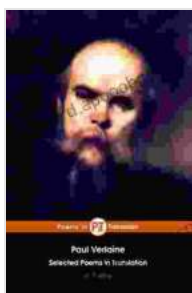


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As a pioneering figure in surrealism, Max Jacob's poetry explodes with imaginative freedom and unexpected juxtapositions. "Selected Poems in Translation" captures the essence of surrealism, where the ordinary transforms into the extraordinary, and the mundane becomes infused with a

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Jacob's poems are not only surreal but also imbued with a gentle humor that adds a refreshing touch to his explorations of the human condition. His ability to find the absurd in the ordinary, and the humor in the profound,

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Spirituality in Every Stanza

Underlying Jacob's surrealism and humor is a profound sense of spirituality. His Jewish heritage and his later conversion to Catholicism permeate his

writings, adding a mystical dimension to his exploration of existence. Through his poems, Jacob seeks to connect with the divine, finding solace and inspiration in the realms of faith and transcendence.



A Masterful Translation

"Selected Poems in Translation" is a testament to the skill and dedication of the translators. Their ability to capture the essence of Jacob's original French verse, while retaining its surrealist flair and poetic beauty, is truly

remarkable. Each poem is a masterpiece in its own right, allowing you to experience Jacob's artistry in all its glory.

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