



Poor Folk

By Fyodor Dostoyevsky

Createspace. Paperback. Book Condition: New. This item is printed on demand. Paperback. 128 pages. Dimensions: 10.0in. x 7.0in. x 0.3in. Poor Folk - By Fyodor Dostoyevsky - Translated by C. J. Hogarth. Poor Folk, sometimes translated as Poor People, is the first novel by Fyodor Dostoyevsky, written over the span of nine months between 1844 and 1845. Dostoyevsky was in financial difficulty because of his extravagant living and his developing gambling addiction; although he had produced some translations of foreign novels, they had little success, and he decided to write a novel of his own to try to raise funds. Inspired by the works of Gogol, Pushkin, and Karamzin, as well as English and French authors, Poor Folk is written in the form of letters between the two main characters, Makar Devushkin and Varvara Dobroselova, who are poor second cousins. The novel showcases the life of poor people, their relationship with rich people, and poverty in general, all common themes of literary naturalism. A deep but odd friendship develops between them until Dobroselova loses her interest in literature, and later in communicating with Devushkin after a rich widower Mr. Bykov proposes to her. Devushkin, a prototype of the clerk found in...



READ ONLINE

[2.06 MB]

Reviews

Comprehensive information! Its this sort of excellent go through. It is packed with knowledge and wisdom You may like just how the author publish this book.

-- **Mustafa McGlynn**

Complete guideline! Its this kind of great read through. It is probably the most incredible pdf i actually have read through. Its been developed in an extremely straightforward way and it is simply soon after i finished reading this book through which actually modified me, affect the way i really believe.

-- **Beryl Labadie I**