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THE NILE'S GIFT

1. What was the world's first great civilization?

2. When did ancient Egypt come to power? Where did it come to power?

3. Why did the people of ancient Egypt settle by the Nile River?

4. What was Egypt's greatest architectural contributions?

5. Define architecture?

6. Why were the pyramids built?

7. Reread the photograph caption on page 64. How tall were the blocks that were used to make the pyramids?

8. How did the ancient Egyptians use science to move these massive blocks?

9. Who were pharaohs?

10. What was found inside the pyramids that teach us about ancient Egypt? What have we learned from these artifacts?
