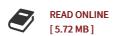# Designing the Seaside: Architecture, Society and Nature (Hardback)

By Fred Gray

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