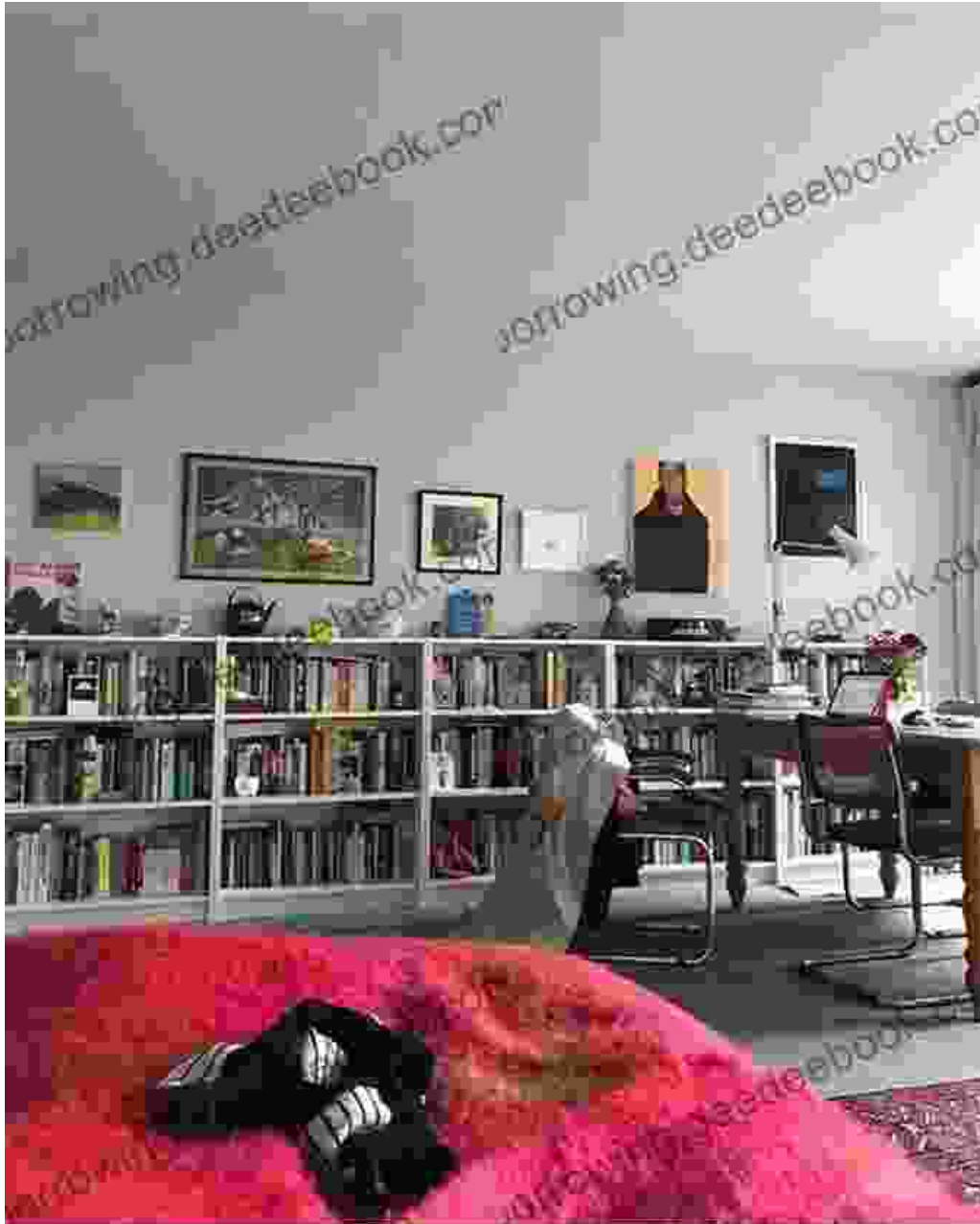


# A Room in Athens: A Memoir of Love, Loss, and Discovery in the City of Gods



## About the Book

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Laing's journey to Athens begins in the aftermath of a failed relationship. She is drawn to the city by its ancient ruins and its reputation as a place of both beauty and heartbreak. As she explores the city, she meets a cast of characters who help her to understand herself and her place in the world.



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Through her encounters with these characters, Laing learns about the importance of love, friendship, and forgiveness. She also learns about the power of art and literature to heal and inspire. In the end, Athens becomes a place of both refuge and renewal for Laing.

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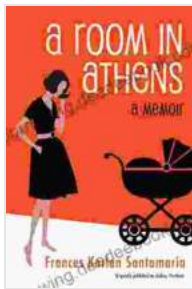
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## About the Author

Olivia Laing is a British writer and critic. She is the author of several books, including *The Lonely City* (2016) and *Crudo* (2018). Her work has appeared in *The Guardian*, *The New York Times*, and *The New Yorker*. She lives in London.



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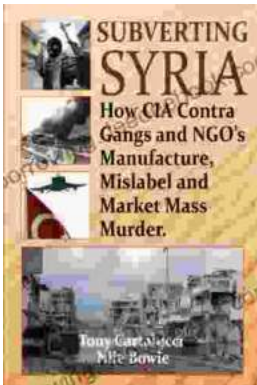
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