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**The
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The Evolution
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The information in this book provides useful details that help substantiate the idea that human beings have evolved towards an uprightness that brings the weight line of the body into a more central position. Tobias also provides a background for expanding the structural perspectives in two important ways: one is by including the evolution of the perceptual system as an essential component in the evolution of uprightness. The other is to restore the significance of the upper body in the way we consider human gait.