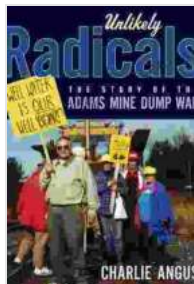


The Story of the Adams Mine Dump War: A 15-Year Battle for Environmental Justice



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In 1997, residents of the small town of Naturita, Colorado, discovered that a local mining company was illegally dumping toxic waste on their property. The waste, known as "tailings," contained heavy metals such as lead, arsenic, and cadmium. These metals can cause a variety of health problems, including cancer, birth defects, and neurological damage.

The residents of Naturita were outraged. They organized a group called the Adams Mine Dump War Coalition and began a 15-year battle to force the mining company to clean up the mess.

The coalition faced an uphill battle. The mining company was a powerful corporation with deep ties to the local government. The company also had

a history of environmental violations, and it was clear that they had no intention of cleaning up the tailings.

But the residents of Naturita were not giving up. They held protests, they lobbied politicians, and they filed lawsuits. They also worked to educate the public about the dangers of tailings and the importance of environmental justice.

In 2012, after 15 years of hard work, the Adams Mine Dump War Coalition finally won a major victory. The mining company agreed to clean up the tailings and pay a \$10 million fine. The cleanup is still ongoing, but it is a major step forward for the residents of Naturita.

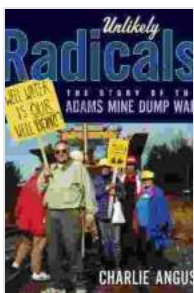
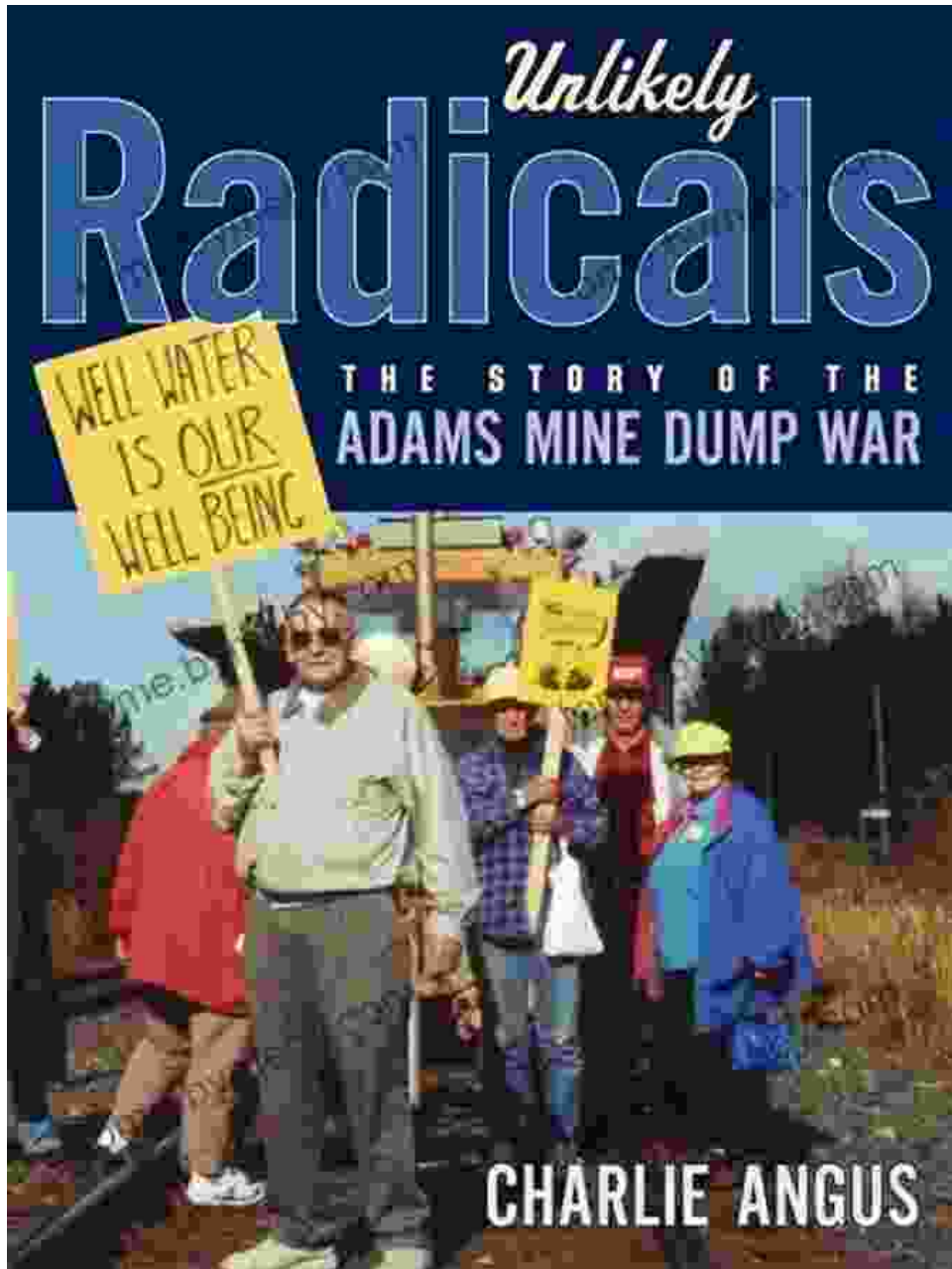
The Story of the Adams Mine Dump War is a story of courage, determination, and environmental justice. It is a story that shows that even the smallest communities can stand up to powerful corporations and win.

The book, *The Story of the Adams Mine Dump War*, is a detailed account of the 15-year battle. It is a must-read for anyone interested in environmental justice, mining history, or the American West.

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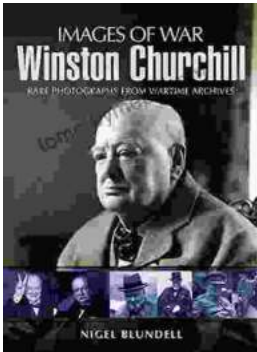
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