



## Michelangelo: A Record of His Life as Told in His Own Letters and Papers (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

By Michelangelo Buonarroti

Forgotten Books, United States, 2016. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.Excerpt from Michelangelo: A Record of His Life as Told in His Own Letters and Papers It is now nearly three hundred and fifty years since Michelangelo Buonarroti was laid to rest in Santa Croce at Florence: it is more than that since the first writer, his friend Giorgio Vasari, took up his pen to write an account of his life and works. The theme has proved so vast that it seems to have no limit, for writer after writer has come forward either to sift the old material and set it in a new shape, or to weave new facts into it, until it would seem impossible that yet more remained to be said. There are in existence, however, as all who have studied the subject must know, a vast number of the artist's letters, contracts, memoranda and miscellaneous papers; and while some of these are to be found scattered here and there through the several English Lives of Michelangelo which have been published from time to time, they appear more often than not in...



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