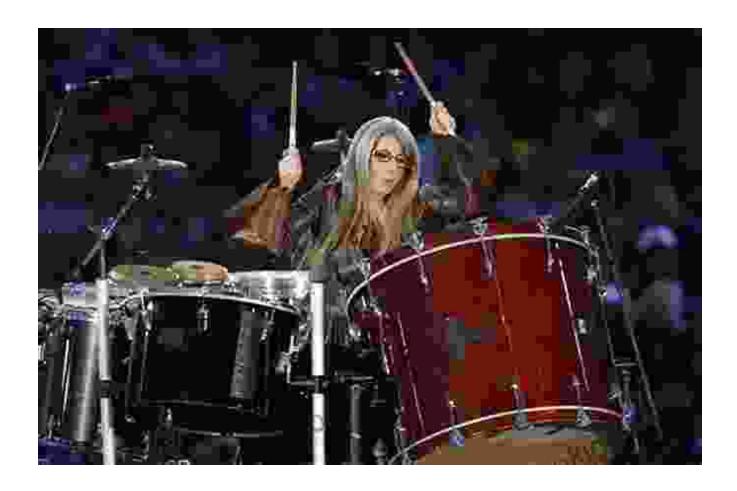
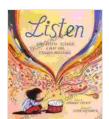
## How Evelyn Glennie, a Deaf Girl, Changed Percussion



Evelyn Glennie is a Scottish percussionist who has been deaf since the age of 12. Despite her disability, she has gone on to become one of the most successful and respected percussionists in the world. Glennie has performed with some of the world's most prestigious orchestras, including the London Symphony Orchestra, the New York Philharmonic, and the Berlin Philharmonic. She has also released several solo albums, and has won numerous awards, including four Grammy Awards.

Glennie's story is one of inspiration and determination. She has shown that it is possible to overcome any obstacle, and that deafness does not have to

be a barrier to success. Glennie's music has touched the lives of millions of people around the world, and she continues to be an inspiration to all who meet her.



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Percussion by Shannon Stocker

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#### **Early Life and Education**

Evelyn Glennie was born in Aberdeen, Scotland, in 1965. She began playing the piano at the age of five, and the drums at the age of eight. At the age of 12, Glennie began to lose her hearing. By the time she was 18, she was completely deaf.

Glennie's deafness did not stop her from pursuing her musical dreams. She attended the Royal Academy of Music in London, where she studied percussion. Glennie graduated from the Royal Academy of Music in 1985, and began her professional career as a percussionist.

#### Career

Glennie's professional career began in the 1980s. She quickly gained a reputation as a talented and versatile percussionist. Glennie has performed with some of the world's most prestigious orchestras, including the London Symphony Orchestra, the New York Philharmonic, and the Berlin

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is a master of rhythm and groove, and her performances are always full of

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Evelyn Glennie is an inspiration to anyone who has ever faced adversity.

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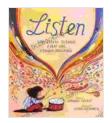
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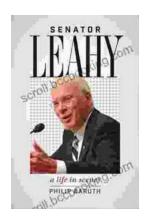
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