# Interesting facts about piramids

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# Some Had Flat Tops

We generally associate pyramids as a symmetrical triangle with a pointed top. This kind of pyramid was created by Egyptians .Their pyramid consisted of six layers and traveled 3.5 miles underground.



### They Weren't The Only Structure Built



Pyramids had a religious purpose and in addition to them there were built other structures , for example the pyramids were surounded by chapels, tombs and temples to help them reach the place were souls were supose to go in afterlife

#### They Used To Sparkle

In our days pyramids look dull but in the past they used to reflected the light like a mirror because they were covered with polished limestone and this made them extremely visible.

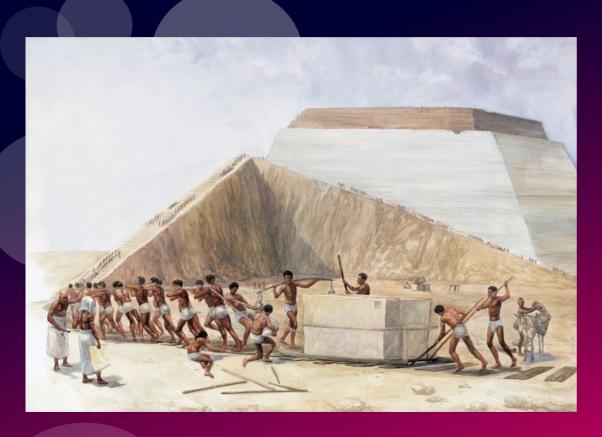


#### Many Of Them Were Robbed

Plenty of history was lost because of tomb robbers. The pyramids were their target because the kings and the queens were buried with untold amounts of riches. Stealing from pyramids was offending and who was caught was executed.



#### It Is Still A Mystery How They Built Them



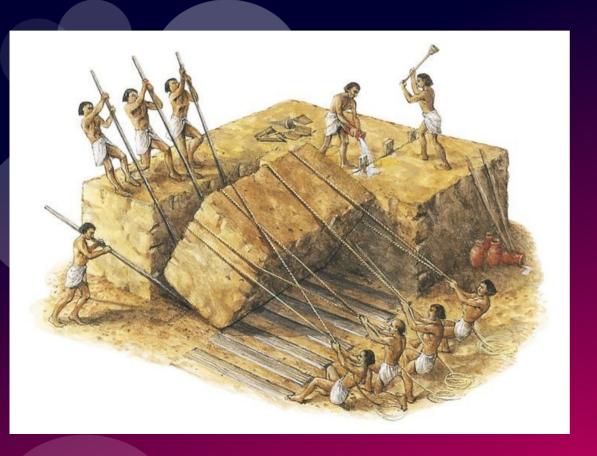
Pyramids were studied for years and there have been developed several theories some developed even 2000 years ago .The most accepted theory is that the pyramids were built form inside using ramps

# The Great Pyramid Of Khufu Weighs 5,750,000 Tons



The great pyramid is composed of 2.3 million blocks of stone, each is weighting about 2.5 tons.

#### They Took About 23 Years To Complete



If we think haw long it takes to repair Chişinău-s bypass belt you wont have any doubt that 23 years for a 5,750,000 ton construction isn't so much.

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