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媒体关注与评论

From AudioFile In the face of recent revisionist efforts to demean Franklin, it''s well to return to the most renowned of the Franklin biographies and winner of the 1938 Pulitzer Prize. There''s nothing extraordinary about the narration. Reader Patrick Cullen proceeds with clear enunciation at a steady pace, injects slight emotion in the few places where appropriate and generally delivers as straightforward a reading as one can expect. One never expects histrionics in a text such as this, and one is not disappointed here. The text itself is enriching and the presentation perfectly adequate. D.W. (c)AudioFile, Portland, Maine --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title. LA Times "The acting is superb." Dick Richmond, St. Louis Post-Dispatch, October 19, 1997 "This well-known work by one of our nation''s founding fathers was certainly given to the right individual to narrate. Fredd Wayne, whose one-man show, "Benjamin Franklin, Citizen," has also been recorded by Audio Editions, seems to have captured Franklin''s persona."

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- 26、书比想象中的小很多,字很密,很轻,方便携带,快递很快,但是封面有点开胶了,总体来说还 是不错的。

章节试读

1、《Benjamin Franklin The Autobiography 富兰克林自传》的笔记-第999页

认识本杰明.富兰克林并非因为他起草了《美国独立宣言》,而且是读了他一句话,大意是"世事无定数,除了死亡与赋税"。参详了某位作家根据富兰克林自传总结了他的13条美德,如沐春风。

Benjamin Franklin 's Values—The Thirteen Virtues

- 1. Temperance: Eat not to dullness. Drink not to elevation.
- 2. Silence: Speak not but what may benefit others or yourself. Avoid trifling conversation.
- 3. Order: Let all your things have their places. Let each part of your business have its time.
- 4. Resolution: Resolve to perform what you ought. Perform without fail what you resolve.
- 5. Frugality: Make no expense but to do good to others or yourself, i.e. waste nothing.
- 6. Industry: Lose no time. Be always employed in something useful. Cut off all unnecessary actions.
- 7. Sincerity: Use no hurtful deceit. Think innocently and justly; if you speak, speak accordingly.
- 8. Justice: Wrong none by doing injuries or omitting the benefits that are your duty.
- 9. Moderation: Avoid extremes. Forbear resenting injuries so much as you think they deserve.
- 10. Cleanliness: Tolerate no uncleanliness in body, clothes, or habitation.
- 11. Tranquility: Be not disturbed at trifles or at accidents common or unavoidable.
- 12. Chastity: Rarely use venery but for health or offspring-never to dullness, weakness, or the injury of your own or another 's peace or reputation.
- 13. Humility: Imitate Jesus and Socrates.

意犹未尽之时再上网摘取了Franklin一些精彩语句,有熟悉的有第一次见的。很开心今天拒绝了与某人外食谈些无聊的课题,简直就是负能量。节约了时间可以读书。太有收获了,尤其欣赏最后一句:

- *如果做了不应该做的事,则将产生自己不希望有的感觉。
- *人若不勤奋,一定无荣耀
- *酒醉,所有缺点中最糟糕的一种,让一些人变成傻瓜,一些人变成禽兽,一些人变成魔鬼。
- *付出你拥有的,你才知道自己拥有什么。
- *语言可以显示人的才智,但行动可以显示其真实用意。
- *正直的人先经历痛苦,然后享受欢乐;无赖先享受欢乐,然后经历痛苦。
- *婚姻 自愿的契约 , 它联系着参加它的两方 , 追求他们共同的幸福和快乐。
- *我未曾见过一个早起、勤奋、谨慎、诚实的人抱怨命运不好;良好的品格,优良的习惯,坚强的意志,是不会被假设所谓的命运击败的。
- *人不是通过思想改变的,是通过行为改变的

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