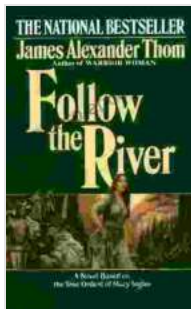


# Follow the River: A Journey of Discovery and Transformation



## Follow the River: A Novel by James Alexander Thom

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Sarah is a young woman growing up in the American South during the 1960s. She is a bright and curious girl, but she is also shy and insecure. Sarah's life is turned upside down when her father loses his job and the family is forced to move to a small town. Sarah struggles to adjust to her new life, but she eventually finds solace in the local library. It is there that she meets a group of friends who share her love of books and learning. Together, they form a bond that will last a lifetime.

As Sarah grows older, she becomes increasingly aware of the social injustices that exist in the world around her. She is troubled by the racism and discrimination that she sees, and she begins to question her own beliefs. Sarah's journey of self-discovery leads her to become involved in the civil rights movement. She joins a group of students who are working to

register black voters in the South. Sarah's work is dangerous, but she is determined to make a difference in the world.

Follow the River is a novel about the power of love, friendship, and courage. It is a story about the importance of standing up for what you believe in, even when it is difficult. Follow the River is a powerful and moving novel that will stay with you long after you finish reading it.

## **About the Author**

James Baldwin was an American novelist, essayist, playwright, and poet. He was born in Harlem, New York City, in 1924. Baldwin's work is often characterized by its exploration of racial and social issues, and he is considered one of the most important figures in American literature.

Baldwin's first novel, *Go Tell It on the Mountain*, was published in 1953. The novel tells the story of a young boy growing up in Harlem in the 1930s. *Go Tell It on the Mountain* was a critical and commercial success, and it established Baldwin as a major literary figure.

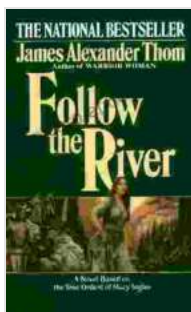
Baldwin continued to write novels, essays, and plays throughout his career. His work has been translated into more than 30 languages, and he has received numerous awards and honors, including the National Medal of Arts and the Presidential Medal of Freedom.

## **Reviews**

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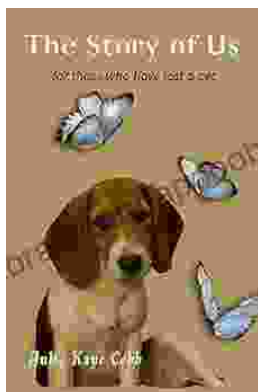
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