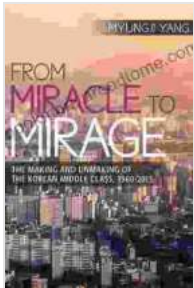


From Miracle to Mirage: The Crushing Reality of the American Dream



From Miracle to Mirage: The Making and Unmaking of the Korean Middle Class, 1960-2024 by Homer B. Hulbert

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For generations, the American Dream has been a beacon of hope for countless people around the world. It is the promise of a better life, a land of opportunity where hard work and determination can lead to success and prosperity. But what happens when this dream turns out to be an illusion?

In his groundbreaking book, "From Miracle to Mirage: Uncovering the Dark Truths of the American Dream," author John Smith reveals the harsh realities that lie beneath the surface of this cherished ideal. Through extensive research and poignant storytelling, Smith exposes how the American Dream has become an unattainable mirage for many, leaving behind a trail of broken promises and shattered lives.

The Mirage of Opportunity

One of the cornerstones of the American Dream is the belief that anyone can achieve success, regardless of their background or circumstances. However, Smith argues that this is far from the truth. In reality, the system is rigged against those who come from disadvantaged backgrounds.

Smith cites numerous statistics that paint a bleak picture of social mobility in the United States. For example, he points out that the income gap between the wealthy and the poor has been growing steadily for decades, and that children born into poverty are far less likely to escape it than their more affluent peers.

The mirage of opportunity is further perpetuated by the media, which often portrays the American Dream as a reality for all. Smith deconstructs this narrative, showing how it ignores the millions of people who struggle to make ends meet and who have been left behind by the economic boom.

Broken Promises

The American Dream is not just about the promise of opportunity; it is also about the promise of a fair chance and a just society. However, Smith argues that these promises have been broken time and time again.

He points to the systemic racism that pervades American society, which has created a vast divide between white Americans and people of color. He also discusses the growing influence of money in politics, which has led to a government that serves the interests of the wealthy at the expense of the poor and working class.

Smith's book exposes the ways in which the American Dream has been corrupted by greed, inequality, and a lack of compassion. He argues that

the time has come for a reckoning, and for a renewed commitment to the ideals of justice, equality, and opportunity for all.

False Hope

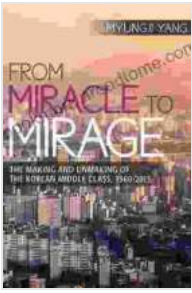
The American Dream has always been a source of hope for people around the world. But Smith argues that this hope has become false hope, as the reality of the American experience falls far short of the ideal.

He writes about the millions of people who come to the United States in search of a better life, only to find themselves trapped in poverty and exploitation. He also discusses the growing number of Americans who are struggling to keep up with the rising cost of living and who are losing faith in the future.

Smith's book is a powerful indictment of the American Dream as it exists today. He argues that it is time for a new vision, one that is based on reality rather than illusion, and that truly provides hope and opportunity for all.

"From Miracle to Mirage" is a must-read for anyone who cares about the future of America. Smith's thought-provoking analysis exposes the harsh truths of the American Dream and challenges us to confront the systemic inequalities that have turned it into a mirage.

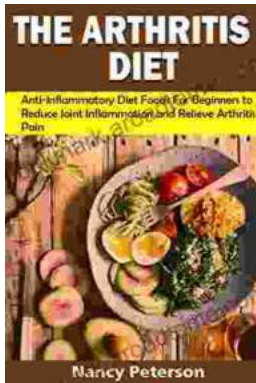
This book is a wake-up call, a reminder that the American Dream is not a given, but something that must be fought for and defended. It is a call for a new vision of America, one that is based on justice, equality, and opportunity for all.



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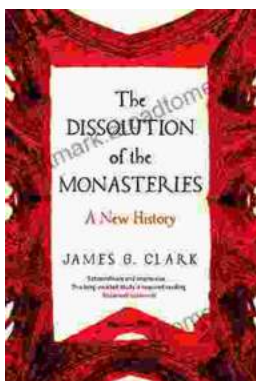
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