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changes in work, diet, and medical care have resulted in escalating experiences of chronic illness, debilitating disease, and accident. *Debility and the Moral Imagination in Botswana* documents how transformations wrought by colonialism, independence, industrialization, and development have effected changes in bodily life and perceptions of health, illness, and debility. In this intimate and powerful book, Julie Livingston explores the l
