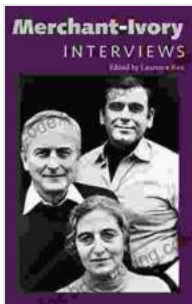


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Howard's End (1992)



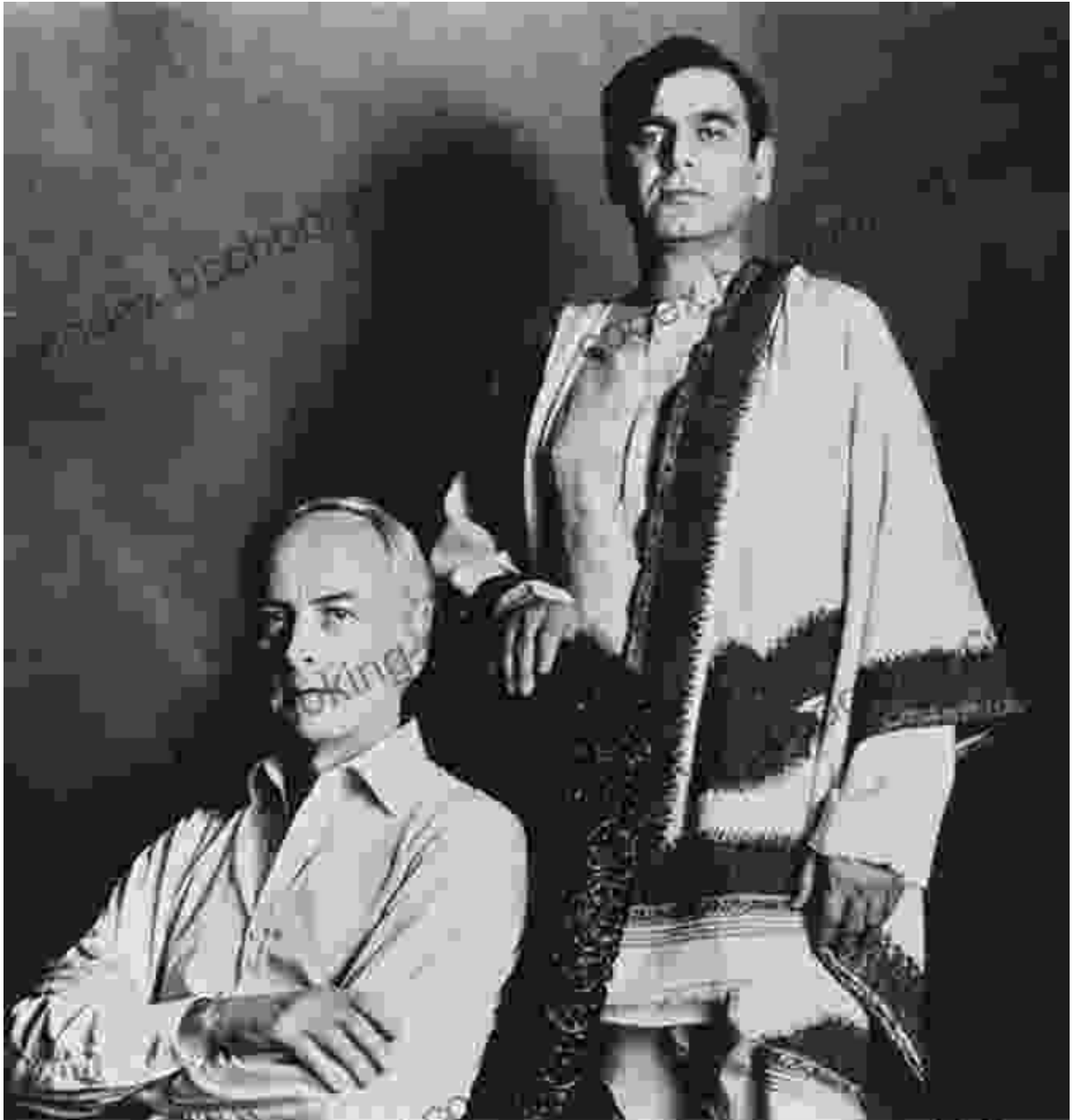
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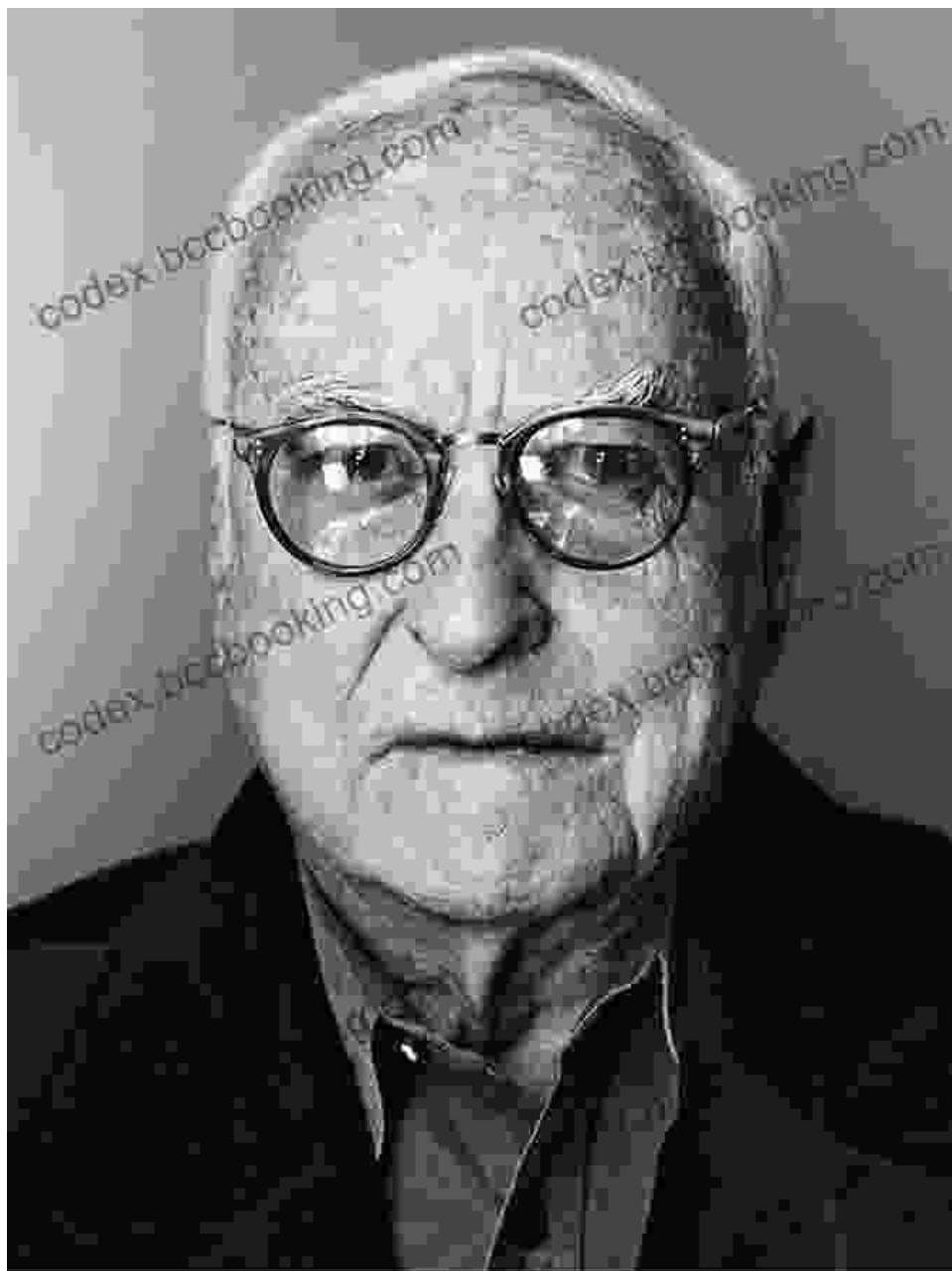
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Ismail Merchant, the visionary producer who brought Merchant Ivory films to life.

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James Ivory, the creative mastermind behind Merchant Ivory films, brought their stories to life with his masterful direction. His interviews delve into his artistic influences, his approach to character development, and his ability to create visually stunning and emotionally resonant films. Readers gain a deep understanding of his directorial vision and the artistry that shaped their cinematic legacy.

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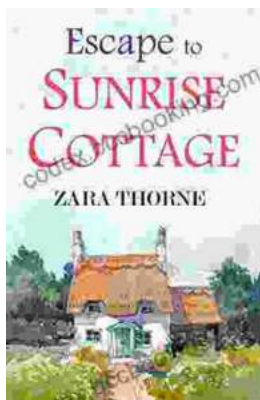
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