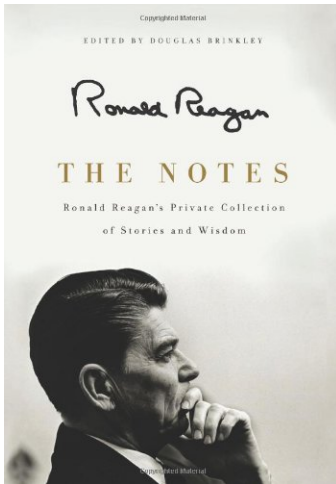


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Description:

From Publishers Weekly In 2010, researchers at the Reagan Library discovered a box of index cards containing jokes, literary quotes, and excerpts from speeches written in Reagan's own hand and arranged under rubrics such as "On Liberty," "On War," and "On the People." Rice University history professor Brinkley, who also edited *The Reagan Diaries*, suggests Reagan began collecting these as spokesman for General Electric beginning in 1954 and continuing until his death in 2004. Readers uncertain if Reagan hated taxes ("Justice O. W. Holmes: "Keep govt. poor and remain free") and communism (Pravda: the communist program is "all embracing & all bloodsoaked reality"), or if he loved God, liberty, and the Constitution (Daniel Webster: "if the const. shall fail there will be anarchy throughout the world") will find answers here. Even the jokes show a conservative bent. The squibs are from sources as far-

ranging as Dale Carnegie, Solzhenitsyn, G.K. Chesterton, and even Chairman Mao (on marriage). Admirers will find plenty to admire in these jottings and nothing to change their view of Reagan, but rather confirmation of the vision they already have. 9 b&w photos. (May) --This text refers to an alternate edition.

Review “These notes are wonderful things. . . . Although a few recent books have proclaimed to have finally uncovered the real Reagan, there’s a chance we’ll never get any closer than in these scribbles, which reveal so much.” (**Christopher Buckley, Bloomberg News**)

“Now with the discovery of his note cards, we can better appreciate just how hard Reagan himself labored to be clear and convincing—and, yes, sometimes funny—to his many audiences.” (**The American Spectator**)

“This is a book to return to often and sample the collected wisdom found there that buttressed a remarkable man’s vision.” (**The Washington Times**)

“This volume provides an illuminating glimpse into Reagan’s mind. . . . The entries show the directness of Reagan’s thought and his uncanny ability to make a point.” (**The Daily**)

“The book offers a window into the mind of the nation’s 40th president and displays the effort he made behind the scenes to hone his performance as a speechmaker and storyteller driving home a conservative political philosophy.” (**USA Today**)

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Ronald Reagan left behind a legacy that America will never forget. Now, in... A book of quotes, notes, jokes, and nuggets of political wisdom that Reagan wrote down on 4X6 note cards and kept in his desk drawer in the Oval Office. I really enjoyed the book, but it's something you read just a few at a time, so I tended to read a few pages at night before bed, and then again when I woke up in the morning. Ronald Reagan had kept a book of these notes in a private folder that he sometimes used on speeches, and someone came across the folder of notecards and had his colleague Marshall Lanning Period 1 3/8/13. Good Reads Review. I read the book *The Notes* by Ronald Reagan, it's a very good book if you're wondering. *The Notes: Ronald Reagan's Private Collection of Stories and Wisdom*. Ronald Reagan. Ronald Reagan. Read online. 60. Published: 2011. *An American Life*. Ronald Reagan. Ronald Reagan. Read online. Ronald Reagan's *The Notes* is a fascinating window into the mind of our fortieth president and the writers and thinkers to whom he turned for advice, inspiration, humor, and hope. Collected by the Ronald Reagan Foundation, the book includes both Reagan's own writing and his favorite quotations, proverbs, and excerpts from speeches, poetry, and literature. I began listening to Ronald Reagan sharing thoughts of wisdom and common sense as a young teenager. Always inspirational. I still miss him.