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By Michael Slater

Gerald Duckworth Co Ltd, United Kingdom, 2011. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 178 x 118 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Dickens is one of the greatest literary icons in the English-speaking world, who possessed a genius as a communicator as well as a storyteller, and who remains a writer of inexhaustible popular interest, as notable today on screen as on the bookshelf. Michael Slater has spent half a century reading and writing about him - above all enjoying him. In this book he provides a personal insight into the truth of a famous tribute paid to Dickens by a helper on his triumphal Public Reading tours: The more you want out of the Master, the more you ll find in him. Previously published as The Intelligent Person s Guide to Dickens, this anniversary hardback includes a new preface. Ranging widely over Dickens s fiction, journalism, letters and speeches, it captures the ideas and beliefs, the social and artistic ideals of Dickensian values , and the ambition, that inspired and shaped Dickens s prodigious output, offering an authoritative short portrait of Dickens the man and writer.



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