Easter Island



Easter Island is a small triangle of rock situated in the Pacific Ocean. It's about 2,000 miles **(1)**..... the nearest city. Easter Island is **(2)**..... for its statues. Hundreds of these huge stone faces can be **(3)**..... all over the island. Who made them? How **(4)**..... they move these giant pieces of rock? What happened **(5)**..... the people who lived there? Studies show that people **(6)**..... arrived on the island about 1600 years ago. They had a very advanced culture. They made many objects and they had their **(7)**..... written language. However, the number of people in the island grew and grew **(8)**..... it reached about 10,000 people. Soon there were too many people and there wasn't **(9)**..... food to eat. A terrible war started and **(10)**..... of the statues were broken. When western explorers **(11)**..... the island on Easter Day in 1722, the huge rock statues were the only **(12)**..... that a great society had once lived there.

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