1. Record Nr. UNISA996199047503316 Moralia . Volume XIII : Part 2 : Stoic Essays / / edited by Harold Cherniss Titolo Cambridge, MA:,: Harvard University Press,, 1976 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 0-674-99517-1 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (544 pages) : illustrations 188 Disciplina Soggetti Stoics Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Includes index. Nota di contenuto Preface - Traditional Order of the Books of the Moralia - On Stoic Self-Contradictions - Introduction - Text and Translation - The Stoics Talk More Paradoxically than the Poets - Introduction - Text and Translation - Against the Stoics on Common Conceptions - Introduction - Text and Translation - Index. Plutarch (Plutarchus), ca. 45-120 CE, was born at Chaeronea in Boeotia Sommario/riassunto in central Greece, studied philosophy at Athens, and, after coming to Rome as a teacher in philosophy, was given consular rank by the emperor Traian and a procuratorship in Greece by Hadrian. He was married and the father of one daughter and four sons. He appears as a man of kindly character and independent thought, studious and learned. Plutarch wrote on many subjects. Most popular have always been the 46 Parallel Lives, biographies planned to be ethical examples in pairs (in each pair, one Greek figure and one similar Roman), though the last four lives are single. All are invaluable sources of our knowledge of the lives and characters of Greek and Roman statesmen. soldiers and orators. Plutarch's many other varied extant works, about 60 in number, are known as the Moralia or Moral Essays. They are of high literary value, besides being of great use to people interested in philosophy, ethics and religion. The Loeb Classical Library edition of the Moralia is in fifteen volumes, Volume XIII having two parts.