

Tutankhamun



Tutankhamun came to the throne when he was only nine years old because his father Akhenaten died. His reign lasted for only ten years but he still restored order to the country in that time. He allowed the Egyptian people to worship their old gods again.

Sadly, Tutankhamun died unexpectedly at only nineteen years of age. The pharaoh Tutankhamun was buried in three separate coffins because he needed to be protected. Tutankhamun was buried in the Valley of the Kings because it took too long to build pyramids. Howard Carter found the tomb after five years of searching.



Tutankhamun's tomb was almost untouched by robbers. The tomb contained the most beautiful treasures made of pure gold. Howard Carter discovered the tomb of Tutankhamun in 1922. His body was found inside a nest of three mummy cases inside a sarcophagus.

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