



## Sherlock Homes (Hardback)

By Sir Arthur Conan Doyle

Everyman, United Kingdom, 1996. Hardback. Condition: New. Sidney Paget (illustrator). Language: English . Brand New Book. `Am dining at Goldini s Restaurant, Gloucester Road, Kensington. Please come at once and join me there. Bring with you a jemmy, a dark lantern, a chisel, and a revolver - S. H. The game s afoot for the most famous amateur detective of all time in this collection of eight of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle s classic tales. `The Speckled Band , a Victorian melodrama in a country house, comes complete with murderous villain, murdered heroine, and a very unpleasant snake; `Silver Blaze tells of a missing race horse on Dartmoor which turns out not to be missing at all, and a murder that never was. In `The Redheaded League a pawnbroker answers an advertisement for a red-headed man and bizarrely finds himself copying out the Encyclopedia Britannica; in `The Bruce Partington Plans Holmes is skulking in the London Underground with a dead body when his patriotic services are called upon to find some stolen state secrets in the run-up to World War I. Sidney Paget was the original illustrator and helped to form the image of Sherlock Holmes which exists to this...



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