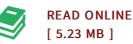




The Book of Dead Philosophers

By Simon Critchley

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