

HISTORY VIDEOS



HS VTV 973.7 ABR

ABRAHAM AND MARY LINCOLN: A HOUSE DIVIDED

3 videocassettes.

A six part program which examines the Lincolns' family life and marriage, Abraham Lincoln's presidency, and the Civil War era.

HS VTV 939.1 AEG

AEGEAN: LEGACY OF ATLANTIS

Time Life's lost civilizations.

Archaeologists are unearthing data that may support the existence of the island Atlantis, once thought to be only a legend. This is an exploration of the area that is considered to be the cradle of western culture.

HS VTV 958.104 AFG

AFGHANISTAN REVEALED

Narrator, Jonathan Bryce.

Provides a vivid portrait of Afghanistan, featuring in-depth interviews with the late Afghan resistance leader Ahman Shad Massoud, and Taliban soldiers being held by the Northern Alliance; and looks at refugees who speak of their suffering from the effects of Taliban rule.

HS VTV 960 AFR

AFRICA: A HISTORY DENIED

Time Life's lost civilizations.

Because the white settlers of Africa couldn't believe that natives were responsible for the once great kingdoms of Great Zimbabwe and the Swahili Coast, these ancient cultures were either credited to wandering Phoenicians, the Queen of Sheba or other white travelers. Now the place where human history began is being reclaimed by descendants of those lost cultures, and the glories of their accomplishments are revealed.

HS VTV 973.0496 AFR

AFRICANS IN AMERICA: AMERICA'S JOURNEY THROUGH SLAVERY

4 videocassettes.

This program follows the history of American slavery from its birth to the Civil War. Considers the contradictions that lie at the heart of the founding of the American nation. The infant democracy pronounced all men to be created equal while enslaving one race to benefit another. Portrays the struggles of the African people in America, from their arrival in the 1600s to the last days of the Civil War.

HS VTV 942.042 AGI

AGINCOURT: KING HENRY'S TRIUMPH

Presents the battle at Agincourt in 1415, where a small English force gained the victory over the French Army, which numbered 30,000 men. Led by King Henry V, the English victory was in large part due to their possession of the most deadly war weapon of the age - the English Longbow.

HS VTV 364.1092 ALC

AL CAPONE: THE UNTOUCHABLE LEGEND

Howard Nightingall, narrator.

Depicts the rise and fall of "Scarface," and also looks behind the myths at the private family man.

HS VTV 940.5428 ALA

ALASKA AT WAR

An account of World War II as it was experienced in Alaska, from war preparedness to the bombing of Dutch Harbor on Unalaska Island, the occupation of Kiska and Attu by Japanese forces, and their eventual expulsion from Attu in a bloody battle and subsequent evacuation of Kiska. Also discusses the ferrying of lend-lease airplanes to the Soviet Union, the fate of the Aleuts during the war, and the impact World War II had on Alaska economically and socially.

HS VTV 967.73053 AMB

AMBUSH IN MOGADISHU

Narrator, Will Lyman.

Frontline investigates what went wrong with the peacekeeping mission in Mogadishu. On Oct. 3, 1993, elite units of the U.S. Army's Rangers and Delta Force were pinned down on the streets of Mogadishu by forces of Somali warlord, Mohammed Farah Aidid. Eighteen American soldiers died and seventy-five were wounded. The incident caused the U.S. to rethink its response to the world's humanitarian crises. Includes new charges that Osama bin Laden's Al Qaeda network trained and supported the Somali fighters responsible for the attack.

HS VTV 629.13092 AME

AMELIA EARHART

Chronicles the life of Amelia Earhart, as a pioneer in aviation and the remarkable publicity machine that kept her constantly in the limelight. This film does not focus especially on her mysterious death, but on her life.

HS VTV 629.13092 AME

AMELIA EARHART

What is the explanation of why Amelia Earhart disappeared in 1937 and never has been found?

HS VTV 940.5315 AME

AMERICA AND THE HOLOCAUST: DECEIT AND INDIFFERENCE

Uses interviews, official photos, home movies, and archival footage to explore the factors that shaped America's response to the Holocaust and asks the question "Why didn't America do more?" Looks at America's inaction through the experiences of a Jewish refugee trying to save his parents, and through documented evidence of official policy of the U.S. government.

HS VTV 793.31973 AME

AMERICA DANCES! 1897-1948: A COLLECTOR'S EDITION OF SOCIAL DANCE IN FILM

Includes 60 historical dance film clips from the first part of the 20th century in the United States, recording changing dance trends, expertise, and taste, and reflecting United States culture through the years. This dance retrospective spans the panorama from average Americans dancing in newsreels to top quality performers who left a legacy of dance moves across the ballroom floor.

HS VTV 355.331 AME

AMERICAN CAESER: GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, 1880 - 1964

Based on William Manchester's Pulitzer winning biography. Narrated by John Calicos.

v. 1. I shall return - - v. 2. The green hell - - v. 3. Death of an empire - - v. 4. The last shogun.

HS VTV 973.917 AME

AMERICA IN THE '40'S: A SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY

3 videocassettes.

It was the most momentous decade of the century: ten years of triumphs and tragedies, heartaches and heroics, hopes and humor. This series looks at the fads, the fun, the hits, the headlines, the hometown life ... and the decades' best-loved stars from stage, screen, radio, records and early TV.

v. 1. 1940 - 1942 -- v. 2. 1942 - 1945 -- v. 3. 1945 - 1949.

HS VTV 970.01 AME

AMERICA: THE NEW FOUND LAND V. 1

Explains how the white man got to North America and what he was seeking. Describes the arrival of the Spanish, the French, and the British in North America. Created by Alistair Cooke, produced by the BBC and Time-Life Video. 13 volumes.

HS VTV 973 AME

AMERICA: HOME AWAY FROM HOME V. 2

HS VTV 973 AME

AMERICA: MAKING A REVOLUTION V. 3

HS VTV 973 AME
AMERICA: INVENTING A NATION V. 4

HS VTV 978 AME
AMERICA: GONE WEST V. 5

Looks at the Louisiana Purchase, the Lewis and Clark Expedition, the exploration of the distant reaches of the waterways, the forcing of Indian nations west of the Mississippi, and the California gold rush.

HS VTV 973 AME
AMERICA: FIREBELL IN THE NIGHT V. 6

HS VTV 973 AME
AMERICA: DOMESTICATING A WILDERNESS V. 7

HS VTV 973 AME
AMERICA: MONEY ON THE LAND V. 8

HS VTV 973 AME
AMERICA: THE HUDDLED MASSES V. 9

HS VTV 973 AME
AMERICA: THE PROMISE FULFILLED AND THE PROMISE BROKEN V. 10

HS VTV 973 AME
AMERICA: THE ARSENAL V. 11

HS VTV 973 AME
AMERICA: THE FIRST IMPACT V. 12

HS VTV 973 AME
AMERICA: THE MORE ABUNDANT LIFE V. 13

HS VTV 917.3 AME
AMERICA'S STATE CAPITALS

The fast-passed program intertwines history and geography with points of interest and fascinating facts about the 50 capital cities.

HS VTV 970.01 AME
AMERICA'S STONE AGE EXPLORERS: WHERE DID THE FIRST AMERICANS COME FROM?

Archaeological experts and others challenge the theory that the first Americans arrived in America around 13,500 years ago and suggest possibilities that they could have arrived even sooner.

HS VTV 973 AME

AMERICAN CLASSICS

4 videocassettes.

Host/narrator: Dick Clark.

v. 1. *Defining a nation* -- v. 2. *America in motion* -- v. 3. *America transformed, 1950-2000* -- v. 4. *Let us entertain you.*

"Filled with fabulous tales, surprising revelations and illuminating insights into the national psyche, American Classics uses generations of American icons as guideposts on a nostalgic journey through our history and heritage. At each stop along the way, experts examine the significance of the symbols we embrace, shedding light on how we view ourselves as individuals and as a country, and how America appears to the rest of the world. Marilyn Monroe and Muhammad Ali, the covered wagon and the Corvette, GI Joe and the Good Humor Man-- all these and many more share the spotlight in this unforgettable trip into the essence of America"--Container.

HS VTV 973.0992 AME

THE AMERICAN PRESIDENT

5 videocassettes.

Ten one-hour documentaries that focus on different aspects of character and governing style of the men who have served as President of the United States. [v. 1] A matter of destiny: episode 1. Family ties (J.Q. Adams, B. Harrison, F. Roosevelt, Kennedy) ; episode 2. Happenstance (Tyler, Fillmore, A. Johnson, Arthur, Truman) -- [v. 2] Politics and the presidency: episode 3. An independent cast of mind (J. Adams, Taylor, Hayes, Carter); episode 4. The professional politician (Van Buren, Buchanan, Lincoln, L. Johnson) -- [v. 3] Executive vision: episode 5. The American way (Jefferson, Coolidge, Hoover, Reagan); episode 6. The world stage (McKinley, Wilson, Bush) -- [v. 4] The candidate: episode 7. The heroic posture (Washington, W.H. Harrison, Grant, Eisenhower); episode 8. Compromise choices (Pierce, Garfield, Harding, Ford) -- [v. 5] An office and its powers: episode 9. Expanding power (Jackson, Cleveland, T. Roosevelt, Nixon); episode 10. The balance of power (Madison, Polk, Taft, Clinton).

HS VTV 973.3 AME

AMERICAN REVOLUTION

6 videocassettes.

1. *The conflict ignites* - - 2. *1776* - - 3. *Washington and Arnold* - - 4. *The world at war* - - 5. *England's last chance* - - 6. *Birth of the Republic.*

This story of the American Revolution uses reenactments, commentaries by historical and military advisers and historical materials featuring the people, places and events from 1773 to the end of the war.

HS VTV 920.72 AME

AMERICAN WOMEN OF ACHIEVEMENT - VIDEO COLLECTION

10 videocassettes.

1. Abigail Adams -- 2. Jane Addams -- 3. Marian Anderson -- 4. Susan B. Anthony -- 5. Clara Barton -- 6. Emily Dickinson -- 7. Amelia Earhart -- 8. Helen Keller -- 9. Sandra Day O'Connor -- 10. Wilma Rudolph.

HS VTV 385.0973 AME

AMERICA'S RAILROADS: THE STEAM TRAIN LEGACY

7 videocassettes.

In this comprehensive video series relive the thrill of journeying aboard the railroad cars, watching the changing American landscape and the eventual passing of the legacy of the golden age of steam trains.

v. 1. Last of the giants. Big trains rolling -- v. 2. A great railroad at work -- v. 3. This is my railroad -- v. 4. The steam locomotive. The freight yard. The railroad signal -- v. 5. Progress of the rails. Wheels of steel. Clear track ahead -- v. 6. Opening a new frontier. The George Washington Railroad. The railroad story -- v. 7. The golden age of steam trains.

HS VTV 932 ANC

ANCIENT EGYPT: A JOURNEY BACK IN TIME

"This program visits, explores and restores such wonders as the Temples at Al Karnak and Luxor, the Temple at Abu Simnel and the Mortuary Temple of Hatsepsut."--Container.

HS VTV 938 ANC

ANCIENT GREECE: A JOURNEY BACK IN TIME

Discusses the history and culture of ancient Greece, and views the Acropolis, the Parthenon, the remains at Delphi, and the temple of Zeus.

HS VTV 956.9442 ANC

ANCIENT JERUSALEM: A JOURNEY BACK IN TIME

The story of the holy city, and the dominant building, the Temple, which once contained the Ark of the Covenant. The video visits the sacred city, exploring its famous walls and gates, and the mysterious temple.

HS VTV 937 ANC

ANCIENT ROME

The Roman Empire gave history one of its most eventful and colorful periods: its legacy remains for all to see in the incredible buildings, temples and theatres of the ancient city. Places such as the Forum, the Colosseum and the Pantheon hang heavy with the atmosphere of distant glories, providing fascinating echoes of a truly remarkable people.

HS VTV 937 ANC

ANCIENT ROME

4 videocassettes.

Historical documentary that chronicles the history and legend of ancient Rome from Romulus and Remus to the rise of Christianity. Ancient accounts reveal the everyday life of Romans and extensive footage highlights the antiquities and treasures of Roman sites throughout Europe and the Near East.

v. 1. The Republic of Rome - - v. 2. The age of Emperors - - v. 3. Building an empire - - v. 4. The enduring legacy.

HS VTV 973.771 AND

ANDERSONVILLE: THE GREAT UNTOLD STORY OF THE CIVIL WAR

HS VTV 940.534 ANN

ANNE FRANK REMEMBERED

The video features vintage newsreels, photographs and even rare home movie to look beyond the celebrated pages of Anne's diary.

HS VTV 998 ANT

ANTARCTICA: A FROZEN HISTORY

Explores the surprisingly rich history of man's presence at the bottom of the world, from 18th-century accounts of discovery like those of Captain Cook to the work conducted at modern research stations. Through adventure diaries, rare photos and newspaper accounts of their heroic exploits, we'll cross the continent in the footsteps of legendary explorers like Amundsen, Scott and Shackleton, tracing the extent of their journeys and visiting the sites forever transformed by their presence. We'll also tour the remote glaciers, frozen bays and otherworldly landscapes of this extraordinary continent, which is unlikely ever to surrender its title as the most desolate place on earth.

HS VTV 956.94 ARA

ARAB & JEW: RETURN TO THE PROMISED LAND

Combining new material with interviews that appeared in the original program, "Arab & Jew, wounded spirits in a promised land" this documentary examines the tension between Arabs and Jews living within lands under jurisdiction of the Israeli state, including the West Bank and the Gaza Strip, and explores their prejudices, stereotypes, and interactions.

HS VTV 977.866 ARC

THE ARCH

A documentary about the Saint Louis Arch, the Gateway Arch, that rises over the Mississippi River and symbolizes the westward expansion of the United States. This construction and engineering milestone was built in 1967, is 630 feet tall, contains 40,000 tons of steel and concrete, and is the biggest man-made arch in the world.

HS VTV 940.54 ARM

ARMY NAVY SCREEN MAGAZINE

7 videocassettes.

Includes segments from The screen magazine, a biweekly news and information film that was shown before the featured film in all military motion picture theaters during World War II.

HS VTV 938 ATH

ATHENS & ANCIENT GREECE

Ancient Greece and 25 of its most significant structures and monuments of the Golden Age come alive as customs and daily life are revealed through computer graphics, archival film, and classic art.

HS VTV 327.174 AVO

AVOIDING ARMAGEDDON: OUR FUTURE. OUR CHOICE

4 videocassettes.

1. Silent killers, poisons & plagues -- 2. Nuclear nightmares, losing control -- 3. The new face of terror, upping the ante -- 4. Confronting terrorism, turning the tide.

"Avoiding armageddon examines the threats posed by nuclear, chemical and biological weapons and brings viewers face-to-face with the people racing to use them. It looks at the explosive connection between terrorism and these weapons."-- Container.

HS VTV 940.544 VIC

THE B-24: THE VICTORY BOMBERS

3 videocassettes .

Experience the incredible story of U.S. air power and the destruction of Axis powers around the world. This is the story of the brave men who flew the lethal B-24 bombers. Features the B-24 and other bombers and fighters in the European and Pacific theaters of World War II.

Tape 1. Bombers over Normandy -- Tape 2. Target Nazi Europe --Tape 3. Target Japan.

HS VTV 792.028 BAR

THE BARRYMORES

"Gary Sinise hosts this feature-length look at the legendary Barrymores, tracing their long list of professional accomplishments and examining the scandals, setbacks, and self-inflicted wounds that are as much a part of their reputation as their talent. From Maurice Barrymore's 19th-century career to the turbulent life of his great-great-granddaughter Drew, Biography uses family photos, scores of clips and interviews with friends and family members to explore the astonishing legacy of the Barrymores."--A&E website.

HS VTV 940.5421 BAT

THE BATTLE FOR EISENBORN RIDGE: THE STORY OF THE 99TH INFANTRY DIVISION IN THE BATTLE OF THE BULGE

In December 1944, the men of the 99th Infantry Division took part in the greatest pitched battle the United States has ever fought. It was the scene of some of the fiercest fighting of World War II, and the single largest battle on the Western front. This is the story of the men of the 99th Infantry Division.

HS VTV 940.5421 BAT

THE BATTLE FOR ITALY

The easy capture of Sicily in 1943 led the Allies to expect a rout of Rome. But Hitler had no intention of relinquishing Italy, leading to a brutal campaign.

HS VTV 940.5423 BAT

THE BATTLE FOR NORTH AFRICA

"Part One portrays the men and machines that once shook the earth in a parched, far-off land, a major turning point in the war that changed civilization. Part Two depicts the violent thrusts and parries of some of the greatest commanders of the Second World War. With never-before-seen archival footage and computer graphics." -- Slipcases.

HS VTV 940.5421 BAT

THE BATTLE FOR RUSSIA

Hitler pitched 75% of his entire army into his campaign to crush Moscow; but Stalin's hardy forces -- aided and abetted by the brutal Slavic winter -- refused to buckle.

HS VTV 940.545 BAT

THE BATTLE OF THE ATLANTIC

1940. Hitler's U-boats roamed the sea in "wolfpacks." The North Atlantic had been turned into a vast, blood-soaked theater of war.

HS VTV 940.5421 BAT

THE BATTLE OF BERLIN

Both Hitler and Stalin ruled through intimidation and terror. The fervor they generated sparked the most bitter, savage and horrific battle of World War II -- the battle of Berlin.

HS VTV 940.5421 BAT

THE BATTLE OF BRITAIN

Illustrates Hitler's repeated attempts to force Churchill to the bargaining table, Herman Goering's failure with his elite corps which did not bomb the RAF into submission, the bad strategy for invading Britain, the superiority of German aircraft over British, and the superiority of German pilots over British. However, the greatest air battle ever gradually swung to the British.

HS VTV 940.5421 BAT

THE BATTLE OF FRANCE

Examines how Hitler's campaign to seize France led to the evacuation of 338,000 Allied troops at Dunkirk -- but laid the seeds for his eventual defeat.

HS VTV 940.5426 BAT

THE BATTLE OF LEYTE GULF

The American forces at Leyte Gulf were sitting ducks. The Japanese assault would be brutal, bloody, and decisive -- unless the Americans could muster the cunning, skill and audacity to fight back.

HS VTV 940.5426 BAT

THE BATTLE OF MIDWAY

U.S. code breakers discovered that Midway Island was to be the next target after Hawaii. The Japanese outnumbered the Americans, their pilots were more experienced, their aircraft superior, and Japanese morale was high, but Japan's fleet was vulnerable.

HS VTV 940.5421 BAT

THE BATTLE OF NORMANDY

Archival footage and computer graphics examine the men, the tactics, and the strife of the landing at Normandy on "D-Day", a pivotal battle of World War II.

HS VTV 940.5421 BAT

THE BATTLE OF STALINGRAD

Examine the factors that led to the battle for Stalingrad, with archival footage of the preparation, the battles, and the horrors of war.

HS VTV 940.5421 BAT

THE BATTLE OF THE RHINE

Though briefly humiliated at Arnheim, the Allies plunged onward toward Berlin in late 1944, drunk with confidence -- and dangerously underestimated their German foes.

HS VTV 959.7043 BAT

BATTLEFIELD VIETNAM

12 videocassettes.

Computer graphics and archival footage illustrate many facets of the various battles of the Vietnam era.

v. 1. Countdown to Tet - - v. 2. The Tet offensive - - v. 3. Search and destroy - - v. 4. Showdown in the Iron Triangle - - v. 5. War on the DMZ - - v. 6. Siege at Khe Sanh - -v. 7. Air war Vietnam - - v. 8. Rolling thunder - - v. 9. Peace with honor - - v. 10. The fall of Saigon - - v. 11. Dien Bien Phu, the legacy - - v. 12. The undeclared war.

HS VTV 973.3092 BEN

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN

Traces Franklin's life from humble beginnings to fame as a scientist, founding father, and America's first diplomat to France.

HS VTV 358.4009 BEY

BEYOND THE WILD BLUE: A HISTORY OF THE U.S. AIR FORCE

5 videocassettes.

A 5 volume history describing the evolution of the Air Force and the major conflicts and events that were instrumental in shaping it.

v.1. Disintegration and rebirth -- v. 2. Korea, SAC and the ICBMs -- v.

3. Vietnam, the endless abyss -- v. 4. Rebuilding for space -- v. 5. Desert Storm to the future.

HS VTV 356.113 BIG

THE BIG RED ONE: 75 YEARS OF TRADITION

Traces the history of The Big Red One from its establishment in 1917, through WW I, WW II, Vietnam and Desert Storm. Includes documentary footage and interviews with veterans of the First Division. The First Infantry Division of the U.S. Army celebrated its 75th anniversary on June 8, 1992, at Fort Riley, Kansas.

HS VTV 920 BIO
BIOGRAPHY MILLENNIUM

4 videocassettes.

Gives brief biographies of 100 of the most influential people of the past 1000 years.

v. 1. #100 Suleyman I; #99 Vasco da Gama; #98 Louis Armstrong; #97 Jonas Salk ; #96 Enrico Caruso; #95 Charlie Chaplin; #94 Patient Zero; #93 Eleanor Roosevelt ; #92 Florence Nightingale; #91 Steven Spielberg; #90 Louis Daguerre; #89 Susan B. Anthony; #88 J. Robert Oppenheimer; #87 Rachel Carson; #86 James Joyce; #85 Ronald Reagan; #84 Guglieimo Marcon; #83 Peter the Great; #82 Niels Bohr; #81 Nelson Mandela; #80 Elizabeth I; #79 Joseph Stalin; #78 Isabella I; #77 Thomas Hobbes; #76 The Beatles; #75 Gregory Pincus; #74 Enrico Fermi; #73 Princess Diana; #72 Simon Bolivar; #71 Harriet Tubman; #70 Pope Gregory VII; #69 William Harvey; #68 Benjamin Franklin; #67 Vladimir Zworkin; #66 D.W. Griffith; #65 Werner Heisenberg; #64 Pablo Picasso; #63 Jane Austin; -- v. 2. #62 Walt Disney; #61 Michael Faraday; #60 Franklin D. Roosevelt; #59 Immanuel Kant; #58 Joan of Arc; #57 Elvis Presley; #56 Elizabeth Cady Stanton; #55 Ferdinand Magellan; #54 Marco Polo; #53 Marie Curie; #52 Winston Churchill; #51 Edward Jenner; #50 Margaret Sanger ; #49 Mikhail Gorbachev ; #48 Mary Wollstonecraft; #47 Charles Babbage; #46 Niccolo Machiavelli; #45 William the Conqueror; #44 Alexander Graham Bell; #43 Mao Zedong; #42 Gregor Mendel; #41 Bill Gates; #40 Wright Brothers; #39 Dante Alighieri; #38 Francis Bacon; #37 Voltaire; #36 Alexander Fleming ; #35 Vladimir Lenin ; #34 Jean-Jacques Rousseau; #33 Martin Luther King Jr.; #32 Rene Descartes; #31 Watson & Crick; #30 Ludwig Van Beethoven; #29 Henry Ford; #28 Johann Sebastian Bach; #27 Napoleon Bonaparte; #26 Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart -- v.3. #25 James Watt; #24 Saint Thomas Aquinas; #23 Abraham Lincoln; #22 Genghis Khan; #21 George Washington; #20 Adam Smith; #19 Michelangelo; #18 John Locke; #17 Mahatma Gandhi; #16 Adolf Hitler; #15 Thomas Jefferson; #14 Thomas Edison; #13 Louis Pasteur; #12 Sigmund Freud; #11 Leonardo Da Vinci -- v.4. #10 Galileo Galilei; #9 Nicolaus Copernicus; #8 Albert Einstein; #7 Karl Marx; #6 Christopher Columbus; #5 William Shakespeare; #4 Charles Darwin; #3 Martin Luther; #2 Isaac Newton; #1 Johann Gutenberg.

HS VTV 940.544 BIR

BIRTH OF THE BOMBER: THE STORY OF THE B-24 LIBERATOR

This is the behind-the-headlines story of how the Allies developed and deployed the B-24 bomber during World War II.

HS VTV 971 CAN

CANADA, A PEOPLE'S HISTORY

17 videocassettes.

Episode 1. When the world began, 15 000 B.C. to 1800 A.D. - - Episode 2. Adventurers & mystics, 1540 to 1670 - - Episode 3. Claiming the wilderness, 1670 to 1755. - - Episode 4. Battle for a continent, 1754 to 1775. - - Episode 5. A question of loyalties, 1775 to 1815. - - Episode 6. The pathfinders, 1670 to 1850. - - Episode 7. Rebellion and reform, 1815 to 1850. - - Episode 8. The great enterprise, 1850 to 1867. - - Episode 9. From sea to sea, 1867 to 1873. - - Episode 10. Taking the West, 1873 to 1896. - - Episode 11. The great transformation, 1896 to 1915. - - Episode 12. Ordeal by fire, 1915 to 1929. - - Episode 13. Hard times, 1929 to 1940. - - Episode 14. The crucible, 1940 to 1946. - - Episode 15. Comfort and fear, 1946 to 1964. - - Episode 16. Years of hope and anger, 1964 to 1976. - - Episode 17. Uncertain country, 1976 to 1990. An account of Canada's history through the eyes of the people who lived it. As culled from the rich resource of native oral history and the diaries and letters of the people who were there, these are the stories of the men and women who shaped this country, in their own words.

HS VTV 971 CAN

CANADA, A PEOPLE'S HISTORY [VOLUME 6]. MAKING HISTORY

Narrator, Ann-Marie Macdonald.

See how history comes to life in this documentary film that takes you behind the scenes of CBC's documentary series, "Canada, a people's history." This special describes the challenges of re-creating Canada's past in the television age, and shows how historical research, extraordinary cinematography and exceptional journalism converge to tell Canada's story as it has never been told before. Interviews and excerpts of the series provide a first-hand look at a national, bilingual production team that unites producers, historians and talented crafts people from across the country to make our history come alive.

HS VTV 971 CAN

CANADA, A PEOPLE'S HISTORY

Building on the themes and human dramas presented in Canada: a People's History - Series 3, this "Special Edition" VHS tape contains additional CBC produced contemporary documentary footage that provides further background and perspective to several of the historical events chronicled.

HS VTV 971 CAN

CANADA, A PEOPLE'S HISTORY. [SERIES 2]

Building on the themes and human dramas presented in the series, this "special edition" video contains additional CBC-produced contemporary documentary footage that provides further background and perspective to several of the historical events chronicled. Covers volume 6 (The pathfinders) through to volume 9 (From sea to sea).

HS VTV 939.73 CAR

CARTHAGE: A JOURNEY BACK IN TIME

Examine the spectacular wonders of the ancient city, which stood on the northern coast of Africa, near modern Tunis. The earliest artifacts unearthed by archaeologists date from 800 B.C. This video program allows a unique glimpse of the "new city", including the mighty walled fortress of Byrsa, which overlooked Carthage's splendid twin harbors.

HS VTV 385.09 CAS

CASEY JONES: THE LIFE AND DEATH OF AN AMERICAN FOLK HERO

Learn about the life of Casey Jones and railroading during the golden age of steam. Includes rare photographs of Casey's engine.

HS VTV 973.9 CEN

THE CENTURY: AMERICA'S TIME

6 videocassettes.

v. 1. The beginning through the '20s - - v. 2. The '30s - - v. 3. The '40s - - Volum 4. The '50s & '60s - - v. 5. The '70s - - v. 6. The '80s & '90s.

HS VTV 746.46 CEN

A CENTURY OF QUILTS

Narrator, Lori Skelton.

"Celebrates the art of quilting by featuring selections from the best 100 American quilts of the 20th century, the stories behind their creation and the quilters as they work" - -Container.

HS VTV 973.9 CEN

THE CENTURY THAT MADE AMERICA GREAT

3 videocassettes.

v. 1. Eagle soars -- v. 2. Wonders of the century -- v. 3. Miracles of communication.

This video is an unforgettable journey back through America's comedy films and television programs of the twentieth century.

HS VTV 944.01 CHA

CHARLEMAGNE

5 videocassettes.

v. 1. Charles the prince - - v. 2. King of the Franks - - v. 3. To build an empire - - v. 4. Faith and betrayal - - v. 5. Emperor Charlemagne.

The life and times of Medieval Europe's most heroic and legendary figure are dramatized in Charlemagne. Intense passions, bloody betrayals and political intrigues surround an extraordinary leader who changes the course of history, sets aside his own happiness for the greater good.

HS VTV 629.13092 CHA

CHARLES LINDBERGH: AGAINST THE WIND

Narrator, Harry Smith.

A biography of Charles Lindbergh with interviews with friends, relatives and co-workers.

HS VTV 388.4 CHI

CHICAGO, AURORA & ELGIN

A study of the famous Chicago, Aurora & Elgin railroad.

HS VTV 977.311 CHI

CHICAGO: CITY OF THE CENTURY

3 videocassettes.

Based on the book City of the Century by Donald L. Miller.

pt. 1. Mudhole to metropolis -- pt. 2. The revolution has begun -- pt. 3. Battle for Chicago

HS VTV 385.097 CHI

CHICAGO & NORTH WESTERN: LEFT HAND RAILROAD

Traces the history of the C&NW railroad and features rare motion picture footage and interviews with historians.

HS VTV 977.311 CHI

CHICAGO BY BOAT: THE RIVER TOUR

"An architectural and historical tour of Chicago's riverfront" -- Container.

HS VTV 977.311 CHI

CHICAGO'S LOOP: A WALKING TOUR

Geoffrey Baer, a docent for the Chicago Architecture Foundation, shows some of the city's most celebrated architecture.

HS VTV 977.311 JEW

CHICAGO STORIES: JEWISH CHICAGO, 1833 TO 1948

Introduced by John Callaway; narrated by Mike Nussbaum.

This is the story of a very diverse community who overcame great obstacles to flourish in a new land. This is Jewish Chicago.

HS VTV 720.9773 LOW

CHICAGO STORIES: LOST CHICAGO

Based on historian David Garrard Lowe's elegant and lively book, here are the mansions and grand hotels, brilliant office buildings and civic structures, ballrooms and movie palaces that thrilled residents and tourists alike, before falling to the wrecking ball of "progress".

HS VTV 977.311 POL

CHICAGO STORIES: POLONIA: THE STORY OF POLISH CHICAGO

The story of Polish immigrants and descendants living in Chicago, focusing on their churches, schools, restaurants, and customs.

HS VTV 977.311 RIV

CHICAGO STORIES: RIVERVIEW & 1933 WORLD'S FAIR

Riverview: Home movies and interviews with the people who worked and played at Riverview Park, a Chicago summertime favorite from 1904 to 1967 ; A Break in the Clouds: Chicago's 1933 World's Fair: Despite the Great Depression, the city of Chicago celebrated its 100th birthday.

HS VTV 977.311 SWE

CHICAGO STORIES: THE SWEDES IN CHICAGO

Amy Jacobson hosts an exploration of why Swedish immigrants came to Chicago, what they did here, and how their descendants honor them.

HS VTV 940.18 CHI

THE CHILDREN'S CRUSADE

Describes the Crusade in 1212 in which hundreds of children traveling from France and Germany to the Holy Land met an unfortunate fate.

HS VTV 951 CHI

CHINA: A CENTURY OF REVOLUTION

3 videocassettes.

In Chinese and English.

pt. 1 China in revolution : 1911-1949. - - pt. 2 The Mao years : 1949-1976. - - pt. 3 Born under the red flag : 1976-1997.

Tells the story of the eight decades of upheaval in China which followed the fall of its last emperor in 1911. Interviews with people who participated in the events described.

HS VTV 951 CHI

CHINA: DYNASTIES OF POWER

Time Life's lost civilizations.

Study the "dynasties of power" from the 2nd century B.C. through the rise of the first emperor to discover the achievements of ancient China. While uniting a vast land the Chinese built the 2,600-mile Great Wall, invented paper, printing, the compass and the world's first system of justice.

HS VTV 959.70438 CHO

CHOOSING SIDES: I REMEMBER VIETNAM

V. 1. *The war at home* - - V. 2. *Fields of fire.*

To protest or remain silent. To face jail or possible death. To desert or enlist. This is a compelling look back at an era defined by conflict and controversy, capturing the mood of the nation through the stories of individuals. Hear from a priest who sheltered draft dodgers in his church, an African-American man forced to choose between enlistment and informing on the Black Panthers, and a West Point graduate who found a home in the peace movement. Their stories, and those of many others, are juxtaposed with extensive archival footage and an evocative sixties soundtrack.

HS VTV 941.082 CHU

CHURCHILL

4 videocassettes.

A four part documentary of one of Britain's greatest statesmen. Features interviews as well as contemporary footage.

V. 1. *Maverick politician* -- v. 2. *To conquer or to die* -- v. 3. *The beginning of the end* -- v. 4. *Never despair.*

HS VTV 327.12 CIA

CIA: THE SECRET FILES

4 videocassettes.

*Based on the book *The Agency* by John Ranelagh.*

pt. 1. *Hi-tech, low cunning* - - pt. 2. *Phoenix rising* - - pt. 3. *Executive action* - - pt. 4. *Moving targets.*

Four-part series examines the CIA. An integration of interviews, newsreel footage and fresh research unearthed for this series.

HS VTV 362.5 CIT

CITY OF PROMISE

The context for the war on poverty shifts after 1965. Urban rebellions provoke a sense of urgency for some, while others now see the war against poverty as hopeless. Increasingly, the media and the public equate poverty with inner-city black communities. This program looks at the anger and despair of the poor and the powerless, and the anger and frustration of the middle class at having to pay for "others' mistakes." It also examines attempts made in Newark, New Jersey, to reclaim the inner city through public/private partnerships.

HS VTV 973.7 CIV

THE CIVIL WAR

A dramatic recreation of the events that changed America through the use of historic still photographs and early cinematic dramatizations of the war.

v. 1. *Secession to Gettysburg* - - v. 2. *Gettysburg to reconstruction.*

HS VTV 973.7 CIV

THE CIVIL WAR: 1861 -- THE CAUSE

Discusses the causes of the war, Union vs. States' rights, John Brown at Harper's Ferry, Lincoln's election in 1869 and the firing on Fort Sumter.

HS VTV 973.7 CIV

THE CIVIL WAR: 1862 -- A VERY BLOODY AFFAIR

Covers the development of war technology and its effect throughout the world. Discusses various battles and the Union victories. Explores the life of the soldier and the beginning of conscription; Prologue -- The Civil War -- 1862: A very bloody affair -- Politics -- Ironclads -- Lincolnites -- The peninsula -- Our boy -- Shiloh -- The arts of death -- Republics -- On to Richmond.

HS VTV 973.7 CIV

THE CIVIL WAR: 1862 -- FOREVER FREE

Charts the dramatic events that led to Lincoln's decision to set the slaves free, his wait for a Union victory before proclaiming emancipation. Describes Lee's invasion of Maryland and the Battle of Antietam Creek.

HS VTV 973.7 CIV

THE CIVIL WAR: 1863 -- SIMPLY MURDER

Describes the Union disaster at Fredericksburg, Lee's victory at Chancellorsville but with the loss of Stonewall Jackson, Grants Siege of Vicksburg.

HS VTV 973.7 CIV

THE CIVIL WAR: 1863 -- THE UNIVERSE OF BATTLE

Describes the Battle of Gettysburg, the fall of Vicksburg, the use of black troops, and the battles at Chickamauga and Chattanooga.

HS VTV 973.7 CIV

THE CIVIL WAR: 1864 -- MOST HALLOWED GROUND

Describes the presidential campaign of 1864 and how Union victories at Mobile Bay, Atlanta and the Shenandoah Valley tilt the election to Lincoln.

HS VTV 973.7 CIV

THE CIVIL WAR: 1864 -- VALLEY OF THE SHADOW OF DEATH

Gives a biographical comparison of Grant and Lee. Chronicles the series of battles that pitted the two generals against each other from the Wilderness to Petersburg in Virginia.

HS VTV 973.7 CIV

THE CIVIL WAR: 1865 -- THE BETTER ANGELS OF OUR NATURE

Covers the events from Lee's surrender, Lincoln's assassination and funeral, the capture of John Wilkes Booth, and the consequences of the war.

HS VTV 973.7 CIV

THE CIVIL WAR: 1865 -- WAR IS ALL HELL

Covers Sherman's march to the sea, war in the heart of Georgia and the Carolinas, Lincoln's second inauguration, the fall of Petersburg and Richmond, and Lee's surrender at Appomattox.

HS VTV 973.7 CIV

CIVIL WAR: THE FIERY TRIAL

On-site photography, archival photographs, art, maps, and period music bring to life the war's major campaigns, battles and leaders.

HS VTV 909 CIV

CIVILISATION

Discusses the history of Western culture from the end of the Graeco-Roman world to the present day. Covers the great works of sculpture, painting, architecture, philosophy, poetry, literature and music from each century covered; Pt. 1. The Skin of our teeth (5th-11th cent.) The great thaw (12th cent.) -- Pt. 2. Romance and reality (13th-14th cent.) Man-- the measure of all things (15th cent.) -- Pt. 3. The hero as artist (16th cent.) Protest and communication (16th-17th cent.) -- Pt. 4. Grandeur and obedience (17th cent.) The light of experience (17th cent.) -- Pt. 5. The pursuit of happiness (18th cent.) The smile of reason (18th cent.) -- Pt. 6. The worship of nature (18th cent.) -- The fallacies of hope (19th cent.) -- Pt. 7. Heroic materialism (19th-20th cent.)

HS VTV 659.143 CLA

CLASSIC COMMERCIALS FROM THE 50'S & 60'S : THE BEST

Includes commercials for Brylcreme, Bosco Chocolate Drink, Chunky and the White Knight, the Double Mint Twins, the Old Gold Dancing Cigarettes, among others.

HS VTV 909.82 CNN

CNN MILLENNIUM 2000

A select compilation of scenes as CNN cameras chronicle the millennium celebrations around the world.

HS VTV 070.4092 MCC

COLONEL ROBERT MCCORMICK

The life of Colonel Robert McCormick, famed editor of the Chicago Tribune, is examined.

HS VTV 970 COL

THE COLONIZATION OF NORTH AMERICA

5 videocassettes.

An account of the colonization of North America, from the European situations that encouraged migration to America, to the adventurous explorers and settlers and their quests for riches or religious freedom, to the friendships and conflict between the colonists and Native Americans.

v. 1. The first settlement -- v. 2. The Spanish settlements -- v. 3. The English settlements, part one -- v. 4. The English settlements, part two -- v.5. The French settlements.

HS VTV 658.834 COS

THE COST OF COOL: YOUTH, CONSUMPTION & THE ENVIRONMENT

The Cost of Cool shows teenagers grappling with what it takes to be "cool" and the environmental price we pay to have the latest, "coolest" stuff."

HS VTV 909.82 COL

COLD WAR

8 videocassettes.

A series documenting the rise and fall of the Cold War, the actions of world leaders, and the wars and arms races occurring during this time.

v. 1. Comrades 1917-1945; Iron Curtain 1945-1947; Marshall Plan 1947-1952 - - v. 2. Berlin 1948-1949; Korea 1949-1953; Reds 1947-1953 -- v. 3. After Stalin 1953-1956; Sputnik 1949-1961; The Wall 1958-1963 -- v. 4. Cuba 1959-1962; Vietnam 1954-1968; MAD 1960-1972 -- v. 5. Make love not war, The Sixties; Red Spring, The Sixties; China 1949-1982 - - v. 6. Détente 1969-1975; Good guys, bad guys 1967-1978; Backyard 1954-1990 -- v. 7. Freeze 1977-1981; Soldiers of God 1975-1988; Spies 1944-1994 -- v. 8. Star wars 1980-1988; The Wall comes down 1989; Conclusion 1989-1991.

HS VTV 391.009 COL

COLONIAL CLOTHING: COLONIAL WILLIAMSBURG FOUNDATION

Costume -- History -- 18th century

HS VTV 974.102 COL

COLONIAL HOUSE

4 videocassettes.

Welcome to daily life in the year 1628. Colonial House was filmed over a 5 month period on an isolated stretch of the Maine coast. Our adventurers arrived in their New World on a period tall ship and struggled to create a profitable colony.

HS VTV 328.73 CON

THE CONGRESS

Blending contemporary cinematography, rare photographs and newsreels, live footage and interviews, this films presents a chronicle of the first 200 years of Congress, the government body that has voted our nation's laws into being.

HS VTV 970 CON

CONQUEST OF AMERICA

2 videocassettes.

Expedition logs, period accounts, and other primary materials help tell the story of America's exploration.

v. 1. Southwest 2. Northeast

HS VTV 609 CON

CONNECTIONS 2

5 videocassettes.

Explores the origins and effects of those inventions that shape the modern world we live in.

v. 1. One word. Sign here. Better than the real thing. Flexible response -- v. 2. The big spin. Bright ideas. Making waves. Routes -- v. 3. High times. Deja vu. New Harmony. Hot pickle -- v.4. Something for nothing. Echoes of the past. Photo finish. Separate ways -- v. 5. Revolutions. Sentimental journeys. Getting it together. Whodunit?

HS VTV 609 CON

CONNECTIONS 3: JOURNEY ON THE WEB

3 videocassettes.

Explores the origins and effects of those inventions that shape the modern world we live in.

V. 1. Feedback -- v. 2. What's in a name -- v. 3. Drop the apple.

HS VTV 972.02 CON

CONQUISTADORS

Host/narrator, Michael Wood.

Four part series on the discovery of the Americas by the Spanish conquistadors and the subsequent fall of the Aztec and Inca empires.

Tape 1. The fall of the Aztecs; The conquest of the Incas -- tape 2. The search for El Dorado; All the world is human.

HS VTV 940.5315 COU

THE COURAGE TO CARE

Describes those individuals who knowingly risked their lives during the Holocaust to aid Jews.

HS VTV 070.924 CRO

CRONKITE REMEMBERS

7 videocassettes.

Walter Cronkite reminisces about his career in journalism covering major events in recent history.

[1] The early years -- [2] World War II -- [3] Cold war -- [4] Television and politics -- [5] Vietnam and civil rights -- [6] Man on the moon -- [7] The seventies and career recap.

HS VTV 940.542 CRU

THE CRUCIAL TURNING POINTS OF WORLD WAR II

"Fifteen critical battles that changed the outcome of a world at war and altered our destinies-forever!"--container

v.1: The land battles: Stalingrad, Guadalcanal, North Africa, D-Day, Iwo Jima

v.2: The sea battles: the Battle of the Atlantic, the Coral Sea, Midway, Leyte

Gulf, Okinawa v.3: The air battles: the Battle of Britain, Doolittle's Raid,

battles: the Battle of Britain, Doolittle's Raid, the Battle for the Sky Over

Europe, the Great Marianas Turkey Shoot, the Atomic Bomb.

HS VTV 909.07 CRU

CRUSADES

4 videocassettes.

Presenter: Terry Jones.

Filmed on location throughout Europe and the Middle East, the Crusades began as a holy mission to liberate Jerusalem and became the largest mass migration in European history. When they ended 200 years later, the Crusades had created a mythology of knights and chivalry, and left a legacy of distrust between East and West that continues to shape our world today.

v. 1. Pilgrims in arms - - v. 2. Jerusalem - - v. 3. Jihad - - v. 4. Destruction.

HS VTV 909.07 CRU

THE CRUSADES: THE HOLY WARS

Dramatic story of the great conflict between Christianity and Islam. For nearly two centuries, generations of knights from England and Western Europe marched to do battle with the Saracen hords who occupied the Holy Land.

HS VTV 940.5421 CRU

CRUSADE IN EUROPE

6 videocassettes.

v. 1. War declared!: America joins the fight - - v. 2. The first offensive: the sands shift in North America - - v. 3. Assault on Italy: the rise and fall of Mussolini - - v. 4. D-day!: the

turning point - - v. 5. Hitler's last stand: the collapse of the Third Reich - - v. 6.

Victory!: the forging of peace.

HS VTV 973.922 CUB

THE CUBAN MISSILE CRISIS

In 1962, the Soviet Union amassed an arsenal of nuclear missiles in Cuba, some 70 miles off the coast of Florida. With the additional discovery of four Russian submarines in the Caribbean, a standoff was provoked that brought the world perilously close to nuclear war. Hear exclusive interviews with former Soviet naval commanders and former White House aides as events unfolded.

HS VTV 973.92 DAV

DAVID HALBERSTAM'S THE FIFTIES

6 videocassettes.

Based on the book by David Halberstam.

v. 1. *The fear and the dream* (90 min.) - - v. 2. *Selling the American way* (50 min.) - - v. 3. *Let's play house* (50 min.) - - v. 4. *A burning desire* (50 min.) - - v. 5. *The beat* (50 min.) - - v. 6. *The rage within ; The road to the sixties* (100 min.)

HS VTV 720 MAC

THE DAVID MACAULAY SERIES: TOURS OF THE WORLD'S MOST MAGNIFICENT STRUCTURES

4 videocassettes.

These documentary programs are based on Macaulay's book series: *Pyramid, Castle, Cathedral, and City*. The films combine location sequences and animation to illustrate construction methods of each of the subjects, and they include discussions of life in each period.

[V. 1]. *Pyramid* -- [V. 2]. *Castle* -- [V. 3]. *Cathedral* -- [V. 4]. *Roman city*.

HS VTV 974.71 DAY

THE DAY THE TOWERS FELL

Hosted by Arthur Kent.

Contains first hand accounts of the events of September 11 and the days that followed, told by the amateur photographers that share their personal photos. Includes an interview of Professor Angus Gillespie by Harry Smith.

HS VTV 941.085 DAY

DAYS OF MAJESTY

Captures the colour, splendour and music of Britain's great royal ceremonies throughout the year and tells the stories of the people who organise and take part in them such as *Trooping the Colour, the Ceremony of the Keys, and the hoisting of the Royal Standard at the precise moment when the Queen enters the Palace*.

HS VTV 940.5421 DDA

D-DAY

This film "is told through the voices of people who participated in the planning and execution of the invasion, and in the battle for the Normandy beaches. This documentary recounts the invasion in human terms, as a struggle between good and evil, hope and despair, and life and death. Their stories and voices, edited from over 100 hours of interviews, are woven together with footage and photographs from American, British, and German archives"--Slipcase.

HS VTV 940.5421 DEA

DEATH AT STALINGRAD: AND OPERATION SEA LION

The first part of this film describes the deep toll the German army suffered at Stalingrad. In 1942, Hitler had driven his former allies, the Russians, far into their homeland. Victory appeared imminent. But Hitler wanted to take Stalingrad at all costs. He underestimated both the brutal Russian winter and the steadfastness of the Russian people in the face of the Nazi threat.

The second part investigates why Hitler didn't invade England when he could have won the war in one swift deadly move. In the wake of the British army's flight from France, Hitler was the undisputed master of northern Europe. His only remaining adversary, the British were all but beaten. Now was the time to crush England. But an invasion was inexplicably postponed. Certain Nazi triumph became a string of missed opportunities that ultimately led to the Allied victory.

HS VTV 973.313 DEC

THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

Using both archival footage and re-enactments, the history of the writing of the Declaration of Independence and the events leading up to it is portrayed. Storage and preservation of the document over the years is also covered.

HS VTV 942.081 DIC

DICKENS OF LONDON

6 videocassettes.

Experience the life and times of Charles Dickens, from his early penniless days in Chatham and London during the 1820's to the unprecedented success he enjoyed before his death in 1870. The series brings to light the life of this social reformer, actor and author.

v. 1. episode 1. Mask; episode 2. The deed - - v. 2. episode 3. Blacking; episode 4. Love - - v. 3. episode 5. Success; episode 6. Fame - - v. 4. episode 7. Money; episode 8. Possessio - - v. 5. episode 9. Dreams; episode 10. Magic - - v. 6. episode 11. Nightmare; episode 12. Angel; episode 13. Memories.

HS VTV 398.4 DIG

DIGGING FOR THE TRUTH

Walk in the paths of the crusaders and search for the relic that inflamed their zealous passions.

HS VTV 973 DOC

DOCUMENTS OF DESTINY

3 videocassettes.

The stories behind important documents in United States history, featuring expert commentary from scholars and historians.

V. 1. Foundations and the Colonial era -- V. 2. The Revolutionary era -- V. 3. Creating a new nation.

HS VTV 940.54 DOC

DOCUMENTARIES OF WWII: COMBAT AMERICA

Clark Gable, narrator.

A dramatized story of the 351st Bomber Group of the United States Army Air Forces, from its training in Colorado to a mission over Germany. Portrays the crews and gunners at a base in England and on a mission. Includes combat footage.

HS VTV 940.54 DOC

DOCUMENTARIES OF WWII: THE FIGHTING LADY: THE STORY OF A CARRIER

Robert Taylor, narrator.

Depicts preparation and life on board the United States Navy aircraft carrier Yorktown CV-10 before, during and after an aerial attack of a Japanese base on Marcus Island in 1943.

HS VTV 940.54 DOC

DOCUMENTARIES OF WWII: THE MEMPHIS BELLE

Portrays a bombing mission over Germany during World War II. Follows the "Flying Fortress" (B-17 bomber) Memphis Belle as it leads a squadron of bombers on a daring daylight attack on the submarine pens at Wilhelmshaven, Germany. The entire mission is documented, including preparations for the raid, the take off from England, the bombing action itself, and the return to base.

HS VTV 940.54 DOC

DOCUMENTARIES OF WWII: THUNDERBOLT

This video presentation shows the activities of the 57th Fighter Group during operation "Strangle," which destroyed vital supply routes deep behind German lines. With color cameras mounted on P-47 Thunderbolt fighters we see how this operation seriously crippled Nazi fighting ability, hastening the sweep of Allied forces into Rome.

HS VTV 940.54 DOC

DOCUMENTARIES OF WWII: THE TRUE GLORY

This Academy Award winning documentary shows the bravery of the men who fought with the Allied forces in France, Belgium, Luxembourg and Germany from D-day to VE-day. The authentic battle footage is underscored by the voices of soldiers telling what happened to them.

HS VTV 940.54 DOC

DOCUMENTARIES OF WWII: TUNISIAN VICTORY

Chronicles the events in the North African theatre, from the landing of the Allied troops in Africa to the victory of the Allies, seen from the American and the British points of view.

HS VTV 940.54 DOC

DOCUMENTARIES OF WWII: VICTORY AT SEA

A documentary film about World War II. Features the high points of the war on land and sea from September 1939 to September 1945 as recorded in footage taken by Allied and enemy combat photographers.

HS VTV 629.13 DRE

DREAMS OF FLIGHT

vol.1. In the beginning -- v.2. The golden age and beyond -- v.3 Higher, faster, farther.

Chronicles the history of aviation, from the first hot air balloon through the race into space.

HS VTV 599.938 EAR

EARLY MAN

3 videocassettes.

Geologists, archaeologists, and pale anthropologists give evidence of the physical and cultural development of humans.

Part 1. The beginning of mankind - -Part 2. Ancestors of modern humans - -

Part 3. Dawn of civilization.

HS VTV 977.311 EAS

THE EASTLAND DISASTER

Recounts the roll-over of the Great Lakes steamer Eastland in the Chicago River on July 24, 1915, resulting in 835 deaths.

HS VTV 975.3 ECH

ECHOES FROM THE WHITE HOUSE

Using the actual words of presidents, first ladies, servants, and other eye-witnesses, this film highlights two centuries of events that have defined this historic building.

HS VTV 932 EGY

EGYPT, BEYOND THE PYRAMIDS

4 videocassettes.

Over 5,000 years ago, an empire arose on the banks of the Nile. Today, many of its secrets remain sheltered beneath the desert sands. Includes exclusive footage of major sites and artifacts, including the Abydos Boat Graves and the Deir El Bahari temple, Egypt-Beyond The Pyramids is an up-to-the minute look at the findings that are rewriting history.

V. 1. Mansions of the spirits - - V. 2. The Great Pharaoh and his lost children - -

V. 3. The daily life of ancient Egyptians - - V. 4. Death and the journey to immortality.

HS VTV 932.014 EGY

EGYPT'S GOLDEN EMPIRE

David Keith, narrator.

Examines the rise and fall of Egypt's New Kingdom, 1560 BCE to 1080 BCE.

HS VTV 932 EGY

EGYPT: QUEST FOR IMMORTALITY

Time Life's lost civilizations.

With the opening of the tomb of Tutankhamen the world was provided with details of the ancient civilization of Egypt. In the land of the pharaohs a culture existed that believed in eternal life for all, from farmer to aristocracy. Now archaeologists are discovering the mysteries of the ancients, from preparing a mummy for burial to the technology necessary to raise enormous stone buildings.

HS VTV 932 EGY

EGYPT UNCOVERED

10 videocassettes.

Based on the book by Vivian Davies & Renee Friedman.

v. 1. Chaos and kings, pt. A - - v. 2. Chaos and kings, pt. B - - v. 3. Pyramids: the resurrection, pt. A - - v. 4. Pyramids: the resurrection, pt. B - - v. 5. Age of gold, pt. A - - v. 6. Age of gold, pt. B - - v. 7. Deities and demons, pt. A - - v. 8. Deities and demons, pt. B - - v. 9. Mummies: into the afterlife, pt. A - - v. 10. Mummies: into the afterlife, pt. B.

Fantastic new discoveries in Egypt have dispelled many of the theories the modern-day public has taken as fact, such as who built the pyramids, where and when the civilization began, and the everyday lives of the ancient Egyptian people. Shot on location at many sites off-limits to the public, and featuring many of the world's most noted Egyptologists, Egypt Uncovered offers a comprehensive look at the new archaeological discoveries that are changing what we know about ancient Egypt.

HS VTV 530.092 EIN

EINSTEIN REVEALED

Albert Einstein is known as the sprightly old sage with unruly hair. But now from the pages of his private notebooks and letters, a surprising new picture emerges, a portrait of the physicist as a passionate young man.

HS VTV 973.917 ELE

ELEANOR ROOSEVELT

For more than thirty years, Eleanor Roosevelt was America's most powerful woman. Drawing on interviews with her closest relatives, friends, and biographers, as well as rare home movie footage, the film reveals the hidden dimensions of one of the century's most influential women.

HS VTV 973.91 EME

EMERGENCE OF MODERN AMERICA

4 videocassettes

v.1. *The Gilded Age* -- v.2. *The Progressive Era* -- v.3. *The Roaring Twenties* -- v.4. *The Great Depression*.

HS VTV 327.73 EVE

AN EVENING AT CANTIGNY WITH ROBERT TIMBERG

*Timberg talks about his book, *The nightingale's song*, which discusses the generational fault line between those who served in Vietnam and those who chose not to go, and how this has been reflected in the American psyche.*

HS VTV 973.931 ELE

THE IITH OF SEPTEMBER: MOYERS IN CONVERSATION

Just hours after the attacks on America Bill Moyers began a unique dialogue with an unparalleled and diverse group of guests. Instead of dwelling on the horrific images of the tragedy, these poised and clear voices provided perspective and soothed a wounded, yet resilient, nation, creating a video that presents both a snapshot of our reactions on 9/11, and a testament to human spirit.

HS VTV 813.09 WIE

ELIE WIESEL GOES HOME

Elie Wiesel returns to the village of his birth and to Auschwitz and Birkenau the camps where he was interned during WWII.

HS VTV 942.055 ELI

ELIZABETH

4 videocassette.

One of the most important rulers in history, Elizabeth I came to the throne at a time when England was under threat of annexation from abroad and collapse from within. When she died after a reign of 45 years, she left behind a nation protected by the greatest navy on earth and in the midst of a cultural explosion she made possible.

HS VTV 325.73 ELL

ELLIS ISLAND

Immigrants of every ethnic background recall their extraordinary adventures, historians explore the sometimes insensitive national policies, and the Ellis Island Oral History Project reveals what the immigration experience was actually like. Features rare photographs and film.

HS VTV 384.54 EMP

EMPIRE OF THE AIR: THE MEN WHO MADE RADIO

Jason Robards, narrator.

Based on the book: *Empire of the air* by Tom Lewis.

Story of radio from 1906-1955 and the three men who made it happen: Lee de Forest, Edwin Howard Armstrong, and David Sarnoff. Combines archival photographs, newsreels of the period, interviews, and radio soundtrack.

HS VTV 342.73 EQU

EQUAL JUSTICE UNDER THE LAW: MARBURY VS. MADISON

In this 1803 case, the Supreme Court established its responsibility to review the constitutionality of acts of congress. President Adam's failure to deliver Marbury's official commission for Justice of the Peace, before President Jefferson took over the administration develops into a confrontation between Chief Justice Marshall, President Jefferson and Secretary of State James Madison. The Supreme Court then held that it did not have jurisdiction and declared that the law permitting the Court to hear the case was unconstitutional.

HS VTV 342.73 EQU

EQUAL JUSTICE UNDER THE LAW: MCCULLOCH V. MARYLAND

A dramatization of the *McCulloch v. Maryland* case in 1818 which dealt with the chartering of the federal bank and the constitutionality of the charter.

HS VTV 323.4 EYE

EYES ON THE PRIZE

7 videocassettes.

Vol. 1 - 6 tell the story of America's civil rights years from 1954 to 1965; v. 7 - 14 examines the new America from 1966 to 1985, from community power to the human alienation of urban poverty.

Vol. 1. *Awakenings, 1954 - 1956 and Fighting back, 1957 - 1962* - - v. 2. *Ain't scared of your jails, 1960 - 1961 and No easy walk, 1961 - 1963* - - v. 3.

Mississippi: Is this America?, 1962 - 1964 and Bridge to freedom, 1965. - - v. 4.

The time has come, 1964-1966 and Two societies, 1965 - 1968 - - v. 5. *Power! 1966 - 1968 and The promised land, 1967 - 1968* - - v. 6. *Ain't gonna shuffle no more, 1964 - 1972 and A nation of law? 1968 - 1971* - - v. 7

The keys to the kingdom, 1974 - 1980 and Back to the movement, 1979-mid 1980s.

HS VTV 974.71 FAI

FAITH & DOUBT AT GROUND ZERO

Narrator, Kathryn Walker.

Frontline illuminates the myriad spiritual questions that have come out of the terror, pain, and destruction of the terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center in New York, and explores how the spiritual lives of both believers and non-believers have been challenged in the aftermath of September 11 by questions of good and evil, God's culpability, and the potential for darkness within religion itself.

HS VTV 943.155 FAL

THE FALL OF THE BERLIN WALL

HS VTV 973.917 FDR

FDR

A documentary on the life and times of President Franklin Delano Roosevelt. Part one covers Roosevelt's early years and early political successes, his bout with polio at age 39, and ends with his election as president. Part two explores FDR's response to the Great Depression, and his leadership of the American people during World War II until his death in 1945.

HS VTV 973.917 FDR

FDR

Part one is based on Before the trumpet, by Geoffrey C. Ward. It covers Roosevelt's early years and early political successes. Part two is based on Geoffrey C. Ward's A first class temperament. It begins with Roosevelt's bout with polio at age 39 and ends with his election to the presidency. Also details Eleanor's rise in public life. Part three explores FDR's response to the Great Depression. Part four is based on No ordinary time : Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt : the home front in WWII, by Doris Kearns Goodwin. It portrays FDR's leadership of the American people in the face of war until his death.

HS VTV 973 FIF

50 STATES. 50 CAPITALS

4 videocassettes.

*Hosts Lisa Wilken and John Kelly go on a state by state tour through the United States giving bits of history, economic and/ or social information about the state. Stresses the physical position of states and their climates also.
Pt.1. Northeastern U.S. -- pt.2. Southern U.S. -- pt.3. North Central U.S. -- pt.4 Western U.S.*

HS VTV 956.94 FIF

THE 50 YEARS WAR: ISRAEL AND THE ARABS

Begins with the 1947 UN decision to partition Palestine and continues to current day (1998). The film includes interviews and news clips of heads of state and other military and intelligence leaders. Traces history of Palestinian Liberation Organization.

pt. 1. Land divided, 1947-56 - - pt. 2. The six day war, 1967 - - pt. 3. Palestinian exiles, 1970-82 - - pt. 4. Peacemaking, 1970-79 - - pt. 5. Banging heads, 1987-91 - - pt. 6. Land divided, 1992-98.

HS VTV 970.1 FIV

500 NATIONS

8 videocassettes.

Hosted by Kevin Costner

1. The ancestors - - tape 2. Mexico - - tape 3. Clash of cultures - - tape 4. Invasion of the coast - - tape 5. Cauldron of war - - tape 6. Removal - - tape 7. Roads across the plains - - tape 8. Attack on culture.

HS VTV 973.918 FLI

FLIKBAKS: IT'S THAT SPECIAL YEAR! 1949

Original newsreel highlights of 1949.

HS VTV 940.5449 FLY

FLY GIRLS

Drawing on archival footage, rarely seen home movies, and interviews with the participants themselves, "Fly Girls" tells the story of the Women's Airforce Service pilots (WASP). Led by America's most accomplished aviatrix Jacqueline Cochran, these courageous women logged more than sixty million miles, ferrying planes throughout the United States, test-piloting experimental aircraft, and training men to fly. Still, the WASP fought a daily, sometimes deadly, battle for respect.

HS VTV 940.5315 FOR

FOR THE LIVING

The story of the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum.

HS VTV 978 FOR

FORGOTTEN JOURNEY: THE STEPHENS, TOWNSEND, MURPHY SAGA

HS VTV 973 FOU

FOUNDING FATHERS

4 videocassettes.

Narrated by Edward Herrmann.

Vol. 1. Rebels with a cause -- Vol. 2. Taking liberties -- Vol. 3. You say you want a revolution? -- Vol. 4. A healthy constitution.

"Gain a fascinating, engagingly intimate glimpse behind the iconic images on the marble busts and the noble faces gazing out from our dollar bills and pocket change. And discover the remarkable, unseen private sides of the men who risked their reputations, fortunes, and lives for the cause of American independence"--Container.

HS VTV 973.3 FOU

FOUNDING MOTHERS

Cokie Roberts illuminates the overlooked role of women in the American Revolution and the early years of the nation.

HS VTV 973 FRE

FREEDOM: A HISTORY OF US

8 videocassettes.

Based on the book series: A History of US by Joy Hakim.

HS VTV 978 FRO

FRONTIER HOUSE

Narrator, Kathryn Walker.

Three modern families were chosen to learn to survive as if the year is 1883.

Using the tools and technology of that time they must make difficult choices and cope with the consequences in the Montana wilderness.

HS VTV 956 FRO

FRONTLINE: BATTLE FOR THE HOLY LAND

Highlights the strategies and violence related to the war between the Israelis and Palestinians.

HS VTV 359.943 FRO

FRONTLINE PILOTS: BLUE WATER OPS

There's nothing like being shot off a carrier -- from zero to 200 knots in two seconds.

HS VTV 358.43 FRO

FRONTLINE PILOTS: ENEMY INTERCEPT

In an age of air-to-air missiles moving at 4 times the speed of sound, encounters take only seconds. The mission is to own the sky.

HS VTV 358.43 FRO

FRONTLINE PILOTS: GROUND POUNDERS

The pilots fly attack, inside the enemy's threat ring.

HS VTV 975.26 FOR

FORT MCHENRY: PRESERVING THE SPIRIT OF LIBERTY

Examines Ft. McHenry's contributions to national security from the Revolutionary War through World War II.

HS VTV 973.4 FOU

FOUNDING BROTHERS

4 videocassettes.

Based on the Pulitzer Prize winning book by Joseph J. Ellis.

Host, Roger Mudd; narrator, Edward Herrmann.

Volume 1 begins with a look at two of the many crises faced by George Washington during his term as America's first president. At a time when any conflict had the potential to dissolve the fragile union, Washington surrounded himself with brilliant men who were bound by their undying devotion to America, but who were often bitterly divided about how best to serve their common cause. Volume 2 explores the ideological conflict that existed between Thomas Jefferson and Alexander Hamilton and highlights Washington's farewell address. Volume 3 portrays the bitterly contested presidential election of 1796 and the difficult administration of John Adams. Volume 4 concludes with the poignant tale of the reconciliation between Adams and Jefferson, and the story of the famous duel between Alexander Hamilton and Aaron Burr.

HS VTV 973.92 FUN

THE FUN AND THE FEEL OF THE FIFTIES

Actual segments from the fifties portray the history and development of television in the fifties, including the introduction of color television. Shown are cuts from news broadcasts, sports, entertainment, movies and the growth of TV advertising.

HS VTV 940.5421 GER

THE GERMAN BLUNDER AT DUNKIRK: AND HITLER'S DECLARATION OF WAR ON THE U.S.

The first part of the film chronicles the German mistakes at the Battle of Dunkirk in France. Hitler unleashed his Blitzkrieg upon Europe in 1940, driving the ill-prepared British Expeditionary Force into the sea at Dunkirk. But his reckless plan of attack turned his chance to destroy the British into history's greatest escape. The second part relates the events surrounding Hitler's declaration of war on the U.S. Even with Hitler's forces rampaging all over Europe, America hesitated to join the fight. All that changed however, with the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor. But when the Fuhrer joined his Axis ally, he foolishly brought the awesome industrial might and manpower of the U.S. against him.

HS VTV 362.5 GIV

GIVEN A CHANCE

Early 1965 is a critical period for President Johnson's war on poverty. The Office of Economic Opportunity's goal to have the poor themselves design and run anti-poverty programs attracts strong opposition from local and state governments. Head Start is created to provide poor children with adequate nutrition, health care and the educational advantages that other American children enjoy. This program focuses on the Head Start program in Mississippi.

HS VTV 624.55 GOL

GOLDEN GATE BRIDGE

Narrated by Jack Perkins.

The story of the Golden Gate Bridge, one of the foremost man-made tourist attractions in the United States, which critics said could never be built.

HS VTV 385.09 GOL

THE GOLDEN SPIKE: AMERICA'S FIRST TRANSCONTINENTAL RAILWAY

Documentary about the Union Pacific and Central Pacific crews and their exploits as they built the railroad toward Promontory Point in Utah, ultimately driving the Golden Spike that first joined America with twin rails of steel.

HS VTV 793.8 GRA

GRAND ILLUSIONS: THE STORY OF MAGIC

6 videocassettes.

[v. 1] The father of modern magic -- [v. 2] The Hermanns -- [v. 3] Harry Houdini -- [v. 4] The greats of modern magic -- [v. 5] Weird magic -- [v. 6] Death by magic.

A six-part examination of the culture and history of magic. Explores the evolution of magic from the automata of Robert-Houdin to the elaborate illusions of Penn and Teller. Includes the story of the Hermann brothers; a profile of Harry Houdini's life and work and the impact he had upon succeeding magicians; studies of bizarre magicians and sideshow performers; a look at dangerous illusions, such as the bullet catching trick, that have claimed the lives of magicians.

HS VTV 940.5426 GRE

GREAT BATTLES OF WORLD WAR II: VICTORY IN THE PACIFIC

V.1. The first years: Pearl Harbor, Corregidor, Midway-- V.2. Counterattack: the Solomons, Tarawa, the Burma road--V.3. 1944: Closing in: Saipan, Guam, Leyte Gulf-- V.4. 1945: The end approaches: Manila, Iwo Jima, Okinawa.

HS VTV 973.916 GRE

THE GREAT DEPRESSION

7 videocassettes.

This series on the Great Depression uses newsreels, archival photographs and footage, Hollywood films, and eyewitness accounts to re-create the time, from the end of the Roaring Twenties to the outbreak of the Second World War, when economic forces, political change, and social turmoil transformed the nation.

V. 1. A job at Ford's [automobile workers, etc.] - - V. 2. The road to rock bottom [farmers, veterans, etc.] - - V. 3. New Deal/New York [Roosevelt, LaGuardia, etc.] - - V. 4. We have a plan [Upton Sinclair, Social Security, etc.] - - V. 5. Mean thing happening [unions, etc.] - - V. 6. To be somebody [civil rights, etc.] - - V. 7. Arsenal of democracy [defense- - industries, etc.]

HS VTV 932 GRE

THE GREAT EGYPTIANS

3 videocassettes.

Presented by Bob Brier.

Details the historical drama of three ancient Egyptian leaders, Sneferu, Cleopatra and Tutankhamen.

v.1 King of the pyramids - - v. 2 The real Cleopatra - - v. 3 The mystery of Tutenkhamen.

HS VTV 938.07 ALE

GREAT GENERALS OF THE ANCIENT WORLD: ALEXANDER THE GREAT

Alexander the Great was one of the most remarkable kings of the ancient world and is still recognized as a true military genius.

HS VTV 937.04 HAN

GREAT GENERALS OF THE ANCIENT WORLD: HANNIBAL

This giant of military history was known for his fifteen day journey across the Alps and for his great victories over the Romans at Trebia and Cannae. On-location reconstructions convey the savagery of battle in the ancient world, supplemented with expert commentaries and analyses, and period images and paintings.

HS VTV 937.05 JUL

GREAT GENERALS OF THE ANCIENT WORLD: JULIUS CAESAR

Julius Caesar is one of the central figures in Roman history. Rapid promotions from a humble civil servant put him in command of the mighty Roman Legions which completed the conquests of Gaul and Britain and established him as a great but bloodthirsty general.

HS VTV 940.5481 GRE

THE GREATEST GENERATION

They were the men and women who came of age during the Great Depression and the Second World War: individuals who paved a path through hardship and struggle and went on to build the nation we know today. Theirs are stories of families who fought their way to economic stability; women whose roles changed forever; citizens who learned to reconcile a national purpose with their individual needs. Together they built modern America.

HS VTV 973 GRE

GREAT MINDS OF AMERICAN HISTORY

5 videocassettes.

vol. 1: Gordon Wood on the American Revolution - - vol. 2: Civil War with James McPherson - - vol. 3: The American West with Richard White - -vol. 4: America's forgotten era, 1865-1914 with David McCullough - - vol. 5: World War II and the post war era with Stephen Ambrose.

HS VTV 932 GRE

THE GREAT PHARAOHS OF EGYPT

4 videocassettes.

Great Pharaohs of Egypt uses expert interviews, computer re-creations, extensive location footage, and the latest archaeological and scientific evidence to tell the story of these ancient kings.

HS VTV 940.3 GRE

THE GREAT WAR: AND THE SHAPING OF THE 20TH CENTURY

4 videocassettes.

Vol. 1. (episodes 1-2) Explosion ; Stalemate -- Vol. 2. (episodes 3-4) Total war ; Slaughter -- Vol. 3. (episodes 5-6) Mutiny ; Collapse -- Vol. 4. (episodes 7-8) Hatred and hunger ; War without end.

HS VTV 938 GRE

GREECE: A MOMENT OF EXCELLENCE

Time Life's lost civilizations.

500 years before the birth of Christ, the small city-estates of Greece began a period of cultural excellence, and none was more advanced than Athens. Discover the architectural, intellectual and artistic achievements of the period, and the elements that led to the end of the glorious "moment of excellence."

HS VTV 292 GRE

THE GREEK GODS

Narrator: David Ackroyd.

HS VTV 956.70442 GUL

THE GULF WAR

A reconstruction of the events leading up to the Gulf War, the war itself, and its aftermath by means of extensive film footage and insider interviews with key decision-makers such as Generals Norman Schwarzkopf and Colin Powell, plus world leaders such as Margaret Thatcher and Mikhail Gorbachev.

HS VTV 973.7 GUN

GUNS OF THE CIVIL WAR

A greater moral force -- Measure for measure -- Against the thunderstorm. History of the weapons used in the Civil War.

HS VTV 978.02 BIL

GUNFIGHTERS OF THE WEST: BILLY THE KID

Brian Dennehy narrates this look at the life of the outlaw Billy the Kid.

HS VTV 978.02 EAR

GUNFIGHTERS OF THE WEST: THE EARP BROTHERS

Brian Dennehy narrates this look at the lives of Wyatt and Virgil Earp.

HS VTV 978.02 JES

GUNFIGHTERS OF THE WEST: JESSE JAMES

Brian Dennehy narrates this look at the life Jesse James, the leader of the James Gang.

HS VTV 978.02 JOH

GUNFIGHTERS OF THE WEST: JOHN WESLEY HARDIN

Brian Dennehy narrates this look at the life of the outlaw John Wesley Hardin.

HS VTV 978.02 WIL

GUNFIGHTERS OF THE WEST: WILD BILL HICKOK

Brian Dennehy narrates this look at the life of gunfighter Wild Bill Hickok.

HS VTV 936.2 HAD

HADRIAN'S WALL

Examines Hadrian's Wall, which was completed in 128 A.D. and marks the northern border of the Roman Province of Britain. Includes location footage of the Wall today as well as interpretation, analysis and commentary.

HS VTV 937.06 HAI

HAIL CAESAR: THE MEN WHO SHAPED AN EMPIRE

6 videocassettes.

Spans three continents and seven centuries to tell the saga of the Roman Empire and the men who shaped it.

Julius Caesar : master of the Romans -- Augustus : first of the emperors -- Nero : the power and the madness -- Hadrian : emperor of the golden age -- Constantine : the Christian emperor -- Justinian : the last of the Romans.

HS VTV 385.097 HAP

HAPPY BIRTHDAY IC RAILROAD!: 150TH ANNIVERSARY, 1851-2001 : ILLINOIS CENTRAL

Provides history of the Illinois Central Railroad, from its formation in 1851 to the present. Describes the IC, which stretches from the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico, and at one time extended from Iowa to Omaha, Nebraska, as the most important north-south railroad in the United States.

HS VTV 328.773 HAV

HAVE ALL VOTED WHO WISH?: THE ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE AT WORK

The law (20:43) -- Lawmaking (26:29) -- The lawmaker (17:46)

HS VTV 909.04924 HER

HERITAGE: CIVILIZATION AND THE JEWS

5 videocassettes.

Five millennia of Jewish history is brought to life in a celebration of Jewish humanistic and moral heritage. Follow the Jewish people from the heights of Sinai to the shores of the Dead Sea, from a Greek amphitheater in Delphi to the Forum of ancient Rome, out of the ashes of concentration camps to the rebuilt cities and villages of Israel.

v. 1. A people is born; The power of the word - - v. 2. The shaping of traditions; The crucible of Europe - - v. 3. The search for deliverance; Roads from the ghetto - - v. 4. The golden land; Out of the ashes - - v. 5. Into the future.

HS VTV 629.1332 HIN

THE HINDENBURG

The story of Zeppelin's airship with an account of the fire which destroyed it and which was the first disaster at which the media were eyewitnesses.

Includes interviews with survivors, historians, and eyewitnesses and the complete radio broadcast that informed the world of the calamity.

HS VTV 941 HIS

HISTORY OF BRITAIN: 3500 B.C.-1603 A.D.

3 videocassettes.

v. 1. Beginnings -- Conquest -- v.2. Dynasty -- Nations -- v.3. King death -- Burning convictions.

This series explores the rich history of a proud nation whose influence upon the globe has been unmistakable.

HS VTV 941 HIS

A HISTORY OF BRITAIN II: THE WARS OF THE BRITISH 1603-1776

3 videocassettes.

v. 1. The body of the queen; The British wars - - v. 2. Revolutions ; Britannia incorporated - - v. 3. The wrong empire.

This series explores the rich history of a proud nation whose influence upon the globe has been unmistakable.

HS VTV 941 HIS
A HISTORY OF BRITAIN III

v. 7 Forces of nature; Victoria and her sisters -- v. 8. Empire of good intentions; The two Winstons.

HS VTV 941.5 HIS
A HISTORY OF IRELAND

Describes the various stages of Irish history starting with ancient Ireland and Newgrange on through to the Celts, St. Patrick, the Vikings, the Normans, penal times, the great famine, the 1916 rising, and the formation of the republic. Also incorporates a section on Irish genealogy, "Tracing your roots."

HS VTV 943.086 HIT
HITLER

6 videocassettes.

German produced documentary which chronicles the background, rise to power, rule, and downfall of Adolf Hitler. Includes glimpses of rare documents and extensive interviews with people who served under him.

HS VTV 973.917 HOM
HOME FRONT U.S.A.

7 videocassettes

By retooling it's industry from peacetime to wartime production, the United States became the arsenal of democracy, as 24 hrs. a day, 7 days a week, weapons and supplies poured from America's factories.

v. 1 America goes to war -- v. 2. Home fires -- v. 3. The land of plenty -- v. 4. United we win -- v. 5. Arsenal of democracy -- v. 6. Rosie the Riveter -- v. 7. V for victory.

HS VTV 917.3 HOR
HORATIO'S DRIVE: AMERICA'S FIRST ROAD TRIP

Horatio Nelson Jackson, an eccentric Vermont doctor, drove from San Francisco to New York City, in 1903 to become the first person to drive an automobile across the continent - a feat never before accomplished. It would mark the beginning of a new era in America and the end of another. It took Lewis & Clark over two years to go from the Atlantic to the Pacific - Horatio went the opposite direction, by means of the "Horseless carriage", in less than 3 months.

HS VTV 972.081 HUN
THE HUNT FOR PANCHO VILLA

A story of the 1916 "Punitive Expedition" into Mexico that failed to capture Pancho Villa and brought the United States and Mexico to the brink of war.

HS VTV 323.4 IHA

I HAVE A DREAM SPEECH-AS DELIVERED BY DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Speech given August 1963 in Washington, D.C., historical footage furnished through special arrangement with the Martin Luther King, Jr. Foundation.

HS VTV 973.921 IKE

IKE

This extensive portrait offers a fresh reassessment of Dwight D. Eisenhower's legacy and tells the personal story of the man who played a key role in world events through two of the most critical decades in this century.

pt. 1. Soldier / written and produced by Adriana Bosch - - pt. 2. Statesman / written and produced by Austin Hoyt.

HS VTV 973.921 IKE

IKE EISENHOWER

The story of Dwight D. Eisenhower's life, with comments by contemporaries and historians; Pt. 1. Soldier , pt. 2. Statesman.

HS VTV 977.3 ILL

ILLINOIS HISTORIC PANORAMA

v. 1. Overview -- v. 2. Early Illinois -- v. 3. The pioneers -- v. 4. The prairie state -- v. 5. The other Illinois -- v. 6. Land O' Lincoln -- v. 7. Illinois Civil War -- v. 8. Age of steam and gilt -- v. 9. Grasslands and grangers -- v. 10. Goodfellas, Illinois style -- v. 11. Modern Illinois -- v. 12. Exploring Illinois historical sites

HS VTV 977.303 ILL

ILLINOIS' MEMORY OF THE CIVIL WAR

HS VTV 974.71 INM

IN MEMORIAM: NEW YORK CITY 9/11/OI

Tuesday, September 11, 2001 started as just another beautiful day. At 8:47am, the city would be jolted into its worst nightmare as a chain of tragic events unfolded, changing the lives of New Yorkers and Americans forever. People from 115 different countries died at the World Trade Center. From still and video cameras of 118 people and 16 news agencies, much of it never-before seen, from in and around New York City. The attack on the WTC was the most documented event in history.

HS VTV 941.501 INS

IN SEARCH OF ANCIENT IRELAND

A history of Ireland from 3,000 B.C. to the Norman Invasion.

HS VTV 953.8053 INS

IN SEARCH OF BIN LADEN

Investigates Osama bin Laden, his followers, and the bombings of two United States embassies in Africa in 1998. This special edition has been updated to cover the attack on the World Trade Center on September 11, 2001, of which bin Laden is accused, the 2000 bombing of USS Cole, an interview with Times reporter Judith Miller, and an interview with former State Department counterterrorism official Larry Johnson.

HS VTV 985.01 INC

THE INCAS

From the spectacular heights of Machu Piccu to jungle valleys and desert floors, this video travels the awesome world of the ancient Incas. It reveals one of the most impressive civilizations the world has ever known, and shows how they achieved their stunning century of success.

HS VTV 985.01 INC

INCA: SECRETS OF THE ANCESTORS

Time Life's lost civilizations.

Learn about the legendary kingdom of the Incas and the achievements of their society, including medical skills, engineering and architectural marvels, and much more.

HS VTV 938.07 INT

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF ALEXANDER THE GREAT

Brings to life one of the most pivotal events in human history, the creation of the Greek empire stretching from the Balkans to India. Michael Wood hosts this colorful journey across 20,000 miles, 16 countries and four war zones, retracing Alexander's expedition that first joined East and West.

HS VTV 362.5 INT

INQUISITION

Arthur Kent, host; narrated by David Ackroyd.

HS VTV 945.634 INS

INSIDE THE VATICAN

Narrator: Martin Sheen.

HS VTV 940.53161 INT

INTO THE ARMS OF STRANGERS: STORIES OF THE KINDERTRANSPORT

The life-affirming tale of 10,000 children saved from Hitler's grasp and placed with foster parents and hostels in Great Britain at the outbreak of World War II. Includes archival footage and decades-later remembrances of both the rescuers and the rescued.

HS VTV 941.5 IRI
THE IRISH EMPIRE

5 videocassettes.

Pt. I. The scattering - - pt. II. Building the world - - pt. III. A world apart - - pt. IV. Keeping the faith - - pt. V. Dreams of home.

"From the origins of the 'scattering' of the Irish over the centuries, to the dreams of a mythical home nurtured by so many Irish migrants today, The Irish Empire is a lively exploration of the ups and downs of the Irish experience abroad-- as seen by themselves, and as they are perceived by others." --On container.

HS VTV 973.04916 IRI
THE IRISH IN AMERICA: LONG JOURNEY HOME

3 videocassettes.

v. 1. The great hunger -- v. 3. Up from city streets -- v. 4. Success.

A celebration of a people who helped build America; includes musical performances.

HS VTV 970.3 ISH
ISHI. THE LAST YAH!

Presents a narrated version of the discovery of Ishi, last member of the Yahi Indian tribe, and events in his life after coming into the white man's world.

HS VTV 956.94 ISR
ISRAEL: A NATION IS BORN

3 videocassettes.

Host, Abba Eban.

This six part program relates the story of the development of the Israeli nation. Vol. 1. Program 1. From the rise of Zionism to 1948. Program 2. The creation of the State (1948-1956) – Vol. 2. Program 3. Coming of age (1956-1967). Program 4. Six days that changed the Middle East (1967-1973) -- Vol. 3. Program 5. New conflicts, new dreams (1973-1990). Program 6. On the brink of peace.

HS VTV 973.922 JAC
JACKIE. BEHIND THE MYTH

Narrated by Vinessa Shaw.

HS VTV 823.09 AUS

JANE AUSTEN'S LIFE; JANE AUSTEN'S SOCIETY; JANE AUSTEN'S WORKS

3 videocassettes.

Jane Austen's life provides an overview of her life from birth to death. It discusses how she lived and worked, and her relationships with those who knew her. It also includes a visit to the places where Austen lived.

Jane Austen's society discusses the times during which Austen lived and wrote. It provides an overview of what life was like in England during the 18th century. Jane Austen's works discusses the development of her six novels, using excerpts from her books and personal letters. It also discusses how novels were published during the 18th century and visits the English settings of Austen's books.

HS VTV 940.5426 JAP

JAPAN'S MISTAKES AT MIDWAY: AND THE FAILURE OF THE KAMIKAZE

The first part of this film chronicles the Japanese mistakes at Midway. On June 4, 1942, the Japanese wanted to finish the job they started at Pearl Harbor-the destruction of the U.S. Pacific Fleet. But their grand plan turned into disaster due to a combination of blind arrogance and an underestimation of American will power. The second part of the film relates the failure of the Kamikaze. Steeped in the ancient code of the Samurai, Kamikaze forces on land, sea and in the air sacrificed themselves in battle with unbelievable ferocity. It was a desperate plan for victory which spelled ultimate doom for the Japanese Empire.

HS VTV 973.926 JIM

JIMMY CARTER

Narrator, Linda Hunt.

Examines the failings of Carter's political leadership in the context of the turbulent 1970's ; and explores the role religion played in his career.

HS VTV 944.026 JOA

JOAN OF ARC: SOUL ON FIRE

Documentary about the French peasant girl who led the French army against the English during the Hundred Years' War, was captured by the British, and was condemned as a witch.

HS VTV 973.922 JOH

JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, VOL. I: A CELEBRATION OF HIS LIFE AND TIMES

This first segment in a three-volume video biography of John Kennedy traces his rise to the United States Senate and ends with Kennedy's magnificent concession speech after he failed to garner the vice presidential nomination at the 1956 Democratic Convention.

HS VTV 973.922 JOH

JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, VOL. 2: A CELEBRATION OF HIS LIFE AND TIMES

This second segment in a three-volume video biography of John Kennedy traces Kennedy's senatorial career and his election to the presidency in 1960.

HS VTV 973.922 JOH

JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, VOL. 3: A CELEBRATION OF HIS LIFE AND TIMES

This third segment in a three-volume video biography of John Kennedy traces Kennedy's presidential career and his assassination.

HS VTV 974.877 JOH

JOHNSTOWN FLOOD

Based on the accounts of those who survived.

Rumors and fears that the Coremaugh Lake Reservoir had reached its summit and the South Fork Dam might burst were widespread for many years. By Friday, May 31, 1889, in Johnstown, Pennsylvania, it had been raining for a week. Finally at 3:10pm the center of the dam gave way. Considered the worst flood disaster in the nation's history - 2,209 persons were killed, a countless number of bodies were never found.

HS VTV 973.9 KEN

THE KENNEDY'S

Not the story of the individuals, but the saga of "The Kennedy's", the family, the clan, shaped by father Joseph's drive, their own distinct personalities and the times in which they lived. This program focuses on the family as they saw themselves and as others saw them.

HS VTV 951.9042 KOR

KOREA: THE FORGOTTEN WAR

June 25, 1950, the 38th Parallel marked the beginning of a war that was to be like no other. Witness the non-stop action from the Pusan Perimeter conflict and General MacArthur's brilliant invasion at Inchon, to the offensive at Yalu River and the Chosin Reservoir battle. Experience the greatest moments of heroism as recorded on rare, archival footage, from the horrific battles to the final truce negotiations, through this overdue salute to America's valiant Armed Forces.

HS VTV 951.9042 KOR

KOREA: THE FORGOTTEN WAR

7 videocassettes.

This series shows through U.S. Government footage and newsreel cameramen the dramatic moments from the earliest days of the U.S. intervention in the Korean War. From the first unsuccessful days of battle to the Armistice Treaty, this series explores the brutal and bloody conflict.

v. 1. The first forty days -- v. 2. The turning of the tide -- v. 3. The new war -- v. 4. Retreat and dig in -- v. 5. The 38th parallel -- v. 6. Ridgway's war -- v. 7. The peace saga

HS VTV 951.9042 KOR

THE KOREAN WAR

4 videocassettes.

v. 1. Making of a bloodbath - - v. 2. Triumph to tragedy - - v. 3. Retreat from hell - - v. 4. Bitter standoff.

This video series reveals the pain, glory and pathos that defined the Korean War.

HS VTV 951.9042 UTH

KOREAN WAR STORIES

Veterans share their stories of the "Forgotten War", reminding the viewer of the human and social costs the Korean war had on America. Interviewees include Senators John Glenn and John S. Warner, baseball player Ted Williams, musician Willie Nelson, former Secretary of State James Baker, Rep. Charles Rangel, LtCol Charles B. "Brad" Smith, Gen. Raymond Davis, and others. Written by Robert Uth and Phylis Geller.

HS VTV 940.415 LAW

LAWRENCE OF ARABIA: THE BATTLE FOR THE ARAB WORLD

T.E. Lawrence helped unify the Arab tribes against the Turks during World War I, but he also set in motion a chain of events that even he would be powerless to stop, events that would shape Arab-Western relations for generations to come.

HS VTV 973.923 LBJ

LBJ

Covers the span of Lyndon B. Johnson's political life from his early career through the years of his presidency.

HS VTV 930 LEG

LEGACY

Program 1. Iraq: the cradle of civilization -- Program 2. India: the empire of the spirit -- Program 3. China: the mandate of heaven -- Program 4. Egypt: the habit of civilization -- Program 5. Central America: the burden of time -- Program 6. The barbarian West.

This six part series explores the influence of ancient culture on our lives today. Host/writer Michael Wood visits the ancient cities and great ports of India and China, the deserts of Egypt and Iraq, the Mexico of the Inca, Aztec and Mayan peoples, the Greek and Roman monuments of Europe and the jungles of Central America searching for the living legacies of these once great civilizations. The series traces how the institutions that arose with urban civilization 5,000 years ago, such as organized religion, bureaucratic government and international trade are still affecting the political and cultural mindset of many parts of the world today.

HS VTV 942.014 LEG

THE LEGEND OF ARTHUR

Examines the blend of history, mythology, and religion that contributes to the development of the Arthurian legend. Discusses the principal tales and their meanings, with particular attention to the search for the Holy Grail.

HS VTV 937 LEG

THE LEGIONS OF ROME

3 videocassettes.

A splendid record of the mighty Legions of the Roman Empire. From three wars fought and won against Carthage, the Punic city, through the brutal campaigns against the Celtic tribes of Gaul, to the bloody conquest of the mysterious island of Britain, this is the story of a remarkable fighting machine.

v.1. Punic wars -- v.2. Gallic wars -- v.3. Roman invasions of Britain.

HS VTV 973.46 LEW

LEWIS & CLARK: THE JOURNEY OF THE CORPS OF DISCOVERY

Tells the story of the most important expedition in American history, led by Captains Meriwether Lewis and William Clark. Includes the stories of the young army men, French-Canadian boatmen, Clark's African-American slave, and the Shoshone woman named Sacagawea who went with them.

HS VTV 973.46 LEW

LEWIS & CLARK. GREAT JOURNEY WEST

Narrated by Jeff Bridges.

HS VTV 973.3 LIB

LIBERTY!: THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

3 videocassettes.

A documentary of the American Revolution. Chronicles events leading up to the war, the revolution, and the writing of the Constitution. Features dramatic readings from letters and diaries of the period, comments by historians, and live-action recreations.

v. 1. The reluctant revolutionaries; Blows must decide - - v. 2. The times that try men's souls; Oh, fatal ambition -- v. 3. The world turned upside down; Are we to be a nation?

HS VTV 342.73 LIB

LIBERTY AND LIMITS: THE FEDERALIST IDEA 200 YEARS LATER

4 videocassettes.

Participants wrestle with problems in post-cold war America regarding government and the Constitution in this part of the Democracy Project.

HS VTV 940.1 LIF

LIFE IN THE MIDDLE AGES: THE DOCTOR

Explores the life of a doctor in the Middle Ages, focuses on the different beliefs and practices carried out by those in the profession, investigates the role that religion and social status played in curing everyday maladies, and looks at the horrors of the Black Death.

HS VTV 629.13092 LIN

LINDBERGH'S GREAT RACE: ARE THERE ANY MECHANICS HERE?

In 1927 Charles Lindbergh was an unknown air mail pilot with a dream to be the first person to complete a transatlantic New York to Paris flight and thereby claim the \$25,000 Orteig Prize. This award winning documentary film is the definitive account of this historic achievement that ushered in the modern age of commercial aviation.

Narrated by Cameron Richardson.

HS VTV 942 LIV

LIVING IN THE PAST

3 videocassettes.

Provides an atmospheric and realistic taste of life in Britain and shows how everyday people endured and enjoyed their often difficult lives. Features authentic reconstructions of everyday life, expert commentary and analysis, and many period engravings, paintings and drawings.

[pt. 1] Life in Anglo-Saxon Britain -- [pt. 2] Life in Medieval times -- [pt. 3] Life in Victorian times.

HS VTV 385 LOC

LOCOMOTION: THE AMAZING WORLD OF TRAINS

4 videocassettes.

v. 1 Engines of enterprise -- v. 2 Taming the iron monster -- v. 3 The war machines -- v. 4 Magic machines and mobile people.

This set of four videos features interviews, archival footage, and scenery to trace the history of railroads from Victorian England to high-tech Japan.

HS VTV 940.5315 LOD

LODZ GHETTO

A chronological account of life in the Lodz Ghetto through over 1,000 carefully sequenced filmed images, made at great risk and left deliberately by the doomed community members. Includes a supplement following the program describing the making of the film, as well as interviews with people connected with the ghetto (written, produced, directed, and narrated by Alan Adelson).

HS VTV 940.5315 LON

THE LONG WAY HOME

This documentary traces intimate stories of courage in the harrowing years between the end of World War II and the formation of the state of Israel. Includes archival footage, original broadcasts and personal testimonies from survivors of the Holocaust.

HS VTV 526.62 LOS

LOST AT SEA: THE SEARCH FOR LONGITUDE

Before global positioning systems, modern map making - - even before America was America - -the concept of longitude was just a dream. Without it's guidance, navigation in the 1700's was both unpredictable and deadly. Herein is a dramatic recreation of longitude's birth, and the remarkable life of a humble carpenter named John Harrison who is known as the "father of longitude."

HS VTV 940.5315 LOS

THE LOST CHILDREN OF BERLIN

Fifty holocaust survivors from around the world reunite at the recently re-opened school in Berlin. This presentation gives voice to the innocent victims of Nazi Germany.

HS VTV 979.25 LOS

LOST IN THE GRAND CANYON

Host, David McCullough.

Documentary depicts John Wesley Powell's perilous thousand-mile expedition through the uncharted canyons of the Green and Colorado Rivers.

HS VTV 355.331 MAC

MACARTHUR

No soldier has ever captured the American imagination like Douglas MacArthur. He led Americans into battle for a half-century, through glorious victories and soul-numbing defeats. Courageous and supremely egotistical, he battled anyone who dared question his military judgment, even the President of the United States.

HS VTV 624.2 MAC

THE MACKINAC BRIDGE

Modern marvels tells its story with the help of the people who built and maintain it. The MacKinac Bridge is one of the most extraordinary edifices ever built.

HS VTV 828.912 MAG

THE MAGIC NEVER ENDS: THE LIFE & WORK OF C.S. LEWIS

Narrated by Ben Kingsley.

This program chronicles the life of C.S Lewis. The documentary includes interviews with Lewis scholars. It spans his early days in Northern Ireland through his academic career at Oxford University.

HS VTV 942.082 MAN

MANOR HOUSE

3 videocassettes.

Narrator, Derek Jacobi.

"A fascinating look at the grand and grueling British class system of the early 1900s. Another adventure in placing contemporary people into the lifestyle of a previous historical era."

HS VTV 910.92 MAR

MARCO POLO: JOURNEY TO THE EAST

The definitive word on the legendary explorer, Marco Polo, and his early treks to the Orient.

HS VTV 818.09 MAR

MARK TWAIN

Narrated by Keith David.

Recounts Mark Twain's life told primarily through his own words. Includes interviews with Hal Holbrook, Arthur Miller, William Styron and many others.

HS VTV 658.87 MAR

THE MARSHALL FIELDS: A CHICAGO TRADITION

HS VTV 323.4092 MAR

MARTIN, THE EMANCIPATOR: A TRIBUTE TO DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING

Documentary portrayal of the Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr. Included are interviews with civil rights leaders and other persons who interacted with or were affected by Dr. King.

HS VTV 323.4092 MAR

MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.: THE MAN AND THE DREAM

Narrator, Jack Perkins.

A look at Martin Luther King, Jr. and his role in the civil rights movement.

HS VTV 970.004 MAY

MAYA: THE BLOOD OF KINGS

Time Life's lost civilizations.

While Europe was in the midst of the Dark Ages, the Maya of Central America were developing a culture responsible for a complicated writing system, mathematic and astrological calculations and archeological marvels. Explore ruins in the jungles of Mexico, Honduras and Guatemala to understand a people both sophisticated and bloodthirsty and a society that collapsed with mysterious speed.

HS VTV 972.018 MAY

MAYANS & AZTECS

The Mayan civilization enjoyed a glorious period from 325 AD to 925 AD. Skilled potters, weavers and farmers, the magnificent temples at Chichen Itza and Copan are among the legacies of a peace-loving people. The Aztecs of Mexico are remembered for their architecture, sculpture, art and for their religious rituals which included large scale human sacrifice.

HS VTV 940.544 MEM

MEMPHIS BELLE: A STORY OF A FLYING FORTRESS : [WORLD WAR II DOCUMENTARY]

Issued in 1944 as a 16 mm. film by the U.S. Army Air Forces First Motion Picture Unit.

HS VTV 364.1524 MEN

THE MEN WHO KILLED KENNEDY

Describes the assassination of President John F. Kennedy using photographic evidence, eyewitnesses, and new information.

HS VTV 935 MES

MESOPOTAMIA: RETURN TO EDEN

Time Life's lost civilizations.

The roots of the world's major religions lie in the valleys of Mesopotamia's Fertile Crescent. Here archaeologists are digging for the sites of Biblical stories, and unearthing clues to the dawn of civilization.

HS VTV 972 MEX

MEXICO: A STORY OF COURAGE AND CONQUEST

4 videocassettes.

v. 1. Mexico: God, gold and glory - - v. 2. Mexico: from independa [sic]nce to the Alamo -- v. 3. Mexico: battle for North America - - v. 4. Mexico: revolution and rebirth.

HS VTV 359.3252 MIG

MIGHTY MO: THE BATTLESHIP USS MISSOURI

3 videocassettes.

v. 1. The world at war - - v. 2. Defender of the peace - - v. 3. The insider's tour. The history of the world's most famous battleship - - container.

HS VTV 909.81 MIL

MILL TIMES

Host, David Macauley.

Live action segments follow the Industrial Revolution from Manchester, England to Lowell, Massachusetts. The animated story centers on a small New England community similar to Pawtucket, Rhode Island, where the first textile mill was established in America.

HS VTV 394.5 MIS

MISS AMERICA

Narrator, Cherry Jones.

Tracking the country's oldest beauty contest - from its inception in 1921 as a local seaside pageant to its heyday as one of the country's most popular events - Miss America paints a vivid picture of an institution that has come to reveal much about a changing nation. Using intimate interviews with former contestants, and fabulous behind-the-scenes footage and photographs, the film reveals why some women took part in the fledgling event and how the pageant became a battle ground and a barometer for the changing position of women in society.

HS VTV 726.6 GOT

MODERN MARVEL: GOTHIC CATHEDRALS

The Gothic cathedral stands as a rich and complex design. The engineering behind these great testaments to faith has not changed dramatically in 900 years.

Narrated by Jack Perkins.

HS VTV 978.3 MOU

MODERN MARVELS: MOUNT RUSHMORE

Located in the Black Hills of South Dakota, Mount Rushmore was considered an unorthodox masterpiece when it was created by a young sculptor named Gutzon Borglum. This historical documentary discusses the remarkable design specifications and construction efforts that occurred over the course of 15 years.

HS VTV 974.71 STA

MODERN MARVELS: THE STATUE OF LIBERTY: ENLIGHTENING THE WORLD

Discover the glory of this gift from France in a breathtaking look at the creation and restoration of "Liberty enlightening the world."

Narrated by Jack Perkins.

HS VTV 343.3 MON

MONKEY TRIAL

The Scopes monkey trial which challenged Darwin's theory of evolution.

HS VTV 942.01 MOR

LE MORTE D'ARTHUR: THE LEGEND OF THE KING

Explores the story of King Arthur and the knights of the Round Table, with the evidence of the history underlying the legend and a trip to the possible site of Camelot. Provides background, adaptations and other information on the story. Included is a discussion of the mythic human yearning for heroes and the world of chivalry, loyalty, and purity.

HS VTV 940.373 MOV

THE MOVING PICTURE BOYS IN THE GREAT WAR

Documentary study of changing American attitudes as isolationism is abandoned and the United States becomes directly involved in World War I. Film segments from commercial films, authentic foot from films made during World War I and an account of propagandistic use of newsreels illustrate the relationship between changing American attitudes toward the conflict in Europe and the content of motion pictures from 1914 to 1918.

HS VTV 973.04 MUL

MULTICULTURAL PEOPLES OF NORTH AMERICA VIDEO SERIES

15 videocassettes.

" ... celebrates the heritage of fifteen different cultural groups by tracing the history of their emigration to North America, showing the unique traditions they brought with them, and who they are today. Each volume discusses when and why each group emigrated, where they settled, which occupations they engaged in, and who the important leaders are within each community."--

Container.

HS VTV 364.134 MUR

THE MURDER OF EMMETT TILL

The shameful, sadistic murder of 14-year-old Emmett Till, a black boy who whistled at a white woman in a Mississippi grocery store in 1955, was a powerful catalyst for the civil rights movement. Although Till's killers were apprehended, they were quickly acquitted by an all-white, all-male jury and proceeded to sell their story to a journalist, providing grisly details of the murder. Three months after Till's body was recovered, the Montgomery Bus Boycott began.

HS VTV 781.9109 MUS

THE MUSICAL INSTRUMENT MAKER OF WILLIAMSBURG

Shows George Wilson, master musical instrument maker, and his journeymen construct a spinet and a violin commencing with raw materials and ending with completed instruments.

HS VTV 910.453 MYS

THE MYSTERY OF THE EDMUND FITZGERALD

Explores questions relating to the shipwreck of the Edmund Fitzgerald. Underwater footage of the wreck as it is today, rare photographs, artwork, computer animation, and expert testimonials, provide the story of the Fitzgerald's colorful past and tragic demise.

HS VTV 362.5 MYB

MY BROTHER'S KEEPER

The Nixon administration and the National Welfare Rights Organization (NWRO) bring the nation to the brink of overhauling the federal social security system and replacing welfare with a guaranteed income for all citizens. When it appears the guaranteed income will be quite low, the NWRO joins an alliance of conservatives and liberals to defeat the proposed legislation.

HS VTV 932 MYS

MYSTERIES OF EGYPT

*A modern perspective of an ancient civilization.
Mysteries of Egypt - - Pharaohs & filmmakers.*

HS VTV 932 MYS

MYSTERY OF THE SPHINX

*"Based on original research by John Anthony West".
Explores theories and recent discoveries about the Sphinx of Egypt.*

HS VTV 970.1 MYT

MYTHS AND MOUNDBUILDERS

*Originally broadcast on the TV program entitled: Odyssey.
This film explores the theories about the origins of the earthworks created by the Hopewell (300 B.C.-300 A.D.) and Mississippian (ca. 1200 A.D.) cultures.*

HS VTV 944.05 NAP

NAPOLEON: SOLDIER, EMPEROR, LOVER, STATESMAN

Narrated by David McCullough.

"For nearly two decades he strode the world stage like a colossus--loved and despised, venerated and feared. From his birth on the rugged island of Corsica to his final exile on the godforsaken island of St. Helena, 'Napoleon' brings this extraordinary figure to life."

HS VTV 970.1 NAT

THE NATIVE AMERICANS

6 videocassettes.

v. 1. The tribal people of the Northwest - - v. 2. The nations of the Northeast - - v. 3. The people of the Great Plains, part one and part two - - v. 4. The natives of the Southwest - - v. 5. The tribes of the Southeast.

Tribal leaders share their rich histories and current challenges in this series.

Learn how the events of a turbulent past still impact present issues for Native Americans and all the people of this great land.

943.086 REE

THE NAZIS. A WARNING FROM HISTORY

6 videocassettes.

Narrator, Samuel West.

1. Helped into power - - 2. Chaos and consent - - 3. The wrong war - - 4. The wild East - - 5. The road to Treblinka - - 6. Fighting to the end.

The story of Hitler's Nazis, from the beginnings of the party, through the horror of the war and the holocaust to their fight to the bitter end.

HS VTV 974.71 NEW

NEW YORK: A DOCUMENTARY FILM

7 videocassettes.

Episode 1. The country and the city, 1609-1825 - - Episode 2. Order and disorder, 1825-1865 - - Episode 3. Sunshine and shadow, 1865-1898 - - Episode 4. The power and the people, 1898-1918 - - Episode 5. Cosmopolis, 1919-1931 - - Episode 6. City of tomorrow, 1929-1941 - - Episode 7. The city and the world, 1945 to present.

This series chronicles the history of New York City from its beginnings in 1609 as a Dutch trading post, through the depression, onto the turbulent years of change in the following decades after WWII, to its present day status as one of the most important and influential cities in the world.

HS VTV 941.084 NIN

THE 1940S HOUSE

One modern family takes on the challenge of domestic life on Britain's home front in 1940s house, a re-creation of a World War II household. This time-travel experiment covers the period from the outbreak of war in 1939 to Victory Day in 1945, compressing the events of six wartime years into two months. Though the military threat is metaphorical, the privations are real and the pressures create tensions nonexistent in modern society.

HS VTV 941.081 NIN

THE 1900 HOUSE

Follow the Bowler family as they turn back the calendar to the spring of 1900. Narrated by Henry Strozier.

HS VTV 973.924 NIX

NIXON

Covers the span of Richard M. Nixon's political life from his early political career to his resignation from the presidency.

HS VTV 959.7043 NOT

NO TIME FOR TEARS: VIETNAM: THE WOMEN WHO SERVED

Documentary in which seven women who served in Vietnam as nurses and Red Cross personnel describe why they went, what they did there, how life in a combat zone changed them, and how their experience continues to effect them today.

HS VTV 305.4209 NOT

NOT FOR OURSELVES ALONE: THE STORY OF ELIZABETH CADY STANTON & SUSAN B. ANTHONY

"The dramatic, little-known story of one of the most compelling friendships in American history. Elizabeth Stanton and Susan Anthony were born into a world ruled entirely by men. By the time their lives were over, they had changed for the better the lives of a majority of American citizens. Their personal relationship was often turbulent but they never wavered in their shared belief that equality was the birthright of every woman, and for more than half a century led the fight to make that dream a reality"--Container.

HS VTV 341.69 NUR

NUREMBERG: TYRANNY ON TRIAL

Nuremberg Trial of Major German War Criminals, Nuremberg, Germany, 1945-1946.

HS VTV 813.09 OHE

O. HENRY: A LIFE IN STORIES

William Sydney Porter was born in Greensboro North Carolina in 1862. In his colorful lifetime he would become a pharmacist, a bank teller, a bookkeeper, a clerk, an illustrator, a draftsman, a newspaperman, an editor, reporter, columnist, and cartoonist. And one of America's favorite writers.

HS VTV 979.803 ODY

THE ODYSSEY OF CAPTAIN HEALY

Narrator: Russ Holcomb.

Mike Healy, born a slave on a Georgia plantation, ran away to sea winding up on San Francisco's Barbary Coast. With the purchase of the Alaska Territory Healy's career took off. Passing as a white man on board the cutter Bear, he represented the U.S. government and its justice in the Artic. He charted and patrolled the treacherous waters of the Bering Sea, confronted the rum-runners and poachers and foresaw the extermination of marine animals caused by unrestrained harvesting. He contended with the devastation wreaked upon the Eskimos and was instrumental in bringing reindeer to the Arctic. Film includes extensive rare archival footage of arctic conditions and history.

HS VTV 953.8053 OSA

OSAMA BIN LADEN: IN THE NAME OF ALLAH

Host, Harry Smith.

HS VTV 791.3092 PTB

P.T. BARNUM: AMERICA'S GREATEST SHOWMAN

Narrated by Cliff Robertson.

The saga of the astonishing rise and extraordinary life of P.T. Barnum, a shrewd, complex compelling individual who pioneered the display of natural history while writing the book on entertainment. Part hokum, part fraud, all showman, he built the tawdry "freak show" into the Greatest Show on Earth. From the "little general," Tom Thumb, to the massive Jumbo The Elephant, Barnum and his "stars" carved out a unique place in American folklore.

HS VTV 972.875 PAN

PANAMA CANAL

An historical documentary of the formidable wonder, including ingenuity and enterprise behind its construction.

HS VTV 940.5426 PEA

PEARL HARBOR

3 videocassettes.

"In Japanese, tora means "tiger." In December of 1941, "tiger, tiger, tiger" was the code phrase that unleashed one of history's most devastating surprise attacks. But the Japanese raid on Pearl Harbor also awakened the "sleeping giant" of American military might, and in the process, sealed Japan's fate"-- Container.

v. I, pt. I. Tora, tora, tora : the true story of Pearl Harbor - - v. II, pt. II. Tora, tora, tora : the true story of Pearl Harbor - - v. III. Admiral Chester Nimitz : thunder of the Pacific.

HS VTV 909.82 PEO

PEOPLE'S CENTURY

26 videocassettes.

A socio-political history of the 20th century described by some of the people who lived through the events which archival film illustrates.

HS VTV 940.54 PIL

THE PILOT WHO BOMBED LONDON: AND HITLER'S FLYING BLUNDERS

The first part of this film relates the tale of the pilot who bombed London. In the summer of 1940, the Luftwaffe devastated the British with its raids on RAF fighter bases. Then one pilot, confused and off-course, dropped his bombs on London, igniting what became known as the Blitz. Though Hitler's bombardment tried to break the will of the British people, his plan inspired them to acts of heroism rarely seen in the annals of warfare. The second part of the film depicts some of Hitler's flying blunders. Hitler's henchman, WWI flying ace Hermann Goering, built the mighty Luftwaffe around his Fuhrer's concept of Blitzkrieg -- lightning fast short range fighter bombers used in support of highly mobile ground forces. This strategy ultimately went awry, rendering the famed Luftwaffe useless and leading to its destruction.

HS VTV 615.372 POL

POLIO VACCINE

Looks at the discovery of the polio vaccine which eventually eradicated the polio disease.

HS VTV 937.7 POM

POMPEII

In the year 79 A.D., the ancient city of Pompeii was buried beneath a sea of volcanic ash as nearby Mount Vesuvius erupted furiously. Unable to escape the red-hot lava, more than 2,000 of Pompeii's citizens died. For almost 1,700 years, until its rediscovery in 1748, Pompeii lay hidden--a city and its people suspended in time. Now we can see the streets and buildings almost as they were on the day Pompeii died--an incredible snapshot of Roman civilization in its heyday.

HS VTV 940.5315 POW

THE POWER OF CONSCIENCE

Describes the efforts of ordinary Danish citizens, who, after the Gestapo began to round up the Danish Jews, banded together with resisters and created a rescue operation that hid and transported over 7,000 of their countrymen across the water to Sweden. Features the testimony of prisoners and saboteurs, the rescuers and the rescued.

HS VTV 973.099 PRE

PRESIDENT'S HOMES

Narrator, Andy Chanley.

A look inside the homes of some of the most distinguished men the world has every known.

HS VTV 932 PYR

THE PYRAMIDS AND THE CITIES OF THE PHARAOHS

The reconstructions in this video recapture the splendor of Egypt including two of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World, the Pyramids and the (Pharos) lighthouse at Alexandria. There are a further 25 historical recreations portrayed.

HS VTV 932 PYR

THE PYRAMIDS OF EGYPT

Examines the pyramids of Egypt using graphics and 3D animation, location footage, detailed recreations, and analysis, commentary and interpretation.

HS VTV 941.081 QUE

QUEEN VICTORIA'S EMPIRE

Narrated by Donald Sutherland.

Under Queen Victoria, the force of England's industrial and military power propelled the British Empire to its zenith. Prime Ministers Gladstone and Disraeli, and adventurers such as Livingstone and Rhodes, shaped a distinctively British imperialism. This Empire's special, which uses personal accounts and historical reenactments in Britain, India, and Africa to reveal the frequent clash of personality and culture that would mark Victoria's reign. It is the story of how a small island nation would come to control three-fourths of the world's trade and one-fifth of its population in one of the greatest empires the world has known.

HS VTV 746.46 QUI

THE QUILTS OF GEE'S BEND

"The quilts of Gee's Bend video was commissioned by the Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, to accompany the major exhibition of the same name. Set in the quiltmakers' homes and yards, and told through the women's voices, this music-filled twenty-eight-minute tape introduces the art and fascinating living history of a uniquely American community ... In addition to this video, Tinwood Media's Quilts of Gee's Bend project includes two illustrated books, the two CD set 'Sacred Songs of Gee's Bend,' and an exhibition of seventy quilts"-- Container.

HS VTV 973.7115 RAC

RACE TO FREEDOM: THE STORY OF THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD

Follows the escape of four slaves to Canada through the "underground railroad," a carefully constructed network of whites and free blacks who risk their lives to shelter, feed, and conceal the slaves in their courageous quest for freedom.

HS VTV 973.927 REA

REAGAN

The story of Ronald Reagan's life, with comments by contemporaries and historians.

Part I: Lifeguard/ writer, producer Adriana Bosch -- Part II: An American crusade/ writer, producer Austin Hoyt.

HS VTV 978 REA

THE REAL COWBOY: PORTRAIT OF AN AMERICAN ICON

HS VTV 978 REA

THE REAL WEST

5 videocassettes.

Hosted by Kenny Rogers.

v. 1. The battle of the Alamo - - v. 2. Sitting Bull & the great Sioux Nation - - v. 3. Texas Rangers manhunters of the old west - - v. 4. Wild Bill Hickok - - v. 5. Wild women, Calamity Jane, Belle Star, Annie Oakley.

Presents the myths, legends and realities of the Old West. Uses original footage, authentic diaries, paintings, photos, and expert commentary, to portray this era of American history.

HS VTV 973.8 REC

RECONSTRUCTION: THE SECOND CIVIL WAR

Narrator, Dion Graham.

The story of how ordinary Americans, black and white, in the North and South struggled to reconstruct their lives in the years 1863-1877 after the Civil War.

HS VTV 951.5 RED

RED FLAG OVER TIBET

Chronicles the forty year occupation of Tibet by China that has left tens of thousands of Tibetans dead and six thousand Tibetan monasteries destroyed. Examines Tibetan history and culture and how the survival of the Tibetan people and culture has become an international issue.

HS VTV 385.097 RED

RED ROCKETS & GREEN HORNETS

Describes the IC, which stretches from the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico, and at one time extended from Iowa to Omaha, Nebraska, as the most important north-south railroad in the United States.

HS VTV 977.311 REM

REMEMBER THE EASTLAND

HS VTV 940.5426 REM

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR: AMERICA TAKEN BY SURPRISE

HS VTV 977.311 REM

REMEMBERING CHICAGO

Personal snapshots and historical footage provide a glimpse of a less complicated time as Chicagoans share humorous and touching stories from the 1920's, '30's and '40's in Chicago. Recalls Riverview Park, Maxwell Street, the Aragon Ballroom and other local landmarks.

HS VTV 977.311 REM

REMEMBERING CHICAGO AGAIN

A nostalgic look at Chicago during the 1940's and '50's, including clips from early Chicago television.

HS VTV 977.311 REM

REMEMBERING CHICAGO & WORLD WAR II

Candid interviews, personal snapshots, and archival films bring to life a compelling chapter of Chicago history.

HS VTV 940.21 REN

RENAISSANCE FOR STUDENTS

5 videocassettes.

An exploration of the people, places, and thinking behind the Renaissance viewed through location footage, reenactments and dramatic footage. The rediscovery of Greek and Roman ideas and a desire to achieve greatness in all aspects of life including, art, science, mathematics, religion, clothing and food. Included is a discussion of the effects of the Renaissance on our life today. While the emphasis is in Italy, other parts of Europe are discussed.

HS VTV 959.70437 RET

RETURN WITH HONOR

A documentary film that interviews American pilots who became prisoners of war in Vietnam and shows footage of the prison camps and captured prisoners.

HS VTV 385.0973 RID

RIDE THE RAILS ON AMERICA'S MOST BEAUTIFUL STEAM ENGINE

Features the 4449 Daylight steam engine.

HS VTV 973.91 RID

RIDING THE RAILS

Tells the story of the 250,000 teenagers who left their homes and hopped freight trains during the Great Depression.

HS VTV 973.9 ROC

THE ROCKEFELLERS

Narrator, David Ogden Stiers.

The story of the Rockefellers, one of the richest and most powerful, admired and hated families in American history.

HS VTV 939.7 ROM

THE ROMANS IN NORTH AFRICA: A JOURNEY BACK IN TIME

Recounts the history of Roman civilization and architecture in North Africa.

HS VTV 937 ROM

ROME: POWER & GLORY

6 videocassettes.

Narrated by Peter Coyote.

Presents the complete history of Rome from its primitive beginnings to the height of its glory and its eventual decline.

V.1. The rise (52 min.) -- v.2. Legions of conquest (52 min.) -- v.3. Seduction of power (52 min.) -- v.4. The grasp of empire (52 min.) -- v.5. The cult of order (52 min.) -- v.6 The fall (52 min.)

HS VTV 937 ROM

ROME & POMPEII

The grandeur of Imperial Rome and Pompeii is reconstructed by archeologists, historians, and video artists.

HS VTV 937 ROM

ROME: THE ULTIMATE EMPIRE

Series: Time Life's lost civilizations.

Rome developed from a town on the Tiber River to a formidable power that dominated the world as it was known. See what researchers have discovered about life in ancient Rome, from the harsh life of a legionnaire on guard at Hadrian's Wall to the gladiators in the coliseum.

HS VTV 909.82 ROY

ROYAL MILITARY TATTOO MILLENNIUM CELEBRATION: THE OFFICIAL VIDEO

"In July 2000, the Ministry of Defense presented one of the most spectacular shows ever seen in Britain -- the Royal Military Tattoo 2000..."

HS VTV 974.71 RUD

RUDY GIULIANI

HS VTV 973.928 RUS

RUSH LIMBAUGH'S AMERICA

Documentary about Rush Limbaugh, a conservative radio talk show host, and his rise to fame, audience, and impact on the 1992 congressional wins by the Republicans.

HS VTV 947 RUS

RUSSIA LAND OF THE TSARS

4 videocassettes.

The definitive exploration of Russia's imperial past: its origins, leaders, wars and politics. Using exclusive interviews and historical reenactments, this film spans one thousand years of Russian history.

HS VTV 940.5426 SAC

SACRIFICE AT PEARL HARBOR

Narrator, Addison Bell.

BBC News produced this program about the attack on Pearl Harbor. Includes rare archival stills and footage as well as interviews with American and prominent persons. Includes discussion of why the attack happened and who or what was to blame for allowing it to occur.

HS VTV 394.268 SAN

SANTA CLAUS

The legend of Santa Claus was born in the second century, when a man achieved sainthood by performing good deeds on behalf of children. Who was he and how did he reach such mythic proportions? In archival footage, historic artwork, personal interviews, and TV and film clips, you'll discover the fact, fiction, and fun of Santa Claus.

HS VTV 949.7024 SAR

SARAJEVO: THE LIVING AND THE DEAD

Yugoslavian-born filmmaker Radovan Tadic presents an intimate portrait of Sarajevans trying to live while deprived of almost everything. This chronicle, filmed over a period of six months, ultimately becomes a meditation on the war, as well as a larger journey through the psychological and moral landscape of the besieged city.

HS VTV 977.311 SEA

SEARS TOWER

It was one of the most ambitious construction projects ever undertaken. When the Sears Company decided to consolidate their operations under one roof, the only way to make it happen was to create the world's largest corporate headquarters. The completion of Sears Tower gave Chicago a new landmark - the tallest building in the world. From the initial plans to the ongoing operations, trace the history of the Sears Tower, documenting the innovations that the massive structure demanded and meeting with the men and women who keep the now decades-old skyscraper operating smoothly.

HS VTV 355.009 SEC

SECRETS OF LOST EMPIRES: MEDIEVAL SIEGE

Examines how the trebuchet, a mechanized catapult, made castles vulnerable in a medieval siege. Shows medieval experts recreating full-scale catapults.

HS VTV 932 SEC

SECRETS OF THE PHARAOHS

3 videocassettes.

v.1. Tut's family curse -- v.2. Lost city of the Pyramids -- v.3. Unwrapping the mummy.

HS VTV 353.0074 SEC

THE SECRET SERVICE: 1865 TO THE PRESENT: THE INSIDE STORY

A comprehensive look at the agency's state-of-the-art surveillance techniques and protection methods. Reveals the complete story of the assassinations and assaults on presidents from Lincoln to Reagan. (4 volumes).

HS VTV 910.453 SEC

SECRETS OF THE TITANIC

National Geographic Society. Armed with sophisticated equipment, Dr. Robert Ballard of Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution and his team of researchers become the first humans to see and photograph the Titanic since its sinking more than 70 years ago.

HS VTV 940.53 SEC

SECRETS OF WORLD WAR II: REVELATIONS FROM THE SECOND WORLD WAR

10 videocassettes.

Re-creations, firsthand accounts and previously unseen military footage reveal secrets of World War II.

v. 1. Target Okinawa: the greatest sea/air battle in history - - v. 2. Adolph Hitler's last days - - v. 3. Secrets of the Battle of the Bulge - - v. 4. When Hitler invaded America - - v. 5. Secrets behind the Battle of Guadalcanal - - v. 6. What really happened to Rommel -- v. 7. Above us the enemy - - v. 8. Cracking the enigma codes - - v. 9. The corpse that fooled the axis - - v. 10. Secret mission to North Africa.

HS VTV 726.6 SET

SET IN STONE

Follow Master Stonemason and William Morris craft scholar Tom Maude as he visits the ruins of Lindisfarne, and the cathedrals of Durham, Wells, Exeter and Gloucester. He explains how the mason's art grew from the simple chevron designs of Romanesque architecture to the elaborate carved masterpieces of the Gothic era.

HS VTV 709.012 SEV

THE SEVEN WONDERS OF THE ANCIENT WORLD: A JOURNEY BACK IN TIME

Discusses the architectural achievements of the ancient world known as the Seven Wonders of the World, including the Hanging Gardens of Babylon, the Statue of Zeus, the Temple of Artemis, the Mausoleum of Halicarnassus, the Colossus of Rhodes, the Pharos of Alexandria, and the Pyramids of Egypt. Narrator, John Viner.

HS VTV 709.012 SEV

THE SEVEN WONDERS OF THE ANCIENT WORLD

Philo of Byzantium, approximately 2,000 years ago, compiled a list of two statues, a temple, a roof-top garden, two tombs, and a lighthouse. Ancient Romans considered these to be the seven great man-made wonders of the world. Why seven? Six of the seven have long been destroyed, some by nature, some desecrated by humans. Only the Great Pyramid of Giza still stands in its original form and is the oldest wonder, built around 2500 B.C. The other six are the Hanging Gardens of Babylon, the Statue of Zeus at Olympia, the Temple of Artemis at Ephesos, the Mausoleum at Halicarnassus, the Colossus of Rhodes and the Pharos (lighthouse) at Alexandria. This video reveals the story behind each wonder, its location, and the people responsible for the construction and original function of each. It's all here-- the immense creativity of ancient civilizations expressed in size, majesty, and beauty, qualities which produced a sense of wonder then and now.

HS VTV 709.012 SEV

SEVEN WONDERS OF THE WORLD

Discusses the architectural achievements of the ancient world known as the Seven Wonders of the World, including the Great Pyramid at Giza, the Hanging Gardens of Babylon, and the Colossus of Rhodes.

HS VTV 96-2264

THE SHADOW OF HATE

A video spanning three centuries to examine this country's ongoing struggle to deal with racial and social intolerance.

HS VTV 822.37 SHA

THE SHAKESPEARE CONSPIRACY

Who was Shakespeare? Was it really Edward de Vere, 17th Earl of Oxford? This video examines the background for this theory.

HS VTV 919.89 SHA

SHACKLETON

4 videocassettes

True story of Ernest Shackleton's Antarctic adventures. Bound for Antarctica in 1914, Shackleton's ship, the Endurance, was trapped in the pack ice of the Weddell Sea. Ten months later, the ship sank, stranding Shackleton and his crew of 27. Based on the diaries and first person accounts of expedition members, the film tells of their ordeal and their 800-mile journey in an open boat across the world's worst seas that made their rescue possible.

HS VTV 940.5315 SHO

SHOAH: A FILM

4 videocassettes.

The Nazi extermination of Jews is examined through interviews of survivors, witnesses and perpetrators and through footage of the sites of the death camps and environs as they appear today. Those interviewed include Jewish survivors of the death camps and the Warsaw ghetto uprising, Polish farmers and villagers who lived near the camps and Nazis who worked in the camps and the ghettos.

HS VTV 950 SIL

THE SILK ROAD: AN ANCIENT WORLD OF ADVENTURE

12 videocassettes.

A panoramic tour examining the world's most historic and inaccessible locations, Silk Road escorts the viewer on the ancient path traveled by Marco Polo, linking the riches of China with the European markets of the middle Ages. v. 1. Glories of ancient Chang-An - - v. 2. A thousand kilometers beyond the Yellow River - - v. 3. The art gallery in the desert - - v. 4. The dark castle - - v. 5. In search of the kingdom of Lou-Lan - - v. 6. Across the Taklamakan Desert - - v. 7. Khotan, oasis of silk and jade - - v. 8. A heat wave called Turfan - - v. 9. Through the Tian Shan Mountains by rail - - v.10. Journey into music : south through the Tian Shan Mountains - - v. 11. Where horses fly like the wind - - v. 12. Two roads to the Pamirs.

HS VTV 973.73 SMI

SMITHSONIAN'S GREAT BATTLES OF THE CIVIL WAR

7 videocassettes.

A sweeping look at the war's military, political and social history. Features dramatic reenactments of important campaigns; first-hand accounts of eyewitnesses and participants, read by distinguished actors.

HS VTV 940.5344 SOR

THE SORROW AND THE PITY

part 1. The collapse -- part 2. The choice.

Through interviews with participants and newsreel footage, examines the occupation of France by the Germans during World War II as it occurred in the French city of Clermont-Ferrand.

Concentrates on the themes of collaboration and resistance.

English, French and German dialogue, with subtitles.

HS VTV 919.89 SOU

SOUTH: SIR ERNEST SHACKLETON'S GLORIOUS EPIC OF THE ANTARCTIC

Silent film with intertitles and music accompaniment.

Chronicles one of history's greatest epics of courage and leadership: the 1914 expedition of Sir Ernest Shackleton to cross Antarctica via the South Pole.

HS VTV 629.45 SPA

SPACEFLIGHT

4 videocassettes.

The story of the first steps in space and the paths that await us in the universe beyond.

*v. 1. Thunder in the skies -- v. 2. The wings of mercury -- v. 3. One giant leap -
- v. 4. The territory ahead.*

HS VTV 938.9 SPA

THE SPARTANS

Chronicles the rise and fall of the civilization of ancient Sparta, considering socio-economic, political and military aspects and influence on later Western culture. Key battles (Thermopylae, Sphacteria, Syracuse) and individuals (Leonidas, Lysander, Lycurgus, Agesilaos) are examined. Includes location footage and battle re-enactments.

HS VTV 332.632 STO

THE STOCK EXCHANGE

Gives the history of the New York Stock Exchange.

HS VTV 974.71 STA

THE STATUE OF LIBERTY

Explores the history of the Statue and the meaning of liberty itself on the occasion of the Statue's renovation.

HS VTV 936.2 STO

STONEHENGE

This is the fascinating story of the British Isles in prehistory: of the hunters and farmers who eked out a living from the land, and of Stonehenge, the megalithic structure which has become a symbol of those dark and mysterious times.

HS VTV 420.9 STO

THE STORY OF ENGLISH

5 videocassettes.

v. 1. *An English speaking world; Mother tongue* - - v. 2. *A Muse of fire; The Guid Scots tongue* - - v. 3. *Black on white; Pioneers O! Pioneers!* - - v. 4. *The Muvver tongue; The Loaded weapon* - - v. 5. *Next year's words, a look into the future.*

Details the history of the English language and provides a unique focus on current English usage worldwide with a special emphasis on American English.

HS VTV 947.0854 STR

THE STRUGGLE FOR RUSSIA

"Presents an in-depth look at Boris Yeltsin's presidency, exploring Russia's economic and social chaos and examining what went wrong with Yeltsin's 'shock therapy' economic reforms. The program looks at the battle between Yeltsin and his political opponents."

HS VTV 387.243 SUP

THE SUPERLINERS: TWILIGHT OF AN ERA

National Geographic Society.

HS VTV 956.7044 SUR

THE SURVIVAL OF SADDAM

Narrator: Will Lyman.

Examines how despite the Gulf War, economic sanctions, no-fly zones and military attacks from the Iraqi opposition, Saddam Hussein has been able to hold onto power. Also features a look at his rise to power.

HS VTV 978 SUR

SURVIVING THE DUST BOWL

Using archival film and photographs; interviews with witnesses; and new cinematography, this film tells the story of those who endured the near decade of drought and dust storms in the Southern Plains. The residents of the panhandles of Texas & Oklahoma, western Kansas and the eastern portions of Colorado & New Mexico faced black blizzards, static electricity, jackrabbits, dust pneumonia and near starvation from 1931 until the drought ended in 1939.

HS VTV 940.5315 TAK

TAK FOR ALT: SURVIVAL OF A HUMAN SPIRIT: THE STORY OF JUDY MEISEL

A Holocaust survivor from Lithuania, Judith Meisel, discusses her experiences during World War II.

HS VTV 973.928 TAL

TALKING WITH DAVID FROST: BARBARA BUSH

*Barbara Bush talks to David Frost about her best-selling book *Barbara Bush: a memoir*.*

HS VTV 973.924 TAL

TALKING WITH DAVID FROST: THE NIXON INTERVIEWS

In addition to presenting highlights from the original broadcasts of "The Nixon Interviews with David Frost," this special includes never before seen footage culled from some 28 hours of recorded interviews taped after President Nixon retired to San Clemente (1977); footage from Sir David Frost's original interview in 1968 at then-Presidential candidate Nixon's New York headquarters; and a behind the scenes look by Sir David at the taping sessions and his personal reflections on the late President.

HS VTV 133.9 TEL

TELEGRAMS FROM THE DEAD

Examines the movement of spiritualism in the United States between 1850 and 1880.

HS VTV 303.625 TER

TERRORISM IN OUR WORLD

4 videocassettes.

"Terrorism in our world is a unique four-part series for students in grades 7 and up that addresses the origins of terrorism, identifies the most influential terrorist acts in history and attempts to answer the questions on everyone's mind today: why was America the target of international terrorist, and how can another attack like September 11th be prevented? This exceptional series utilizes archival news footage and interviews with experts in the field to help young people understand the history of terrorism. It addresses what causes terrorism and what some of its effects are on governments and societies, and ways that countries around the world are attempting to thwart terrorism in the 21st century, while also empowering students by increasing their knowledge and awareness of this complex and dangerous phenomenon. Each program includes a teacher's guide."--Taken from www.libraryvideo.com.

HS VTV 677 TEX

TEXTILES: BIRTH OF AN AMERICAN INDUSTRY

Narrator, Dan Chandler.

Tells the story of America's first real industry, the textile industry, beginning with Samuel Slater and Slater's Mill in Pawtucket, R.I., then the Boston Associates' development of America's first industrial city, Lowell, Mass., and up to the present. Discusses child labor and labor conflicts and the changes brought by new technologies all along the way.

HS VTV 973.911 *THE*
THEODORE ROOSEVELT

Originally broadcast as part of the television series The American experience, and released as videocassettes, in 1996.

HS VTV 609.2273 *EVA*
THEY MADE AMERICA

Based on the book "They made America", by Harold Evans.

Narrated by David Ogden Stiers.

Tape 1. Rebels and Revolutionaries; Tape 2. Newcomers and gamblers.

HS VTV 940.53 *THI*

THIS FILM IS RESTRICTED: WORLD WAR II "SECRETS" REVEALED

7 videocassettes.

Host, Dale Reed.

Captured enemy equipment, German frontier operations, Airborne strike force, activities in Burma, Nazi propaganda, and many more secrets are revealed about World War II.

HS VTV 973.46 *THO*

THOMAS JEFFERSON

Examines the life of Thomas Jefferson, third President of the United States and author of the Declaration of Independence.

HS VTV 385.0978 *THU*

THUNDER ON THE RAILS

Footage of trains and places in the railroad history of the West. Includes footage of B&T Engines.

Narrated by Jim Mitchell.

HS VTV 358.4 *THU*

THE THUNDERBIRDS: THUNDER OVER THE PACIFIC

Goes behind the scenes with the Thunderbirds flying team and shows both historic and current footage of the team in action.

HS VTV 951.5 *TIB*

TIBET: THE END OF TIME

Time Life's lost civilizations.

Isolated by the Himalayas, Tibet has developed a culture centered on lives of altruism, the worship of the Dalai Lama as the manifestation of god on earth, and a perception of life as a repeating cycle. Now, however, modern life is intruding and the Tibetans' quest for peace, inner knowledge and nirvana may cease to exist.

HS VTV 910.453 TIT

TITANIC

Using newsreels, stills, diaries, and interviews with survivors, the history of this legendary disaster is recounted. v. 1. Death of a dream, part 1 -- v. 2. Death of a dream, part 2 -- v. 3. The legend lives on, part 1 -- v. 4. The legend lives on, part 2.

HS VTV 910.453 TIT

TITANIC

Uses stills, archive footage and an interview with one of the few survivors to recount the story of the Titanic and the disaster that cost so many lives.

HS VTV 910.453 TIT

THE TITANIC: SECRETS OF THE UNKNOWN

Videocassette release of the 1989 motion picture. Asks questions about the sinking of the luxury liner, Titanic, such as why this very avoidable accident happened, were the crew warned of the approaching danger and can interviews with survivors shed any light on this mystery.

HS VTV 919.89 TRA

TRAGEDY AT THE POLE

Narrator, Liev Schreiber. In March 1912, on their return trip from the South Pole, Captain Robert F. Scott and his team froze to death in Antarctica just 11 miles from a depot of food and heating oil. Scott's fatal journey has become the stuff of legend, and some have labeled him an incompetent leader whose mistakes cost him and his team their lives. But are the criticisms fair, or has history judged him too harshly?

HS VTV 956.94 TRA

TRAGEDY IN THE HOLY LAND: THE SECOND UPRISING

Using rarely seen archival footage and interviews, this documentary addresses the core issues of land and identity through the lens of the Palestinians. It offers vital information about the roots of the current conflict and the ongoing struggle.

HS VTV 385.09 TRA

TRANSCONTINENTAL RAILROAD

Narrator, Michael Murphy. "Reveals both why the railroad was built and how it would shape the nation, while shedding light on the politics and culture of min-nineteenth century America"--Container.

HS VTV 967.73053 TRU

THE TRUE STORY OF BLACK HAWK DOWN

On October 3, 1993, a force of 120 American Delta units and Ranger infantry were dropped into Mogadishu, Somalia to abduct Somalian warlord Mohamed Farrah Aidid. The mission was planned to take one hour, but when two Black Hawk helicopters were shot down, it became a 15-hour ordeal. Drawing on Mark Bowden's book about the incident and extensive interviews with the author, this video is a minute-by-minute look at the battle that claimed 18 American lives. US Rangers and Somali militiamen share their harrowing experiences, and former officials from Aidid's organization reveal how they were able to use the attack to their advantage. Diplomats and high-ranking officers also reflect on the incident's legacy.

HS VTV 941.102 TRU

THE TRUE STORY OF BRAVEHEART

The biography of the Scottish patriot, Braveheart. Learn about his early years to the battle of Falkirk, where he faced King Edward I, to his abduction and execution in 1305.

HS VTV 973.918 TRU

TRUMAN

The story of Harry S. Truman's life, with comments by contemporaries and historians.

HS VTV 940.544973 TUS

THE TUSKEGEE AIRMEN

It is 1943 and the Germans are winning the Second World War as the U.S. suffers huge losses on the ground and in the air. Four newly recruited pilots are united by a desire to serve their country, at a time when black flyers are not welcomed in the Air Force. Now, through the brutal demands of their training, to the perils of flying over nations at war, the men they call "The Tuskegee Airmen" must undertake the riskiest mission of their lives -- to prove to America that courage knows no color. Their success could earn them respect, save lives and help win a terrible war. Their failure could destroy more hopes and dreams than their own.

HS VTV 943.086 TWI

THE TWISTED CROSS

Uses footage from German news films in telling the story of Adolf Hitler and the Nazi movement from Hitler's lowly beginnings in 1923, to his lofty days as conqueror of the European mainland, his defeat and suicide.

HS VTV 973.82 ULY

ULYSSES S. GRANT

Part 1: The warrior -- Part 2: The President.

Narrator, Liev Schreiber.

This biography of Ulysses S. Grant paints a nuanced portrait of one of America's most paradoxical leaders. The greatest hero of the Civil War, Grant was a brilliant military strategist who rose from obscurity to a rank held previously only by George Washington. However, the strength of the Confederate resistance forced Grant into a hard war that destroyed the South and led to his being labeled "a butcher." Propelled into the White House by his battlefield success, Grant lacked the political skills to deal with the issues of the era: reconstructing the South and managing the nation's rapidly expanding economy. His two terms were rocked by bitter racial conflict and corruption scandals. Seven years after leaving office, Grant was financially ruined by the collapse of an investment house in which he had placed his assets. He spent his final days in a race against time as he battled cancer while finishing his epic war memoirs.

HS VTV 305.567 UNC

UNCHAINED MEMORIES: READINGS FROM THE SLAVE NARRATIVES

When the Civil War ended in 1865, more than 4 million slaves were set free. By the late 1930's, 100,000 former slaves were still alive. In the midst of the Great Depression, journalists and writers traveled the country to record the memories of the last generation of African-Americans born into bondage. Over 2,000 interviews were transcribed as spoken, in the vernacular of the time, to form a unique historical record.

HS VTV 973.7115 UND

THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD

Hosted by Alfre Woodard.

HS VTV 973.62 UNI

U.S. MEXICAN WAR, 1846-1848

The U.S. Mexican War (1846-1848) tells the dramatic story of a war in which Mexico lost almost half of its national territory -- including all of the states of the present American Southwest -- to the United States. This critically acclaimed documentary series explores the events surrounding the conflict between two neighboring nations struggling for land, power and identity.

HS VTV 929.92 UNI

UNITED STATES FLAG VIDEOS

3 videocassettes.

Commissioned by the National Flag Foundation, previously only available to schools, these award-winning videos teach the Pledge of Allegiance, History of the Flag, and Flag Etiquette.

v.1. The history of the U.S. flag -- v.2. The pledge of allegiance -- v.3. Flag etiquette.

HS VTV 973 UNI

UNITED STATES HISTORY VIDEO COLLECTION

26 videocassettes.

A comprehensive study of U.S. history from the earliest native Americans to the Cold War years following World War II. Presents important events, historical figures and the lives of everyday people.

v. 1: Three worlds meet (Origins-1620) - - v. 2: Era of colonization (1585-1763) - - v. 3: Slavery & freedom - - v. 4: American Revolution - - v. 5: New Nation (1776-1815) - - v. 6: Expansionism - - v. 7: Democracy & reform - - v. 8: Causes of the Civil War - - v. 9: Civil War - - v. 10: Reconstruction & segregation (1865-1910) - - v. 11: Immigration & urbanization (1870-1910) - - v. 12: Immigration & cultural change - - v. 13: Nation in turmoil - - v. 14: Progressive Movement - - v. 15: U.S. & the world (1865-1917) - - v. 16: Great War - - v. 17: Roaring twenties - - v. 18: Great Depression & the New Deal - - v. 19: World War II - - v. 20: Post-war U.S.A - - v.21: Cold war - - v.22: Civil rights - - v.23: Vietnam war - - v.24: Middle east - - v.25: U.S. politics 1960-1980 - - v.26: U.S. politics 1980-2000.

HS VTV 973.7 UNI

THE UNITED STATES MILITARY RAILROADS

The American Civil War was the first military conflict in which the railroads played a decisive role. This documentary tells the story of the United States Military Railroad and of those men who made it operate. Brought to life with hundreds of authentic Civil-War-Era photos, re-enactments, and finely detailed models.

HS VTV 959.7 VIE

VIETNAM IN THE YEAR OF THE PIG

An experimental documentary which examines the history of Vietnam, from the French involvement to the Vietnam War.

HS VTV 959.7043 VIE

VIETNAM: THE TEN THOUSAND DAY WAR. BOOK I

America in Vietnam -- Dien Bien Phu; America in Vietnam gives an overall perspective of the shifting attitudes of the U.S. towards Vietnam from their early liaison to the ultimate fall of Saigon. Dien Bien Phu examines the French surrender at this crucial battle which triggered 20 years of direct American involvement in Vietnam.

HS VTV 959.7043 VIE

VIETNAM: THE TEN THOUSAND DAY WAR. BOOK II

Days of decision -- Uneasy allies; Days of decision examines the gradual falling out of Washington a Saigon and Johnson's crucial decision to send combat troops into South Vietnam. Uneasy allies looks at the effects, both practical and cultural, that Americans have on the country they are inhabiting.

HS VTV 959.7043 VIE

VIETNAM: THE TEN THOUSAND DAY WAR. BOOK III

The trail -- Firepower; The Trail explores the Ho Chi Minh Trail, a 1,500-mile system of mountain paths that was the life-line for North Vietnam. Firepower covers the American strategy to stop the war through air power and studies U.S. military operations at the period of maximum troop involvement.

HS VTV 959.7043 VIE

VIETNAM: THE TEN THOUSAND DAY WAR. BOOK IV

Siege -- Frontline America; Siege covers the 77 day siege of Khe Sahn and the explosion of the Tet Offensive, and how these battles intensify the anti-war sentiment in the U.S. Frontline America continues the examination of American dissent, giving an overview of Nixon's determination to obtain peace through pressure.

HS VTV 959.7043 VIE

VIETNAM: THE TEN THOUSAND DAY WAR. BOOK V

Soldiering on -- The village war; Soldiering on is a study of the morale and battlefield conditions of the American soldier in Vietnam. It also covers the controversy surrounding the American prisoners of war. The Village war examines the constant struggle for control of the 16,000 villages in South Vietnam, and the beginning of the "Vietnamization" process.

HS VTV 959.7043 VIE

VIETNAM: THE TEN THOUSAND DAY WAR. BOOK VI

Peace -- Surrender; Peace is a history of the search for peace throughout the war. The ultimate ceasefire is seen by the U.S. as "peace with honor" and by Saigon as a sellout. Surrender examines the final offensive in 1975, two years after America's withdrawal.

HS VTV 943.087 WAL

THE WALL: THE BUILDING AND THE DESTRUCTION OF THE BERLIN WALL

Host, Mike Wallace; narrators, Gene Farinet, Hal Lewis, Lee Cohen.

A comprehensive history of the wall, a symbol of the Cold War, from the tense days of its construction to the jubilation surrounding its destruction.

HS VTV 959.70438 WAL

THE WALL THAT HEALS

The authorized video celebration of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial's fifteenth anniversary includes interviews with distinguished veterans, senators, businessmen, supporters, and George H.W. Bush, 41st President of the United States.

HS VTV 973.917 WAR

WAR ABROAD: DEPRESSION AT HOME 1937

Compiled from segments of the march of time newsreel series originally produced by Time magazine; Poland and war -- Dust Bowl -- Dogs for sale -- The 49th state -- Babies wanted -- Rockefeller millions

HS VTV 940.54 WAR

WAR CHRONICLES

7 videocassettes.

Combining graphic combat footage and expert commentary, this is a commanding view of the battles and strategy, the men and machines, and the horror and heroism that marked World War II. This set concentrates on United States involvement.

Vol. I. The greatest conflict: W.W. II; North Africa: the desert war-- Vol. II. The beachhead at Anzio; D-Day: the Normandy invasion -- Vol. III. Pursuit to the Rhine; The bomber offensive : air war in Europe -- Vol. IV. The Battle of the Bulge; The Battle of Germany – Vol. V. Island hopping: the road back; Jungle warfare: New Guinea to Burma -- Vol. VI. Air war in the Pacific; The bloody ridges of Peleliu -- Vol. VII. Return to the Philippines; Okinawa: the last battle.

HS VTV 355.02 WAR

WAR & CIVILIZATION

8 videocassettes.

V. 1. First blood - - v. 2. Empires & armies - - v. 3. Horse warriors - - v. 4. Gunpowder - - v. 5. Revolution - - v. 6. Blood & iron - - v. 7. War machines - - v. 8. The price of war.

Traces human confrontation from the Battle of Marathon in 490 B.C. through two world wars and ultimately the modern potential for nuclear Armageddon.

HS VTV 940.54 WWI

WWII IN COLOR

Narrated by Brett Barry.

During World War II military leaders worried how the public would react to color production films, afraid the brutal images would erode public support if seen. The films in this video have been researched from declassified footage sources throughout the world and digitally restored. Highlights include a B-17 bombing raid over Europe directed by filmmaker William Wyler, the battle of Midway shot by the director John Ford, and the brutal combat at Saipan, Tarawa, Iwo Jima and Okinawa.

HS VTV 355.009 WAR

WARRIOR CHALLENGE

4 videocassettes.

This light-hearted approach to history sends marines, police, athletes, and U.S. Air Force personnel back in time to live, train, and fight as knights in a medieval castle, centurions along a Roman outpost, Vikings and gladiators. v.1. Romans -- v.2. Knights -- v.3. Vikings -- v.4. Gladiators.

HS VTV 942.04 WAR

THE WARS OF THE ROSES: TO BOSWORTH FIELD

Struggle for power between the House of York and the House of Lancaster in 15th century England, which culminated in the Battle of Bosworth Field.

HS VTV 623.8225 WAR

WARSHIP

Stacy Keach, Narrator.

Warship traces the history of modern naval warfare, from Admiral Nelson's victory at Trafalgar in 1805 up through the cutting edge ships in today's United States Navy. It traces the personal and political stories of the people responsible for the most dramatic military metamorphosis of the modern age.

HS VTV 940.547252 WEE

WE ALL CAME HOME: ARMY AND NAVY NURSE POWS IN WORLD WAR II

Focuses on the strength and courage of the U.S. Army and Navy nurses who survived the World War II prison camps of Bataan and Corregidor.

HS VTV 944.815 WEA

WEAPONS OF THE SPIRIT

The story of a village in France, Le Chambon-sur-Lignon, that took in and sheltered 5000 Jews from Nazis, as told by Jewish filmmaker, Sauvage, who was himself born and protected in that community.

HS VTV 978 WES

THE WEST

9 videocassettes.

"... the definitive account of the hope, heartbreak and mythic adventure of America's move west through the unforgettable personal stories of those who lived it."

1. The people -- 2. Empire upon the trails -- 3. The speck of the future -- 4. Death runs riot -- 5. The grandest enterprise under God -- 6. Fight no more forever -- 7. The geography of hope -- 8. Ghost dance -- 9. One sky above us.

HS VTV 355.0071 WES

WEST POINT: THE FIRST 200 YEARS

Narrator, Andre Braugher.

This program tells the 200-year story of The United States Military Academy and reveals its tremendous influence on the nation. Anecdotes of the people, places and traditions of the Academy are featured, including tales of famous West Point dropouts such as Edgar Allen Poe and James McNeill Whistler. The program conveys the sense of fraternity and fierce loyalty that mark the West Point experience.

HS VTV 190 WES

WESTERN PHILOSOPHY

3 videocassettes.

pt. 1. Greeks and Romans -- pt. 2. Rationalists and British empiricists -- pt. 3. Industrial Revolution, Pragmatists.

HS VTV 629.222 WHE

WHEELS

6 videocassettes.

A look at the history of the automobile in America.

v. 1. The enduring crown & crest -- v. 2. Reflections of the stylemakers -- v. 3. The unstoppable soldier -- v. 4. The lovable Beetle -- v. 5. Tail fins & drive-ins -
- v. 6. Dreams of steel.

HS VTV 974.71 WHY

WHY THE TOWERS FELL

Narrator: Will Lyman.

For most people the image of the collapse of the World Trade Center Towers on Sept. 11, 2001, was not only a scene of unforgettable horror, it was a moment of unimaginable consequence. This follows a blue ribbon team of forensic engineers as they begin searching for clues that would tell them why the towers fell. From detailed examination of the buildings original design to the relentless process of searching the scrap steel yards and Ground Zero itself for evidence.

HS VTV 978 WIL

WILD WEST TECH: THE ROAD WEST

"During the 1800s, the road west was a dangerous path into the unknown. As pioneers headed toward a new life, they faced unpredictable weather, uneven trails, and sometimes unforgiving Native Americans. Remarkable feats of engineering, such as blasting mile-long tunnels or building a bridge to span 300 feet across a mighty river, helped tame the frontier. Host David Carradine discovers the amazing advances made by settlers and the technology they used to help them on their journey into the vast wilderness."-- A&E website.

HS VTV 822.37 WIL

WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE. HIS LIFE AND TIMES

6 videocassettes.

Originally broadcast by ATV in 6 parts in July, 1978.

HS VTV 970.1 WIN

WINDS OF CHANGE: A MATTER OF PROMISES

N. Scott Momaday hosts this program which looks at three Native American nations: Onondaga, Navajo and Lummi, and the challenges they face as they try to preserve their cultures.

HS VTV 960 WON

WONDERS OF THE AFRICAN WORLD

3 videocassettes.

This documentary presents Henry Louis Gates, Jr. on a journey from Zanzibar to Timbuktu, the Nile River Valley to Great Zimbabwe, the slave coast of Guinea to the medieval monasteries of Ethiopia in search of the lost wonders of the African world.

V. 1. Black kingdoms of the Nile; The Swahili coast - - V. 2. The slave kingdoms ; The Holy Land - - V. 3. The road to Timbuktu; Lost cities of the South.

HS VTV 940.53 WOR

THE WORLD AT WAR

9 videocassettes.

Narrator, Laurence Olivier.

Examines the events of World War II using documentary footage, photographs, and reminiscences of individuals involved in the conflict.

v. 1. A new Germany, 1933-39; Distant war, September 1939-May 1940; France falls, May-June 1940 -- v. 2. Alone, May 1940-May 1941; Barbarossa, June-December 1941; Banzai! Japan, 1931- 1942 -- v. 3. On our way, U.S.A., 1939-1942 ; Desert: North Africa, 1940-1943; Stalingrad, June 1942-February 1943 -- v. 4. Wolf pack, U-boats in the Atlantic, 1939-1944 ; Red Star, the Soviet Union, 1941-1943; Whirlwind: bombing Germany, September 1939-April 1944 -- v. 5. Tough old gut: Italy, November 1942-June 1944; It's a lovely day tomorrow: Burma, 1942-1944; Home fires: Britain, 1940-1944 -- v. 6. Inside the Reich: Germany, 1940-1944 ; Morning: June-August 1944 ; Occupation: Holland, 1940-1944 -- v. 7. Pincers, August 1944 - March 1945; Genocide, 1941-1945; Nemesis: Germany, February-May 1945 -- v. 8. Japan, 1941-1945; Pacific, February 1942-July 1945; The bomb, February-September 1945 -- v. 9. Reckoning: 1945 and after; Remember; World at War special programs: Secretary to Hitler; From war to peace.

HS VTV 974.71 WOR

WORLD TRADE CENTER: ANATOMY OF THE COLLAPSE

Narrator, Sean Barrett.

Discover how the twin towers were built, how they survived a terrorist attack in 1993, and why they came down eight years later. CGI graphics and eye-witness interviews unravel the split-second events of September 11th in visual detail, explaining the answers to the questions that haunt the American public and the world.

HS VTV 940.3 WOR

WORLD WAR I: 1914-1918

This program tells the story of the "war to end all wars" in panoramic detail, drawing upon the archives of all the combatants. The United States, under General "Black Jack" Pershing, entered the war in 1917 when the Allies were exhausted. America's doughboys applied the finishing blow to the German armies. But the war sowed the seeds for an even more devastating world conflict which would begin in 1939.

HS VTV 940.54 WOR

WORLD WAR II: FROM D-DAY TO HIROSHIMA

Documentary, using archival footage to present, overview of the latter events of the second World War. English narration.

HS VTV 940.5373 WOR

WORLD WAR II: BREADLINES TO BOOMTIMES

v.1. Changing the face of America-- v. 2. A world in flames-- v. 3. The problems of peace.

HS VTV 940.5421 WOR

WORLD WAR II: EUROPE

HS VTV 940.5426 WOR

WORLD WAR II: PACIFIC

HS VTV 629.13092 WRI

THE WRIGHT STUFF

Narrator, Garrison Keillor.

The all-American story of two Midwestern boys who truly believed they could fly -- Orville and Wilber Wright. Discover little-known facts about these visionary brothers and their flying machines that changed the world.

HS VTV 949.7024 YUG

YUGOSLAVIA: DEATH OF A NATION

3 videocassettes.

Program chronicles the division of Yugoslavia and the subsequent war.

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