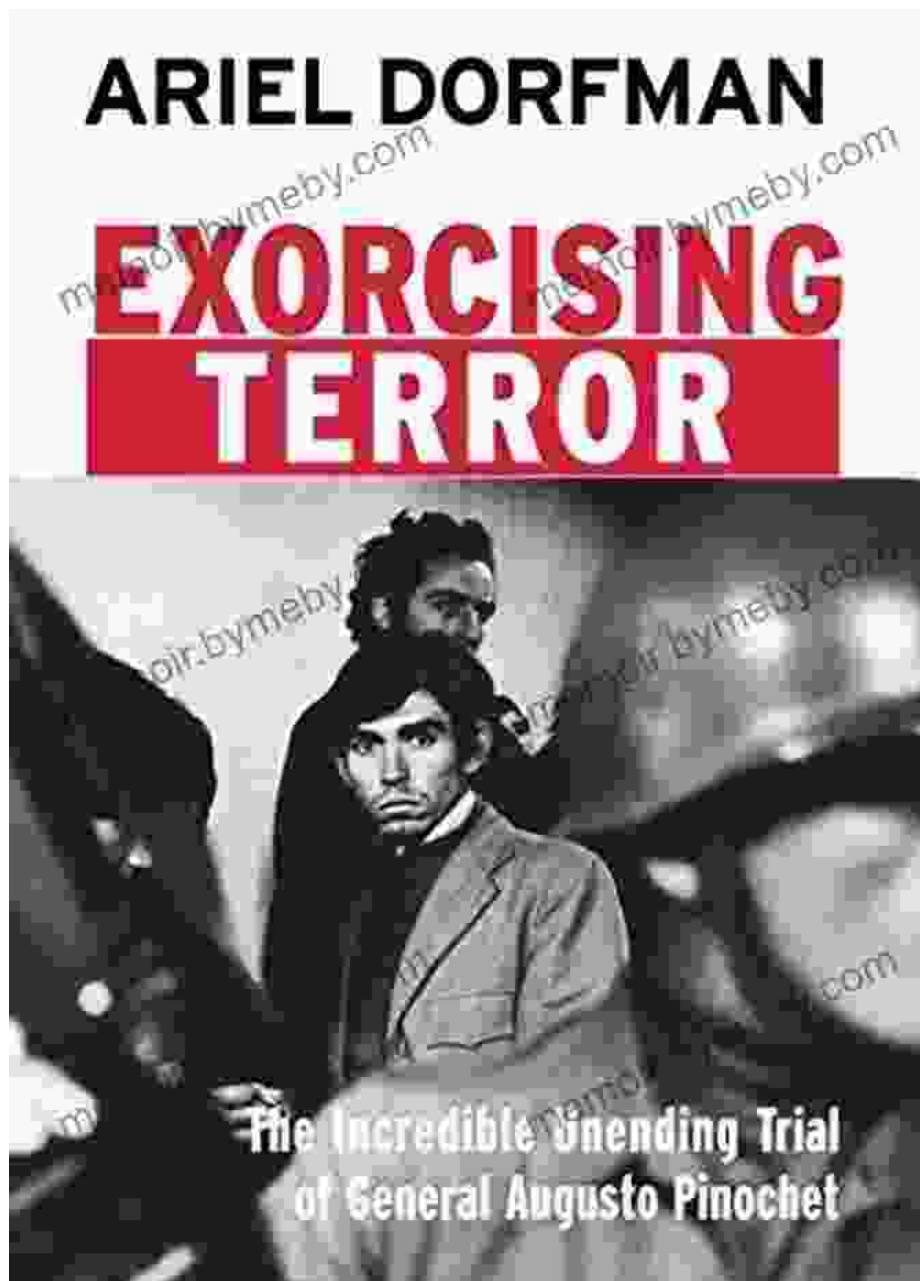


# The Incredible Unending Trial Of General Augusto Pinochet: A Legal Saga That Captivated The World



The Arrest and Fall from Power of General Pinochet

General Augusto Pinochet, the former dictator of Chile, was arrested in London in 1998. He had been living in exile in England since he stepped down from power in 1990. Pinochet was accused of human rights abuses committed during his 17-year rule.



The arrest of Pinochet shocked the world. It was the first time that a former head of state had been arrested for human rights abuses. The case also raised important questions about the limits of national sovereignty and the accountability of former leaders.



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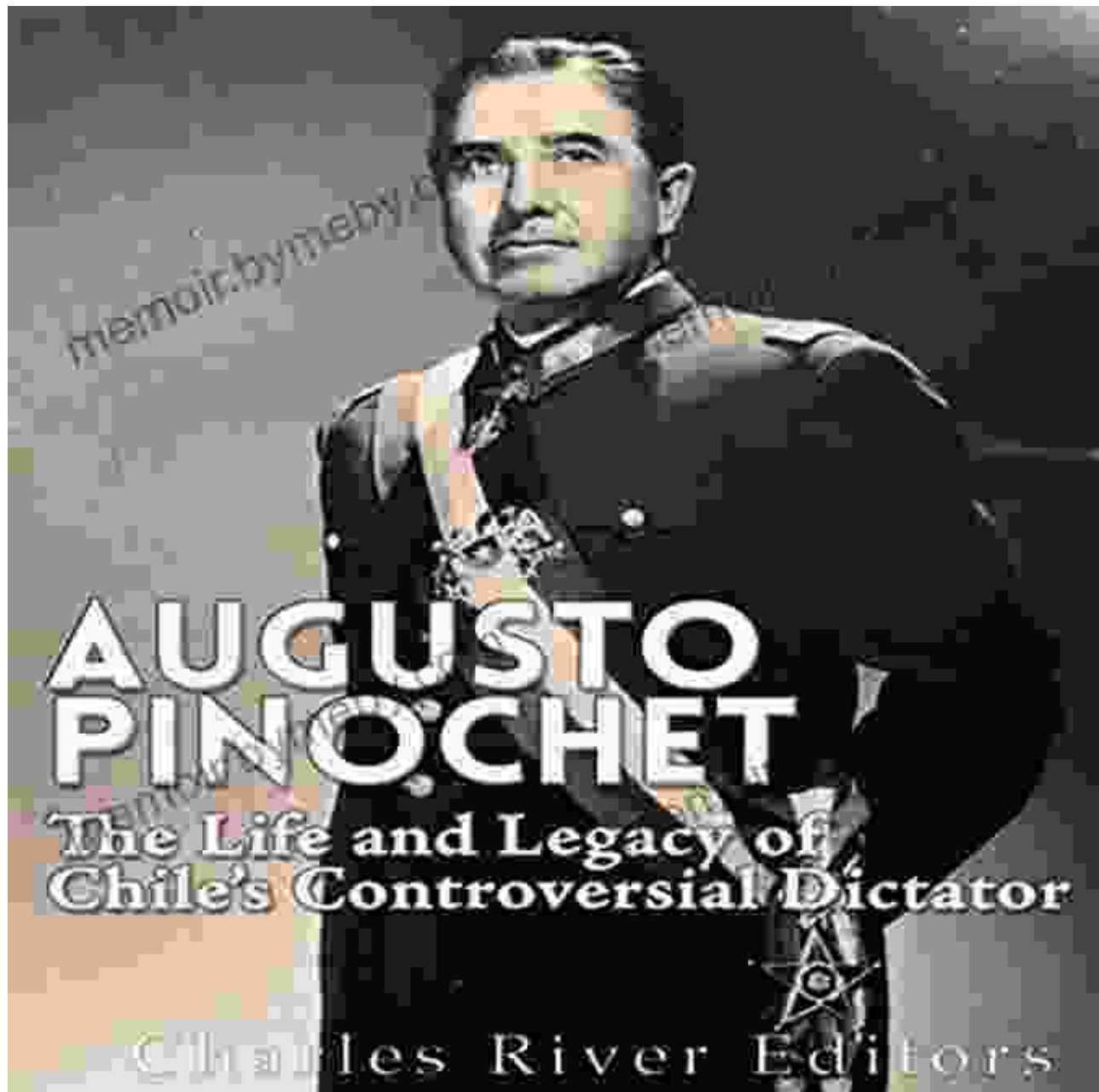


Pinochet was initially charged with the murder of thousands of people during his dictatorship. However, the charges were later reduced to torture and conspiracy to torture. In 2000, a British court ruled that Pinochet was

unfit to stand trial due to his ill health. He was released from custody and returned to Chile.

## **The Legacy of General Pinochet**

The legacy of General Pinochet is complex and controversial. He is seen by some as a hero who saved Chile from communism. Others view him as a brutal dictator who committed human rights abuses.



The trial of General Pinochet was a landmark event in the history of international law. It set a precedent for the prosecution of former heads of state for human rights abuses. The case also raised important questions about the limits of national sovereignty and the accountability of former leaders.

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The series provides a detailed overview of the charges against Pinochet, the legal challenges and appeals that were involved in the case, and the impact that the trial had on Chile and the world.

The series is a valuable resource for anyone who is interested in the history of international law, human rights, or the legacy of General Pinochet. It is also a fascinating read for anyone who is interested in the behind-the-scenes story of one of the most complex and high-profile trials in recent history.



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