

A Poet of the People, And, After Sixty Years (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, 2018. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from A Poet of the People, And, After Sixty Years Just now, as the slumbers of night Came oer me with peace-giving breath, The curtain, half lifted, revealed to my sight Those windows which look on the kingdom of light That borders the River of Death. And a vision fell solemn and sweet, Bringing gleams of a morning-lit land, I saw the white shore which the pale waters beat, heard the low lull as they broke at their feet Who walk on the beautiful strand. And I wondered why spirits should cling To their clay with a struggle and sigh, When life s purple autumn is better than spring, And the soul ?ies away like a sparrow, to sing In a climate where leaves never die. Leona, come close to my bed, And lay your dear hand on my brow; The same touch thrilled me in days that are ?ed, And raised the lost roses of youth from the dead, Can brighten the brief moments now. About the Publisher Forgotten Books publishes hundreds of thousands of rare and classic books. Find more...



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