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From the dawn of the city to the fall of the empire, this book covers the entire history of Rome. It includes the founding of the city, the Roman Republic, the Roman Empire, and the fall of the empire. It also covers the art, literature, and culture of ancient Rome.



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In the Beginning

From the beginning of time, the world has been a place of wonder and mystery. The first humans, the Neanderthals, lived in small, nomadic groups, surviving on the hunt and gathering. They were the first to use tools, and their lives were a constant struggle for survival. The world was a harsh and unforgiving place, and the first humans were the first to learn to survive.

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At the end of the 19th century, the city of Rome was a vast, sprawling metropolis. The city had grown to a size that was unprecedented in its history. The city was a mix of old and new, with the ancient ruins of Rome still visible in the heart of the city. The city was a center of culture and art, and it was a place where the past and the present met. The city was a place where the people of Rome lived and worked, and it was a place where the history of Rome was still being written.

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The Appian Way cuts directly into the city and had costs 2,000 years after its construction.



Detail of a Roman legionary soldier by the artist G. B. Piranesi.

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Ancient Rome

By the end of the 1st century BC, Rome had become the largest city in the world, with a population of over 1 million. The city was a center of power and culture, and its influence spread across the Mediterranean region.

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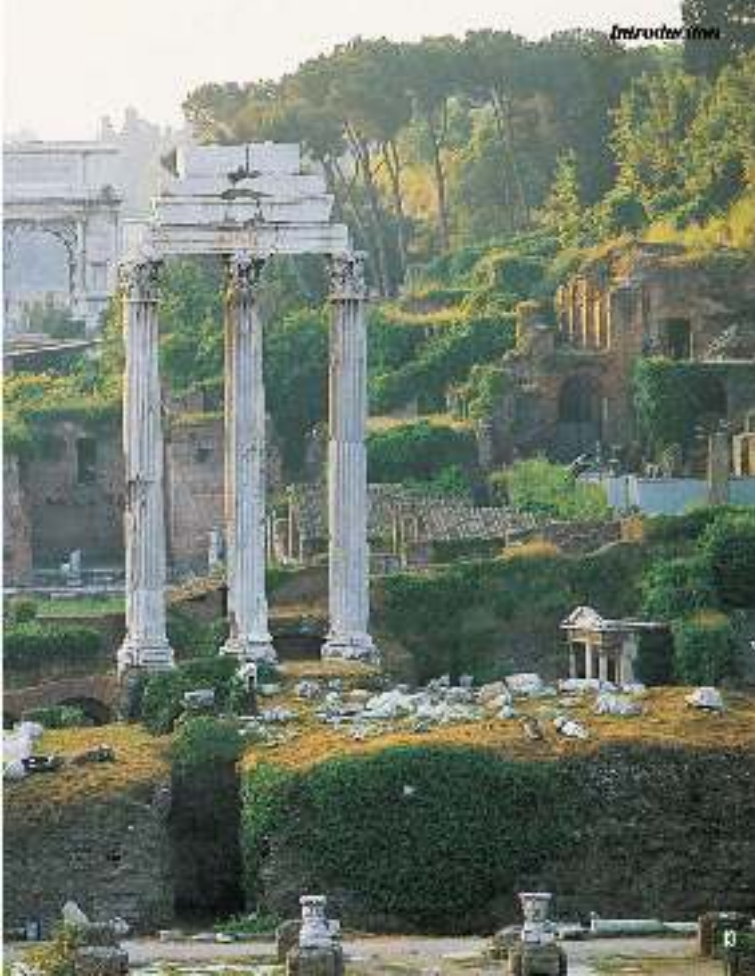
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From Myth to Empire

Early in the 19th century, the British government decided to send a large number of soldiers to India to help the British East India Company in its struggle against the Marathas. The British government was not only interested in the military and political aspects of the war, but also in the cultural and social aspects of the Indian society. The British government wanted to know more about the Indian people and their customs and traditions. This led to the discovery of the Minotaur, a mythical creature with the head of a bull and the body of a man. The British government was fascinated by the story of the Minotaur and decided to commission a large bronze statue of the creature. The statue was designed by the sculptor John Flaxman and was completed in 1825. It is now housed in the British Museum in London.

Minotaur, bronze, 1825, by John Flaxman. The British Museum, London.



The Myth – Aeneas, Romulus and the Beginning of Rome

The story of Aeneas, the Trojan ally of Hector in the final days of the Trojan war, is an important part of the early history of Rome. Aeneas, the son of King Priam of Troy, and his wife Creusa, were the only survivors of the city's fall. Aeneas, his son Ascanius, and his wife Lavinia, founded the city of Alba Longa, which was the ancestor of the city of Rome.

Aeneas was the first of a line of kings who ruled Alba Longa for many generations. The city was destroyed by the Romans in 700 BC. The ruins of the city are still visible today. The city was founded by Aeneas, the son of King Priam of Troy, and his wife Creusa. Aeneas, his son Ascanius, and his wife Lavinia, founded the city of Alba Longa, which was the ancestor of the city of Rome.

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The Rape of the Sabine Women

The rape of the Sabine women is a story from Roman mythology. It is the story of how the Romans obtained their women. The story is told in the Aeneid by Virgil. The story is a key part of the early history of Rome.

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A City at War

After the fall of the republic, the city of Rome was in a state of chaos. The city was divided into two parts, the city proper and the surrounding countryside. The city proper was ruled by the emperor, and the countryside was ruled by the provincial governors. The city proper was a city of 1 million people. The countryside was a vast area of land, with a population of 10 million people. The city proper was a city of 1 million people. The countryside was a vast area of land, with a population of 10 million people.

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The Expansion of Rome, 509-204 BCE

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The Etruscans

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A painting depicting a scene from Etruscan art, showing figures in a domestic or social setting.

When the city was founded, the
city was a small settlement on
the banks of the Tiber. It was
founded by the legendary twins
Romulus and Remus. The city
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Roman Colonies

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At the time of the Roman
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This is a map of the Roman
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The early Roman Republic was a time of great change and growth. The Roman people were organized into a system of family groups called *gens*. Each *gens* was headed by a *paterfamilias*, the head of the household. The *gens* were the basic units of Roman society. They were made up of several families. The *paterfamilias* was the head of the household and the other members of the household were his children and grandchildren. The *gens* were the basic units of Roman society. They were made up of several families. The *paterfamilias* was the head of the household and the other members of the household were his children and grandchildren.

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The Punic Wars

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Detail from the relief of the Battle of Cannae (101 BC) by the Roman artist L. Sestius.





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