

Abraham Lincoln

Task 1. Translate the words

farmhouse	lawyer	honesty	courage	elect
admire	statue	shoot	civil was	guide

Task 2. Read the text about Abraham Lincoln and complete with information.

Прочитай текст и заполни недостающей информацией. Выбери один вариант из предложенных.

Abraham Lincoln was an American president. He was born in a farmhouse in Kentucky on 12th February, 1)

When he was a child, Abraham loved reading and learning new things. When Abraham was 2), he left the farm. He worked during the day and studied in his free time. In 3), he became a lawyer and was soon famous for his honesty and courage. At 4), he was elected the 16th President of the United States of America.

While he was president, he guided his country through the American Civil War and stopped slavery. As he promised, "... this nation ... shall have a new birth of freedom; – and that government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth." 5), 1865, John Wilkes Booth shot him while he was at a theatre. He died 6)

Abraham Lincoln was more than just a great leader and a great speaker. He wanted to make life better for everyone. His statue sits in the Lincoln Memorial and, 7), people visit it to admire 'Honest Abe'.

