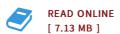




## Life and Writings of Sir Thomas More: Lord Chancellor of England and Martyr Under Henry VIII (Paperback)

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