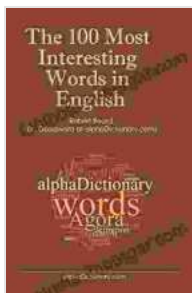# Unlock the Fascinating World of Words: Exploring "The 100 Most Interesting Words in English"

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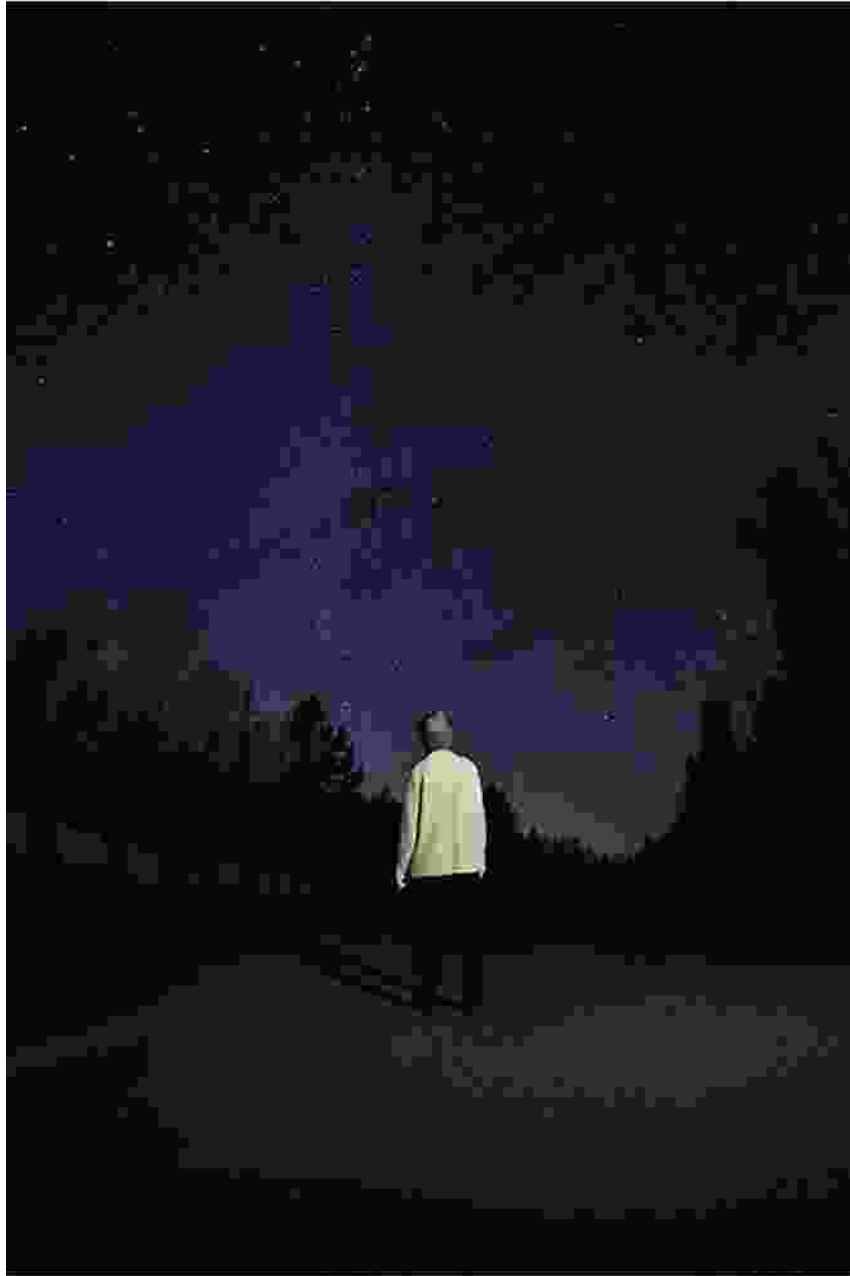
Serendipity

A fortuitous discovery, a happy accident - "serendipity" originates from the Persian fairy tale "The Three Princes of Serendip," where the protagonists stumbled upon extraordinary findings through sheer luck.

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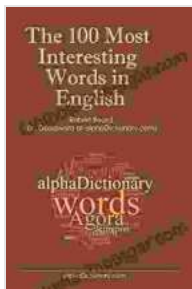## Broadening Perspectives and Inspiring Creativity

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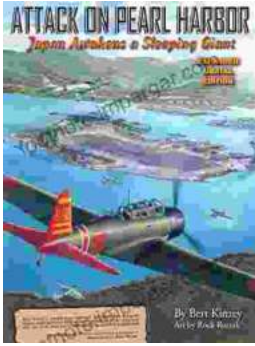
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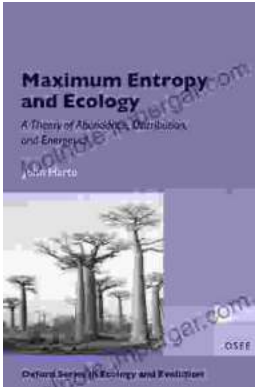
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