



Cabbages and Kings: The Time Has Come. (Paperback)

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Booksmango, United States, 2015. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English. Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand ******. A prerequisite to the development of any and every child is a secure, loving relationship with both their mother and father, but not every child is so blessed. Cabbages and Kings documents my experiences after the untimely death of my father, which profoundly affected the course of my life, and follows the consequences of a fatherless household during my formative years. Set against a background of Melbourne in the Fifties and into the Sixties, this was a period overshadowed by the Cold War, the Roman Catholic Church, and the White Australia policy amongst epidemics of lung cancer and polio myelitis. The emergence of the new sensation of the teenager shook the nation s social structure to its foundations, while the coming of television connected Australia to the rest of the planet. Following the emotional blackmail and psychological abuse of my childhood, I emerged as a teenage boy burdened with insecurities and anxieties aggravating the transition from childhood to adolescence and beyond. Typical effects of a father s absence occurred when I dropped out of school and my life deteriorated to one clouded by...



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