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Blind Man's Bluff: The Untold Story of Cold War Submarine Espionage

By Sherry Sontag, Christopher Drew

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