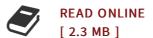




Burying the Bones: Pearl Buck in China

By Hilary Spurling

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