the vast expanse of the New York skyline, and the awe-inspiring courage of Petit. His illustrations immerse readers in the heart-pounding drama of the event, making them feel as if they are witnessing it firsthand.

### **A Timeless Tale of Courage and Determination**

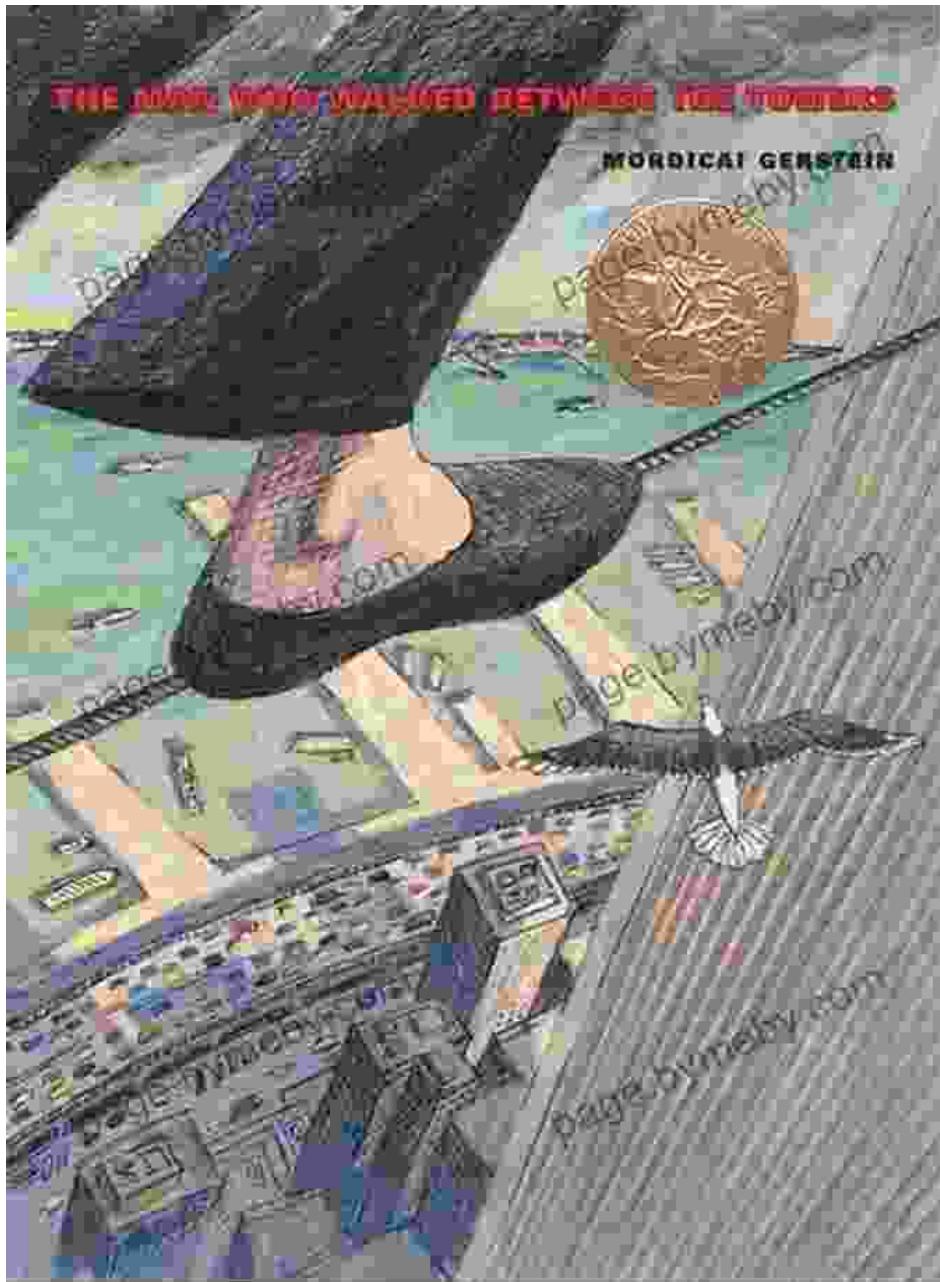
*The Man Who Walked Between the Towers* is more than just a recounting of a remarkable feat. It is a timeless tale of courage, determination, and the pursuit of dreams. Petit's unwavering belief in himself and his refusal to be limited by fear inspire readers to embrace their own dreams and strive for greatness.



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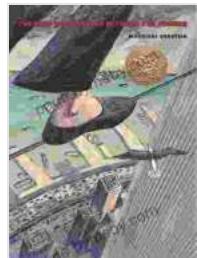
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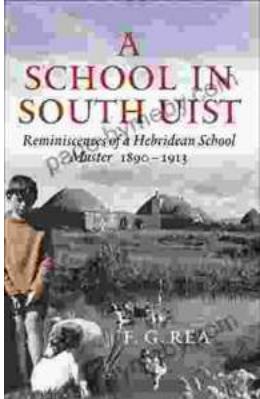
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