



## Abraham Lincoln: Architect of the Nation (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, 2017. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*. Excerpt from Abraham Lincoln: Architect of the Nation It was fifteen months later, at the dedication of the Gettysburg Cemetery, that Lincoln showed that he had adopted new views. Four score and seven years ago our fathers brought forth on this continent a new nation, he announced. It was a far cry from what he had said only two score and seven months before at his inauguration. There he had talked of the American Revolution, of the Constitution, of the Union that had been formed, and matured, and made more perfect. Now, at Gettysburg, he was convinced that a new nation had been brought forth, and he was highly resolved that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom. Still later, in his second inaugural, Lincoln gave unconsciousevidence that the Nation had supplanted the Union in his thinking. Four times he referred to the Union in this address-and each time it was in reference to the situation in Four times he referred to the Nation-and each time it was in reference to the present or to the future. Now it...



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