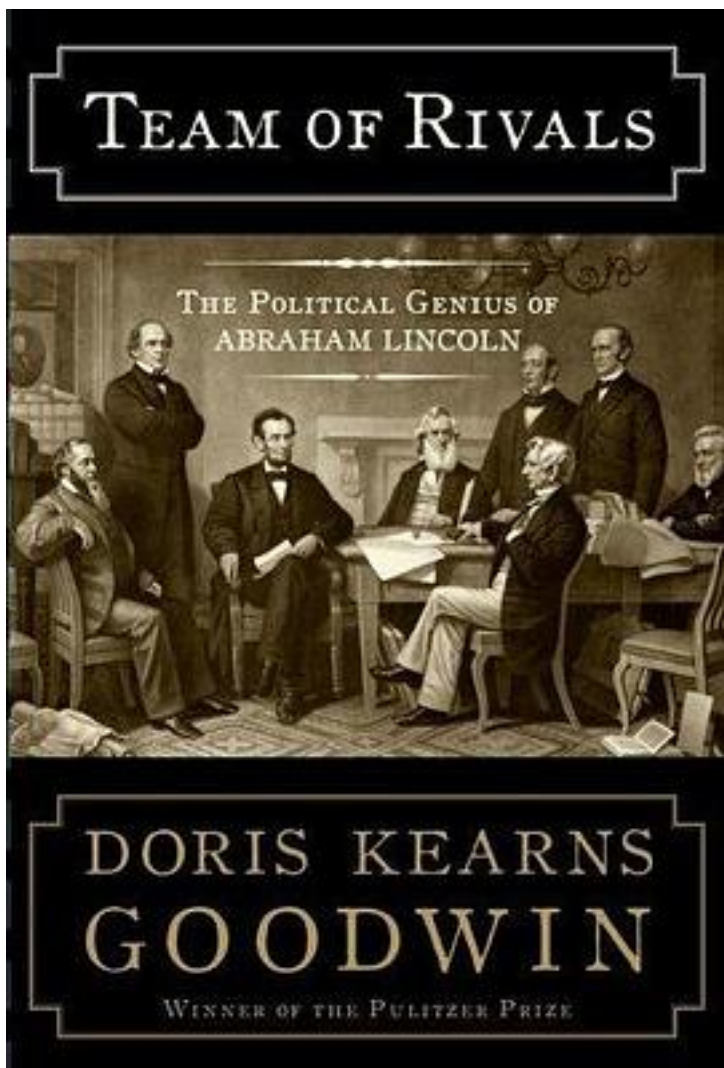


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Soon to be a major motion picture, *Lincoln*, from Steven Spielberg, with a screenplay by Pulitzer Prize- and Tony-winning writer Tony Kushner, and starring Daniel Day-Lewis as the President and Sally Field as Mary Todd Lincoln. The acclaimed historian Doris Kearns Goodwin illuminates Lincoln's political genius in a highly original work, as the one-term congressman and prairie lawyer rises from obscurity to prevail over three gifted rivals of national reputation to become president. On May 18, 1860, William H. Seward, Salmon P. Chase, Edward Bates, and Abraham Lincoln waited in their hometowns for the results from the Republican National Convention in Chicago. When Lincoln emerged as the victor, his rivals were dismayed and angry. Each had energetically sought the presidency. Lincoln succeeded because he possessed an extraordinary ability to put himself in the place of other men, to experience what they were feeling, to understand their motives. This multiple biography is centered on Lincoln's mastery of men and how it shaped the most significant presidency in the nation's history.

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评论

一个伟大的人物无需多说。这本书不仅仅是林肯传，同样花了很多篇幅介绍了聚集在林肯周围的精英们。林肯最让我佩服的两点：第一能让出身比他高贵不少对他充满轻蔑甚至的敌意的人与他合作，并最终为他的人格魅力和能力所折服；第二他没有像历史上其他出身低贱最终成为一国之首的那些人一般，上台后打击政敌，对外侵略，实行暴政以安抚自己的自卑心理--他选了一条仁政的道路。至于内战的原因如今依然充满争论，林

肯本人也不是解放黑奴的先驱（他甚至早期并不同意）但无论如何，让美国脱离了奴隶制种植园经济是让美国于19世纪末20世纪崛起的不可或缺的条件。

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