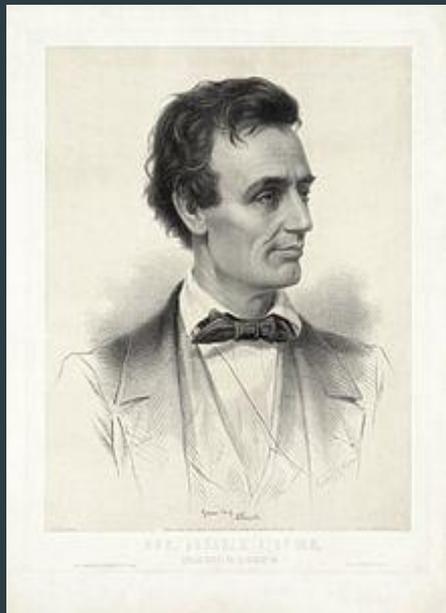




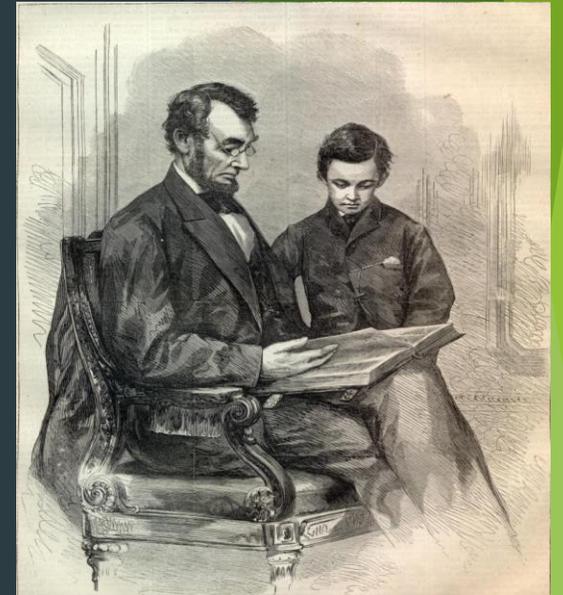
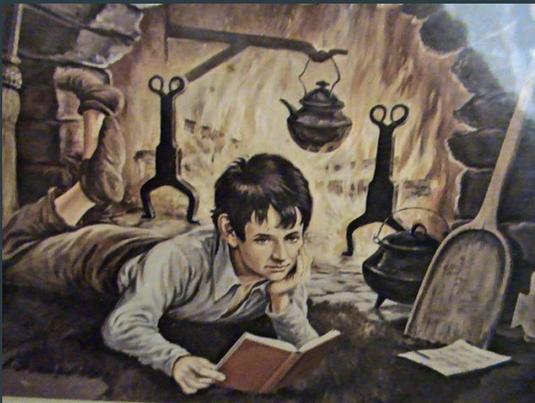
Abraham Lincoln

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Childhood/Family

- ▶ He was born February 12, 1809 in Hardin County Kentucky (in a one room log house) that his father built himself.
 - ▶ had one sister, Sarah
 - ▶ Dad-Thomas Lincoln
 - ▶ Mom- Nancy Hanks
 - ▶ His mom died when Abe was 10 years old
 - ▶ he moved from Kentucky to Indiana
 - ▶ his dad married Sarah Bush Johnson
 - ▶ his stepmother encouraged him to read and write
- ▶ Abe married Mary Todd
 - ▶ He had 4 kids named Robert, Edward, William, and Thomas



Abraham Lincoln for President

- ▶ Lincoln won the election in 1860.
- ▶ He became president in March of 1861.
- ▶ Southern states did not want Lincoln as president.
- ▶ They did not agree with Lincoln's policies.
- ▶ Because of their differences in policies from the north to the south the civil war began in 1861



The Civil War

- ▶ Abe wanted to free black slaves.
- ▶ war between the north and the south
- ▶ civil war started-April 12, 1861
- ▶ started at Fort Sumter in South Carolina
- ▶ lasted 4 years
- ▶ Abe Lincoln called an army from north to defeat south.
- ▶ north won and slaves were freed
- ▶ Civil War ended in April 9, 1865



The Gettysburg Address

- ▶ his most famous speech
- ▶ November 19, 1863, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania at the cemetery where 50,000 soldiers were killed
- ▶ he told the country how special our democracy was
- ▶ important for the north and south to reunite
- ▶ after 4 years the civil war was finally over (ended on April 9, 1865)
- ▶ his speech inspired our nation



The Gettysburg Address

Perhaps the most famous battle of the Civil War took place at Gettysburg, PA, July 1 to July 3, 1863.

At the end of the battle, the Union's Army of the Potomac had successfully repelled the second invasion of the North by the Confederacy's Army of Northern Virginia.

Speaking of a "new birth of freedom," he delivered one of the most memorable speeches in U.S. history.

Several months later, President Lincoln went to Gettysburg to speak at the dedication of the cemetery for the Union war dead.



November 19, 1863
Gettysburg, Pennsylvania

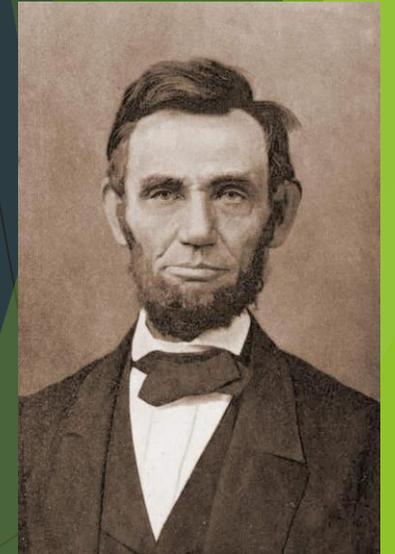
Assassinated

- ▶ John Wilkes Booth killed Abraham Lincoln.
- ▶ he was shot
- ▶ died in April 15, 1865
- ▶ died in the Ford Theatre in Washington D.C
- ▶ John Wilkes Booth was going to kidnap Lincoln.
- ▶ Lincoln lived until the next day and then died.



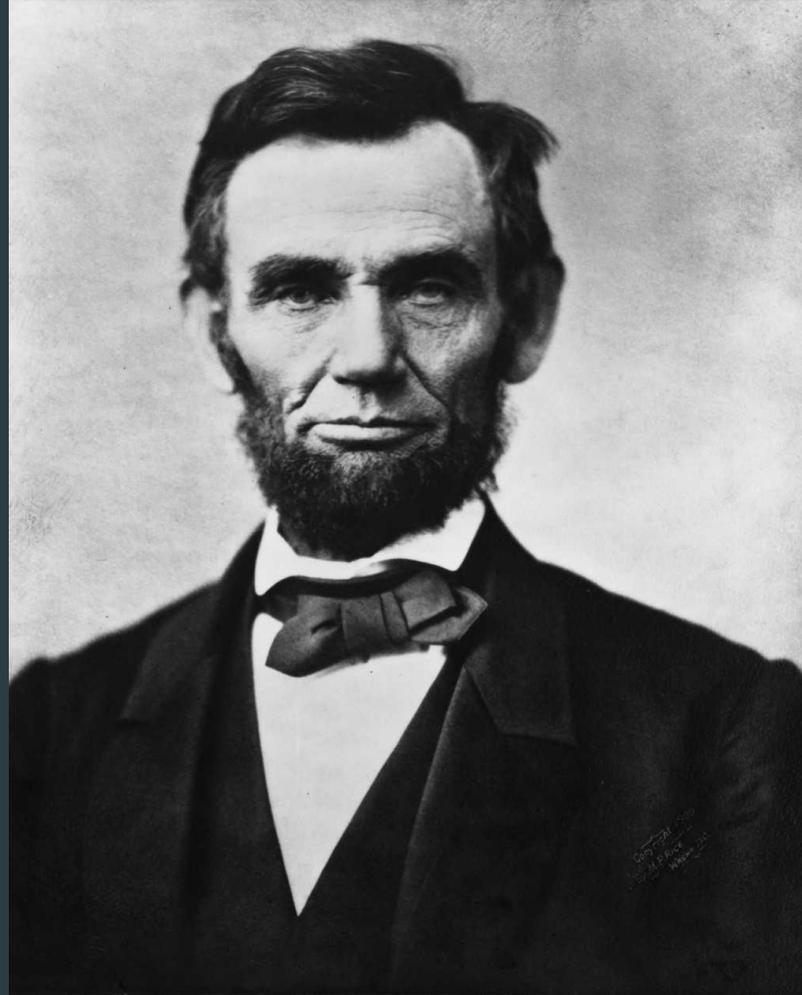
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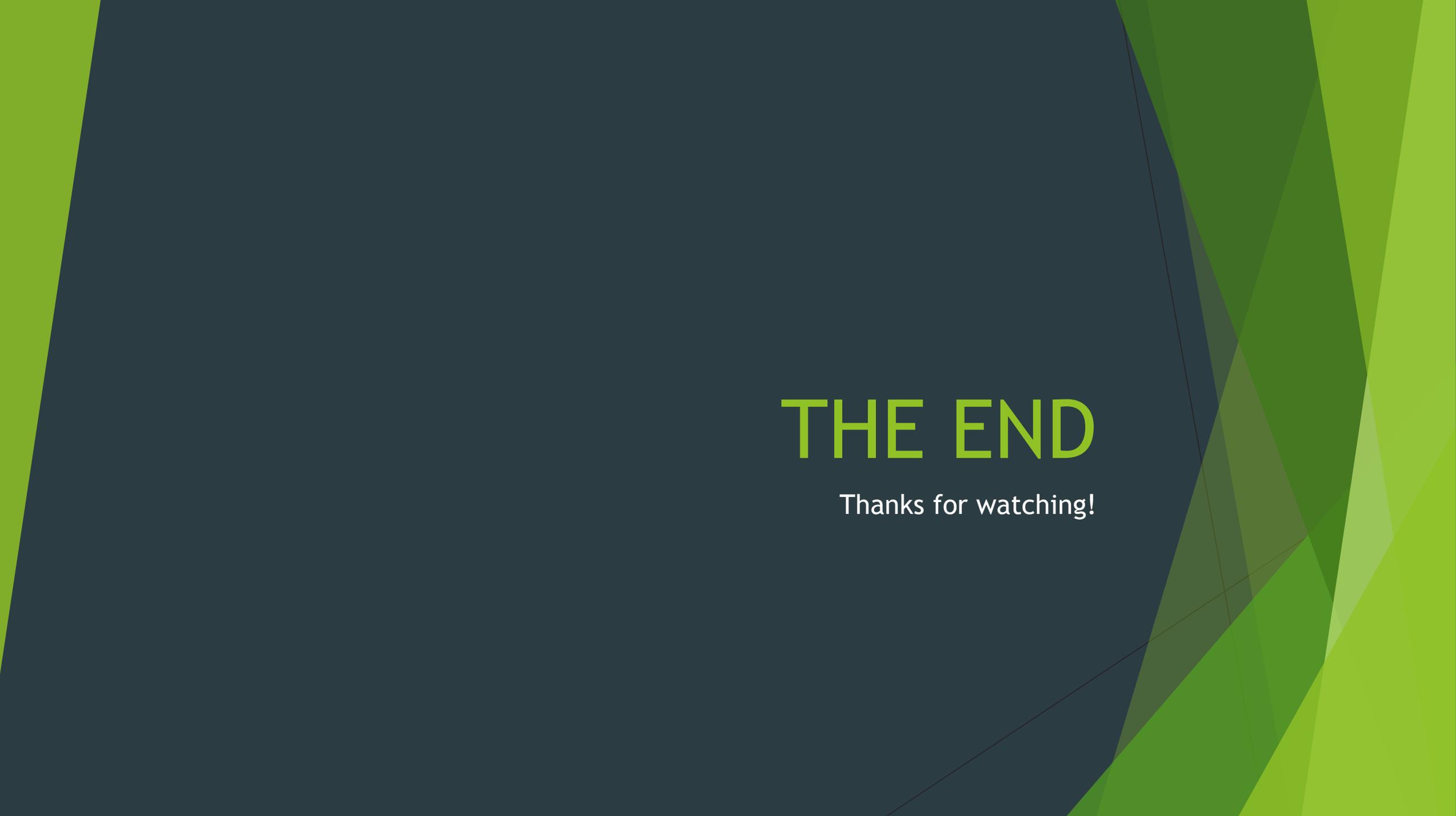
- ▶ was the tallest president (he was 6 feet 4 in.)
- ▶ nickname was Honest Abe
- ▶ was the first president who had a full beard
- ▶ was shot and lived 9 hours later
- ▶ when he got shot he told his body guard he dreamed he would be assassinated
- ▶ was a story teller and a jokester
- ▶ was the 16th president



Qualities of a Hero

- ▶ Brave
- ▶ Honest
- ▶ Helpful
- ▶ Smart
- ▶ Caring
- ▶ Determined
- ▶ Nice





THE END

Thanks for watching!