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7 wonders of the world list old

There were only seven wonders on the original list, and each subsequent list stuck to that perfect Pythagorean figure. But there were quiet murmurs of an eighth wonder. Fleetwood's song Mac Seven Wonders suggests that unrequited love is the elusive eighth wonder while Hollywood would have us believe that the eighth wonder is really André the Giant or King Kong. Modern architects are inclined to call towering buildings like Dubai's Empire State Building or Palm Islands the eighth wonder. Bbc. The Great Pyramid, Giza, Egypt. October 9, 2001. . Rhodes plans to rebuild the Colossus. February 14, 2005. Colin. Pharaoh of Alexandria. Hellenic Electronic Center. 1998. Stephanie, Ph.D. The Hanging Gardens of Babylon at Ninevah. Lecture, University of Oxford. April 14, 2005. John, Ph.D. Great Pyramid of the Giza Research Association. Howard. Seven wonders of the world. January 6, 2008. Channel. Seven wonders of the world. Paul. 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The Colossus Lighthouse was built on the Greek island of Rhodes, around 250 .C.C. Le Le which was 33.5 meters high, was a depiction of the sun god Helios. No one's sure exactly what colossus looked like. Despite the imagination of the artists over the centuries, it is unlikely that the statue was straddling the harbor, as the skill and materials necessary to sustain such a structure did not yet exist. Like many of the wonders to come, the Colossus was destroyed by an earthquake in 225 .C. The ancient city of Babylon was the site of the Hanging Gardens of Babylon, as well as the Tower of Babel, large palaces and ziggurates. If they were still standing, the Hanging Gardens would be the second oldest of the ancient wonders. Here you can see what is thought to be the ruined substructure of the site. The Hanging Gardens of Babylon had multiple levels full of all kinds of plant life, their branches and flowers pouring on the walls. The challenge of irrigate a five-story building was facilitated by the location of the garden near the Euphrates, but it still took some smart engineering. In 1989, Iraqi President Saddam Hussein began reconstruction in Babylon. Hussein's plans for Babylon included a new modern palace and even plans for a cable car. The work remains incomplete. The Mausoleum of Alicarnassus built between 353 and 350 BC.C.C. for Mausolus, a satrap in the Persian Empire. The building was built by an architect and four sculptors – each using one side of the structure to showcase his work. The mausoleum was destroyed by earthquakes in the 15th century, its materials eventually became part of other structures. You can still visit the ruins of present-day Bodrum, Turkey. The Temple of Artemis is also located in present-day Turkey, in what was a Greek port city known as Ephesus. King Cresus of Lydia built the colonnaded temple in 550 .C.C. It was razed to the ground in 356 bc.C., rebuilt and met its final end in the 5th century after raids and earthquakes. The more than 100 columns of the Temple of Artemis had carved embossed bases and rosettes in the capitals, typical of Ionic architecture. Inside was a statue of Artemis made of gold, silver, ebony and other stones. The lighthouse on the island of Pharos led the ships to the port of Alexandria. It was the tallest lighthouse of its kind. Construction began on the lighthouse around 285 bc.C.C. Travelers in the 10th .C. estimated its height at 300 cubits, which converts to about 450 feet (137 meters). The lighthouse remained standing until it was ruined by earthquake damage in the 14th century. The next stop is on the other side of the Mediterranean in Greece. These difficult columns in a daisies field in Olympia once supported a possessive temple during the early Olympic Games. The central temple was the work of the architect Libon of Elis. Here's a of an Olympic Games award ceremony in Olympia. The highlight of the temple complex was a statue of Zeus, 50 feet (12 (12 made of ivory and gold by the Greek sculptor Fidia. Byzantine Emperor Theodosius II ordered the statue and temple destroyed, and the ruins were later devoured by earthquakes until their rediscovery in the 18th century. The Great Pyramid of Giza is both the oldest of the seven wonders and the only one still found. It was built as a tomb for Pharaoh Khufu, completed around 2560 .C. The pyramid was originally covered with a smooth and sparkling limestone casing. Here, the Great Sphinx at Giza, one of the largest statues on Earth, is located in front of the Great Pyramid. The Great Pyramid was the tallest feature man-made on earth for nearly 4,000 years. The sphinx's construction date remains controversial, but this adds to the mystery that draws legions of visitors to the site each year. How do the seven wonders compare to modern monuments? From left to right: the Temple of Artemis, the Lighthouse of Alexandria, the Leaning Tower, St. Peter's Basilica, the Great Pyramid of Giza, the Eiffel Tower, the Sailors' Tower, the Hanging Gardens of Babylon, the Mausoleum of Halicarnassus and the CN Tower. Learn more about those ancient architectural feats in How the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World Work. I love you, God. What? Did I just say that? I myself was in shock at the words I had whispered. I hadn't planned it or thought about it, but the words just came out. I remember it so vividly. I was in my office at work. I remember in particular the feelings that had taken control of my heart, body and soul at that time. I was overwhelmed, rather, by gratitude. My heart and stomach felt warm. I felt comforted and loved. At that time, there was no doubt in mind that God was, in fact, 100% real. I felt his love in a new way and words, I love you, God, simply rolled out of my mind, spoken directly to my new best friend, God. God is my best friend. Does that sound crazy to you? I think it's a little good for some people. to me? Not so much. I found God when I became sober. Others told me about Him. They promised me he'd always be there for me. When I was confused and uncertain about His power, His presence, and His love for me, others showed me the way and gave me the words to speak. Your will is a good place to start, they said. Your will will be done. Your will will be done, not mine. Your will will be done. Over and over again, I said those words. It was my access prayer. The only one who made sense to me at the time. It brought me comfort and reasted my anxieties. I kept with every fiber the idea that this God had a plan for me and that I should leave him control. Slowly I let go and told him my worries, one moment at a time. I started trusting God and the plan he had for my life. I was sober too, which was the first. Others who had walked in my shoes before me continued to teach me how to pray how to rely fully on God. Ask God to put his loving arms around you, he said. Omg, this woman is absolutely crazy - I'm NOT asking God to put her loving arms around me. On a casual Thursday night, I sat down at an AA meeting, where the last 15 minutes were devoted to silent meditation. I meditated. I asked God to put his loving arms around me and my whole life changed at that moment because I really felt God's love. He comforted me, and sure enough, he put His loving arms round me. Suddenly, our relationship blossomed. My prayers had grown from Your will to thank you and help me. I started talking to God regularly, in the car, at the foot of my bed, and in the darkest moments. I found myself talking to God in the most unexpected places, such as the bathroom floor at work. I knew my new best friend would be there for me and give me the strength to overcome whatever I was facing and make him sober. And with every challenge I have won with God's help, my faith has been strengthened. I started talking to God as a friend, sharing details of my day in the car on the way home from work. I asked him to guide my decisions and remove my fears. I prayed a lot in my car. Many times I asked God to help me know that I was on the right track. The song Somewhere Over the Rainbow played on the radio in the car almost every time I asked God if I was on the right track. At first I thought it was a coincidence, but it kept happening. Every time I asked, am I on the right track? I'm doing the right thing. Let me see the way, God. In a few minutes, I would like (and still do) to hear... Somewhere above the rainbow bluebirds fly and the dreams that dreams Dreams really come true God answers my prayers in singing and also in people. One day, I was stuck in self-pity. I hated my life for a few hours. Why me? When will things be easier for me? I deserve more. Me, me, me, me, me, me. I wasn't happy. I prayed a superficial prayer and asked God to help me get me out of this place. Later that day, on my way home from work, I saw a middle-aged man walking along one of the busiest streets in the city on colder days. He was dressed in what looked like work clothes and carried some belongings. I was overwhelmed with empathy for him. It used to be him. I had lost my licence several times because I was rightly accused of driving under the influence. I was forced to walk or cycle everywhere. It was a pretty Here, years later, I was living a sober life, with a car (which no longer had a breathalyzer) a house, a health and, above all, my children had returned to my life. How dare I get stuck in self-pity? I don't know why this man walked on this particular day. Maybe he'd lost his driver's license, or maybe he just likes to go home from work. No matter why, the experience of seeing walking in the cold, he immediately broke me from my self-pity and I immediately returned to an attitude of gratitude. God helped me see that man that day. I asked him for help and he delivered. He always does. This morning I was driving to work and talk to God like I usually do. I shared with him my strong desire to find a new and improved job. I explained that I am confused that I should look for work and, if so, what kind of job? Where should I look. I finally said these words to him and said them out loud: How about today, help me trust your plan. Only for today, help me stop on the search for work and trust in the prayer that Your will will be made. I sighed and tried to clear my anxiety as I walked into my employer's parking lot. Ooh, ooh, ooh Ooh, ooh Somewhere over the rainbow Way up high And the dreams that you dream of Once in a lullaby Somewhere over the rainbow Bluebirds fly And the dreams that you dream of Dreams really come true I was late for work, but I just had to sit in the car and listen to God's answer and hear his loving response. For those moments, I was in complete peace and I knew I was definitely on the right track. When the song was over, I whispered thanks to my unlikely best friend, and I thought to myself, what a wonderful world. With God my side by side, all things are possible. This post comes from the TODAY Parenting Team community, where all members are invited to post and discuss parenting solutions. Find out more and join us! Because we're all together. Together.

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