# Ineni, biography, describing the southern gate in Karnak

#### Sethe

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Ne <sup>c</sup>nh Hr K3-w<sup>c</sup>f-t3w

nbtj 9-nrw

Ne Live Horus: Bull who subjugates the lands; Two Ladies: Great of terror;



Ne nsw-bjtj Dsr-k3-Rc

Ne The king of Upper and Lower Egypt: Djeserkare.

Ne jr.n=f m mnw=f n jt=f Jmn

Ne He created it as his monument for his father Amun,

Ne nb Nswt-t3wj

Ne lord of the Thrones of the Two Lands,

Ne  $s^ch^c.n=f sb^3 c^3 n mh 20 r rwtj hwt-ntr$ 

Ne when he erected a great gate of 20 cubits in front of the temple,

Ne m inr hd nfr n <sup>c</sup>nw

Ne from beautiful white limestone.

Se

Ne jr  $n=f s^3-R^c Jmn-htp ^c nh(.w) dt$ 

1 1 [...] dt

Ne So did for him Son of Re: Amenophis (may he live forever!). [...] forever.

Ne jr.n=f m mnw=f n jt=f Jmn

Ne He created it as his monument for his father Amun,



Ne nb Nswt-t3wj

qd pr=f

smnh hwt-ntr=f

Ne lord of the Thrones of the Two Lands, when building his house, making his temple,



Ne schc sb3 rs Sq3-htp

Ne and erecting the southern gate Seka-Hotep,

Se

Ne mḥ 20 m jnr ḥd [nfr n cnw]

2 2 1 [...] Jmn m Jpt-swt

Ne of 20 cubits from [beautiful] white [lime]stone. I [...] Amun in Karnak.

Ne jst grt rdj.n=f rh hm=f m b3=f n-St-n mrr=f sw r ntrw nbw

Ne He let His Majesty know of his soul, because he loved him more than all the other gods.

Ne jr n=f ntr nfr Jmn-htp dj cnh dt

Ne So did for him the good god Amenophis, given life forever.