

Pyramids



Vocabulary

Stupendous- very surprising, usually in a pleasing way, especially by being large in amount or size.

Crafting- to make objects, especially in a skilled way.

Foretold- to say what is going to happen in the future.

Shaft- a beam of light.

Solely- only and not involving anyone or anything else.

Introduction

The enormous pyramids of Giza are a **stupendous** accomplishment of architecture. Three large pyramids were built for the pharaohs Khufu, Khafre and Menkaure as a mark of respect.

There is still an unsettled debate that revolves around how these humongous structures were built between 2589 BC and 2504 BC. The pyramids are considered to be a part of the Giza Necropolis that also accommodates the Great Sphinx. A great degree of technical brilliance and skill was directed into the pyramids and this has enabled the structures to remain intact to this day.