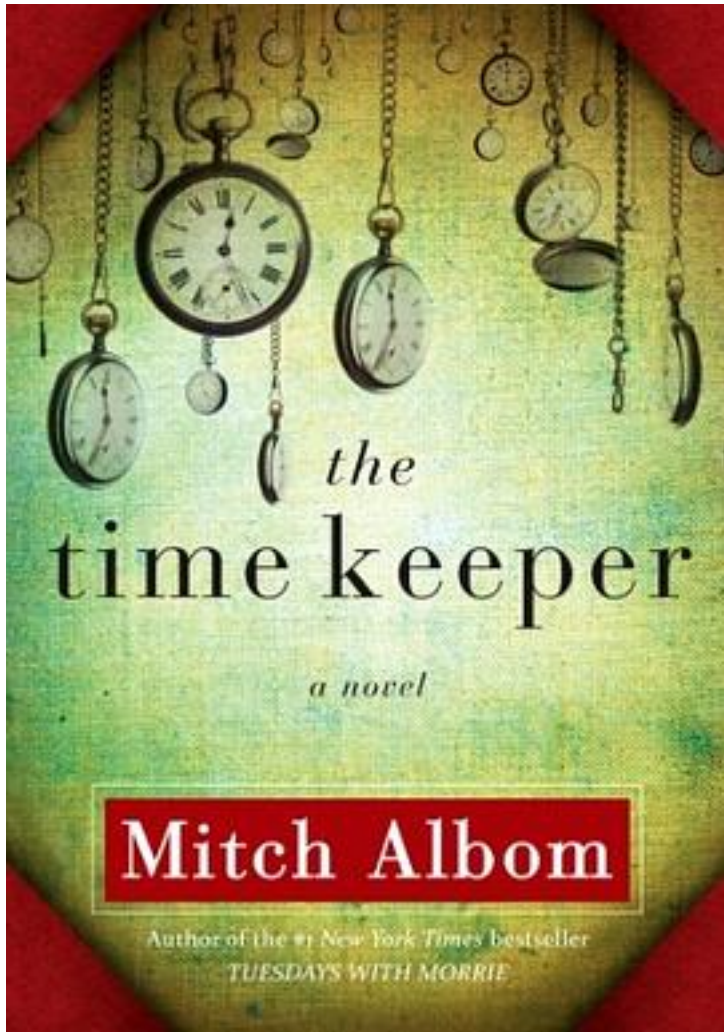


# The Time Keeper



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From the author who's inspired millions worldwide with books like Tuesdays with

Morrie and The Five People You Meet in Heaven comes his most imaginative novel yet, The Time Keeper--a compelling fable about the first man on earth to count the hours.

The man who became Father Time.

In Mitch Albom's newest work of fiction, the inventor of the world's first clock is punished for trying to measure God's greatest gift. He is banished to a cave for centuries and forced to listen to the voices of all who come after him seeking more days, more years. Eventually, with his soul nearly broken, Father Time is granted his freedom, along with a magical hourglass and a mission: a chance to redeem himself by teaching two earthly people the true meaning of time.

He returns to our world--now dominated by the hour-counting he so innocently began--and commences a journey with two unlikely partners: one a teenage girl who is about to give up on life, the other a wealthy old businessman who wants to live forever. To save himself, he must save them both. And stop the world to do so.

Told in Albom's signature spare, evocative prose, this remarkably original tale will inspire readers everywhere to reconsider their own notions of time, how they spend it and how precious it truly is.

作者介绍:

Mitch Albom is an author, playwright, and screenwriter who has written seven books, including the

international bestseller Tuesdays with Morrie, the bestselling memoir of all time. His first novel, The Five People You Meet in Heaven, was an instant number-one New York Times bestseller that has since sold more than six million copies worldwide. For One More Day, his second novel, was also a #1 New York Times bestseller. Both books were made into acclaimed TV films. Mitch also works as a columnist and a broadcaster, and serves on numerous charitable boards. He lives with his wife, Janine, in Michigan.

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## 评论

虽然是鸡汤，但是大表哥的朗读把它变成了松露

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A book makes me cry or laugh or think or sign deserves 4 stars, but this book did two-made me cry and think. Feels so good to occasionally burst out. Love the rich old couple's story and touched by Victor for Grace and see myself in Sarash.

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time is limited, because it forces you to cherish every precious moment.

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52,that holding on to things"will only break your heart." 72,He was doing what man does when left with nothing. 117,sometimes,when you are not getting the love you want,giving makes you think you will. 152,Father Time realized that knowing something and understanding it were not the same thing.  
171，又是《后会无期》的原曲。

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我个人是比较喜欢这种略带魔幻风格和串联的书 因为想象力丰富 读的时候就各种联想了 哈哈 这个有电影吗？

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never enough time

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一般般

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cherish my time

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Goodreads

7.64分。读之前不知道本书的作者就是写了《相约星期二》和《你在天堂里遇见的五个人》的那位……有关时间和人生的小小寓言，发现被归类为“inspirational fiction”（励志小说）。语言还是简单而美的，所以道理和情节就不太重要啦，读完感觉心境又能稍微平和一些了。P.S.

这本对待宗教的态度比较放松，对于神秘上帝的存在也没那么强调，所以比起The Alchemist读起来没什么负担。

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Not as good as his other novels. Or maybe it's kind of repeating the seem kind of cliché of his previous novels.

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简明易懂地讲了三个人的故事，让读者个中体会关于时间的种种。听的第一本Dan Stevens朗读的书。

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第一个记录时间的就是罪人么，时时刻刻都在看手表并禁锢在时刻表里，但我不觉得这是罪。从不因为知道时间而变得不满足，也没有不自由。这本书的设定就是纯鸡汤，丝毫经不起推敲。适合初中英语以上水平阅读。

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"There is a reason God limits our days""To make each one precious"

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挺无聊的这书，值得说的只有一段话：yet all around you, timekeeping is ignored. Birds are not late. A dog does not check its watch. Deer do not fret over passing birthdays. Man alone measures the time. Men alone chimes the hour. And because of this, man

alone suffers a paralyzing fear that no other creature endures. A fear of time running out.

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I like it. Simple but with an important message.

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没之前的书好看了 不过还是一贯的风格

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"There is a reason God limits our days""To make each one precious"

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God limits our days to make each precious.

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心灵鸡汤又来了

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“Ends are for yesterdays, not tomorrows.”

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## 书评

I love the way Al tells stories and I love how much thought he puts into his little tales. The three main characters couldn't be much more different from each other if they tried. 1. is father time and his story of becoming father time. 2. is a teenage gi...

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It took me about 4hours to finish this inspiring story. I supposed it was a novel that conveyed the importance of saving time in the end, but actually it wasn't so simple. A fable. An unrealistic novel. A story which contains three person's life. You can de...

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Mitch Albom again surprises me with his fable. I am deeply moved when Father time leads the teenage girl and the old dying man to the flashback and forward of life. "Ends are for yesterday, not for tomorrows" This book surely influence one's life with refle...

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2019.1.1-2019.1.9 Why do the birds go on singing? Don't they know ,it is the end of the world? So we must be precious and cherish the moment. P7 Dor is gentle,an obedient child,but his mind goes deeper than those around him. He is different. P12 When the S...

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