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Langston Hughes

Langston Hughes played big part in what they called back then the Harlem Renaissance which inspired some of his writings.

Langston Hughes was born on February 1, 1902 in Joplin, Missouri. He was the only child of James Nathanial Hughes and Carry Langston. His maternal grandmother Mary Patterson was one of the first woman to go to Oberlin College. He as influenced to write poetry by the things that has happened to him in his life. He never had a father, his father left his mother before he was born and his dad moved to Mexico

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