Ambrose Video Publishing, c2006

"In 1906, President Theodore Roosevelt designated the nation's first National Monument and opened the door for all future Presidents to join him in his quest to recognize the diverse depth and breadth of this great nation. Roosevelt's purpose was to preserve significant parcels of American history and geology for future generations of Americans to experience. Hence forth, each National Monument has been designated by a sitting U.S. President as his personal memorial to areas that he deems should be preserved. Some National Monuments garner large budgets and staffs, others next to none. But every one of America's National Monuments tells part of the story of the America's glory."—Container.


v. 2. Sioux Indian wars: chapter 1. Pipestone National Monument ; chapter 2. Little Bighorn Battle Site National Monument


4 videodiscs (119 min.)
E160 .A5783 2006 Volumes 1-4

America's Stone Age Explorers: Where Did the First Americans Come From?
WGBH Boston Video, c2004

Who were the first Americans and where did they come from? Join archaeologists and other experts as they dig into prehistory and uncover a provocative Stone Age detective story

1 videodisc (55 min.)
E103 .A44 2004

Ancient Graves: Voices of the Dead.
National Geographic Video (1998)

An investigation of mummies that have been uncovered around the world. Shows the details about how the ancients lived and died.

Video Cassette (57 min.)
GN293 .A53 1998

(The) Ancients of North America.
Films for the Humanities (1993)

In southeastern Utah a dry cave/rock shelter with human remains was discovered in 1990. The site, dated 5490 B.C. offers a unique opportunity to examine the culture and remains of a people more than 7000 years old. What tools will be found and how many burials will be discovered? What was the cave used for and by whom?

Video Cassette (23 min.)
E 77.9 A55

Archaeological Finds of the People's Republic of China.
Kaidib Films International (1976)

190 Slides
Guide (25 p.)
D 20 H4 Vol. 6

Arquitectura de Roma.
Centro De Publicaciones De Organismas Internacionales (1978)

24 Slides
Booklet (36 p.)
Arch NA 310 A72

Aspects of Roman Civilization.

I. Roman History (183 slides)
II. Roman City Planning (195 slides)
III. The City of Rome (Forum & Palatine), Italy and the Provinces (91 slides)
IV. Roman Art (144 slides)
V. Roman Architecture and Engineering (203 slides)

857 Slides
Scripts (302 p.)
Study Guide
DG 77 A86
At the Service of the State: Archaeology as Political Tool.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, c2001
“This program explores the use of archaeology as a tool for propaganda and diplomatic machination by focusing on the long-standing connections between Germany and Greece”—Container.
1 videodisc (51 min.)
CC136 .A8 2001

(The) Aztec empire.
The History Channel (1997)
Discusses who the Aztecs were and new discoveries about their civilization, their empire that stretched through Mexico to Guatemala, and why they were easily conquered by the Spanish explorers. Also shows the excavations at the Temple of Tenochtitlan and discusses how the Aztecs’ influence is still felt in Mexico today.
1 Video Cassette (50 min.)
F1219.73 .A97 1997

Black Athena.
California Newsreel (1991)
Explores the heated debate around Prof. Martin Bernal’s book on the African origins of Greek culture. Summarizes the recent archaeological evidence used to argue that Bronze Age Greece was based on Egyptian culture and colonization. Experts also argue that Bernal used evidence selectively to support his own political agenda.
Video Cassette (52 min.)
DF 78 B3982

Buried in Ash.
Nova. WGBH (1994)
A treasure trove of prehistoric big game animals discovered in Nebraska.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
F 672 A6 B87

(The) Classical Age.
Films for the Humanities (1980)
Summary in History section.
Video Cassette (52 min.)
PA 3052 C52

(The) Celestial Empire.
Landmark Media (2001)
“The Celestial Empire - Path of the Dragon attempts to unveil some of the mystique behind China - the people, art, culture and heritage of this 5,000 year-old empire. This 18 part series follows Chinese history with its unrelenting perseverance through the ages, and explains why China is the only surviving empire in the world today. Both the past and the present are explored with each episode focusing on a unique facet of Chinese life. The series begins by examining how Chinese culture has survived nearly 5,000 years. This ancient dynastic nation became a major contemporary political and economic player, while all other great empires have disappeared”—Container.
Part 1. The Path of the Dragon
pt. 2. China and the Outside World
pt. 3. History of Trade in China
pt. 4. Commerce and Daily Life
pt. 5. History of Invention & Discovery
pt. 6. Secrets of Chinese Economy
pt. 7. China at the Crossroads
pt. 8. History of Manufacturing
pt. 9. China Institutionalizes Itself
pt. 10. China in the 20th Century
pt. 11. The Business Environment in China
pt. 12. Family and Social Life in China
pt. 13. Traditional Concepts of Morality in China
pt. 14. Land of Archeology
pt. 15. A Nation of Diversity
pt. 16. The Chinese Language
pt. 17. The Chinese Calendar
pt. 18. Architecture of China
18 videodiscs (468 min.)
DS735 .C33 2001

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Conquistadors.
PBS Video (2001)
Four part series on the discovery of the Americas by the Spanish conquistadors and the subsequent fall of the Aztec and Inca empires.
pt. 1. The fall of the Aztecs
pt. 2. The conquest of the Incas
pt. 3. The search for El Dorado
pt. 4. All the world is human
4 Video Cassettes (6 hrs)
E123 .C65 2001

Crete and Mycenae.
Kartes Video Corp. (1986)
A look at the Mycenean ruins and the incredible revelations they reveal about everyday life in the ancient civilization.
Video Cassette (54 min.)
DF 221 C8 C74

Cure From the Crypt.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2002)
"When a crypt containing 200 extraordinarily preserved bodies was discovered in 1994 in the Hungarian town of Vac, it caught the interest of a scientist fighting tuberculosis on the other side of the globe. This program presents the fascinating story of Professor Mark Spigelman, an Australian surgeon turned archaeologist who is using ancient DNA to contend with the biggest bacterial killer in the world today. In what many call the post-antibiotic era, Spigelman's unique genetic research has yielded encouraging results: all the tubercular mummies were missing a TB-resistant gene in their genome; those mummies without TB had the gene."—Container.
1 videocassette (27 min.)
RC311.4 .C87 2002

De Altamira al Útil de Metal.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2005)
"The discovery of the Altamira caves in the 19th century radically altered the popular perception of early human life on the planet. This program explores the world of the Paleolithic and Mesolithic peoples who called Iberian Peninsula home. Images of artifacts, paintings, and archaeological sites reveal how the ancients of unrecorded history progressed from Stone Age to Bronze Age and from hunting/gathering to agriculture. In addition, re-creations of life in prehistoric times show how modern humans' ancestors worked - and expressed their artistic natures" – Container.
1 videodisc (51 min.)
GN772.22.S7 D4 2005

(The) Death March of de Soto.
Films for the Humanities (1993)
Archaeologists discover a dark story as they chart the conquistador's trail across Florida's Gulf Coast to the Gulf of the Mississippi and uncover extinct Native American cultures, victims of brutality, disease, and neglect.
Video Cassette (23 min.)
E 125 S7 D32

Deep Sea Detectives: Slave Ship Uncovered!
A&E Television Networks (2003)
By 1700, the slave trade was a vital component of the American Colonies’ economy. Ships plied the Atlantic with "black gold". One such vessel was the Henrietta Marie, which was returning from an eventful, 8,000-mile journey in July 1700 when it sank off Florida. This program reveals how a portion of the Marie was discovered, almost by accident, in 1972, and visits the site where thousands of artifacts have been found. Then, we'll join the search for the main body of the wreck, conducted off Key West during the summer of 2003.
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)
F319.K4 D43 2003

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Digging for Slaves: The Excavation of American Slave Sites.
Films for the Humanities (1992)
Provides details of excavations of 18th century slave quarters on Middleburg Plantation near Charleston, at Monticello, and at Colonial Williamsburg where slave quarters are being reconstructed.
Video Cassette (50 min.)
E 443 D53

Egypt: A Gift to Civilization.
Library Distributors of America (1993)
A trip from ancient dynasties to modern democracy in Egypt.
2 Video Cassettes (2 hrs)
DT 61 E324 pt. 1-2

Egypt and Mesopotamia.
Kaidib Films International (1971)
234 Slides
D 20 H4 vol. 1

Egypt: Beyond the Pyramids.
New Video (2001)
Mansions of the spirits visits some of the most important surviving Egyptian sanctuaries, including the Great Temple of Karnak and the Deir El Bahari of Queen Hatshepsut. It also features footage of the ongoing efforts to restore and preserve these monuments. The Great pharaoh and his lost children examines the largest tomb in the Valley of the Kings. Kent Weeks, whose team has been excavating the site for five years, explains the importance of the discovery. Daily life of the Egyptians details the many discoveries made in the port city of Mendes and in the village of Deir El Medina. These discoveries provide a glimpse into the lives of the workers who toiled in the Valley of the Kings. Death and the journey to immortality examines the latest findings about Egyptian funerary and burial practices. Sacred hieroglyphs provide a map for the soul’s journey through the afterlife, while doctors offer a detailed look at how priests prepared the body for its final journey.
1. Mansions of the spirit; Great pharaoh and his lost children
2. The daily life of the Egyptians; Death and the journey to immortality
2 videodiscs (100 min. each)
DT83 .E36 2001 Vol 1-2

Egypt’s Golden Empire.
PBS Home Video (2001)
This videocassette examines Egypt's New Kingdom, 1560 B.C. to 1080 B.C.
2 videocassettes (164 min)
DT83 .E38 2001

Egyptology: Tutankhamun’s Tomb and the Rosetta Stone.
"Dramatizes the efforts of Carter and Champollion, a century apart, to make sense of an ancient world that had been kept silent for thousands of years by an indecipherable language. Original BBCW broadcast title: Tutankhamun's Tomb and the Rosetta Stone"—Container.
1 videodisc (51 min.)
DT87.5 .E46 2003

Engineering an Empire.
A&E Television Networks (2007)
Explores the architectural and engineering legacies of some of the world's most powerful empires from the past.
1. Greece ; Greece : age of Alexander ; The Aztecs –
2. Carthage ; China ; Russia
3. Great Britain ; The Persians ; The Maya
4. Napoleon and beyond ; The Byzantines ; Age of architects
4 videodiscs (ca. 564 min.)
TA15 .E53 2007

Forensics: Who Killed the Iceman?
Discovery Communications (2003)
"Discovered by hikers in the Italian Alps, the Iceman, also know as “Otzi,” is 5,300 years old, the oldest frozen mummy ever found. Forensic experts and archaeologists investigating the cause of his death have uncovered new evidence that reveals a shocking conclusion. Scientist hope to use this information to reconstruct the last hours of the Iceman’s life."—
1 videocassette (ca. 52 min.) + 1 guide (12 p)
GN778.22.I8 F67 2003

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The Geologic West. Volume 1, Fossil Treasures of the Pacific Northwest.
Ambrose Video Pub., c2009
"In the Pacific Northwest lies an incredible treasure of fossils, spanning the eons from 40 million years ago to 4 million years ago. These fossil sites are among the greatest in the world and convey an amazing story of life on earth. This story unfolds as you travel to the region's three national monuments devoted to fossils. Monuments features in this series:
Hagerman Fossil Beds National Monument,
Fossil Butte National Monument, John Day Fossil Beds National Monument"—
Container
1 videodisc (38 min.)
F852 .G36 2009

Goddess Remembered.
Direct Cinema (1990)
Describes and discusses early goddess-worshiping cultures and the current women's spirituality movement.
1 Video Cassette (54 min.)
BL473.5 .G62 1990

Greece and the Aegean.
Kaidib Films International (1972)
190 Slides
Guide (20 p.)
D 20 H4 vol. 2

The Greeks: Crucible of Civilization.
PBS Video
The story of ancient Greece's Golden Age is told through the lives of its prominent figures, including Cleisthenes, Themistocles. Pt. 1. The revolution –
Pt. 2. The Golden Age –
Pt. 3. Empire of the mind Pericles, and Socrates
Video Cassettes ( 1 hr. ea)
DF77 .G78 2000

Homo Sapiens : The Inventor of Dreams.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (1999)
Profiles modern mankind's forerunners through the work of a group of noted scientists. Some of the topics covered include: prehistoric caves in southern France, some of the oldest-known human tombs in Israel, "fossil words", and the genealogy of Y-chromosomes.
Video Cassette (53 min.)
GN281 .H62 1999

How Art Made the World.
BBC Video (2006)
Reveals how the first big artistic discoveries were made and how they have cascaded down the centuries to define the look of the present day. Encompassing everything from cave paints to ceramics and pyramids to palaces, this film explores the global trend for unrealistic depictions of the human body; the secret powers of the feature film; how politicians manage to manipulate people so easily; visions of the afterlife; and why we use imagery at all.
2 videodiscs (ca. 290 min.)
N5300 .H69 2006

Human journey: out of Africa.
Insight Media, c2009
"Exploring the origins of humans, this program considers how the first humans survived in the dangerous environment of prehistoric Africa, traces the technological development of the species, and shows how a tiny group of prehistoric humans left Africa around 70,000 years ago. The DVD presents expert opinions on archaeological evidence suggesting the route by which early humans left Africa and eventually colonized the entire world"—Publisher's website.
1 videodisc (50 min.)
GN281 .H86 2009

Ice Mummies.
WGBH Boston Video (1998)
A 500-year-old boy found in the high Andes of Peru may be a key to an Inca sacrifice known as capa cocha; the mummy of a 2400-year-old woman found on the Steppes of Siberia reveals a legendary warrior culture; and the 5300-year-old body of a man found in the Italian Alps has led to clues of daily life in Stone Age Europe.
1. Frozen in heaven
2. Siberian ice maiden
3. Return of the ice man
3 Video Cassettes (1 hr ea)
GN293 .I24 1998

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For availability check the Library catalog http://webpac.library.unlv.edu.
The Immortal Emperor Shihuangdi.
Films for the Humanities (1998)
Historians and archaeologists examine the political, intellectual, philosophical, artistic, and religious structure of Chinese society of the first dynasty.
Video Cassette (50 min.)
DS 747.9 S5 I44

In the Shadow of Vesuvius.
National Geographic Society (1987)
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
G3 N37 L56

Inca: Secrets of the Ancestors.
Time Life Video & Television (1995)
Video Cassette (48 min.)
F3429 I53

Jerusalem: Within These Walls.
National Geographic Society (1986)
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
G3 N37 C43

King Tut: Tomb of Treasure.
Public Media Video (1978)
Experience the wonder and mystery of King Tutankhamen's glorious tomb.
1 videocassette (25 min.)
DT87.5 .K55 1978

Lost City.
Nev. Dept. of Cultural Affairs, [2004]
"In this episode of Exploring Nevada, you'll head east from Las Vegas, through the stunning Valley of Fire, to a fertile river valley that lies against the Utah and Arizona borders, just north of what is now Lake Mead. It's a land rich in history and prehistory, a land where a thousand years ago an ancient people farmed, prospered, and then suddenly disappeared, leaving behind a wealth of archaeological remains and unanswered questions. Much of their material culture has been safeguarded in the Lost City Museum at the northern tip of Lake Mead, in the town of Overton. Series Host Gwen Clancy interviews Museum Curator Kathryne Olson, who has spent years studying the Native American cultures who have made this valley their home. We then travel with museum archaeologist Eva Jensen to a dig site typical of the many sites hurriedly excavated by the U.S. Park Service before being submerged under the waters of Lake Mead when Hoover Dam was constructed in the 1930s. You'll also get an insider's tour of the Lost City Museum, whose collections and exhibits feature the cultures of the early Basketmakers, the Anasazi or Ancestral Pueblo [sic] and the Southern Paiute, whose descendants continue to make their home in these lands".- Online accompanying material.
1 videodisc (28 minutes)
E78.N4 L67 2004

(The) Lost City of Zimbabwe.
Films for the Humanities (1993)
Looks at the work being done to restore this extraordinary archaeological site to its African heritage.
Video Cassette (22 min.)
DT 3025 G84 L67

Lost King of the Maya
WGBH Boston Video (2001)
Discusses the lost Mayan civilization, Copan, hailed as "the Athens of Central America" and the story of King Yax K'uk Mo.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
F1435.1.C7 L67 2001

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For availability check the Library catalog http://webpac.library.unlv.edu.
Lost Kingdoms of the Maya.
National Geographic Society (1993)
An exploration of the forests of Central America and Mexico on the trail of the ancient Maya. Scientists unearth artifacts, reconstruct cities and decipher the hieroglyphics of an extraordinary civilization.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
F 1435 L83

Mammoths of the Ice Age.
Nova. WGBH (1994)
Recent discoveries on the life and extinction of the woolly mammoth.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
QE 882 P8 M34

(The) Maya: Temples, Tombs & Time
Questar Video (1994)
Describes the history of the Mayan civilization which flourished in southern Mexico and Central America
1 Video Cassette (54 min.)
F1435 .M38 1994

Medieval Siege.
WGBH Boston Video (2000)
Archaelogists and engineers attempt to build and learn to use a catapult called a trebuche used in medieval warfare.
1 Video Cassette (ca. 60 min.)
U875 .S42 2000

Mummies: Tales from the Egyptian Crypts.
A&E Home Video (1996)
Egyptologists and the latest computer technology bring the wonders of ancient Egypt to life.
1. The Great Pyramids
2. The Sphinx
3. Hieroglyphs
4. King Tut
4 Video Cassettes (1 hr. each)
DT 60 M82 v. 1-4

(The) Mystery of Chaco Canyon.
Examines the enigmas presented by the prehistoric remains found in Chaco Canyon in New Mexico. Tells that between 850 and 1150 AD, the Chacoan people constructed massive ceremonial buildings in a complex celestial pattern throughout a vast desert region, and uses aerial and time lapse footage and computer modeling to show how the Chacoan culture designed, oriented and located these buildings in relation to the sun and moon. Pueblo Indians, descendants of the Chacoan people, also speak of the significance of Chaco to the Pueblo world today.
1 videodisc (56 min.)

(The) Mystery of Machu Picchu.
Public Media Video (1996)
Archaeologist Alfred Valencia excavates a previously undiscovered cave in Machu Picchu.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
F 3429.1 M3 M87

(The) Mystery of the Animal Mummies.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
"This program studies ways in which the Egyptians mummified a wide range of creatures, highlighting two purposes for the practice--one spiritually reverent, one blatantly commercial"—Container.
1 videodisc (25 min.)
DT62.M7 M87 2006

(The) Mystery of the First Egyptians.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
"This program pursues the answers in an effort to understand the identity of Egypt's original people, exploring archaeological sites that pre-date the pyramids by thousands of years"—Container.
1 videodisc (25 min.)
DT60 .M87 2006
(The) **Mystery of the Pharaoh’s Stone.**
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
"The life-size statue of Pharaoh Khafra at Giza evokes an intriguing logistical question: how did ancient Egyptian builders transport a three-ton block of gneiss granite five hundred miles from its source? This program offers a set of viable answers, examining technology and working conditions prevalent in Egypt 4,500 years ago"—Container.
1 videotdisc (25 min.)
DT62.B46 M87 2006

(The) **Mystery of the Pyramids.**
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
"This program looks at why particular places were selected for pyramid-building and why new sites were chosen as Egypt's culture evolved"—Container.
1 videotdisc (25 min.)
DT63 .M87 2006

(The) **Mystery of the Rebel Pharaoh.**
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
"... Pharaoh Akhenaten's religious revolution caused an upheaval in Egyptian society. This program sheds light on the royal renegade's motives for abruptly switching to monotheistic sun worship and relocation 50,000 of his people to the hastily planned capital at Armana"—container.
1 videotdisc (25 min.)
BL2450.R2 M87 2006

**Myths and the Moundbuilders.**
PBS Video (1988)
A study of the earth mounds built by American Indians in the Midwest and Southeastern United States
1 Video Cassette (59 min.)
E73 .M87 1988

(The) **Odyssey of Troy.**
A team of archaeologists travel to the site of Troy in modern-day Turkey, searching for answers to the mystery of Troy.
Video Cassette (50 min.)
DF 221 T8 O38

**Out of the Past.**
Annenberg CPB (1993)
1. **New Worlds.** Cultural evolution is proven to be a global process.
2. **The Hearth.** Family life is reconstructed by examining household remains.
3. **Artisans and Traders.** Occupational specialization links individuals and cultures.
4. **Signs & Symbols.** Symbolic communications is examined as the hallmark of human cultures.
5. **Power, Prestige, & Wealth.** Ancient political systems are compared with today's.
6. **Realms.** Ancient kingdoms are traced through remnants of social and state relationships.
7. **The Spiritual World.** Sacred spaces and objects help archaeologists interpret religious meanings.
8. **Collapse.** Ancient civilizations send a warning to modern society.
8 Video Cassettes (1 hr. each)
Guide (142 p.)
CC 165 O87 programs 1-8

**Pompeii.**
EVN (1991)
Investigates the eruption of Vesuvius in 79 A.D. Explores the excavation and restoration efforts undertaken to study Pompeii.
1. Destroyed
2. Revealed
2 Video Cassettes (34 min.)
Study Questions
DG 70 P7 P64 pt. 1-2

**Popol Vuh: The Creation Myth of the Maya.**
University of California Extension Media Center (1989)
See summary in Anthropology section.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
F 1465 P8386

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Privy to the Past.
Left Coast Press, 2007
A documentary on the Cypress Archaeological Project, an excavation in West Oakland, California from April 1994 through May 1996. The excavated collections represent a large and diverse set of households from the late 1890s through the early 1920s of people who worked for the Southern Pacific Railroad and lived in cottages, boarding houses and hotels. They also represent workers at a Chinese laundry and African American, German, Irish and other family groups.
1 videodisc (29 min.)
F869.O2 P75 2007

Pyramid.
PBS (1988)
Explores the geography, archaeology, history, mythology and religions of ancient Egyptians through a combination of live footage and animation.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
DT 63 P87

Pyramids: Majesty and Mystery.
A&E Television Networks (1997)
Discusses how and why the pyramids in Egypt were made and also discusses pyramids in Central America and Asia.
Video Cassette (50 min)
DT 63 .G74 1997

Radioactive Dating.
Coronet
See summary in Science section.
Video Cassette (13 min.)
Discussion Guide (4 p.)
QC 798 D3 R27

Rock Art.
Nev. Dept. of Cultural Affairs, [2005]
"With Dr. [Alanah] Woody as our guide, we learn about the cultures that preceded the written record in Nevada, and tag along with a team of volunteers who are working to protect the precious petroglyphs and pictographs found in areas around the state in locations that are often perilously near the rapidly expanding boundaries of our urban development. Includes interviews with Ben Aleck of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe and statements from a range of volunteers and archaeologist Pat Barker, who spent many years with the Bureau of Land Management developing policy and procedures to manage and protect rock art sites"--Online accompanying material.
1 videodisc (27 minutes)
E78.N4 R63 2005

Rome and the Etruscans.
Kaidib Films International (1973)
275 Slides
Guide (20 p.)
D 20 H4 vol. 3

Science or Sacrilege: Native Americans, Archaeology, & The Law.
University of California Berkley (1996)
Examines the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act. Looks at underlying moral and political issues, its practical consequences and the prospects for science in the post-NAGPRA world.
Video Cassette (57 min.)
E 98 M8 S35

Secrets of the Mummy.
TLC (1994)
Scientists have developed techniques to explore an exceptional source of evidence -- ancient mummies. In this film of an autopsy of a mummy, scientists remove layers of the long-dead Egyptian to reveal secrets of burial rites, ancient climates, daily life, work and worship.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
DT 87.5 S42

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Secrets Underground: Archaeologist Patty Jo Watson.
Films for the Humanities (1995)
Watson’s work in caves has uncovered new information about the earliest North Americans and has led to a re-evaluation of our beliefs about them. Watson travels to a rural Chinese village, high into the Rocky Mountains, and deep into the caves of Kentucky and Tennessee.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
CC 115 W37 S42

Sentinels of Silence.
ALTI Publishing (1990)
Presents views of seven of the most important archaeological sites in Mexico: Teotihuacan, Monte Alban, Mitla, Tulum, Palenque, Chichen Itza, and Uxmal.
Video Cassette (18 min.)
F 1219.3 A6 S45

Set in Stone.
University of California Berkeley (1996)
Explores the international controversy over physical access to the Stonehenge site. Balancing the demand for access to the past with the need for preservation of the site is a complex task for British authorities.
Video Cassette (24 min.)
DA142 S47

(The) Seven Wonders of the Ancient World.
Questar (1989)
Reveals the story behind each of the seven wonders, its location, and the people responsible for the construction and original function of each.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
N 5333 S49

Slave Island.
Examines the excavation of an 18th century slave cemetery called the African Burial Ground in downtown Manhattan. It is the oldest slave cemetery ever found in North America. Scholars and leading experts conduct archaeological and forensic analyses of the remains of nearly 400 African Americans slaves who were forced to serve either the Dutch West India Company or English masters. Uses dramatic reenactments, early maps, and documents from slave traders to piece together the history of slavery in the city of New York.
1 videodisc (49 min.)

Slavery's Buried Past.
Public Media Prod. (1996)
Documents the archaeological dig and research that followed the discovery of a centuries-old slave graveyard in New York City.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
E 445 N56 S62

Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2002)
"Reputedly the first great city of the Western hemisphere, Teotihuacán, the City of the Gods, is also one of the most mysterious. Who lived there? What were its inhabitants like? Why did their culture collapse? Archaeologist Rubén Cabrera Castro, site co-director, leads the way down the Avenue of the Dead - and inside both the Pyramid of the Sun and the Pyramid of the Moon, normally closed to the public. The city’s political, religious, commercial, and artistic influences on subsequent societies are considered. A virtual fly-over reveals Teotihuacán’s carefully planned layout"—Container.
1 videodisc (27 min.)
F1219.1.T27 T45 2002

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Thieves of Time.
PBS Video (1992)
Throughout history, hunters have looted Indian graves for treasure and archaeologists have excavated them for scientific data. Recounts the emergence of new relationships among Native Americans, scientists, and the museum community resulting from recent legislation governing the ownership and study of our nation’s past.
Video Cassette (30 min.)
E 77.9 T45

This Old Pyramid.
WGBH (1992)
Nova reveals the secrets of how the ancient pyramids were built by actually building one. Puts clever and bizarre pyramid construction theories to the test.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 30 min.)
DT 63 T45

Three English Cathedrals.
Video Monuments (1994)
Explores three English cathedrals representing a range of styles from the bold Anglo-Norman nave of Norwich by way of the colorful and delicate early English gothic of Lincoln to the complex decorative niches and ribs of Wells.
Video Cassette (45 min.)
NA 5463 T47

(The) Treasures of Tutankhamun.
PBS Video (1987)
The mystique, art, and culture of ancient Egypt and the Nile are revealed.
Video Cassette (3/4", 30 min.)
DT 87.5 T73

Understanding Ancient North America.
Idea Channel (1992)
"Can physical archeology and the oral traditions of existing North Americans be brought together in the search for a better understanding of past cultures? Paul Zolbrod, Frederick F. Seeley Professor of English at Allegheny College and James Adovasio, Director of Anthropology and Archeology at Mercyhurst College, explore this potential linkage. In a 50-minute conversation, the two professionals discuss the importance of and need for these two sciences to come together in order to give depth and dimension to past cultures"—Publisher.
1 videocassette (47 min.)
E77.9 .U53 1992

Unearthing the Slave Trade.
Films for the Humanities (1993)
Archaeological excavation of sites on both sides of the Atlantic is bringing to light aspects of the slave trade long buried. African labor was essential in the building of New York and a major African American burial site is being excavated.
Video Cassette (28 min.)
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"21 three-minute video clips on important sites of antiquity around the world with aerial and ground-level footage, computer generated reconstruction and fly-throughs, and authentic dramatizations. Each clip marks the site’s geographic location on the globe and then summarizes its history, offering important cultural insights along the way"—Container.
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