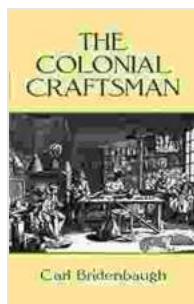


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Home, Bath, Sun Parlor
and Dining Room

The plan is oriented so that it faces the rear of the house. There is a porch on the left side of the entrance hall, which provides access to the sun parlor. The dining room is located at the rear of the entrance hall. The kitchen, stairs, and living room are located on the left side of the entrance hall. The sun parlor is located at the rear of the entrance hall. The entrance hall leads to the dining room, which is 10' x 12'. The dining room leads to the sun parlor, which is 9' x 12'. The sun parlor leads to the kitchen, which is 10' x 12'. The kitchen leads to the stairs. The stairs lead to the second floor. The second floor contains three bedrooms, a bathroom, and a central hall. The first floor contains a sun parlor, a dining room, a kitchen, a living room, a central hall, and a back porch.

Floor Plan Details:

- KITCHEN:** 10' x 12'
- DINING ROOM:** 10' x 12'
- LIVING ROOM:** 11'0" x 13'
- SUN PARLOR:** 9' x 12'
- BATH:** 9' x 12'
- CHAMBERS:** 10' x 12'
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- CHAMBERS:** 10' x 12'
- SLEEPING PORCH:** 10' x 12'

Dimensions:

- Width over all: 22' 0"
- Depth over all: 40' 0"
- Cellar depth, 1st floor: 8' 0" x 12'
- Celing height, 1st floor: 8' 0"
- Height of basement: 8' 0" x 16'

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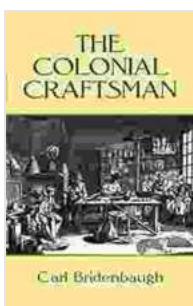
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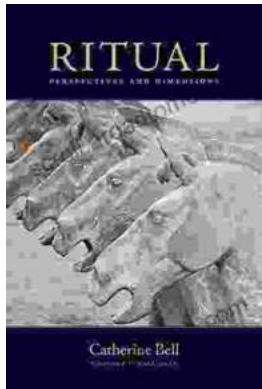
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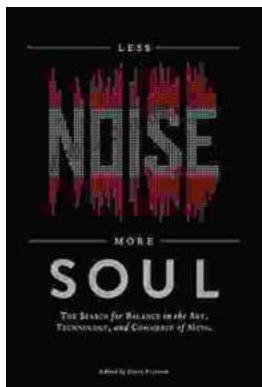


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