



The Child of the Nations (Classic Reprint)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Excerpt from The Child of the Nations Great priest of the moon-god, Ptah-Hotep called, Whose earthly body lies beside the stream Of Nile, near Memphis, but whose words of wisdom Live and find their way to many lands; Who after various incarnations here And elsewhere clos d th circuit as the poet Homer, who from Chian isle did wander To Asiatic shores, where mid the scenes Of which he wrote he liv d and died almost Unknown, yet lives to-day throughout the word, Rever d and lov d by all who know his verse; Who came, but not in earthly guise, to help Th Roman Vergil write the wand rings of AEneas; yet not satisfied in giving Man these great, immortal poems, still Desir d to pen another message when Th brain and hand made ready to receive Prophetic word should come: it is not strange That he should seek an instrument to-day On shores where liberty is larger than In other lands; nor that in coming to America a woman he should choose; For here a...



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