

# Abraham Lincoln

**Directions:** Read the passage below. Answer the questions at the bottom of the page. Use complete sentences.

Abraham Lincoln was born on February 12, 1809. As a child, he loved to read books. He borrowed books from other people. Abraham Lincoln became the 16th president in 1860. The Civil War began while he was president. It lasted for four years. During the war, Lincoln worked to keep our country together. Abraham Lincoln was killed five days after the war ended. The people of the United States were very sad. They had lost their president. Lincoln will always be remembered. Many people believe that he was one of our greatest presidents. The Lincoln Memorial honors him today.

1. When was Abraham Lincoln born? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What did Abraham Lincoln borrow from other people? \_\_\_\_\_
3. When was Abraham Lincoln elected president of the United States? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What did Lincoln do during the war? \_\_\_\_\_
5. How do we honor Lincoln today? \_\_\_\_\_