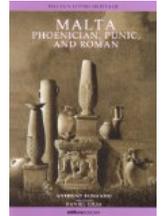


Malta Reading List

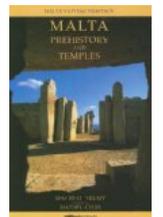
Malta - Phoenician, Punic and Roman by A. Bonanno

Supported by numerous color photographs by Daniel Cilia, this well-presented book surveys the archaeological heritage of Malta, focusing on the classical period rather than the island's more celebrated prehistoric past. Photographs, plans and reconstruction drawings present archaeological sites, tombs, coins, ceramics, artworks, extraordinary objects and other items from everyday life, dating to the Phoenician, Punic and Roman periods in turn, representing 1,500 years of history.



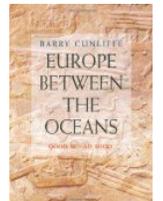
Malta: Prehistory and Temples by David H. Trump

The large stone temple structures on Malta are amongst the earliest of such constructions in the world, long before the pyramids were built in Egypt. This book forms a pictorial record of all the temples on Malta, whilst also providing background information on the social and cultural history of the period. Built between c.3500 and 2500 BC, the temples reflect, and were part of, a period of great development on Malta and Gozo, especially in artistic and architectural terms.



Europe Between the Oceans: Themes and Variations, 9000 BC - AD 1000 by Barry Cunliffe

In this magnificent book, distinguished archaeologist Barry Cunliffe reframes our entire conception of early European history, from prehistory through the ancient world to the medieval Viking period. Cunliffe views Europe not in terms of states and shifting political land boundaries but as a geographical niche particularly favored in facing many seas.



Also Recommended

The Knights of Malta by H.J.A. Sire

This is the most complete history in any language of the Order of St John, or Knights Hospitaller, successively known as the Knights of Rhodes and of Malta. Founded in eleventh-century Jerusalem, the Order has played an important military, religious and political role over succeeding centuries.

The Great Siege of Malta: The Epic Battle between the Ottoman Empire and the Knights of St. John by Bruce Ware Allen

In the spring of 1565, a massive fleet of Ottoman ships descended on Malta, a small island centrally located between North Africa and Sicily, home and headquarters of the crusading Knights of St. John and their charismatic Grand Master, Jean de Valette.

Counting Churches: The Malta Stories by Rosanne Dingli

Experience a mystery, a journey, a lover's dilemma or a family saga. This memorable collection of stories brings Rosanne Dingli's recollections of Malta vividly to life. Some are family anecdotes, some are folkloric, and others sharp figments of the author's imagination. The reader's task is to distinguish which is which.

The Maltese Dreamer by Catherine V. Tucker, Catherine Veritas

A mystical-historical fiction about desire and betrayal, trance healing, and the Goddess of the ancient world. On the island of Malta, in the 8th century B.C., Nuriya desires love and romance as passionately as she desires to be a healer. Against the backdrop of ancient temples to the Great Mother and Canaanite mythology, Nuriya comes of age as a woman and into her power as a healer.