

Tutankhamun



Tutankhamun came to the throne when he was only 9 years old, because his father, Akhenaton, 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.



Howard Carter found the tomb after 5 years of searching.. Howard Carter discovered the tomb of Tutankhamun in 1922. Tutankhamun's tomb was almost untouched by robbers and his body was inside a nest of three mummy cases inside a sarcophagus.



Sadly Tutankhamun died at only 19 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 be building pyramids. The tomb contained the most fabulous treasures made of pure gold.



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