



The Valley of the Kings

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How many tombs are in the Valley of the Kings?

- There are over 60 tombs in total

What is the Valley of the Kings?

- The Valley of the Kings was a great burial ground for the pharaohs, most of the tombs have been looted by robbers
- The most important discovery was by Howard Carter in 1922, very recently an untouched tomb was discovered



When and where were the Valley of the Kings built?

- They were built in 1500 BC, which is around 3,500 years ago.
- The Valley of the Kings are situated 300 miles South of Cairo, on the west bank of the River Nile, in Egypt.



Tutankhamun

Did you know?

Tut had a boat in his tomb because they believed it would help him travel to the afterlife

- Tutankhamun was one of the pharaoh's who was buried in the Valley of the Kings.
- He became a King when he was 9 years old and he died suddenly at the age of 19
- Tutankhamun is one of the most famous Kings because his tomb had the most treasure still in his tomb
- In the burial chamber the pharaoh's mummy was wearing a golden death mask and was inside a coffin made of 100kg of solid gold

