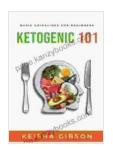
## **Ketogenic 101: Basic Guidelines for Beginners**

The ketogenic diet is a high-fat, low-carbohydrate diet that has been shown to be effective for weight loss, improving blood sugar control, and reducing inflammation.

When you follow a ketogenic diet, your body goes into a state of ketosis, in which it burns fat for fuel instead of glucose. This can lead to a number of benefits, including:



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- Weight loss
- Improved blood sugar control

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- Reduced inflammation
- Increased energy levels

Improved cognitive function

If you're considering starting a ketogenic diet, it's important to do your research and make sure that it's right for you. There are some potential side effects of the ketogenic diet, such as fatigue, constipation, and headaches. However, these side effects typically go away within a few weeks as your body adjusts to the new diet.

If you're ready to get started with the ketogenic diet, here are some basic guidelines to follow:

- Eat plenty of healthy fats. Fats are the primary source of energy on a ketogenic diet. Good sources of healthy fats include olive oil, avocado, nuts, seeds, and fatty fish.
- Limit your carbohydrate intake. Carbohydrates are converted into glucose in the body, which can kick you out of ketosis. Good sources of low-carbohydrate foods include meat, fish, eggs, cheese, and vegetables.
- Get moderate amounts of protein. Protein is essential for building and repairing tissues. Good sources of protein include meat, fish, eggs, and dairy products.
- Drink plenty of water. Staying hydrated is important on any diet, but it's especially important on a ketogenic diet. Water helps to flush out ketones, which can build up in the body and cause side effects.

Here is a sample ketogenic meal plan to get you started:

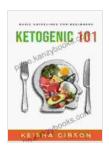
Breakfast: Scrambled eggs with avocado and bacon

Lunch: Grilled chicken salad with olive oil and vinegar

**Dinner:** Salmon with roasted vegetables

Snacks: Nuts, seeds, cheese, and hard-boiled eggs

The ketogenic diet can be a safe and effective way to lose weight and improve your health. However, it's important to talk to your doctor before starting a ketogenic diet to make sure that it's right for you.



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