

Out of Time and Place. The Unknown History of Humankind

Introduction

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This book is a compilation of intriguing topics that will captivate readers of all ages. It is written in an engaging and accessible style, making it perfect for both casual readers and those with a deeper interest in the subject matter.

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Chapter 1: Ancient Civilizations

1. The Pyramids of Giza: A Masterpiece of Engineering

The Pyramids of Giza are some of the most iconic and awe-inspiring structures in the world. Built over 4,500 years ago, these massive tombs stand as a testament to the ingenuity and engineering prowess of the ancient Egyptians.

The largest of the pyramids, the Great Pyramid of Giza, is the oldest of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World and one of the largest structures ever built. It is made up of over 2 million blocks of stone, each weighing an average of 2.5 tons. The pyramid was built as a tomb for the pharaoh Khufu, and it is estimated that it took over 20 years to complete.

The pyramids were built using a variety of techniques, including ramps, sledges, and levers. The blocks were quarried from nearby limestone quarries and

transported to the site using sledges. The blocks were then lifted into place using ramps and levers.

The pyramids were built with incredible precision. The blocks are fitted together so tightly that a knife blade cannot be inserted between them. The pyramids are also aligned with the cardinal points of the compass, and the Great Pyramid is perfectly square.

The Pyramids of Giza are a marvel of engineering and a testament to the ingenuity of the ancient Egyptians. They have stood for over 4,500 years and continue to fascinate and inspire people from all over the world.

The pyramids were built using a variety of advanced construction techniques. For example, the Egyptians used a system of ramps and levers to lift the massive blocks of stone into place. They also used a sophisticated system of surveying and measurement to ensure that the pyramids were built with precision.

The Pyramids of Giza are a testament to the skill and ingenuity of the ancient Egyptians, and they continue to be one of the most popular tourist destinations in the world.

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2. The Indus Valley Civilization: A Lost Metropolis

The Indus Valley Civilization, one of the world's oldest and most enigmatic civilizations, flourished in the northwestern region of the Indian subcontinent from approximately 2600 to 1900 BCE. Centered around the Indus River, this civilization spanned an area of over 1 million square kilometers and included over 1,000 settlements.

The Indus Valley Civilization was a highly advanced society, with a sophisticated system of urban planning, architecture, and engineering. Its cities, such as Harappa and Mohenjo-daro, were laid out in a grid pattern, with wide streets and multi-storied buildings. The cities also featured an elaborate system of drainage and sanitation, as well as public baths and granaries.

The Indus Valley Civilization was also a center of trade and commerce. Its people traded with Mesopotamia, Persia, and even Egypt. They produced a wide range of goods, including pottery, jewelry, textiles, and tools.

Despite its advanced development, the Indus Valley Civilization mysteriously declined around 1900 BCE. The reasons for its collapse are still unknown, but it may have been due to climate change, invasion, or a combination of factors.

The Indus Valley Civilization remains one of the most fascinating and mysterious ancient civilizations. Its legacy continues to inspire and intrigue people around the world.

This extract presents the opening three sections of the first chapter.

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Chapter 10: Ancient Civilizations of Africa

5. The Kingdom of Kongo: A Central African Civilization

The Kingdom of Kongo was a powerful and prosperous kingdom located in Central Africa. It existed from the 14th to the 19th centuries and was one of the most important kingdoms in pre-colonial Africa. The kingdom's capital was Mbanza-Kongo, which is now known as San Salvador.

The Kingdom of Kongo was founded by the Kongo people, who migrated to the region from the north. The Kongo people were skilled farmers and traders, and they quickly established a prosperous kingdom. The kingdom's wealth was based on trade, and the Kongo people traded with both African and European merchants.

The Kingdom of Kongo was a highly centralized state, and the king was the supreme ruler. The king was assisted by a council of advisors, and he had a large army and navy. The kingdom was divided into provinces, each of which was ruled by a governor.

The Kingdom of Kongo was a major cultural center, and the Kongo people developed a rich and sophisticated culture. The Kongo people were skilled artists, and they produced a variety of beautiful works of art, including sculptures, paintings, and textiles. The Kongo people also developed a system of writing, and they produced a number of written works, including historical chronicles and religious texts.

The Kingdom of Kongo was a major power in Central Africa for centuries, but it began to decline in the 19th century. The kingdom was weakened by wars with neighboring kingdoms, and it was also affected by the slave trade. The Kingdom of Kongo was eventually conquered by the Portuguese in the 19th century.

The Kingdom of Kongo was a major civilization in pre-colonial Africa, and it played an important role in the history of the continent. The kingdom's legacy is still felt today, and the Kongo people are proud of their rich cultural heritage.

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