

# James Madison and the Making of the United States: Uncover the Founding Father's Role in Shaping a Nation

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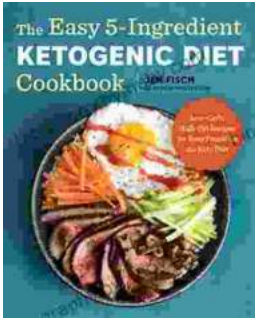
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