

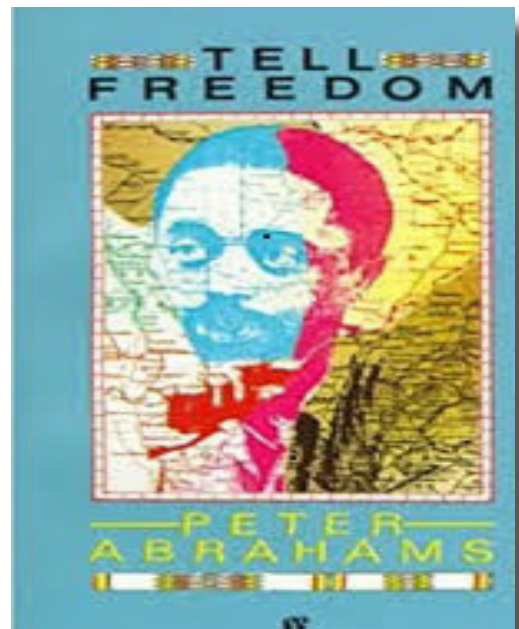
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Peter Abrahams - A Fascinating Journey



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Peter Abrahams emerged from the slums of Johannesburg to become one of the most important Pan-African chroniclers of the twentieth century. After fleeing South Africa in 1939, he established himself as a major Black voice in England and France, counting among his friends famous writers such as Langston Hughes and Richard Wrights, and future leaders of independent Africa such as Kwame Nkrumah and Jomo Kenyatta. A voyage to Jamaica in the 1950s changed his life radically: he permanently settled there, becoming a beloved radio commentator known to all Jamaicans for over 30 years

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