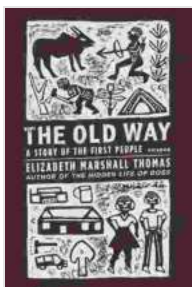


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The Story of the First People is an epic journey of discovery and survival that tells the story of the first humans to arrive in North America. These early migrants crossed the Bering Land Bridge from Asia to Alaska around 15,000 years ago, and from there they spread throughout the continent, eventually reaching the southern tip of South America.

The journey of the first people was a long and difficult one. They faced many challenges along the way, including extreme weather conditions, dangerous animals, and hostile terrain. But they also displayed great resilience and adaptability, and they eventually succeeded in creating a new home for themselves in the Americas.

The Story of the First People is a fascinating and important story. It is a story of human courage, ingenuity, and survival. It is also a story of the deep connection between the Native American people and the land. This book is a must-read for anyone interested in the history of the Americas and the people who have shaped its destiny.

The Bering Land Bridge



The Bering Land Bridge was a landmass that connected Asia and North America during the last ice age. This land bridge allowed the first humans to cross from Asia to Alaska around 15,000 years ago. The Bering Land Bridge was eventually flooded by rising sea levels, but it left behind a legacy of human migration and cultural exchange.

The Clovis Culture

I will always remember my first day at summer school. When I woke up it was a bright, sunny morning- nothing like the awful English weather I'd heard about so often. I was thrilled to be studying in London and the Smiths, the family I was staying with, were very kind and friendly to me. I quickly got ready, had breakfast, then rushed out, feeling very excited.

When I arrived, the college building was huge and I wasn't sure where my classroom was. There was a sea of strange faces and I felt as if it was my first day at primary school.

Suddenly, I saw someone I thought looked like a girl from my home town. I was amazed when I heard her call out to me.

"Juanita! What are you doing here?" she said.

"Wow, Maria, it really is you!" I replied, explaining that I was a student at the summer school. Imagine our surprise when we realized we were both doing the same course!

The summer school turned out to be as good as I had hoped, and my English improved enormously. Needless to say, Maria and I had great time while we were there, and made lots of new friends from all over the world. She was the last person I had expected to see, but it certainly made the first day one that I will never forget.

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The Clovis Culture was one of the first cultures to emerge in North America after the arrival of the first humans. The Clovis people were nomadic hunters who lived in small bands. They were skilled at hunting large animals, such as mammoths and mastodons. The Clovis Culture is named after the town of Clovis, New Mexico, where the first Clovis points were found.

The Folsom Culture

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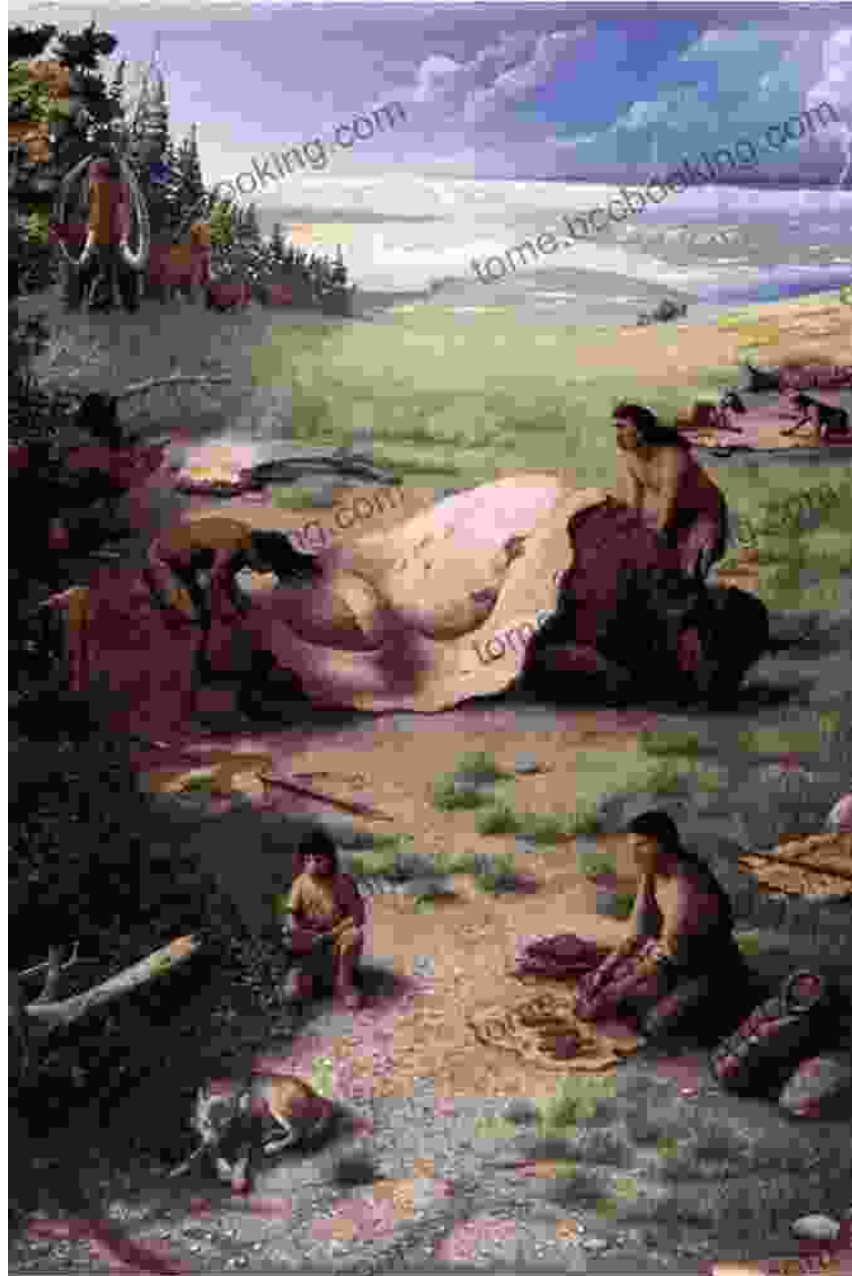
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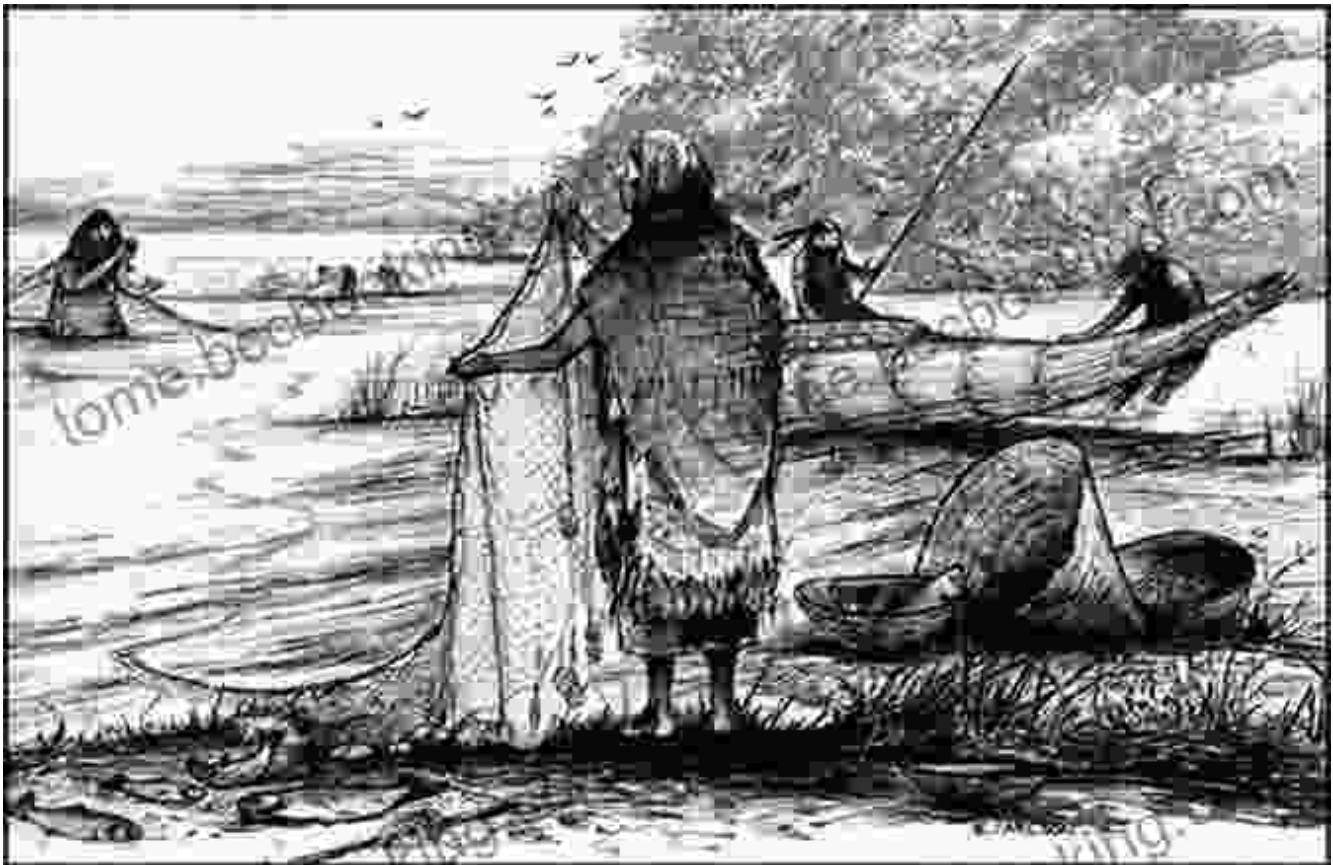
The Folsom Culture was another early culture that emerged in North America. The Folsom people were also nomadic hunters, but they were more specialized than the Clovis people. They hunted bison and other large animals. The Folsom Culture is named after the town of Folsom, Colorado, where the first Folsom points were found.

The Paleo-Indian Period



The Paleo-Indian Period is the time period from the arrival of the first humans in North America to the development of agriculture around 5,000 years ago. During this period, the Paleo-Indians were nomadic hunters and gatherers who lived in small bands. They hunted a variety of animals, including bison, deer, elk, and mammoths. They also gathered plants, fruits, and nuts.

The Archaic Period



The Archaic Period is the time period from 5,000 years ago to the development of pottery around 2,000 years ago. During this period, the Archaic Indians began to develop more settled lifestyles. They built permanent villages and began to cultivate crops. They also hunted and fished. The Archaic Indians developed a variety of technologies, including pottery, bows and arrows, and fishing nets.

The Woodland Period



The Woodland Period is the time period from 2,000 years ago to the arrival of Europeans in the Americas. During this period, the Woodland Indians developed a complex culture based on agriculture. They built longhouses and villages. They also developed a variety of arts and crafts, including pottery, weaving, and woodworking. The Woodland Indians were also skilled hunters and fishermen.

The Mississippian Period



The Mississippian Period is the time period from 1,000 years ago to the arrival of Europeans in the Americas. During this period, the Mississippian Indians developed a complex civilization based on agriculture. They built large mounds and cities. They also developed a variety of arts and crafts, including pottery, weaving, and metalworking. The Mississippian Indians were also skilled hunters and fishermen.

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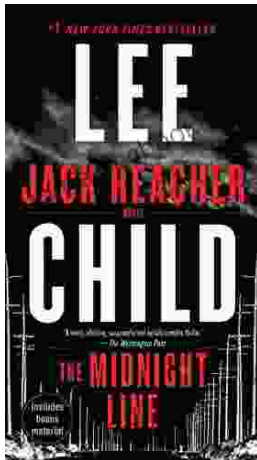


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