

Abraham Lincoln

You may think of the five dollar bill or a tall black hat when you think of Abraham Lincoln; but what you're forgetting is his strong will, bravery and determination. Abraham was the sixteenth president of the United States of America, and the first republican president, leading during a very difficult time; the American Civil War. Not only did Lincoln end slavery, but he preserved the union, a major accomplishment.

Abraham Lincoln is a leader that I look up to because he never gave up. Before he won the election for president in 1860, he ran twice for the senate. This means a lot to me because despite the fact that he didn't win the first time, he ran again with another loss; yet he didn't let that get in the way of him. He kept on trying, and eventually became one of the greatest presidents the United States of America has ever had.

I try to be like Abraham, by doing simple things such as when I miss I shot in soccer, keep trying it until I get it. Or if don't understand something in school, keep practicing it until I understand it. Abraham's strategy is important to remember and use, never give up

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