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describes the social and economic conditions in medieval europe at the outbreak of the black death and the causes and effects of the epidemic the worst pandemic in recorded history it is estimated that the black death infected two in three europeans resulting in the deaths of around 25 million or a third of the population of the continent author don nardo explores the complex moral economic and scientific implications of the black death chapters facilitate critical conversations from diverse perspectives to provide a broad understanding of the plague including the origin of the disease the hysteria and panic that consumed entire populations the effects to the economy and culture of the areas affected and recurrences of plague in later ages in this fresh approach to the history of the black death john hatcher a world renowned scholar of the middle ages recreates everyday life in a mid fourteenth century rural english village by focusing on the experiences of ordinary villagers as they 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centuries but these gains were almost entirely erased as the plague spread rapidly across all of Europe from 1346-1353 with a medieval understanding of medicine, diagnosis, and illness, nobody understood what caused black death or how to truly treat it. As a result, many religious people assumed it was divine retribution, while superstitious and suspicious citizens saw a nefarious human plot involved and persecuted certain minority groups among them. Though it is now widely believed that rats and fleas spread the disease by carrying the bubonic plague westward along well-established trade routes, and there are now vaccines to prevent the spread of the plague, the black death gruesomely killed upwards of 100 million people, with helpless chroniclers graphically describing the various stages of the disease. It took Europe decades for its population to bounce back, and similar plagues would affect various parts of the world for the next several centuries. But advances in medical technology have since allowed researchers to read various medieval accounts of the black death in order to understand the various strains of the disease. Furthermore, the social upheaval caused by the plague radically changed European societies, and some have noted that by the time the plague had passed, the late Middle Ages would end with many of today's European nations firmly established. The black death, the history and legacy of the Middle Ages' deadliest plague, chronicles the origins and spread of a plague that decimated Europe and may have wiped out over a third of the continent's population. Along with pictures and a bibliography, you will learn about the black death like never before. In no time at all, in this small book, David Herlihy makes subtle and subversive inquiries that challenge historical thinking about the black death, looking beyond the view of the plague as an unmitigated catastrophe. Herlihy finds evidence for its role in the advent of new population controls, the establishment of universities, the spread of Christianity, the dissemination of vernacular cultures, and even the rise of nationalism. This book, which displays a distinguished scholar's masterly synthesis of diverse materials, reveals that the black death can be considered the cornerstone of the transformation of Europe. The plague, aptly known as the black death, swept through Europe in the 1300s, killing more than 20 million people, not only deadly but incredibly painful. The disease was characterized by black boils all over the body that oozed blood and pus. While providing more details about the plague, this book is an asset to any social studies collection. It also addresses where the lethal outbreak originated and whether it could return, aided by striking illustrations, sidebars, and fact boxes. 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