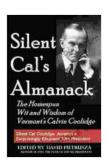
## The Homespun Wit And Wisdom Of Vermont's Calvin Coolidge

Calvin Coolidge, the 30th president of the United States, was known for his taciturn nature and homespun wit. He was also a man of deep convictions and strong principles. Born in Plymouth, Vermont, in 1872, Coolidge grew up in a small town with a strong sense of community. He attended Amherst College and then studied law at Boston University. After serving as a city attorney and mayor of Northampton, Massachusetts, Coolidge was elected to the Massachusetts Senate in 1899. He served as governor of Massachusetts from 1919 to 1921, and as vice president from 1921 to 1923. After the death of President Warren G. Harding in 1923, Coolidge became president.

Coolidge was a conservative Republican who believed in limited government and free markets. He was also a strong supporter of the rule of law and individual liberty. During his presidency, Coolidge oversaw a period of economic prosperity and stability. He signed the Revenue Act of 1924, which reduced taxes and stimulated economic growth. He also signed the Immigration Act of 1924, which restricted immigration from Southern and Eastern Europe. Coolidge's foreign policy was based on isolationism. He believed that the United States should stay out of foreign entanglements.



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Coolidge was a complex and enigmatic figure. He was a man of few words, but he had a knack for expressing himself in a clear and concise manner. He was also a man of strong convictions, and he was not afraid to stand up for what he believed in. Coolidge's wit and wisdom have made him one of the most quotable presidents in American history.

#### **Coolidge's Wit And Wisdom**

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Here are some of Coolidge's most famous quotes:

"The business of America is business."

- "If you see ten troubles coming down the road, you can be sure that nine will run into the ditch before they reach you."
- "I have never been hurt by what I have not said."
- "A penny saved is a penny earned."
- "The only thing new in the world is the history you don't know."

Coolidge's wit and wisdom continue to inspire people today. He was a man of simple tastes and strong convictions. He believed in hard work, thrift, and individual liberty. Coolidge's legacy is one of a man who served his country with distinction and who left a lasting impact on American history.

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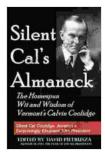
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Coolidge's legacy is a complex one. He was a man of contradictions. He was a conservative who believed in limited government, but he also

oversaw a period of economic growth and prosperity. He was a strong supporter of the rule of law, but he also pardoned several criminals. Coolidge was a man of few words, but he had a knack for expressing himself in a clear and concise manner. He was also a man of strong convictions, and he was not afraid to stand up for what he believed in.

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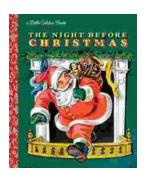
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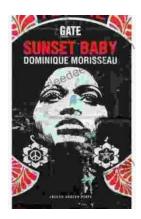
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