



# A Rage for Rock Gardening: The Story of Reginald Farrer, Gardener, Writer, and Plant Collector (New edition)

By Nicola Shulman

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