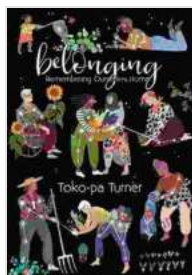# Belonging: Remembering Ourselves Home by Toko Pa Turner

A Deeply Personal Memoir

In her powerful and moving memoir, Belonging: Remembering Ourselves Home, award-winning author Toko Pa Turner shares her journey of self-discovery and healing after a lifetime of feeling like an outsider. Through her deeply personal story, Turner explores the complex and often painful experiences of being a mixed-race woman in a world that is often divided along racial lines.

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Turner's journey begins in her childhood, where she felt like she didn't belong anywhere. She was too dark for the white kids and too light for the black kids. She was constantly teased and bullied, which made her feel ashamed of who she was.

As she got older, Turner's feelings of alienation only intensified. She struggled to find her place in the world, and she often felt like she was living in a state of limbo. She didn't feel like she belonged anywhere, and she longed for a place where she could finally feel at home.

Turner's journey of self-discovery and healing began when she started to explore her own identity. She began to learn about her African and European heritage, and she started to embrace the beauty of her mixed-race identity. She also began to connect with other mixed-race people, and she found solace and support in their shared experiences.

Through her journey, Turner has come to realize that belonging is not something that can be found outside of ourselves. It is something that we must find within ourselves. We must learn to accept and love ourselves for who we are, and we must learn to embrace our own unique identities.

A Powerful and Inspiring Story

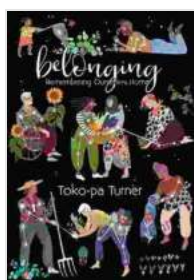Belonging: Remembering Ourselves Home is a powerful and inspiring story of self-discovery and healing. It is a story that will resonate with anyone who has ever felt like an outsider. Turner's journey is a reminder that we are all connected, and that we all have a place where we belong.

This book is a must-read for anyone who is interested in the complexities of race and identity. It is a story that will challenge your assumptions and open your heart. Turner's writing is honest, raw, and deeply moving. She is not afraid to share her pain, but she also knows how to find joy and hope. Belonging: Remembering Ourselves Home is a book that will stay with you long after you finish reading it.

About the Author

Toko Pa Turner is an award-winning author, speaker, and educator. She is the author of several books, including the memoir Belonging: Remembering Ourselves Home. Turner is a passionate advocate for social justice and racial equality. She has spoken at numerous conferences and events, and she has written extensively about the experiences of mixed-race people.

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