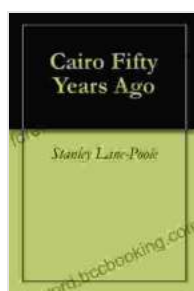


Journey Back in Time: Delving into Cairo's Enchanting Past with Stanley Lane Poole's Masterpiece

Embark on a captivating journey through the vibrant streets of Cairo as it existed half a century ago, guided by the insightful pen of renowned orientalist Stanley Lane Poole. His timeless work, "Cairo Fifty Years Ago," paints a vivid and alluring portrait of Egypt's enigmatic capital, capturing its essence through a lens of profound knowledge and appreciation.



Cairo Fifty Years Ago by Stanley Lane-Poole

★★★★☆ 4 out of 5

Language	: English
File size	: 574 KB
Text-to-Speech	: Enabled
Screen Reader	: Supported
Enhanced typesetting	: Enabled
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Through Poole's captivating narrative, we are transported back in time to a bygone era where the Nile River flows majestically, the bustling souks teem with life, and the enigmatic monuments of ancient Egypt stand as silent witnesses to the passage of time.

A City of Contrasts and Enchantment

Poole's writing masterfully evokes the enchanting contrasts of Cairo, a city where the modernity of European influences seamlessly blends with the timeless traditions of the East. He paints a picture of bustling streets filled with fez-wearing merchants, veiled women, and donkey-drawn carts, all amidst the grandeur of mosques, palaces, and the towering minarets of Al-Azhar University.

Poole captures the essence of Cairo's bazaars, where the air is thick with the scents of spices, the chatter of vendors, and the intricate craftsmanship of artisans. He vividly describes the vibrant street life, where jugglers, snake charmers, and storytellers entertain the curious crowd.



Portraits of People and Customs

Beyond the city's physical beauty, Poole delves deeply into the lives and customs of Cairo's inhabitants. He portrays the diverse tapestry of Egyptian society, from the wealthy pashas and foreign diplomats to the humble street

vendors and artisans. Through his insightful observations, we gain a profound understanding of the complex social dynamics and cultural traditions that shape the city.

Poole captures the essence of Egyptian hospitality, the warmth of family life, and the deep-rooted religious beliefs that permeate society. He provides a nuanced exploration of the coexistence of different faiths, shedding light on the harmonious interactions between Muslims, Christians, and Jews.



The Allure of Ancient Egypt

Cairo's allure extends far beyond its vibrant streets and captivating people. As the gateway to the ancient wonders of Egypt, the city offers an irresistible draw to explorers and history enthusiasts. Poole dedicates a

significant portion of his book to recounting his experiences visiting the pyramids of Giza, the Valley of the Kings, and other iconic sites.

With a keen eye for detail, Poole describes the grandeur of these ancient structures, their intricate carvings, and the stories they whisper of a long-lost civilization. His writings transport us to a realm of pharaohs, hieroglyphs, and the mysteries of a forgotten past.



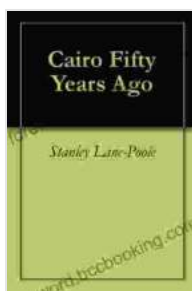
An Enduring Legacy

Stanley Lane Poole's "Cairo Fifty Years Ago" remains a captivating read today, offering a timeless glimpse into a city that has simultaneously preserved its ancient heritage while embracing the march of progress. Through his vivid prose and profound insights, Poole immortalizes the

essence of Cairo as it existed in the late 19th century, providing a valuable historical record for generations to come.

For those who seek to understand the heart of Cairo, to delve into its rich tapestry of people, customs, and history, "Cairo Fifty Years Ago" is an essential companion. Its pages hold the key to unlocking the timeless allure of this enigmatic and captivating city.

Embark on your own journey through time. Free Download your copy of Stanley Lane Poole's "Cairo Fifty Years Ago" today and experience the magic of this extraordinary city for yourself.



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