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A single volume, highly visual reference chronicles the history of our changing world, from caves to skyscrapers, offering timeline perspectives on everything from science and technology to art and fashion.

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I just asked my son to recommend a book on human origins for a friend. I asked him which book helped him understand where we came from the most. He said - this book. We borrow it from our library pretty much every time we go and it's available. He loves this book. It doesn't matter what you are interested in - fashion, planes, buildings, forts, the cosmic universe - this has it all. And the illustrations are wonderful and the explanations are too. My son says he has learned more from this book than any other book he has read (he's 9 at the moment). And he's still learning from it. Wonderful book.

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