Abe Lincoln Fact List – Growing Up

* From Kentucky
* Grew up in a log cabin in Hardin County
* Caring personality
* Was a middle child, but lost his siblings as infants
* Family couldn’t afford their house – forced to move out
* Ended up settling in Indiana
* Squatted in a run-down shack
* Stayed alive by hunting and fishing
* Mother died when he was nine
* Father re-married a woman with three children
* Neither parent could read
* Didn’t go to school
* Worked manual labor jobs
* Was a story-teller