

The Death of Abraham Lincoln

To learn about the Lincoln assassination, visit the following Web sites:

- [The Peterson House](#): After Booth shot President Lincoln, the president was rushed across the street to the Peterson House, where he died the next morning.
- [Historical Medical Sites in the Washington, D.C., Area](#): It is not widely known that two years after the assassination of the president, the U.S. Army turned Ford's Theater into a temporary hospital.
- [The Assassination of President Lincoln](#): This is a quick review of the assassination of the president using some of the more famous images inspired by the event.
- [The Lincoln Assassination: Selected Images From the Library of Congress](#): It can be chilling to look at actual photographs and see the artists' renderings of the people and events that took place in Ford's Theater that night.
- [The Case of Abraham Lincoln's Assassination Pistol](#): Even though the FBI was not operating in 1865, that did not stop the federal investigators of today from putting together a case file on the gun used in the assassination of President Lincoln.
- [Andrew Johnson](#): Immediately after the assassination of President Lincoln, Andrew Johnson was sworn in as president of the United States.
- [The Autopsy of President Lincoln](#): Read the actual autopsy report from the assassination of President Lincoln here.
- [Death of Abraham Lincoln, April 15-26, 1865](#): Sometimes, seeing the actual documents that were handwritten to announce the tragic death of President Lincoln can give a historical perspective on the event.
- [Biography of John Wilkes Booth](#): John Wilkes Booth enjoyed a life of fame and luxury before deciding to give it all up for a cause that only he believed in.
- [Character and Death of Abraham Lincoln](#): You can get a very good understanding of how people felt about President Lincoln when you read newspaper accounts of his life and death from 1865.
- [The Assassination of President Lincoln](#): The assassination of Lincoln was so enthralling to the public that it appeared in a chapter of the book "Behind the Scenes," published in 1868.
- [The Lincoln Presidency: Last Full Measure of Devotion](#): When President Lincoln was assassinated, even the South realized it had lost someone who would fight for the rights of every human being.
- [Diary Account of the Assassination of President Lincoln](#): Otis Keene was a Civil War veteran who wrote about the pain the whole country felt when President Lincoln was assassinated.
- [Lincoln's Last Night](#): The Journal of the Abraham Lincoln Association brings together a wide variety of resources to give as many details as possible about the life and death of President Lincoln.