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William Sydney Porter, better known by his pen name O. Henry, was an American short story writer. O. Henry's stories frequently have surprise endings. In his day he was called the American answer to Guy de Maupassant. The Gift of the Magi is a short story by O. Henry first published in 1905. The story tells of a young husband and wife and how they deal with the challenge of buying secret Christmas gifts. The Cop and the Anthem. Author: O. Henry. Categories: Classic Literature, Short Stories. Reader: Phil Chenevert. O. Henry has 1397 books on Goodreads with 278318 ratings. O. Henry's most popular book is The Gift of the Magi. Books by O. Henry. O. Henry Average rating 4.09 - 150,432 ratings - 6,005 reviews - shelved 278,318 times. Showing 30 distinct works. « previous 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 » Listen to books in audio format. One of the most famous pseudonym's in history, the name O. Henry evokes wordplay that is dazzling, inventive, wry, and humorous. This anthology includes forty-one stories that continue to captivate generation after generation of readers, including "The Gift of the Magi", "The Furnished Room", and those which demonstrate the technical genius and wide range of O. Henry's world.