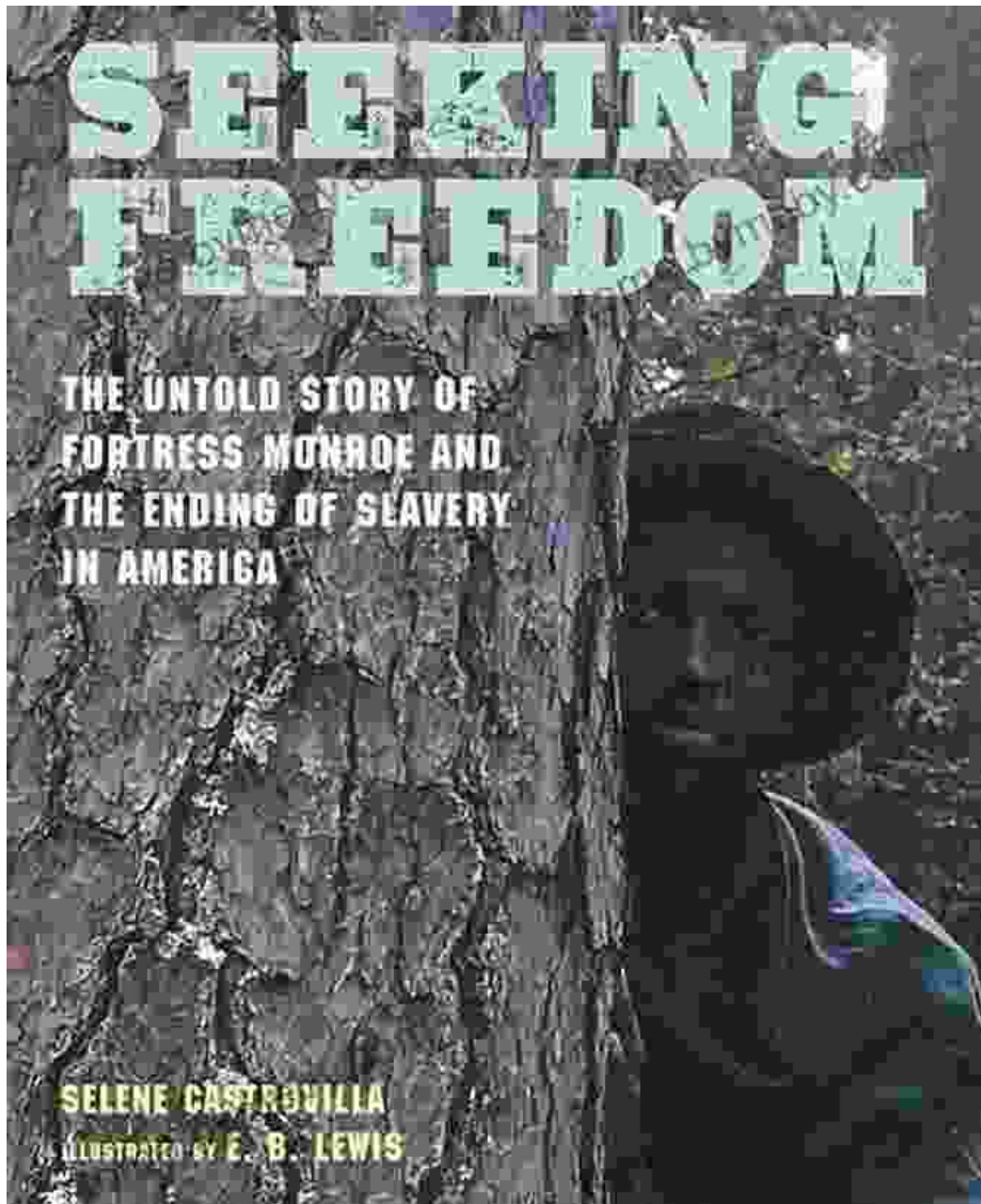


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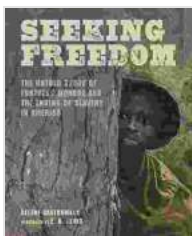


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Fortress Monroe was located on the coast of Virginia, and it was one of the first places where enslaved people could find freedom during the Civil War. In 1861, General Benjamin Butler declared that any enslaved person who reached Fortress Monroe would be considered free. This declaration was a major turning point in the war, and it helped to galvanize support for the Union cause.



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The enslaved people who came to Fortress Monroe were not always welcomed with open arms. Some Union soldiers were prejudiced against them, and they refused to treat them as equals. However, there were also many Union soldiers who were dedicated to the cause of freedom, and they risked their lives to protect the enslaved people who came to the fort.

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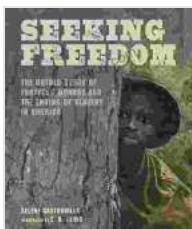
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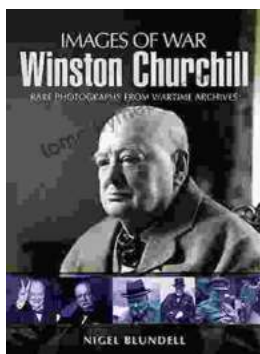
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