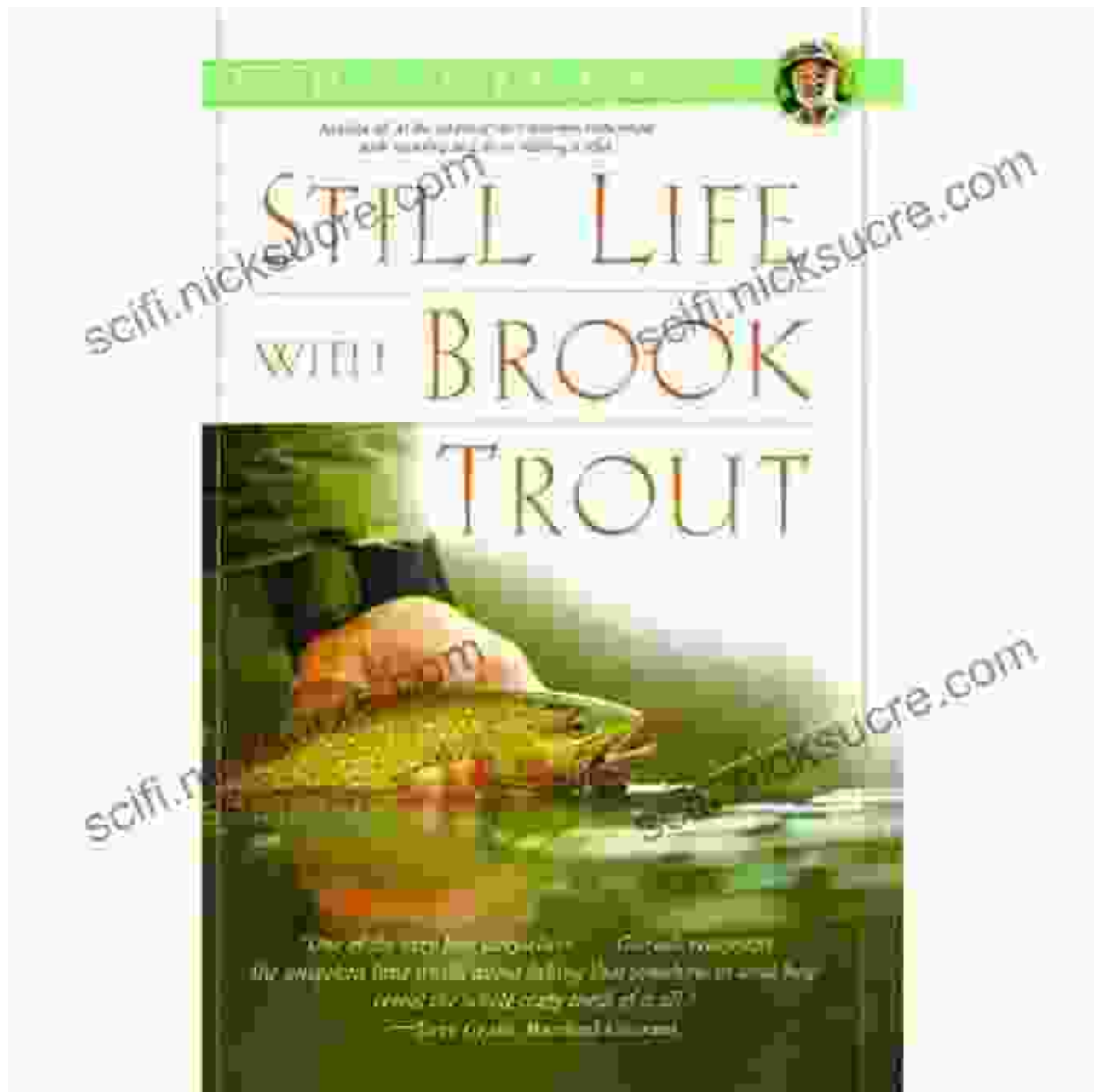
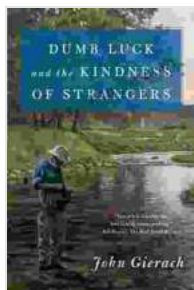


Dumb Luck and the Kindness of Strangers: John Gierach's Fly Fishing Library



John Gierach is one of the most beloved and respected fly fishing writers of all time. His books are full of wisdom, wit, and a deep love of the sport. And while Gierach is undoubtedly a skilled angler, he is also the first to admit

that he has been the beneficiary of a great deal of dumb luck and the kindness of strangers.



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Gierach's first book, *Trout Bum*, was published in 1978. It was an immediate success, and it has since become a classic of fly fishing literature. In *Trout Bum*, Gierach tells the story of his early days as a fly fisherman, when he was young and broke and living out of his car. He writes about the many misadventures he had along the way, and about the people who helped him out when he needed it most.

One of the most memorable stories in *Trout Bum* is about the time Gierach was fishing in a remote mountain stream when he came across a group of strangers who were having a picnic. Gierach was hungry and tired, and the strangers invited him to join them for lunch. They shared their food and their stories, and Gierach felt like he had finally found a home among these people.

Gierach's experience with the strangers is a reminder that even in the most remote and unforgiving places, there are always people who are willing to help others. And it is this spirit of kindness that makes the world a better place.

Gierach has continued to write about fly fishing for over four decades, and his books have become increasingly popular with each passing year. In his later books, Gierach writes more about the importance of conservation and the need to protect the environment. He also writes about the importance of finding joy in the simple things in life.

Gierach's books are a gift to all who love fly fishing. They are full of wisdom, wit, and a deep love of the sport. And they are a reminder that even in the most difficult of times, there is always hope to be found.

The Kindness of Strangers

Gierach has been the beneficiary of the kindness of strangers throughout his life. He has been helped out by countless people, from the strangers who invited him to join them for lunch to the people who have donated money to his favorite charities.

Gierach believes that the kindness of strangers is one of the most important things in the world. He says that it is what makes us human and that it is what gives us hope for the future.

Gierach's experience with the kindness of strangers is a reminder that we are all connected. We are all part of a community, and we all have a responsibility to help each other out.

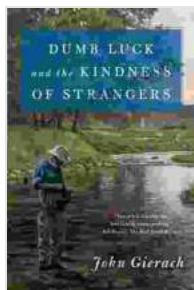
Dumb Luck

Gierach also believes that he has been the beneficiary of a great deal of dumb luck. He says that he has been lucky to have been born in a time and place where he could pursue his passion for fly fishing.

Gierach also believes that he has been lucky to have met the people who have helped him along the way. He says that he is grateful for the kindness of strangers and that he is committed to paying it forward.

Gierach's experience with dumb luck is a reminder that we are all lucky to be alive. We are all lucky to have the opportunity to experience the beauty of the world and to pursue our dreams.

Gierach's books are a reminder that even in the most difficult of times, there is always hope to be found. They are a reminder that we are all connected and that we all have a responsibility to help each other out. And they are a reminder that we are all lucky to be alive.

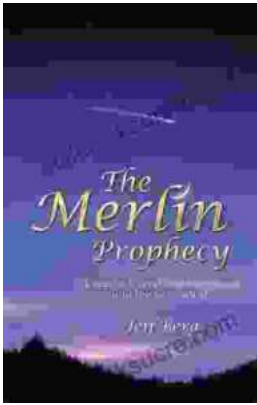


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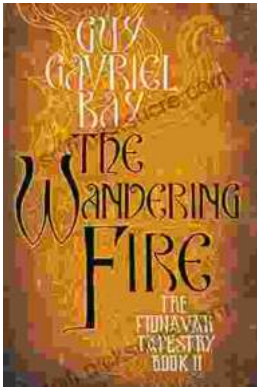
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