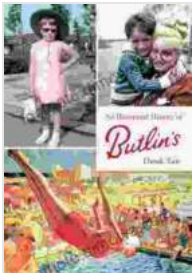


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In the depths of the Great Depression, a visionary entrepreneur named Billy Butlin revolutionized the holiday landscape. Driven by a desire to create affordable vacations for the working class, he established the first Butlin's holiday camp in Skegness in 1936. With its innovative design,

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The lively ambiance of Butlin's Skegness in its heyday

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The impressive scale of Butlin's Minehead, one of the largest holiday camps in the UK

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The iconic Redcoats, beloved entertainers who brought joy to Butlin's holidaymakers

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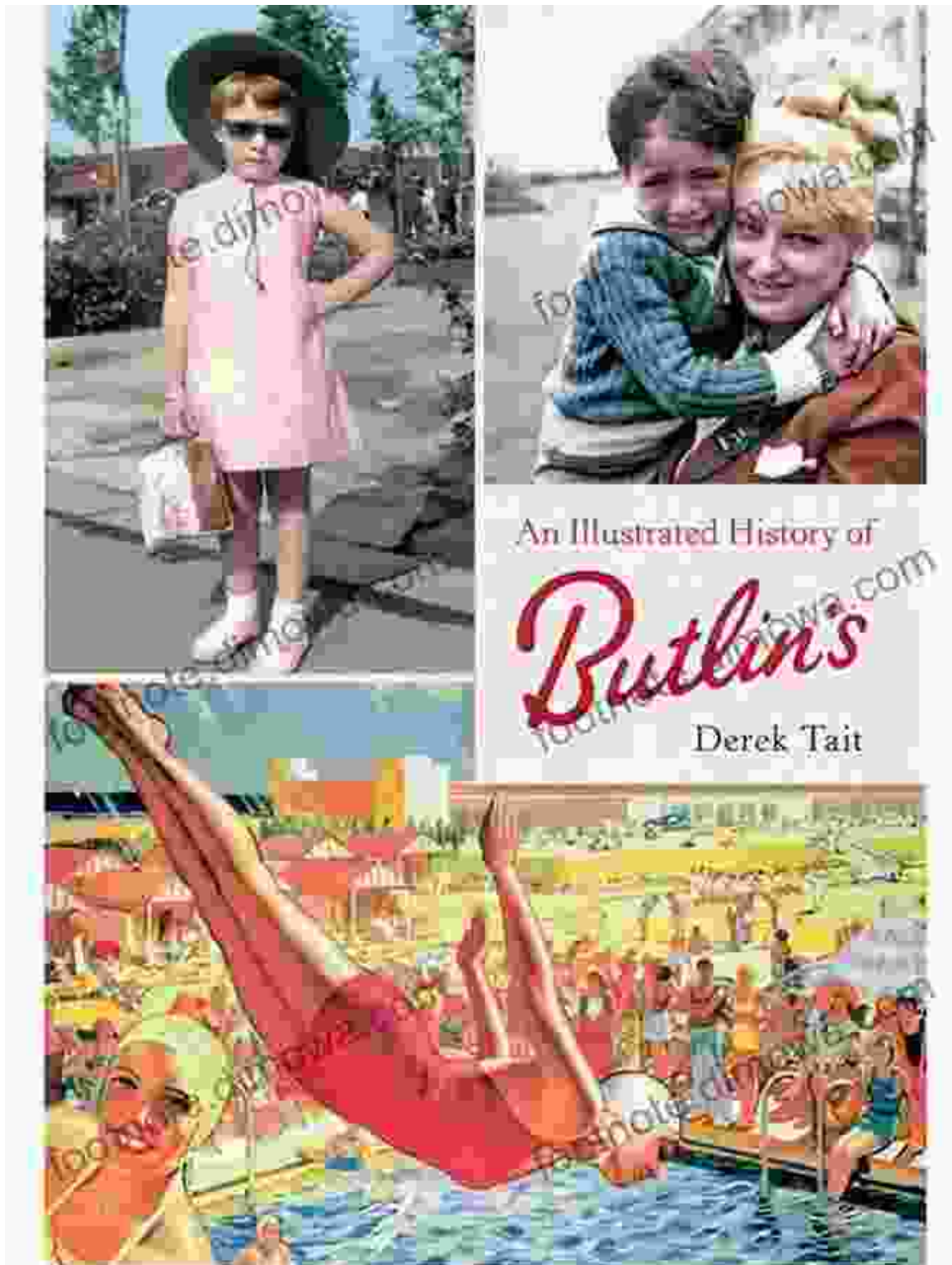
As the decades passed, the holiday landscape underwent a transformation. The rise of package holidays and budget airlines made it easier for families to vacation abroad. Butlin's, once the undisputed king of British holidays, faced increasing competition. The holiday camps gradually declined, and by the end of the 20th century, most had closed their doors.



The abandoned Butlin's Filey holiday camp, a testament to the changing face of British vacations

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"An Illustrated History of Butlin's": A captivating exploration of the iconic holiday camp's past

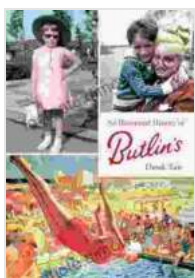
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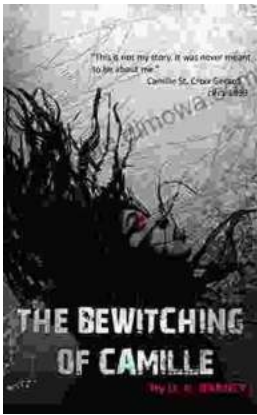
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