

World History

TOPIC	INSTRUCTIONAL AID	ACCESS
<p>FOUNDATIONS (8000 B.C.E. – 600 C.E.) LOCATING WORLD HISTORY IN THE ENVIRONMENT AND TIME</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⌚ What is world history and why should we study it? ⌚ What do we mean by geography and why is it important? ⌚ Why is history considered a highly eclectic discipline? ⌚ Does history develop in a deterministic fashion, or does free will apply? ⌚ Is history governed by personal or impersonal forces - or both? ⌚ What is “cultural diffusion” and why is it so important? 		
<p>PREHISTORY AND THE NEOLITHIC REVOLUTION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⌚ What were the most important developments in prehistory? ⌚ What do we know about the origins of the universe, and what fundamental differences separate creationism and evolution? ⌚ What were the positive aspects of hunting and gathering, as a way of life? ⌚ What was the Neolithic Revolution and why is it considered so highly significant? ⌚ How do we define the words “civilization” and “civilized”? 	<p><u>The Origins of Civilization</u> Explores the revolutionary period of prehistory that began when humans abandoned their nomadic hunting and gathering existence for a new way of survival. The decisive move to farming and herding, the creation of permanent settlements and the discovery of metals set the stage for the creation of the world's first civilizations. Extensively researched with vivid reenactments, <i>The Origins of Civilization</i> provides a compelling account of man's journey into civilization. Teacher's Guides are included and available online. 3 DVD Titles in Series: <i>The First Farmers, The First Towns & Villages, The End of the Stone Age.</i></p> <p><u>Civilization and writing [videorecording]</u> This program presents events and writings in world history at the time of the first civilizations, between 4000 and 600 B.C. 1 videocassette (28:52 min.)</p> <p><u>Toward Civilization [United Streaming]</u> Trace the development of human civilization from the earliest hunter-gatherers to the remarkable society of ancient Egypt. Four segments span the African plains, the mountains of Europe, and the Nile Delta.</p>	<p>Lib Vid Co D6090 \$119.85</p> <p>VT 930 CIV</p> <p>United Streaming</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Before We Ruled the Earth — Explores the lives of early prehistoric humans and the tools they used. • Out of Africa — Examines possible evidence in our genes that humans share a common ancestor. • Secrets of the Iceman — Tells the story of a 5,300-year-old body discovered in the Alps, including scientists' attempts to find out who this man was by recreating his final day. • The Nile: Where Egypt Began — Investigates the birth and growth of the Egyptian civilization along the banks of the river Nile. Through these examples, students learn how civilization developed and why it is crucial to the survival of humankind. (54 min.) <p><u>Great Books: The Origin of Species [United Streaming]</u> Darwin's theory of natural selection has provoked acclaim and debate since it was detailed in his Origin of Species in 1859. Explore the book that revolutionized science and culture. The program examines evolutionary theory from its beginnings with Jean Baptiste Lamarck, the famous Scopes Monkey trial, and how political leaders such as Adolf Hitler have twisted Darwinian theory and used it for their own purposes. (51 min.)</p> <p><u>Roots of Religion, The [United Streaming]</u> Ancient Middle East—Visits the ancient civilizations of Sumer and Egypt, and tracks how the Hebrews created a lasting culture and religion. In Search of Eden—Follows scientists and theologians attempting to prove that Mesopotamia was the setting for the Book of Genesis. Islamic Civilization— Shows how the prophet Muhammad’s teachings gave birth to a religion that spread across and beyond the Middle East through trade and conquest. Islam: Past and Present—Explores the history and teachings of Islam, from Muhammad’s struggles to the beliefs and practices of Muslims today. (55 min.)</p>	<p>United Streaming</p> <p>United Streaming</p>
<p>EARLY RIVER VALLEY CIVILIZATIONS</p> <p>🕒 Along what rivers were the early river valley civilizations located, and how were these civilizations shaped by the characteristics of these rivers?</p> <p>🕒 How much importance should we attach to the development of writing and metallurgy?</p>	<p><u>The dawn of history ; The ancient Egyptians; Mesopotamia ; From bronze to iron [videorecording]</u> Explores cultural and philosophical movements that have influenced the Western world. The first program presents origins of agriculture. The second program looks at the ancient Egyptian civilization. 1 videocassette (56min.)</p>	<p>VT 930.1 DAW</p>
<p>CLASSICAL CIVILIZATIONS THE HEBREWS</p> <p>🕒 What are the key elements in their story as a “chosen people,” and why do many consider their</p>		

<p>development of ethical monotheism as their defining contribution?</p>		
<p>THE GREEKS</p> <p>⌚ What were the most important contributions of the Greeks, in politics, religion, science, and aesthetic values?</p> <p>⌚ What did Alexander the Great accomplish, and did he spread Greek ideals?</p>	<p><u>It started with the Greeks [videorecording]</u> Explains how the questioning, rational attitude of the ancient Greeks has continued through the centuries in the West and has led to constantly changing knowledge and discovery. 1 videodisc (54 min.)</p> <p><u>The rise of Greek civilization; Greek thought; Alexander the Great;The hellenistic age [videorecording]</u> These programs explore the growth of Greek civilization and the strong connection between its philosophy and political institutions.Shows how these traditions have influenced Western Traditions.Greek culture became the common element which held the city states conquered by Alexander the Great together in an empire. 1 videocassette (30 min.)</p> <p><u>Alexander the Great [United Streaming]</u> Alexander’s triumphs over the Persian Empire remain one of history’s greatest campaigns of conquest. What inner conflicts drove this great military leader, a former student of Aristotle? Follow the story of a man who ruled the world stage for a brief time, but whose influence was felt years after his death. (25 min.)</p> <p><u>What the Ancients Knew: Greeks [United Streaming]</u> The Western world is built on the wisdom and traditions of the ancient Greeks, who uncovered the fundamental principles that established the basics of modern technology. Explore their contributions to geometry, astronomy, and physics and take a close-up look at how they applied their knowledge: Thales predicted an eclipse, Pythagoras discovered mathematical correlation between a musical instrument's string length and its tone, Archimedes developed laws of mechanics, and a group of 90 priests made well-informed educated guesses about many things. (30 min.)</p>	<p>DVD 303.4 It</p> <p>VT 938 RIS</p> <p>United Streaming</p> <p>United Streaming</p>
<p>THE ROMANS</p> <p>⌚ What were the most significant accomplishments in The Republic and The Empire?</p> <p>⌚ How significant is the fact that Christianity began and developed in a Roman world?</p> <p>⌚ What major positions are claimed by those who debate the cause of Rome’s decline and fall?</p>	<p><u>Rome: the ultimate empire [videorecording]</u> From humble beginnings on the banks of Italy's Tiber river, Rome's formidable combination of military prowess and political discipline transformed this small, tribal village into an unassailable military colossus bestriding the known world. From the wilds of northern Europe to the spice rich caravan routes of the Near East, Rome's battle-hardened legions forged a glittering domain that, even to the present day, is regarded as "The Ultimate Empire". 1 videocassette (48 min.)</p> <p><u>World of Ancient Rome (753 BC-476 AD) [videorecording].</u> 1 videocassette (21 min.)</p>	<p>VT 937 ROM</p> <p>VT 937 WOR</p>

	<p><u>Roman city [videorecording]</u> The city was an essential part of life & civilization within the Roman world. The Roman city was planned & was intended to function in an orderly & organized manner. 1 videocassette (60 min.)</p> <p><u>The Rise of Rome; The Roman empire;Early Christianity; The rise of the church [videorecording]</u> These programs describe how Rome grew from a small city to become one of the greatest empires and most influential forces of the Western tradition. These programs cover the growth and spread of Christianity and how it affected the Roman Empire. 1 videocassette (30 min.)</p> <p><u>The decline of Rome; the fall of Rome;The Byzantine empire;The fall of Byzantium [videorecording]</u> These programs describe the barbarian invasions that battered the Roman Empire from without and the moral decay that weakened it from within. With the fall of Rome the Church and barbarian kingdoms became heir to the Western Empire. Following the fall of Rome, the Byzantine Empire based in Constantinople became the repository of culture from Egypt, Greece and Rome. 1 videocassette (58 min.)</p> <p><u>What the Ancients Knew: Romans [United Streaming]</u> More than 2000 years ago, the Roman army swept across Europe, Northern Africa, and the Middle East. Backed by the legions, their military and engineering skills, the Romans built one of the largest empires in history, dominating as many as 36 modern nations. Technology helped shape the ancient world and reverberates in our Western lifestyle and amenities today. But the Roman legacy is less about invention itself than about the spreading of the ancient technology. Rather than invent most of what they became famous for, the Romans adopted, perfected, and spread their enemies' inventions throughout their empire. (29 min.)</p>	<p>VT 937 ROM</p> <p>VT 938 RIS</p> <p>VT 937 DEC</p> <p>United Streaming</p>
<p>ANCIENT INDIA</p> <p>🕒 What were the building blocks of Indian civilization as established by the Aryans?</p> <p>🕒 Why are Hinduism and Buddhism known as transcendental religions?</p>	<p><u>Ancient India</u> The antecedents of modern Indian culture can be traced back to the Harappan civilization, which flourished between 2300 and 1500 BC in what are now Pakistan and Afghanistan. The Aryan tribes from the Russian steppes invaded the subcontinent in 1000 BC, bringing their language and culture. The resulting synthesis between the Aryan and Indian civilizations brought forth a unique society that included a caste system, which soon became entrenched. This program examines the religious tension between Hinduism, Buddhism, and Islam, and the historical events that shaped the great Indian civilizations, from the Mauryan Empire through the Mogul Empire. Maps and scholars provide insight into a culture that remains vibrant and diverse today. DVD (48 min.)</p> <p><u>Ancient India</u></p>	<p>Films for Humanities BVL8689 \$129.95</p> <p>Lib Vid Co</p>

	<p>The Taj Mahal may be considered an architectural masterpiece, but it is just one of the many landmarks that dot the countryside of this fabled land. From the red sandstone fortress of Agra to the marble palaces and exquisite Shalamar Gardens of Lahore, students will get a vivid look at some of India's most heralded locales, including Fatehpur Sikri, the 16th-century capital city of the Mughal Empire, built by the esteemed Akbar the Great. Part of the multivolume <i>Wonders of the Ancient World DVD Series</i>. (49 min.)</p> <p><u>Buddhism [videorecording]</u> This program shot on location in India, Nepal, Thailand, and Japan, explores the history, the development, the art, and the influence of Buddhism in the World. 1 videocassette (28 min.)</p> <p><u>Religions of the world [videorecording] : Hinduism.</u> This program traces the development of Hinduism from its inception to the present day. Shot at numerous locations in India, it demystifies many of the concepts of the faith, including: the many gods of Hinduism, the transmigration of the soul, the Guru, the sacred cow, the caste system, the music and rituals. It also covers the conflict between Hindus and Muslims and the other religions that have sprung from Hinduism. 1 videocassette (20 min.)</p>	<p>V6198 \$29.95</p> <p>VT 290 BUD</p> <p>VT 290 REL</p>
<p>ANCIENT CHINA</p> <p>🕒 Why is so much importance attached to The Middle Kingdom and The Mandate of Heaven?</p> <p>🕒 What are the essential ideals found in Legalism, Taoism, and Confucianism?</p> <p>🕒 Why is the Han Dynasty so highly regarded? What did it achieve?</p>	<p><u>Destiny power and ritual in Asia [videorecording]</u> Four segments examining Asian history and culture. A look at the history of the Great Wall and the Dynasty of Quin Shi Huangdi, Silk Road trade during the Han Dynasty, Samurai culture and Japanese rituals, science and technology of Samurai sword making, and the lives of modern-day Japanese-Americans. (56 min.)</p> <p><u>Ancient China</u> In this vivid look at ancient China, students will explore four magnificent remnants of the country's long history, including the Great Wall, the world's largest stone structure, and the Summer Palace, which exquisitely demonstrates the creative art of Chinese garden landscape design. Students will also experience the palatial splendor of the Forbidden City and visit Pingyao, an exceptionally well-preserved 14th-century city of the Han dynasty. Part of the multivolume <i>Wonders of the Ancient World DVD Series</i>. A teacher's guide is included and available online. (50 min.)</p> <p><u>Confucianism & Taoism</u> While the major religions of the Western world affirm a belief in a single God, these two Chinese spiritual movements focus inward on human behavior and thought. Discover the life of the man known as Confucius, and examine how his philosophy and social doctrine have impacted</p>	<p>DVD 950 DES</p> <p>Lib Vid Co V6194 \$29.95</p> <p>Lib Vid Co D6873 \$39.95</p>

	<p>Chinese culture. Then, enter the world once shrouded in secrecy as the philosophy and rituals of Taoism are explained. Narrated by <i>Academy Award</i> winner Ben Kingsley. Part of the <i>Religions of the World Video Series</i>. Includes a Teacher's Guide. (50 min.)</p> <p><u>What the Ancients Knew: Chinese</u> [United Streaming] From A.D. 600 to 1500 China was the most technologically advanced society on Earth. Early discoveries put China in the vanguard of science and technology in the ancient world and light years ahead of Western cultures for a very long time. But Chinese researchers shared something with those in the West: ancient Chinese alchemists and inventors were trying to solve problems. Advances in Chinese science and technology were spurred by dynastic emperors seeking practical solutions to the challenges of ruling and defending their vast empires. Building on thousands of years of observation and experimentation, ancient Chinese researchers sought to harness the power of the classic elements--earth, wind, water, and fire. To provide the emperors with everything from practical tools to find their way on a dark night to battlefield advantages and eternal life solutions, the Chinese created historic technological breakthroughs, including movable type, the multistage rocket, and the blast furnace.</p> <p><u>Destiny Determined: Power and Ritual in Asia</u> [United Streaming] Learn about the history, culture, and people of China and Japan. Segments take students traveling across time and continents for a close-up look at these ancient nations.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Behind the Great Wall — Explores the history of the Great Wall of China and the Dynasty of Qin Shi Huangdi. • Story of the Silk Road — Examines the history of the Silk Road, trade, and the Han Dynasty. • Secrets of the Samurai — Looks into the science and technology of Samurai sword making and the history of Japanese ritual. • Between Two Cultures: Japanese in America — Introduces Japanese students living in America and the problems they encounter in embracing two cultures. Through historical documentation and modern-day accounts, students learn how China and Japan have endured, changed, and established their roles in today's world. (54 min.) 	<p>United Streaming</p> <p>United Streaming</p>
<p>600-1450 MOHAMMED AND RISE OF ISLAM</p> <p>🕒 What are the distinctive features of this religion as expressed in its five pillars?</p>	<p><u>Inside Islam: a sweeping story of one of the world's great faiths</u> [videorecording] It is the second largest religion in the world. Its name is derived from the word for peace, yet to many Westerners, it is synonymous with violence and terror. Widely practiced and equally widely misunderstood, Islam is a religion that has been at the heart of human experience for well over a thousand years. In the world after September 11th, it is especially critical to understand the origins and practice of Islam and its role in the world today.</p>	<p>VT 297 INS</p>

	<p>This balanced, objective introduction to the great faith traces it's roots back to the Hebrew Bible and explains the main tenets of Islam, the Five Pillars that all Muslims must adhere to. Discover what the Qur'an has to say about war, violence and suicide, and see how these words have been co-opted by extremists. (102 min.)</p> <p><u>Religions of the world: Islam.</u> [videorecording] This program gives an overview of the religion, its foundations, and also its past and present influences on the world. (28 min.)</p> <p><u>Mohammed the Prophet</u> Filmed on location in six countries, this informative collection examines the life and legacy of Mohammed. This multi-part collection explores the life story of this politician, military commander and prophet, from his birth in Mecca in 571 to his death in 632. Featuring interviews with scholars and Muslims around the world, the program traces the origins and evolution of Islam into one of the world's three great monotheistic religions. DVD, (273 min.)</p> <p><u>Civilizations in Conflict: Byzantium, Islam, and the Crusades (330-1453 A.D.)</u> [United Streaming] Filmed in eight different countries, this program examines the historical era that lasted from 330 to 1453 A.D. and focuses on the southern and eastern regions of the old Roman Empire. The program examines three main subjects: first is the rise and fall of the Byzantine Empire; second is the growth of the Islamic civilization; third is the Crusades, a series of conflicts involving Islam, Byzantium, and Catholic Western Europe that spanned three centuries. The rich visual imagery of the live-action video is enhanced by the use of animated maps and historic, artwork, which combine to bring this important era of history to life. (17 min.)</p>	<p>VT 297 REL</p> <p>Lib Vid Co V9140 \$59.95</p> <p>United Streaming</p>
<p>CHINA AND JAPAN</p> <p>⌚ How influential was Buddhism?</p> <p>⌚ What distinguishes the Ming Dynasty?</p> <p>⌚ What characterized Japan's relationship with China during this period, and to what degree were the Japanese successful in developing their own indigenous culture?</p>	<p><u>Buddhism</u> [videorecording] This program shot on location in India, Nepal, Thailand, and Japan, explores the history, the development, the art, and the influence of Buddhism in the World. 1 videocassette (28 min.)</p> <p><u>China's forbidden city</u> [videorecording] Insightful commentary is given on China's imperial past of grand temples, libraries, gardens and palaces in the forbidden city. Its history is presented from the demise of the Ming dynasty's last emperor through to the last emperor Pu Yi when the Communists took control. (50 min.)</p> <p><u>Destiny Determined: Power and Ritual in Asia</u> [United Streaming] Learn about the history, culture, and people of China and Japan. Segments take students traveling across time and continents for a close-up look at</p>	<p>VT 290 BUD</p> <p>DVD 915.1 CHI</p> <p>United Streaming</p>

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THE AMERICAS		
EUROPE IN THE HIGH MIDDLE AGES, 1100 - 1300		
<p>EURASIA AND THE STEPPE PEOPLES</p> <p>🕒 What and where are the steppes?</p> <p>🕒 How do you account for the rise of Genghis Khan and the Mongols? Why did they become assimilated in distant lands and lose their distinctive culture?</p>	<p><u>Genghis Khan: terror and conquest</u> [videorecording] A biography of the political and military leader who united the Mongol tribes becoming the supreme master of the largest empire ever created in the lifetime of one man. (50 min.)</p> <p><u>In Search of Genghis Khan</u> This program looks at the legend and the traces of Genghis Khan as well as the people and culture of his descendants, whose lives are barely changed since the Mongol horde burst out of Central Asia in the 13th century to ride as far as the gates of Vienna and permanently change the face of most of Asia and Europe. DVD, (54 min.)</p>	<p>DVD B KHAN</p> <p>Films for Humanities BVL4295 \$89.95</p>
<p>THE LATER MIDDLE AGES, 1300 - 1500</p> <p>🕒 How do you evaluate the significance of the Black Death and the Hundred Years War as causes of the breakup of the Middle Ages?</p> <p>🕒 To what degree were John Wycliffe and the Lollards precursors of the Reformation?</p>	<p><u>Common life in the Middle Ages ; Cities and cathedrals of the Middle Ages ; The late Middle Ages ; The national monarches</u> [videorecording] These programs explore the harsh realities of daily life in the Middle Ages and the blossoming of European trade and culture which is revealed in the construction of magnificent churches. (56 min.)</p> <p><u>The Black Death</u> [videorecording] This disc features The Black Death_1347-1351. It explores the story of the great epidemic plague that struck Europe in the mid-14th century. (15 min.)</p> <p><u>The High Middle Ages</u> [United Streaming]</p>	<p>VT 940.1 COM</p> <p>DVD 940.192 BLA</p> <p>United Streaming</p>

	<p>The High Middle Ages were plagued by famine, disease and warfare yet characterized by political and religious reforms. In Europe, people lived in a three-tiered feudal system with the king holding supreme power. In 1215, the Magna Carta limited royal power and established the precursor of modern-day parliaments. During that time, the Church instituted codes of behavior limiting violence between feuding knights, and Pope Urban II led the first in a series of Crusades to regain control of Jerusalem. Mortality was high. Famine and the Black Death wiped out almost half of the population of Europe, compounding the hardship caused by battles between feuding knights and the Hundred Years' war. This program presents the pivotal social, religious and political developments of an era that significantly influenced European history. (23 min.)</p>	
<p>1450 – 1750</p> <p>🕒 What happened in the early years of this period that causes historians to label it as the birth of modern history?</p>		
<p>THE RENAISSANCE AND REFORMATION</p> <p>🕒 Is the Renaissance more than an artistic movement? If so, how?</p> <p>🕒 How did the Renaissance differ between northern and southern Europe?</p> <p>🕒 What is Renaissance humanism and how did Erasmus exemplify it?</p> <p>🕒 Is the Reformation more than a religious movement? How political was it?</p> <p>🕒 What were the essential teachings of Martin Luther and John Calvin?</p> <p>🕒 How did the Roman Catholic Church respond to the Reformation, and what were the responses to that response?</p>	<p><u>The Renaissance, 1400-1550 [videorecording]</u> his program provides a multifaceted introduction to the period from the late fourteenth century to the end of the sixteenth --when writers, artists, philosophers, scientists, and explorers believed, and in some ways proved, that they could change the world. 1 videocassette (55:23 min.)</p> <p><u>A world reborn [videorecording]</u> Traces the 300 years development of the Renaissance, from the beginning until its revolutionary ideas had created the modern era. This overview ties together themes explored in depth in the programs based on archetypical individuals of this period. 1 videodisc (28 min.)</p> <p><u>Europe's transition to the modern world [kit]</u> The birth_of the renaissance in Italy -- The renaissance spreads throughout Europe -- The Reformation -- The age of exploration. (1 audio cassette : 5 loose-leaf sections, placards, slides, transparencies)</p> <p><u>Renaissance and reformation [videorecording]</u> This program presents events and writings that happened in world history during the Renaissance and the Reformation, between 1400-1660. 1 videocassette (40 min.)</p> <p><u>The Protestant reformation [videorecording]</u></p> <p><u>The Reformation [videorecording]</u> Explores the key figures and events involved in the Protestant Reformation. Also looks at the impact of the Reformation on world history as well as the social and religious unrest it caused throughout Europe and the world. 1</p>	<p>VT 940.2 REN</p> <p>DVD 940.2 WOR</p> <p>VT P 940 EUR</p> <p>VT 909.08 REN</p> <p>DVD 940.2 PRO</p> <p>VT 270.6 REF</p>

	<p>videocassette (30 min.)</p> <p><u>The Reformation; The rise of the middle class ; The wars of religion ; The rise of the trading cities [videorecording]</u> The 1st program discusses the Reformation. The 2nd program discusses the rise of the middle class formed by merchants, traders and travelers. These programs deal with the religious wars between Protestants and Catholics that devastated much of Europe during the early seventeenth century. During the same period trading began to transform European politics and economics. 1 videocassette (56 min.)</p> <p><u>The dissenter [videorecording]</u> Examines the religious ideas that held sway over West civilization during late Middle Ages and Renaissance and those who openly rebelled against religious authority, focusing on Jan Hus and Martin Luther. Touches on the role of dissent in the modern world. Features commentary by scholars and dramatic re-enactments. 1 videodisc (28 min.)</p> <p><u>Luther [videorecording]</u> A biographical story of the famed German religious leader Martin Luther and his work to reform the Christian faith. 1 DVD: (124 min.)</p> <p><u>Martin Luther [videorecording]</u> An account of the life of Martin Luther, showing how his theological clash with the roman Catholic Church resulted in the Protestant Reformation in sixteenth-century Germany. Filmed in West Germany. 1 videocassette (115 min.)</p> <p><u>The High Renaissance [United Streaming]</u> The High Renaissance, a cultural and scientific rebirth of human potential similar to that of classical Greece, began in 14th Century Italy and then spread throughout Europe. It marked one of the greatest explosions of creative genius in history expanding the realms of science, theology, literature, and art, from the medieval days and setting new standards for individual artistic achievement. Michelangelo, Leonardo Da Vinci, and Raphael, working in both Florence and Rome, created some of the greatest masterpieces of all time. From Leonardo Da Vinci's smiling <i>Mona Lisa</i> to Michelangelo's imposing <i>David</i> and the ceiling of the Sistine Chapel, the Renaissance and the art it produced will forever remain a high point for mankind. (22 min.)</p> <p><u>The Protestant Reformation (1517-1565) [United Streaming]</u> Viewers will learn about Martin Luther, a brilliant, highly emotional priest and scholar who, in 1517, posted his now-famous Ninety-Five Theses on a church door in Wittenberg, Germany. Luther's theses started the Protestant Reformation, a chain of events that would changes forever the character of</p>	<p>VT 940.2 REN</p> <p>DVD 940.2 DIS</p> <p>DVD 791.43 LUT</p> <p>VT B LUT</p> <p>United Streaming</p> <p>United Streaming</p>
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	<p>Western European civilization. This program, filmed on location in Europe, provides students with a clear understanding of the causes of the Protestant Reformation and the social and political changes that resulted from it. (21 min.)</p>	
<p>EUROPEAN VOYAGES OF DISCOVERY</p> <p>🕒 What motivated these voyages and what exactly was discovered?</p>	<p><u>Scientific imagination in the Renaissance [videorecording]</u> Depicts the knowledge which originated with Arab optics: perspective geometry, architecture, and the ability to map the world, which allowed Columbus to assert that the best way to go East was to go West. 1 videodisc (54 min.)</p> <p><u>The Renaissance and the age of discovery; The Renaissance and the New World [videorecording]</u> Discusses the Renaissance spirit as it appeared in the works of artists, scholars, and writers of the period. Also discusses the great European explorers. 1 videocassette (30 min.)</p> <p><u>The great age of exploration [videorecording]</u> Topics include: the shift from the medieval era to the Renaissance; trade in Asian luxury goods; the early slave trade; voyages and conquests of Columbus, da Gama, Magellan, Cortes, Pizarro, and others; effects of European discoveries on Native Americans. 1 videocassette (30 min.)</p> <p><u>The golden age of exploration [videorecording]</u> The compelling story of the horror and the glory of early European voyages of discovery. It explains the conditions in Europe that led Columbus's historic voyage and follows the frenzy of exploration that took place in his wake as well as the consequences of that exploration. 1 videodisc (28 min.)</p> <p><u>The Great Age of Exploration (1400-1550) [United Streaming]</u> This two-part program takes students through the history of the Great Age of Exploration, focusing on the period from 1400 to mid-1550s. Students learn about the shift from the Medieval to the Renaissance era, the trade of Asian luxury goods, Prince Henry the Navigator, the early slave trade, the voyages of the explorers, and the impact European discovery had on Native Americans. (31 min.)</p>	<p>DVD 303.4 Sci</p> <p>VT 940.2 REF</p> <p>VT 910.9 GRE</p> <p>DVD 970.01 GOL</p> <p>United Streaming</p>
<p>TECHNOLOGY AND THE SCIENTIFIC REVOLUTION</p> <p>🕒 What led to the development of the printing press and what were the consequences?</p> <p>🕒 What connections do you see between</p>	<p><u>The Renaissance [videorecording]</u> Scholars, photographs and historic paintings bring to life Europe's cultural rebirth. The program shows how a return to classical Greek and Roman ideals, and the invention of the Gutenberg printing press, spawned the achievements of DaVinci, Michelangelo, and Shakespeare. 1 videocassette (ca.50 min.)</p>	<p>VT 940.2 REN</p>

<p>Gutenberg, Copernicus, and Galileo?</p>	<p><u>Scientific revolution [videorecording]</u> This program presents the key 16th and 17th century discoveries and inventions that form the basis of modern science. Pt 1. Science before the revolution : Aristotelianism -- Pt.2. The rise of modern science : from Copernicus to Galileo -- Pt.3. The triumph of the new science : Newton's synthesis. 1 videocassette (41:23 min.)</p>	<p>VT 509 SCI</p>
	<p><u>The scientific revolution [videorecording]</u> Explores how the scientific revolution grew out of the church-dominated period of the Middle Ages and how various complex forces gave rise to new scientific discovery. Examines the contributions of various pioneers of the period. This enlightening video follows a chronological journey through the Scientific Revolution, examining the contributions of the various pioneers of the period. The program introduces the courageous pioneers of science who risked their lives to advance our understanding of nature. Leonardo da Vinci, Nicolaus Copernicus, Andreas Vesalius, Tycho Brahe, Sir Francis Bacon, and Galileo Galilei are but a few of the brilliant minds who led the way. 1 videocassette (ca. 30 min.)</p>	<p>DVD 303.4 Sci</p>
	<p><u>Science revises the heavens [videorecording]</u> Depicts advances made during the Scientific Revolution, including those of Copernicus, Galileo, and Newton. Examines the conflict that these ideas caused within the Catholic Church. 1 videodisc (54 min.)</p>	<p>VT 190 WES</p>
	<p><u>Western philosophy, part 2 [videorecording]</u> Contents: The discoveries of Copernicus and Galileo turned science completely upside down, forcing people to examine their place in the world and question God's place in science and mathematics. The emergence of continental mathematical and philosophical giants included Descartes, Leibniz, Kant, Spinoza, Locke, Hume, and Berkeley. 1 videocassette (50 min.)</p>	<p>VT 509.03 SCI pt.1</p>
	<p><u>Galileo: The challenge of reason [videorecording]</u> Shows the experiments of Galileo, and dramatizes the conflict between his new scientific thinking and the authority of the church. Points out that although Galileo recanted, his views dominated Western thought in succeeding centuries. 1 videocassette (26 min.)</p>	<p>VT 530 GAL</p>
	<p><u>Galileo's battle for the heavens [videorecording]</u> Dramatization of Galileo Galilei's life, including his scientific achievements and his defense of his controversial theory that the earth revolves around the sun. Also includes how letters from his illegitimate daughter, Maria Celeste, a cloistered nun, have shed new light on Galileo's discoveries and his trial for heresy. 1 videocassette (1hr. 54 min.)</p>	<p>VT B GAL</p>
<p><u>The mechanical universe--and beyond, #1-4 [videorecording]</u></p>	<p>VT 530 MEC V.1-4</p>	

	<p>Program 1 introduces revolutionary ideas and heroes from Copernicus to Newton and links the physics of the heavens and the earth. Program 2 covers Galileo's experiments which proved that all bodies fall with the same constant acceleration. Programs 3& 4 explores the derivative as a practical tool and Galileo's law of inertia. Uses computer animation sequences, historic reenactments, and close-up photography of experiments. 1 videocassette (120 min.)</p>	
<p>EUROPE AND THE OLD REGIME</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⌚ What happened in the Agricultural Revolution and what impact did it have on population trends? ⌚ How did mercantilism affect the competition for empire in India and the Americas? ⌚ What were the distinguishing features of political absolutism, and where were its greatest successes and failures. 	<p><u>The death of the old regime; The French Revolution ; The Industrial Revolution ; The industrial world [videorecording]</u> Discusses the collapse of France as a kingdom, the French Revolution, and the new revolutionary state that became an ideal for some Europeans and a terror for others. 1 videocassette (56 min.)</p>	<p>VT 944 DEA</p>
<p>THE WORLD BEYOND EUROPE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⌚ What makes Suleiman in the Ottoman Empire so “Magnificent”? ⌚ What separated Shia from Sunni Muslims? ⌚ How would you compare the Tokugawa shogunate with the Manchu dynasty? ⌚ In the African slave trade, what countries were involved and where were the slaves sent? ⌚ What were the defining features of Mughal India? ⌚ How important was Czar Ivan IV in terms of the rise of Russian autocracy 	<p><u>Islam: Empire of Faith</u> <i>PBS</i> presents a comprehensive look at the first thousand years of this civilization, featuring re-enactments, Islamic art, artifacts and architecture, and interviews with historians. The program covers the period from the birth of the Prophet Muhammad through the peak of the Ottoman Empire under the reign of Suleiman the Magnificent. Narrated by <i>Academy Award</i> winner Ben Kingsley. DVD (180 min.)</p> <p><u>Japan: Memoirs of a Secret Empire</u> Narrated by Richard Chamberlain, this <i>PBS</i> documentary explores Japanese history during the 250-year reign of feudal warlord Tokugawa Ieyasu's dynasty. Rich in detail and historically accurate, the program explores this mysterious time period in Japanese history from the perspective of shoguns, samurai, geishas, poets, peasants and Westerners. The program highlights the country's renaissance and documents the reign of Tokugawa Ieyasu and other Japanese emperors, using extensive research and expert commentary. DVD (160 min.)</p> <p><u>Slavery & Colonialism in Africa</u> Students will gain a deeper understanding of the African slave trade, one of the great tragedies of world history, while traveling to the royal palaces at Abomey, built with the wealth obtained from trafficking in human beings, and the slave fortresses in Accra, the site of holding cells for enslaved Africans awaiting transportation to the Americas. In South Africa,</p>	<p>Lib Vid Co V0423 \$19.95</p> <p>Lib Vid Co V3663 \$24.95</p> <p>Lib Vid Co V6304 \$29.95</p>

	<p>investigate the country's harsh colonial past at Robben Island, the infamous political prison where Nelson Mandela and many other anti-apartheid leaders were incarcerated. Part of the multivolume <i>Wonders of Africa DVD Series</i>. A teacher's guide is included and available online. (39 min.)</p> <p><u>Warrior Empire: The Mughals</u> <i>The History Channel</i> tells the story of India's most powerful dynasty, offering an in-depth look at the country's most violent and majestic era. The program traces the Mughal's expansion throughout the Indian subcontinent, between the years 1526 and 1858, while highlighting the influential empire's military, technological innovations and architectural marvels. Presents detailed images of the Taj Mahal and Mughal palaces, forts, water systems and artwork, and step-by-step scientific re-creations of advanced Mughal weaponry and metallurgy. DVD (91 min.)</p> <p><u>Russia: Land of the Tsars</u> <i>A&E</i> explores the imperial history of Russia with a look at the reigns of Ivan the Terrible, Peter the Great and Catherine the Great. Filmed on-location throughout Russia, the program features expert commentary from renowned scholars and historians as well as exclusive visits to important sites and museums. The program illuminates the historical contributions of each ruler, providing a captivating portrait of a land that has endured centuries of despair and rebellion. DVD (200 min.)</p> <p><u>Conquerors: Suleyman the Magnificent [United Streaming]</u> Barbarian warlord or cultured visionary? This enigmatic sultan lays claim to both legacies. While Suleyman transformed Constantinople into Istanbul, the center of his Ottoman Empire and the largest European city of the time, he granted a surprising amount of autonomy and religious freedom to his conquered subjects. And rather than vanquishing Europe, his main goal was defensive: preventing crusaders from entering his lands. (25 min.)</p> <p><u>Taj Mahal: Heaven on Earth [United Streaming]</u> Located in Agra, India, the Taj Mahal is a complex of gardens, mosques, and minarets constructed as a tribute to Shah Jehan's wife, Mumtaz Mahal, after her death. In his grief, Shah Jehan vowed to build the most beautiful tomb that ever existed. The spiritual motivations behind the building of the Taj Mahal and the ghost city of Fatehpur Sikri are highlighted. (25 min.)</p>	<p>Lib Vid Co W0702 \$24.95</p> <p>Lib Vid co V2047 \$39.95</p> <p>United Streaming</p> <p>United Streaming</p>
<p>1750 – 1914</p> <p>CHANGES IN EUROPE</p> <p>🕒 To what degree were Isaac Newton and John Locke the most influential thinkers on major developments in eighteenth-century Europe?</p>	<p><u>The mechanical universe--and beyond, #5-8 [videorecording]</u> Program 5 deal with the issues addressed by physics:why, how much, where, and which way. Program 6 covers Newton's contribution to the laws of force, mass and acceleration. Program 7 deals with Newton's and Leibniz's conclusion that differentiation and integration are inverse processes. Program 8 covers Newton'sdiscovery that gravity describes the force between any two particles in the universe. Uses computer animation</p>	<p>VT 530 MEC V.5-8</p>

<p>⌚ Who were the leading philosophers, and what was the nature of their criticism?</p> <p>⌚ How do you account for the growing religious influence of Methodists, Quakers, and evangelicals in European society?</p>	<p>sequences, historical reenactments, and close-up photography of experiments. 1 videocassette (120 min.)</p> <p><u>The scientific revolution [videorecording]</u> Explores the latter half of the scientific revolution and the gradual acceptance of scientific truth. Introduces the pioneers of science who gave the world a better understanding of nature, the universe, and the human body. This installment to the Just the Facts series provides further information regarding one of the most significant periods in history, which occurred roughly between the mid-fifteen hundreds and 1700. Just the Facts: The Scientific Revolution, Part 2 offers insight into the minds of a variety of now legendary philosophers and scientists, including Rene Descartes, Robert Boyle, and Sir Isaac Newton, among others. 1 videocassette (ca. 30 min.)</p>	<p>VT 509.03 SCI pt.2</p>
<p>POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC REVOLUTIONS</p> <p>⌚ What was the Industrial Revolution and to what degree is the term misleading?</p> <p>⌚ How can the Industrial Revolution be compared to the Neolithic Revolution, in terms of historical significance?</p> <p>⌚ What common denominators do you find between the political revolutions in the Americas and in France, 1775 - 1830?</p>	<p><u>The death of the old regime ; The French Revolution ; The Industrial Revolution ; The industrial world [videorecording]</u> Discusses the collapse of France as a kingdom, the French Revolution, and the new revolutionary state that became an ideal for some europeans and a terror for others. Subject: These programs deal with the new power sources and production techniques that started the age of industrial expansion. 1 videocassette (56 min.)</p> <p><u>The industrial revolution [videorecording]</u> Examines the period of history that began in England in the early 18th century with the textile industry and continued through to the 20th century. Features commentary by scholars. 1 videocassette (ca. 50 min.)</p> <p><u>Harnessing steam [videorecording]</u> The history of the development of coal, iron, and steam during the Industrial Revolution in Great Britain is extensive and complex. In the era of the microship, it is easy to overlook the critical role of the steam engine in powering the 19th-century machine. This program looks at the role of water power, examines Newcomen's and Watt's machines, looks at the interdependence of steam, coal, and iron and at the new demand for coal, and examines the growth of electrical energy. 1 videodisc (20 min.)</p> <p><u>The factory and marketplace revolution [videorecording]</u> Examines the origins of the Industrial Revolution, the concomitant growth of urbanization, the beginnings of the factory system and an industrial working class, as well as the exploitation of the planet. 1 videodisc (55 min.)</p> <p><u>Revolution and romantics ; The age of the nation-states ; A new public ; Fin de Siecle [videorecording]</u></p>	<p>VT 944 DEA</p> <p>VT 909.81 IND</p> <p>DVD 621.1 HAR</p> <p>DVD 303.4 Fac</p> <p>VT 940.2 REV</p>

	<p>These programs, which deal with the early nineteenth century, focus on the aspirations of many eastern and central Europeans to establish independent countries.</p> <p>Subject: Covers late 19th century developments in Europe and North America, focusing on improved standards of living resulting from higher productivity. Also examines the rising importance of mass communication. 1 videocassette (56 min.)</p> <p><u>The Industrial Revolution (1750-1915) [United Streaming]</u> This video examines the historical background to the first Industrial Revolution which began in England around 1750. The invention of labor-saving machinery, the spread of factories, the use of steam power, the iron and coal industries, as well as the social and cultural changes resulting from Industrialization are explored. The decline of cottage industry, growth of cities, changes in working conditions and social class, and education, plus the influences of Karl Marx, Charles Dickens, Henry Ford, and Thomas Edison are presented. The video concludes with the concept that other Industrial Revolutions are in their beginning stages or are yet to come in many other parts of the world. (20 min.)</p> <p><u>Assignment Discovery: Revolution: The Call to Battle [United Streaming]</u> This episode of the series on innovations in war and civilization explores how revolutions in military deployment and in political thought affected Europe and the United States in the 18th and 19th centuries. (60 min.)</p>	<p>United Streaming</p> <p>United Streaming</p>
<p>EUROPEAN HEGEMONY IN THE NINETEENTH CENTURY AND THE WORLD'S REACTION</p> <p>⌚ What accounts for this European hegemony? Was it European strength and confidence, or the relative weakness of rivals?</p> <p>⌚ For what reasons did the Ottomans, Moguls, and Safavids decline?</p> <p>⌚ In China, what connections do you see between the Opium Wars and the T'ai-p'ing Rebellion? What connection is there between population growth and the so-called high-level equilibrium trap?</p> <p>⌚ What was "shocking" about the Crimean War and the Indian Mutiny?</p> <p>⌚ What was different about Japan's reaction to</p>	<p><u>Queen Victoria's Empire</u> <i>PBS' Empires</i> presents the story of the English queen who ruled over one-fifth of the world's population and the times in which she ruled. Narrated by Donald Sutherland, the program also explores influential figures that shaped British imperialism, including William Gladstone, Benjamin Disraeli, David Livingstone, Cecil Rhodes and Prince Albert. Using personal accounts, reenactments and on-location footage, the program recounts the dramatic clash of cultures and personalities during Victoria's remarkable reign. DVD (240 min.)</p> <p><u>The Meiji Period (1868-1912)</u> The arrival of Commodore Perry in 1854 marked the stage for Japan's dramatic leap from the Middle Ages into modernity. The ports of Japan were forced open; the English, French, Russians, and Dutch promptly demanded—and got—the same privileges. In 1868, the last shogun gave way to a 15-year-old emperor, who dressed in Western-style clothes. Edo became Tokyo, education became a national passion, and the dichotomy between ancient shared values and new imported styles and forms deepened as the Japanese learned colonialism as well, spreading their influence and their sovereignty in Formosa and Korea. DVD or</p>	<p>Lib Vid Co W0201 \$24.95</p> <p>Films for Humanities BVL2154 \$89.95</p>

<p>Commodore Perry's visit?</p> <p>⌚ How important was the opening of the Suez Canal in 1869?</p> <p>⌚ What are seven explanations for the "new imperialism" in Africa after 1850?</p>	<p>Videocassette (52 min.)</p> <p><u>India: From Moghuls to Independence</u> This program covers the history of India from the time of Genghis Khan's first extension of his domain beyond China. It explains the roles of Tamerlane and his descendant Babur and shows the crucial Battle of Panipat between Babur and the forces of Ibrahim Lodi, the Afghan Sultan of Delhi. There would be many more battles (including a second battle of Panipat) before the Afghans were beaten, but Babur had established Mongol hegemony over a vast territory. The program traces the subsequent history of India: the exploits of his son Humayun and his grandson, Akbar; the arrival of Europeans; the flowering of Moghul culture epitomized by the Taj Mahal, and the decline; its submission to the British Empire and its reawakening at independence. . DVD or Videocassette (42 min.)</p>	<p>Films for Humanities BVL2453 \$149.95</p>
<p>NEW DEVELOPMENTS, 1860 - 1914</p> <p>⌚ What's similar, what's different in regard to Italian and German unification?</p> <p>⌚ What makes the second Industrial Revolution different from the first?</p> <p>⌚ How did the combined influence of Charles Darwin, Karl Marx, Sigmund Freud, and Albert Einstein cause a major revolution in Western thought?</p> <p>⌚ What's important about the Boer War and its consequences?</p> <p>⌚ What's important about the Russo-Japanese War, 1904-05, and its consequences?</p> <p>⌚ What's important about the Meiji Restoration and Japan's effort to "catch the West"?</p>	<p><u>Great events of the 20th century volume one [videorecording] : 1900-1912</u> The 1900s marked the end of an age of innocence and the beginning of an age of innovation. The 20th century began with a passing of a lady who had given her name to an era, Queen Victoria. Across the seas, America lost its leader, President McKinley, to an assassin's bullet, and welcomed his successor, Theodore Roosevelt. Although most of the world enjoyed a turn of the century calm, several hot spots flared around the globe. 1 videocassette (46 min.)</p> <p><u>The age of revolutions, 1776-1848 [videorecording]</u> Discusses the revolutionary uprisings in Europe and North America in the late eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries, the wars of Napoleon and the influence of Karl Marx. 1 videodisc sd.</p> <p><u>Marxism [videorecording] : The theory that split a world</u> Explores the historical and current dimensions of Karl Marx through dramatized interviews with those who knew him, animated explanations of his major tenets, and documentary treatment of the monumental changes wrought in his name. 1 videocassette (26 min.)</p> <p><u>Sigmund Freud: [videorecording] analysis of a mind</u> 1 video disc (50 min.)</p> <p><u>The mechanical universe--and beyond, #43-46 [videorecording]</u> Program 43 examines Albert Einstein's interest in perfecting the central ideas of physics. Details Einstein's new understanding of the meaning of space and time, including such matters as the transformation of velocities, time dilation, and the twin paradox. Program 44 deals with the formulation of a new mechanics based on Einstein's concept of space and time. Covers relativistic momentum, equations relating kinetic energy and total energy</p>	<p>VT 909.82 GRE v.1</p> <p>DVD 940.2 AGE</p> <p>VT 335.4 MAR</p> <p>DVD B FRE</p> <p>VT 530 MEC V.43-46</p>

	<p>particle to its speed, and the relation between matter and energy in special relativity. Program 45 traces the ups and downs of scientific research as reflected in Boyle's experiments and Charles' investigations. New discoveries about the behaviors of gas make the connection between temperature and heat. Program 46 deals with the Carnot engine and the first law of thermodynamics. Uses computer animation sequences, historical re-enactments, and close-up photography of experiments. 1 videocassette (120 min.)</p> <p><u>Great Books: The Origin of Species [United Streaming]</u> Darwin's theory of natural selection has provoked acclaim and debate since it was detailed in his Origin of Species in 1859. Explore the book that revolutionized science and culture. The program examines evolutionary theory from its beginnings with Jean Baptiste Lamarck, the famous Scopes Monkey trial, and how political leaders such as Adolf Hitler have twisted Darwinian theory and used it for their own purposes. (51 min.)</p>	United Streaming
<p>1914 TO THE PRESENT WORLD WAR I, 1914 – 1918</p> <p>🕒 For one of the most studied events of the twentieth century, what do you consider to be the primary causes?</p> <p>🕒 Why is it known widely as “The Great War”?</p> <p>🕒 In view of it being known as a “literary war,” who were the war poets and what was poignant and memorable about their poetry?</p> <p>🕒 How do you explain Lenin’s success in bringing the Bolsheviks to power as a result of the Russian Revolution?</p> <p>🕒 What influence did the United States have by entering the war in 1917?</p> <p>🕒 What attitudes help explain the Treaty of Versailles, and was this really a bad treaty?</p>	<p><u>Causes of World War I [videorecording]</u> Summarizes the major causes of World War I, detailing the political, economic, social, and cultural events that contributed to rising tensions in Europe in the early 1900s. 1 videocassette (35:02min.)</p> <p><u>World War I: Clash of Empires [videorecording]</u> Preceded by a rush of naive optimism, World War I swiftly demonstrated the awful might and unheroic nature of modern warfare, shattering European innocence and pulling America onto the world stage. This ABC News program anchored by Peter Jennings documents the course of the war that blighted a generation-- and the punitive peace that ensured future enmity. From prewar arms race between Germany and Britain to the Stalemate on the Western Front, Germany's last grab for victory, America's knock-out blow, and the treaty of Versailles, the program offers an overview of a catastrophic chapter of 20th century history. 1 videocassette (37 min.)</p> <p><u>World War I in colour [videorecording]</u> Presents an overview of the history of the World War I, seen for the first time in color, from the development of the fighter plane, to the use of tank and machine guns, and narrated by actor Kenneth Branagh. 2 videodiscs (ca. 5 hr., 51 min.)</p> <p><u>Understanding World War I [videorecording]</u> Examines events that led up to World War I, and discusses how technology changed the nature of war. 1 videodisc (ca. 24 min.)</p> <p><u>World War I: cause and effect [videorecording]</u></p>	<p>VT 940.53 CAU</p> <p>VT 940.3 WOR</p> <p>DVD 940.3 WOR</p> <p>DVD 940.3 UND</p> <p>DVD 940.3 WOR</p>

	<p>Examines events that led to the outbreak of World War I, identifies the nations that participated in the conflict, and discusses the effects of the airplane and submarine on combat, the rise of communism, and related topics. 1 videodisc (ca. 57 min.)</p> <p><u>The Great War: 1918: the American experience [videorecording]</u> Chronicles the story of United States soldiers in the closing battles of World War I as it was told through the letters and diaries of fighting men including General John J. (Blackjack) Pershing, Sergeant Alvin York and Sergeant Harry S. Truman. The program also features French and American veterans and nurses who remember these battles. 1 videodisc</p> <p><u>The great war [DVD]</u> This story of World War I--including the Bolshevik revolution, which led to Russia's withdrawal from the conflict--and the fruitless struggles of President Wilson, who sought first to keep America out of the war and then, at its end, to forge a lasting and meaningful peace. DVD (42 min.)</p> <p><u>The great war: an eight-part film series: curriculum package [videorecording]</u> Each of the eight, 60 minute videos combines actual film footage from the period with live-action documentary, photographs and other primary documents. It also includes quotes from and interviews with people associated firsthand with this conflict and present-day historians. These video collectively form the public television series The Great War. Contents: v.1 Explosion -- v.2 Stalemate -- v.3 Total war -- v.4 Slaughter -- v.5 Mutiny -- v.6 Collapse -- v.7 Hatred and hunger -- v.8 War without end.</p> <p><u>Century of warfare (Part 1): World War I 1914-1918 ; World War II (part 1)1939-1943 [videorecording]</u> 1 videodisc (120 min.)</p> <p><u>The end of the old order, 1914-1929 [videorecording]</u> Covers World War I, Bolshevism in Russia, the collapse the world economy, fascism and the destruction of democratic liberty. 1 videodisc</p> <p><u>The Century: 1914-1919: Shell shock [videorecording]</u> This program analyzes the impact of the wholesale sense of loss - of life, of husbands and fathers, and of sacred ideals - that sprang from World War I. 1 videocassette (45 min.)</p> <p><u>The doughboys: heroes of WW I [videorecording]</u> Rare film footage from the United States government archives featuring the</p>	<p>DVD 930.3 GRE</p> <p>VT 940.3 GRE</p> <p>VT 940.3 GRE</p> <p>DVD 940.3 CEN Part 1</p> <p>DVD 940.3 END</p> <p>VT 940.3 CEN</p> <p>VT 940.3 DOU</p>
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	<p>American soldiers of WWI. 1 videocassette (41 min.)</p> <p><u>Sergeant York: the reluctant soldier [videorecording]</u> While his biographer recounts York's life, his children, grandchildren and friends offer an intimate view of the real man. Biography offers a look at a pacifist who became one of the greatest American heroes of World War I. 1 video disc (ca. 50 min.)</p> <p><u>World War I and Its Aftermath [United Streaming]</u> What were the events that led to this conflict, and how did the world change as a result? Four segments explain the political setting, strategies, and realities of "The War to End All Wars." <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rise of Nationalism — Traces the growth of nationalism in the early 1900s by focusing on oppression in Czarist Russia. • World War I — Explores the causes of "The Great War" and what life was like for a soldier fighting in the trenches. • Death from Above: The Red Baron — Documents scientists' use of forensic evidence and detective work to determine who shot down the German flying ace. • Communism and the Soviet Union — Explores the fall of czarist Russia to mark the end of WWI, and the birth of Communism. Archival images and modern-day research form a compelling account of how soldiers, citizens, and nations fared during the War and its aftermath. (54 min.) </p>	<p>DVD B YOR</p> <p>United Streaming</p>
<p>THE WORLD BETWEEN THE TWO WORLD WARS.</p> <p>🕒 What was the appeal of Hitler, Mussolini, and fascism?</p> <p>🕒 What was the appeal of the Kellogg-Briand Pact, and was it naïve?</p> <p>🕒 What was the appeal of Babe Ruth and Charles Lindbergh in 1927?</p> <p>🕒 How did the Great Depression affect different areas of the world, economically and politically?</p> <p>🕒 Why wasn't there more resistance to Japan's expansion in the Pacific?</p>	<p><u>Arsenal of democracy</u> In the coastal cities of China, Japanese troops were on the march. In Nazi Germany, Hitler had put his country back to work building a military arsenal. By 1939, the Great Depression was over, "over there", while in the United States people still struggled to end the crisis. Their dreams of peace and prosperity were celebrated at World's Fairs in New York and San Francisco-but prosperity did not come in peacetime. The "Okie" migrants, whose plight had come to symbolize the hardships of depression, joined millions of others who finally found work in new defense industries. While the New Deal changed America forever, it was war that ended the Great Depression. 1 videocassette (60 min.)</p> <p><u>Mean things happening</u> In the American democracy of the 1930's, two visions of liberty collided as working women and men battles landowners and factory managers for the right to join a union. On the tenant farms of the Arkansas Delta and in the steel factories of America's industrial heartland, working people asserted their citizenship in the midst of great economic turmoil and a tide of government reform. 1 videocassette (60 min)</p> <p><u>A job at Ford's</u> By 1927, Henry Ford controlled the most important company in the most</p>	<p>VT 973.91 ARS</p> <p>VT 973.91 MEA</p> <p>VT 973.91 JOB</p>

	<p>important industry in the booming American economy. His plain American bargain of high wages in exchange for hard work attracted tens of thousands of workers to Detroit, but it began to come apart when he hires a private police force to speed up production and spy on employees. After the Depression hit in 1929, these workers faced a new, grim reality as unemployment skyrocketed and machine guns barred the entrances to Ford's plants. 1 videocassette (60 min.)</p> <p><u>The Rites of Passage (1919-1920) [United Streaming]</u> This program documents the aftermath of World War I in the U.S., Russia and Europe. Germany is forced to sign the Treaty of Versailles, which strips it of territory and arms, and imposes severe reparations to be paid to the Allies. President Wilson's proposed League of Nations is a crucial component of the Treaty. The Senate to refuse to ratify the document and the U.S. signs a separate treaty with Germany -- the Treaty of Berlin. The U.S. organizes a post-War relief effort, sending aid to Europe and Russia. Following the Bolshevik Revolution, Russia struggles through a civil War, with Vladimir Lenin leading the Bolshevik party. A paved highway system is built in the U.S., and commercial aviation is a new industry. Entering the workforce during the War, women are now more independent. Comedy is our favorite entertainment, and Prohibition is imposed. Provides compelling media support to American History and World History units on the consequences of WWI -- including the human costs and the political, economic, cultural and social changes. (25 min.)</p> <p><u>Discovering History: 20th-Century Biographies: Adventurers [United Streaming]</u> Meet American men and women with the ingenuity and daring to venture where others hadn't. Segments cover Orville and Wilbur Wright, Edmund Hillary, Roald Amundsen, Richard E. Byrd, Charles Lindbergh, Amelia Earhart, and James Doolittle. (30min.)</p>	<p>United Streaming</p> <p>United Streaming</p>
<p>WORLD WAR II</p> <p>🕒 How do you assess the influence of Winston Churchill in the outcome of this war?</p> <p>🕒 Could the holocaust have been stopped by the Allies or by the Germans themselves?</p> <p>🕒 Was Germany's invasion of Russia the turning point in this war?</p> <p>🕒 What's the debate concerning the use of atomic</p>	<p><u>Prelude to war: world at the brink [videorecording]</u> Directed by Frank Capra, this film was produced in order to instruct U.S. armed forces about the events that led up to World War II. Its purpose was to send a strong message against totalitarian regimes and emphasize the importance of American freedom. 1 videocassette (60 min.)</p> <p><u>World War II [videorecording]</u> Upheaval in Europe and Asia, Lend Lease, Pearl Harbor, industrial mobilization and rationing, the second great migration, internment of Japanese Americans, European and Pacific Theaters, Atomic Age.</p> <p><u>Causes of World War II [videorecording]</u></p>	<p>VT 940.54 PRE</p> <p>VT 973 WOR</p> <p>VT 940.53 CAU</p>

<p>weapons on Japan in 1945?</p> <p>🕒 Did the war end in a way that contributed to the start of the Cold War?</p>	<p>This program focuses on the Bolshevik Revolution in Russia and on the terms of the peace settlement that ended World War I to show how these events encouraged the growth of fascism. It also deals with the worldwide depression in the 1930s, Hitler's rise to power, militarism in Japan, and more. 1 videocassette (47:28 min.)</p> <p><u>The world at war: A new Germany 1933-39 [videorecording]</u> Examines the events of the World War II using documentary involved in the conflict. 1 videodisc</p> <p><u>World War II, Part 1: Into the storm [videorecording]</u> This ABC News program anchored by Peter Jennings plots out Adolf Hitler's rise to power, in which he uses charisma, guile, and aggression to forge an iron-clad dictatorship from the economic chaos of the 1930s. The Spanish Civil War--proving ground for the inevitable war to come--is addressed, and World War II in Europe is surveyed, spanning events from the blitzkrieg against Poland to the invasion of the Soviet Union. The war against Jews is also featured, as the Nuremberg Laws and Kristallnacht foreshadowed the Führer's "final solution". 1 videocassette (54 min.)</p> <p><u>World War II, Part 2: A time of reckoning [videorecording]</u> As Hitler's armies reached their high-water mark in the Soviet Union, Japanese expansion spelled trouble for an isolationist America. This ABC News Program anchored by Peter Jennings describes Japan's bid for Asian dominance, starting with the Rape of Nanking, and subsequent defeat by the allies. Highlights of America's involvement in the war against the Axis nations include the Pearl Harbor attack, mobilization and the war effort on the homefront, the push from Normandy to the Rhine, island-hopping in the Pacific, dropping the A-bombs, and the prosecution of war criminals. 1 videocassette (36 min.)</p> <p><u>The world at war [videorecording]</u> Using war-time footage, photographs, and veteran interviews, provides an in-depth examination of World War II. Contents: v.1 A new Germany 1933-39 ; Distant war September 1929-May 1940 ; France falls May-June 1940 ; alone May 1940-May 1941 ; Barbarossa June-December 1941 ; Banzai! Japan 1931-1942 ; On our way USA 1939-1942 -- v.2 Desert North Africa 1940-1943 ; Stalingrad June 1942-February 1943 ; Wolf pack-U Boats in the Atlantic 1939-1944 ; Red Star The Soviet Union 1941-1943 ; Whirlwind bombing Germany September 1939-April 1944 ; Tough old gut Italy November 1942-June 1944 ; It's a lovely day tomorrow Burma 1942-1944 ; Home fires Britain 1940-1944 -- v.3 Inside the Reich Germany 1940-1944 ; Morning June-August 1944 ; Occupation Holland 1940-1944 ; Pincers August 1944-March 1945 ; Genocide 1941-1945 ; Nemesis Germany February-May 1945 ; Japan 1941-1945 ; Pacific February 1942-July 1945 -- v.4 The bomb February-September 1945 ; Reckoning</p>	<p>DVD 940.53 NEW</p> <p>VT 940.53 WOR</p> <p>VT 940.53 WOR</p> <p>DVD 940.53 WOR</p>
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	<p>on the world's stage during the 20th century and its likely future as world economic superpower. It explores the reason why Japan went to such lengths during World War II to win respect and ward off encroaching imperialism. The subsequent military occupation by the United States after the war reformed Japan and set it on the road to having a major industrial complex. The desire for economic growth in Japan has led its people to embrace the best of the West with Japanese traditions. The roll of women and their economic power is also explored. 1_videocassette (56 min.)</p> <p><u>Warbirds of world war II [videorecording]</u> 1 videorecording (74 min.)</p> <p><u>Century of warfare (Part 2): World War II (part 2)1943-1945 ; The Korean War 1950-1953 [videorecording]</u> 1 videodisc (120 min.)</p> <p><u>American History: World War II: Causes and Consequences [United Streaming]</u> Examine Hitler's occupation of Europe and the Allies' efforts to fight it. See how World War II changed American society, especially for women. Consider the relationship of the Soviet Union and the United States during the Cold War. And discover how the U.S. economic recovery after WWII ushered in an age of prosperity. (56 min.)</p> <p><u>Profiles of Courage, Controversy, and Sacrifice (WWII): Minority Units of World War II [United Streaming]</u> Highlights the contributions that minority men and women made to America's victory in World War II, despite discrimination in the armed forces and at home. The program points out the irony of racial minorities fighting abroad for democratic ideals that they were not accorded in the military or in their own country. The story begins with discussion of Benjamin O. Davis, West Point's first African American graduate, and efforts to end discrimination in the thriving war industries and in the military prior to America's entry into the war. Once President Roosevelt declares war, 100,000 African Americans volunteer for the armed services; they encounter racism in boot camp and are in placed segregated units that are assigned subordinate jobs. The program discusses the 99th Pursuit Squadron, also known as the Tuskegee Airmen; the 332nd Fighter Group; Dorie Miller's heroism at Pearl Harbor; the construction of the Ledo Road and the Alcan Highway; the Red Ball Express; the 6888th Postal Battalion; and the 92nd Infantry Division, known as the Buffalo Soldiers. The program then explores the contributions of Japanese Americans during the war. After Pearl Harbor, many Japanese Americans wanting to demonstrate their loyalty to the United States volunteer for the armed services. They serve valiantly in the 100th Infantry Battalion, also known as the Nisei Unit; the 442nd Combat Regimental Unit, and the Military Intelligence</p>	<p>VT 940.53 WAR</p> <p>DVD 940.3 CEN Part 2</p> <p>United Streaming</p> <p>United Streaming</p>
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	<p>possessions and forcibly moved to relocation camps. Out of this chaos, a segregated military unit of Japanese Americans known as the 442nd Regimental Combat Team was formed. These volunteer soldiers believed that, for the future of all Japanese Americans, they must demonstrate their allegiance to their country. This group soon became the most heavily decorated unit of its size and length of service in our nation's history. Personal letters, photographs, and evocative narratives make it clear that the fundamental struggle for tolerance, peace, and dignity was not confined to far-off World War II battlefields. "World War II: The Japanese American Experience" is excerpted from the program, "442: For the Future." (36 min.)</p> <p><u>Days That Shook the World: Attack On Pearl Harbor [United Streaming]</u> December 7, 1941, "A date that will live in infamy." So spoke President Roosevelt to Congress, referring to the Japanese surprise attack on the American Pacific Fleet anchored at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. Through a series of eyewitness accounts, actual footage, and dramatized reenactment, hour-by-hour descriptions of the Japanese preparation, fateful attack, horrifying aftermath, and remarkable rebuilding of the American fleet are presented. While the attack facilitated the United States' entry into WWII, serious questions (and some disturbing answers) are also raised as to the lack of preparedness of the Navy. (50 min.)</p> <p><u>Discovering History: 20th-Century Biographies: WWII Political Leaders [United Streaming]</u> Meet the world leaders responsible for the outbreak and battles of World War II. Segments cover Josef Stalin, Chiang Kai-shek, Charles de Gaulle, Adolf Hitler, Hermann Goering, Hideki Tojo, and Benito Mussolini. (30 min.)</p> <p><u>Discovering History: 20th-Century Biographies: World Statesmen [United Streaming]</u> Are great statesmen born or made? Explore the lives and actions of some of the 20th century's most notable politicians. Segments cover David Lloyd George, Neville Chamberlain, Winston Churchill, Mohandas Gandhi, and Ralph Bunche. (30 min.)</p>	<p>United Streaming</p> <p>United Streaming</p> <p>United Streaming</p>
<p>THE DISSOLUTION OF EMPIRES AND DECOLONIZATION</p> <p>🕒 What made Gandhi so successful in confronting the British in India?</p> <p>🕒 What made Nkrumah in Ghana distinctive?</p> <p>🕒 Since they used partition in India, why didn't the British use partition in Palestine to create</p>	<p><u>Mahatma Gandhi: pilgrim of peace [videorecording]</u> Examines Mahatma Gandhi's life and the events that shaped his philosophy. 1 videocassette (45 min.)</p> <p><u>Gandhi [videorecording]</u> Biography of Mahatma Gandhi, India's man of peace, following his life from simple beginnings as a lawyer in South Africa to his struggle to free India from colonial rule. 2 videocassettes (187 min.)</p>	<p>DVD B GAN</p> <p>VT B GAN</p>

<p>separate states for the Jews and the Palestinians?</p> <p>🕒 By relying on glasnost and perestroika, did Gorbachev insure the breakup of the Soviet Union?</p>	<p><u>Discovering History: 20th-Century Biographies: World Statesmen [United Streaming]</u> Are great statesmen born or made? Explore the lives and actions of some of the 20th century's most notable politicians. Segments cover David Lloyd George, Neville Chamberlain, Winston Churchill, Mohandas Gandhi, and Ralph Bunche. (30 min.)</p> <p><u>Israel & Palestine: the roots of conflict [videorecording]</u> In 1947, the United Nations proposed a plan to partition Palestine and create a homeland for Jewish people. More than 50 years later, conflict between Jews and Palestinians is still unresolved--and it is often marked by violence. Learn the history of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict, and the historical claims to the land that both sides have made. 1 videocassette (126 min.)</p>	<p>United Streaming</p> <p>VT 956 ISR</p>

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