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Synopsis Poet and essayist Samuel Johnson spent the autumn of 1773 touring the coast of Scotland with his biographer, James Boswell. This book presents an account of their sojourn, providing not only examples of travel writing and historical documents but also portraits of two extraordinary men of letters.