

Ancient Egypt – War and Conflict

The ancient Egyptians lived a very long time ago. Sometimes they had to fight wars to protect their home. The pharaoh was the king of Egypt, and he led the army.

Egyptian soldiers used weapons like bows and arrows, spears, and shields. They fought to keep Egypt safe from people who wanted to take their land. One of the most famous pharaohs was Ramesses II, who fought a big battle called the Battle of Kadesh.

The Egyptians also used horses and chariots in battle. Chariots were like fast carts pulled by horses. The Egyptians were proud of their brave soldiers.

Questions

1. Who led the Egyptian army?
2. What was the pharaoh?
3. Name one weapon Egyptian soldiers used.
4. What was the name of the famous pharaoh mentioned?
5. What big battle did Ramesses II fight in?
6. What animals pulled the chariots?
7. What were chariots like?
8. Why did the Egyptians fight wars?
9. What word is used in the text to describe the Egyptian soldiers?
10. Why do you think having fast chariots might help soldiers in a battle?



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