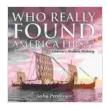
Who Really Found America First? Children Modern History

The history of America's discovery is a complex and fascinating one. While Christopher Columbus is often credited with being the first European to discover America, there is evidence to suggest that he may not have been the first. In fact, there is growing evidence to suggest that children may have been the first to discover America.



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The Evidence

There are a number of pieces of evidence that support the theory that children may have been the first to discover America. First, there is the fact that children are naturally curious and adventurous. They are always exploring their surroundings and looking for new things to learn. This natural curiosity and adventurous spirit would have made them ideal candidates for exploring a new land.

Second, there is the fact that children are often able to see things that adults cannot. They are not as jaded by the world and are more likely to notice things that adults might miss. This ability to see things that adults cannot would have given children a distinct advantage when it came to exploring a new land.

Finally, there is the fact that children are often more resilient than adults. They are more likely to bounce back from setbacks and are less likely to give up. This resilience would have been essential for surviving in a new and unfamiliar land.

The Vikings

The Vikings are one of the most likely groups of people to have discovered America before Columbus. The Vikings were a seafaring people who were known for their exploration and raiding. They had a number of settlements in Greenland and Iceland, and there is evidence to suggest that they may have also reached North America.

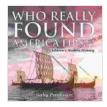
In 1960, a group of archaeologists discovered a Viking settlement at L'Anse aux Meadows in Newfoundland. This settlement is believed to have been built around 1000 AD, which is about 500 years before Columbus arrived in the Americas. The settlement contains the remains of several buildings, including a longhouse, a smithy, and a boatbuilding shed. It is clear that the Vikings were living in North America for some time, and it is possible that they may have even explored the interior of the continent.

The Chinese

The Chinese are another group of people who may have discovered America before Columbus. In 1421, a Chinese fleet led by Admiral Zheng He sailed around the world. It is possible that this fleet reached the Americas, and there is some evidence to support this theory. In 1492, a Chinese ship was found off the coast of Mexico. The ship was carrying a number of Chinese goods, including porcelain, silk, and tea. This suggests that the Chinese may have been trading with the Americas before Columbus arrived.

The evidence suggests that it is possible that children may have been the first to discover America. They are naturally curious and adventurous, they are able to see things that adults cannot, and they are more resilient than adults. These qualities would have made them ideal candidates for exploring a new land.

Of course, it is also possible that other groups of people, such as the Vikings or the Chinese, may have discovered America before Columbus. However, the evidence is inconclusive, and it is impossible to say for certain who really found America first.

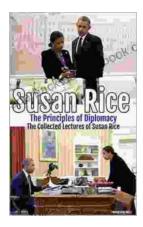


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