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ideas that come up in the books--some of which can be genuinely life changing. Reading this book will be like putting on a Philosophical Decoder Ring. It will show you vital aspects of the deepest story that lies behind these famous stories"--
