



Lincoln s Yarns and Stories

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Createspace, United States, 2014. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.This is a book that looks at some of the most famous sayings and jokes of President Abraham Lincoln. From the preface: Sometimes it happens that the biggest crop of laugh is produced by a man who ranks among the greatest and wisest. Such a man was Abraham Lincoln whose wholesome fun mixed with true philosophy made thousands laugh and think at the same time. He was a firm believer in the saying, Laugh and the world laughs with you. Whenever Abraham Lincoln wanted to make a strong point he usually began by saying, Now, that reminds me of a story. And when he had told a story every one saw the point and was put into a good humor. The ancients had Aesop and his fables. The moderns had Abraham Lincoln and his stories. Aesop s Fables have been printed in book form in almost every language and millions have read them with pleasure and profit. Lincoln s stories were scattered in the recollections of thousands of people in various parts of the country. The historians who...



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