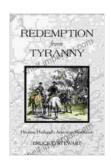
# Herman Husband: American Revolutionary and Early American History Icon



### Redemption from Tyranny: Herman Husband's American Revolution (Early American Histories)

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In the annals of the American Revolution and early American history, Herman Husband stands as a figure of remarkable significance. As a prominent Patriot, statesman, lawyer, and intellectual, he played a pivotal role in shaping the destiny of the nascent nation.

#### Early Life and Education

Herman Husband was born on January 1, 1724, in East Hampton, New York. His father, Captain John Husband, was a sea captain and merchant, while his mother, Mary Topping, hailed from a prominent local family. Herman received a classical education at Yale College, graduating in 1745 with a Bachelor of Arts degree.

#### Legal and Political Career

After graduating from Yale, Husband returned to East Hampton and established a successful law practice. He quickly gained a reputation for his legal acumen and oratorical skills. Husband's interest in politics soon led him to enter the public sphere.

In 1756, Husband was elected to the New York Provincial Assembly, where he served for several terms. As an Assemblyman, he became a vocal advocate for colonial rights and liberties. He opposed British taxation measures and defended the principle of "no taxation without representation."

#### **Role in the American Revolution**

When tensions between the American colonies and Great Britain escalated, Herman Husband emerged as a leading Patriot. He attended the Continental Congress in 1775, where he helped draft the Declaration of Independence.

Husband's eloquent speeches and persuasive arguments had a profound impact on the delegates. He passionately argued for independence, declaring that the colonies had the right to govern themselves and that British tyranny could no longer be tolerated.

#### **Contributions to Delaware's History**

In 1777, Husband moved to Delaware, where he continued his political and legal career. He served as a member of the Delaware General Assembly and as a judge of the Supreme Court of Delaware.

Husband made significant contributions to the legal and political development of Delaware. He helped draft the Delaware Constitution of

1776 and played a key role in establishing the state's judicial system.

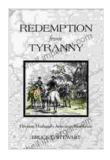
#### Legacy and Impact

Herman Husband passed away on October 4, 1790, at the age of 66. However, his legacy continues to inspire generations of Americans.

As a signer of the Declaration of Independence, Husband played a crucial role in the founding of the United States of America. His belief in liberty, equality, and self-governance shaped the ideals upon which the nation was built.

In addition to his political accomplishments, Husband was a prolific writer and public speaker. His writings and speeches provide valuable insights into the intellectual and political landscape of the American Revolution.

Herman Husband was a towering figure in American history, leaving an enduring mark on the nation's political, legal, and intellectual fabric. His unwavering commitment to liberty, his eloquence as an orator, and his contributions to the American Revolution and early American history continue to be celebrated today.



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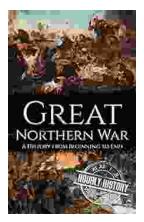
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