



**LEO TOLSTOY** 



## Ivan the Fool (Paperback)

By Count Leo Nikolayevich Tolstoy

Createspace, United States, 2014. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 254 x 178 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*. Ivan the Fool - By Leo Tolstoy. A superb New Edition of this Classic Tolstoy short story. Ivan the Fool (also known as Ivan the Fool and his Two Brothers ) is an 1886 short story (in fact, a literary fairy tale) by Leo Tolstoy, published in 1886. Its plot is about the struggles of three brothers and a sister with the Old Devil. The name Ivan the Fool hints to a popular hero of Russian folklore. Simeon (a soldier) - Tarras-Briukhan ( Tarras the fat belly, a merchant) - Ivan (a fool) Milania (a mute). Although the story is usually considered a children s fairy tale, it is also used as an indication of Tolstoy s political leanings in support of Christian anarchism. Though his brothers are easily tempted by money and military power, unsophisticated Ivan, with his simple way of life, defeats the treacherous devil. Ivan eventually becomes the ruler of the country despite the lack of a standing army or currency. All of the citizens are welcome at Ivan s table, where workers are fed...



## Reviews

This book is definitely not effortless to start on reading through but extremely fun to learn. Better then never, though i am quite late in start reading this one. It is extremely difficult to leave it before concluding, once you begin to read the book.

## -- Aliya Franecki

The best publication i actually study. I actually have study and so i am confident that i am going to likely to study once more yet again later on. You will not sense monotony at at any moment of your respective time (that's what catalogs are for relating to if you ask me).

-- Ernest Bergnaum