



EXHIBITION FACT SHEET

Description: Discover how Abraham Lincoln's changing views toward slavery transformed America. The exhibition explores this powerful story through five of Lincoln's key speeches: A House Divided, 1858; his first inaugural address, 1861; the Gettysburg Address, 1863; his second inaugural address, March 1865; and the speech on Reconstruction, April 1865, given three days before his assassination.

"Lincoln's Undying Words" is presented in partnership with the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum in Springfield, Illinois. This exhibition includes artifacts from the Chicago History Museum's renowned John and Jeanne Rowe Abraham and Mary Todd Lincoln Collection. Educational programs for Undying Words are sponsored by the Efroymsen Family Fund; the exhibition's corporate sponsor is Wintrust.

Opening Date: Saturday, April 9, 2016

Closing Date: Monday, February 20, 2017

Exhibition Highlights:

- Explore rare treasures and artifacts related to Lincoln and his most significant speeches, including the Lincoln family carriage, on display at the Museum for the first time in 30 years, and Lincoln's deathbed, a treasured icon of the Museum's collection since 1920.
- As you explore the exhibition, hear actor Michael Krebs read select excerpts from the speeches, a captivating iPod audio experience that brings Lincoln's words to life.

Exhibition Hours: Monday through Saturday, 9:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.
Sunday, 12:00 to 5:00 P.M.

Location: Chicago History Museum, 1601 N. Clark St., Chicago, IL 60614, 312-642-4600

Admission: The exhibition is included with Museum admission of \$16 adults/ \$14 seniors and students, and free for children 12 years of age and younger. Visit chicagohistory.org for a schedule of Illinois Resident Discount Days, offering free admission to the Museum.

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Website: lincolnsundryingwords.com

Transportation: CTA buses 22, 36, 72, 73, 151, and 156 stop nearby. The Brown Line Sedgwick station and Red Line Clark/Division station are each located approximately half a mile from the Museum.

Parking: Public parking is conveniently located one block north of the Museum at Clark and LaSalle Streets; enter on Stockton Drive. Cost is \$9 with Museum validation. Visa, MasterCard, and Discover credit cards are accepted.

Accessibility: Accessible parking spots are reserved for persons using mobility devices. For more information, visit chicagohistory.org/planavisit or call 312-642-4600.

ABOUT THE CHICAGO HISTORY MUSEUM

The Chicago History Museum, a major museum and research center for Chicago and American history, is located at 1601 North Clark Street. The Museum can be reached by CTA buses 22, 36, 72, 73, 151, and 156. Parking is conveniently located one block north of the Museum at Clark and LaSalle Streets (enter on Stockton Drive). Admission includes our audio tours: \$16 adults, \$14 seniors/students, free for children 12 years and younger. Prices are subject to change. Please call 312-642-4600 or visit us at chicagohistory.org. To learn more follow us on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#). The Chicago History Museum gratefully acknowledges the support of the Chicago Park District on behalf of the people of Chicago.