## The Home Child Experience: A Heartbreaking History That Will Stay With You



#### Marjorie Too Afraid to Cry: A Home Child Experience

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The Home Child Experience is a heartbreaking history that will stay with you long after you finish reading it. This book tells the true stories of some of the 100,000 British children who were sent to Canada between 1869 and 1930. These children were victims of a misguided social experiment that sought to provide them with a better life, but in reality, they often faced abuse, neglect, and exploitation.

The Home Child Experience is a powerful and moving account of these children's lives. It is a story of hope and heartbreak, of resilience and survival. It is a story that will stay with you long after you finish reading it.

#### The British Home Children

The British Home Children were children who were sent from the United Kingdom to Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and other British colonies between 1869 and 1970. The majority of these children were orphans or the children of poor families. They were sent to Canada with the promise of a better life, but in reality, they often faced abuse, neglect, and exploitation.

The British Home Children were often placed in orphanages or foster homes. In many cases, they were treated as slaves. They were forced to

work long hours in factories or on farms, and they were often beaten and abused. Some children were even sold into prostitution.

The British Home Children's experience was a dark chapter in Canadian history. It is a story of how the government failed to protect these vulnerable children. It is a story of abuse, neglect, and exploitation. But it is also a story of hope and survival. Many of the British Home Children went on to lead happy and successful lives. They are a testament to the human spirit's ability to overcome adversity.

#### The Home Child Experience in Canada

The Home Child Experience in Canada was particularly harsh. The Canadian government placed many of the children in remote and isolated areas. They were often forced to work in dangerous jobs, such as logging and mining. Many children died from accidents or disease.

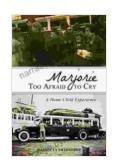
The Canadian government also failed to provide adequate supervision of the children. As a result, many children were abused and exploited. Some children were even sold into prostitution.

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#### The Legacy of the Home Child Experience

The Home Child Experience has left a lasting legacy in Canada. Many of the children who were sent to Canada went on to become successful citizens. They contributed to the country's economy and culture. However, the experience also left many children with lifelong scars. Some children were never able to recover from the abuse and neglect they suffered. Others were left with physical and mental disabilities.

The Home Child Experience is a reminder of the importance of protecting children. It is a story of how the government failed to protect these vulnerable children. It is a story of abuse, neglect, and exploitation. But it is also a story of hope and survival. Many of the British Home Children went on to lead happy and successful lives. They are a testament to the human spirit's ability to overcome adversity.



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