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**Anthropology & Archaeology**

Chinese Culture•A Collection of Chinese Festivals, Pageants and Expositions (4 Vols.)

Beijing : China Pictorial Publishing House, 2005  
7800247392  
Chinese-English  
\$ 195.00 (Set)

More than 2000 Chinese festivals and expositions in the fields of economy, culture, tourism, ethnic groups, and folk customs, including some 700 contemporary festivals and pageants, 500 traditional festivals and pageants of different ethnic groups, and 800 exhibitions and conventions, represented by over 1 million characters and 3000 photographs on more than 1600 pages. The profound and diverse festival and pageant culture will brilliantly outline the splendid histories of different ethnic groups of China, and will vibrantly showcase the modern culture and economy of different parts across the country.

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China's Tibetan Medicine / Zhen Yan & Cai Jingfeng  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2005  
361 p. : ill. ; 27 cm.  
Includes Bibliography and Index  
7-119-03350-6  
In English  
\$ 60.00

[Contents:

Foreword  
1. Tibetan Medicine  
2. Tibetan Pharmacy  
3. Small thang, the Gem of Tibetan Medicine  
4. Important Ancient Physicians and Medical Works  
5. Studies on Tibetan Medicine Outside China  
Appendix I. Transliteration of Tibetan Alphabet  
Appendix II. Chronological Table  
Bibliography  
Index I. Names of Persons  
Index II. Place, Institution, and Related Names

Index III. Publications.]

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Tibet Museum / Compiled by Tibet Museum  
Beijing : Encyclopaedia of China Publishing House, 2001  
215 p. : ill. ; 29 cm.  
7-5000-6480-2  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 25.00

[Contents:  
Preface  
Prehistoric Culture  
Non Separated Relationship between the Tibetan Local Government and the Central Government  
Culture and Arts  
Folk Culture  
Cultural relics preserved in the Museum.]

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Ancient Chinese Inventions / Deng Yinke ; Translated by Wang Pingxing  
Beijing : China Intercontinental Press, 2005  
134 p. : ill. ; 23 cm.  
7-5085-0837-8  
Cultural China Series  
\$ 18.00

[Table of Contents  
1. Brilliant Achievements of Science and Technology in Ancient China  
2. The Four Major Inventions  
3. Other Major Inventions (I)  
4. Other Major Inventions (II)  
5. Other Major Inventions (III)  
6. Miscellaneous Smart Inventions  
7. Classical Works of Science  
8. Appendix. Chinese Dynasties.]

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Chinese Tea / Liu Tong ; Translated by Yue Liwen  
Beijing : China Intercontinental Press, 2005  
138 p. : ill. ; 23 cm.  
7-5085-0835-1  
Cultural China Series  
\$ 18.00

[Table of Contents:  
Chapter 1. Eternal Tea Fragrance  
Chapter 2. Good Tea from Remote Mountains  
Chapter 3. The Art of Tea-making  
Chapter 4. Well-known People and Books about Tea  
Chapter 5. The Spread of Tea from China  
Chapter 6. Lingering Taste of Famous Teas  
Chapter 7. Nice Utensils for Tea

Chapter 8. Tea-Zen Affinity  
Chapter 9. Tea Ceremony in China  
Chapter 10. Tea-drinking Customs  
Chapter 11. Enjoy Tea-time  
Chapter 12. The Philosophy of Tea.]

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Chinese Festivals / Wei Liming ; Translated by Yue Liwen & Tao Lang  
Beijing : China Intercontinental Press, 2005  
127 p. : ill. ; 23 cm.  
7-5085-0836-X  
Cultural China Series  
\$ 18.00

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Ethnic Groups in China / Wang Can ; Translated by Wang Pingxing  
Beijing : China Intercontinental Press, 2004  
170 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.  
7-5085-0490-9  
\$ 12.00

[Every ethnic group in China has a long history, Its unique culture, and its Charms; Every ethnic group has retained, in one way or another, Its own fine traditions, and is also facing Opportunities and Challenges in modernization.  
Readers can find this book basic facts about the 55 ethnic minorities who account for less than 10% of China's population-changes in the past half century and more: Economic and social development, protection and development of cultural heritage, modern education, and folkways and religious beliefs, all this testifies the success of the Chinese government's policy on ethnic affairs.]

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Ancient Coins  
Beijing : Beijing publishing house, 2006  
107 p. : ill. ; 20 cm.  
7-80501-326-8  
Appreciating Beijing Cultural Relics  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 10.00

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### **Architecture**

Residential Houses & Buildings in Yunnan from the Ming and Qing Dynasties- Vol.1&2 / Zhang Zuo ; Photographed by Chen Yunfeng  
Beijing : Yunnan Fine Arts Publishing House, 2003  
2v. : ill. ; 22 cm.  
7-80586-938-3  
In Chinese and English  
US\$ 70.00 (Set)

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The Architecture Heritage in Lhasa  
China : [S.N.], 2005  
288 p. : ill. ; 29 cm.  
7-5641-0024-9

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In Chinese and English  
\$ 40.00

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A Collection of UPDS : Guangzhou Urban Planning & Design Service 1994-2004  
China : Guangzhou Urban Planning and Design Service, 2005  
232 p. : ill. ; 30 cm.  
7-80728-060-3  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 45.00

[Contents:  
Map Index  
Preface  
Awards  
Contents  
Concept Plan / Master Plan / City District Plan  
Regulatory Detailed Planning / Special Plan / Historic District Conservation Plan  
Constructive Detailed Plan / Architectural Design  
Urban Design / Landscape Design  
Project Planning / Planning Study / Competition Organization  
Other Projects  
Institute Introduction.]

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Beijing Hutong Conservation Study / Andre Alexander, Pimpim de Azevedo, Hirako  
Yutaka & Lundrup Dorje  
Beijing : IHF, 2004  
v. : ill. ; 21 cm.  
7-81085-347-3  
In Chinese and English (Double Sided Book)  
\$ 20.00

[Contents :  
Preface  
Introduction  
1. Objectives of this Project  
2. Beijing Historic Inner City Overview  
3. Present State of the Old City  
4. Social Survey and Conservation Studies  
5. Pilot Project Plan Rehabilitation of Courtyard House and Community  
6. Applying the Project on a Wider Scale  
7. Conclusion  
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## **Art**

The Buddhist Art in Xinjiang Along the Silk Road / Editors: Huo Xuchu & Qi Xiaoshan  
China : Xinjiang University Press, 2006  
175p.; 29cm.  
7563120254  
Chinese-English-Japanese  
\$ 49.50

The Silk Road was a bridge linking East and West and a principal route through which Buddhism spread eastward. During the long history, abundant Buddhist sites and relics have been left in Xinjiang. The authors carefully selected nearly 60 sites and over 500 photos from the treasure house of the Buddhist art in Xinjiang and provide exact and detailed description to every site and photo in three languages, i.e. Chinese, English and Japanese, hoping to make a comprehensive introduction to the Buddhist art in Xinjiang. This book will take readers on a magical journey to appreciate the charm of ancient Buddhist art of Xinjiang and the fruit of cultural exchanges between East and West.

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Impression of Hutong / Editor: Hai Deguang  
Beijing : China Photographic Publishing House, 2006  
104p.; 26cm.  
7800078868  
Chinese-English  
\$ 39.50

Since Beijing became the formal capital of the Yuan Dynasty, there appeared in the city streets and lanes calling nine "jing" (south-north oriented streets) and nine "wei" (east-west oriented ones). There were 384 huoxiang and 29 hongtong as well as a large number of strictly laid out quadrangles. Thus, the style of strictly close residential area that had existed since the Han and Tang dynasties began to change. They had no high walls to separate them but were bordered by streets, becoming "hutong" where the Beijing people lived generation after generation. By now, a long time has elapsed, and Beijing's hutong have experienced the vicissitudes of history. Most of the pictures included in this album were taken in the period between 1991 and 1998. It is only a small album of photos, so insignificant as compared with the mottled gatepost couplets, the fully marked door blocks, the compound gates and the ancient walls. The author compiles the photos into an album as a footnote for those people who have lived in Beijing's hutong so as to help them memorize their past life.

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The Complete Collection of Jades Unearthed in China / Editor : Yu Ming  
Beijing : Science Press, 2005  
7030160096  
\$ 695.00

Totally more than 4,000 high quality pictures, covering jades unearthed in China during 80 years. Compiled by many top experts on jade ware.

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Gold and silver wares of the ming dynasty  
Beijing : Beijing publishing house, 2006  
105 p. : ill. ; 20 cm.  
7-80501-337-3  
Appreciating Beijing Cultural Relics  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 10.00

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Blue and white porcelains of the Qing dynasty  
Beijing : Beijing publishing house, 2005

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105 p. : ill. ; 20 cm.  
7-80501-303-9  
Appreciating Beijing Cultural Relics  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 10.00

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Auspicious designs of China / Text and Designs by Ye Yingsui, Ye Shuqin and Ye Duyi; Translated by Zhu Chengyao  
China : China travel and Tourism press, 2005  
239 p. : ill. ; 20 cm.  
7-5032-2022-8  
\$ 10.00

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Chinese ceramics / Fang Lili [Translated by William W. Wang  
China : China intercontinental press, 2005  
135 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.  
7-5085-0834-3  
Cultural China series  
\$ 20.00

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Ornament of the Ming and Qing dynasties  
Beijing : Beijing publishing house, 2005  
105 p. : ill. ; 20 cm.  
7-80501-323-3  
Appreciating Beijing Cultural Relics Series  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 10.00

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Paintings for water-and-land service of the Ming and Qing dynasties  
Beijing : Beijing publishing house, 2005  
107 p. : ill. ; 20 cm.  
7-80501-289-X  
Appreciating Beijing Cultural Relics Series  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 10.00

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Color glazed porcelains of the Ming and Qing dynasties  
Beijing : Beijing Arts and Photography Publishing House, 2005  
107 p. : ill. ; 20 cm.  
7-80501-294-6  
Appreciating Beijing Cultural Relics Series  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 10.00

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Porcelains of the Yuan dynasty  
Beijing : Beijing Arts and Photography Publishing House, 2005  
107 p. : ill. ; 20 cm.  
7-80501-288-1  
Appreciating Beijing Cultural Relics Series  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 10.00

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Bronzes of the Shang and Zhou dynasties  
Beijing : Beijing publishing house, 2005  
107 p. : ill. ; 20 cm.  
7-80501-290-3  
Appreciating Beijing Cultural Relics Series  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 10.00

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Thangka paintings : An illustrated manual of the Tibetan Epic Gesar / Jambian Gyamco, Zhou Aiming  
Beijing : China pictorial publishing house, 2003  
207 p. : ill. ; 29 cm.  
7-80024-696-5  
\$ 65.00

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### **Economics**

China in Diagrams / Jin Bo  
Beijing : China Intercontinental Press, 2005  
200 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.  
7-5085-0842-4  
Includes Maps  
\$ 29.50

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The Threshold : Transformation of Government Functions and the Reform / Chi Fulin  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2006  
ii, 282 p. ; 22 cm.  
7-119-04273-4  
\$ 29.50

#### [\* Changes in Public Needs and Government Transformation

- Striking Reforms in Macro Control
- The Government-Led Mode of Economic Growth Confronts a Challenge
- Reform and Innovation of the Public Service System during China's Economic and Social Transition
- Economic Transition and Government Transformation
- Decisive Impact of Government Transformation on China's Reform
- Public Services and Economic Competitiveness
- Government Transformation and the Building of a Harmonious Society
- Taking People First and Information Publicity-The SARS Crisis Spurs Media Reform
- Government Transformation at the Stage of Tackling Thorny Problems
- Reforms during the 11<sup>th</sup> Five-Year Plan Period Focus on Government Transformation
- Government Transformation and Institutional Supply in the New Stage of Development of the Non-Public Economy.]

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Competitiveness of Chinese Cities (2005) / Edited by Ni Pengfei, Hou Qinghu, Jiang Mingqing and Wang Chengqing  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2006  
251 p. ; 22 cm.  
Includes a Map

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7-119-04083-9  
Focus on China Series  
\$ 32.50

[Contents:

Chapter 1. 2005 Comprehensive Urban Competitiveness Ranking  
Chapter 2. Urban Competitiveness: Framework and Model  
Chapter 3. Competitiveness Ranking of the Top 50 Cities in China  
Chapter 4. Index Ranking of the Top 50 Cities' Urban Competitiveness in China  
Appendix  
Competitiveness of Chinese Cities: Explanation of the Index and Evaluation Method.]

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China's Township and Village Enterprises / Edited by He Kang, Guo Shutian & Ma Jiesan

Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2006  
x, 458 p. : ill. ; 23 cm.

Includes Index  
7-119-04184-3  
\$ 29.50

[\* The first book on China's TVEs, approaching their path of growth from the practical, theoretical and historical points of view;

- Written by experts and rural economic researchers involved in the work and study of TVEs for decades, led by the Chief Editor – a World Food Prize laureate and former Minister of Agriculture;
  - Presenting both a general picture of TVEs and personal profiles of peasant-turned entrepreneurs, with detailed feature stories;
  - Well supported by a rich collection of data, tables and statistics updated to 2004, easily accessible reference with well-indexed names and terms peculiar to China
  - Suitable for researchers into the Chinese economy, especially that of rural China, Chinese peasants and agriculture, as well as for anyone who wants a peep at the secrets of China's rapid economic growth.]
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China : Accession to the WTO and Economic Reform / Edited by Wang Mengkui

Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2002  
iv, 416 p. ; 21 cm.

7-119-03022-1  
\$ 19.50

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Analysis and Forecast on China's Rural Economy (2004-2005)

Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, 2005  
224p.; 24cm.

7119040820  
\$ 18.00

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The Economic Principles of Confucius and His School /Chen Huanzhang

Beijing : Yuelu Publishing House, 2005  
7806655913

\$ 15.00



This book consists of 5 parts, discussing the ideology of Confucius in consumption, production and public treasure.

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### **Education**

A history of Chinese educational thought / Guo Qijia  
Beijing : Foreign languages press, c2006  
601 p. ; 23 cm.  
Includes index.  
7-119-01386-6  
China Knowledge Series  
\$ 29.50

[Contents:

Chapter 1: Educational thoughts during the spring and Autumn and warring states periods

Chapter 2: Educational thought in the Han and Tang Dynasties

Chapter 3: Educational thoughts in the period between the song dynasty and the early qing dynasty

Chapter 4: Modern educational thought.]

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### **General**

RAPTORS OF CHINA / Li Xiangtao  
Beijing : China Forestry Publishing House, 2004  
7503837322  
\$ 40.00

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Applied Illustrated Compendium of Materia Medica (4 vols ) / Chief Editors: Gao Xuemin  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, 2006  
29cm.  
711901949x  
Chinese-English  
\$ 175.00 (Set)

This book is based on modern drug use, 500 frequently used herbal medicines are selected and arranged according to their effects into four parts: Chinese description, color plates, English description and index, among which the Chinese description is based on the Pharmacopeia of the People's Republic of China (2005 edition). In its 21 chapters, the book not only offers the information of 500 herbal medicines systematically and comprehensively, such as their names, bynames, sources, original plants, distribution, descriptions, harvest time and processing methods, chemical compositions, pharmacological actions, properties and flavors, actions and indications, and dosage and usage, but also provides a concise narration with detailed and accurate facts. The selected herbal medicines based on the practical value with scientific accuracy can fulfill the clinical needs, and the realistically painted color plates are elegant, vivid and fresh, exhibiting the morphological features objectively and lively. Written in both Chinese and English, the book serves as a bridge for Chinese herbal medicines going to the world as well as a stage for international academic exchanges.

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What's in a Chinese character / Tan Huay Peng

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China : New world press, c2005  
xi, 185 p. : ill. ; 26 cm.  
7-80005-515-9  
\$ 8.00

[This fascinating book uses cartoons by Tan Huay Peng to illustrate the origin and development of Chinese characters to their present form. The historical background of the script is given, as well as information on the type of stroke, stroke sequence and Hanyu Pinyin pronunciation. Days, months and numbers in Chinese are also provided in the Appendix, making this book invaluable to anyone starting to learn Chinese.]

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China's Tibetan Mastiff  
Beijing : Foreign languages press, c2006  
95 p. : ill. ; 18 cm.  
7-119-04272-6  
\$ 19.50

[Contents:  
Legends and origin of the Tibetan Mastiff : Religion and reality  
History of the Tibetan mastiff : Ancient records  
Characteristics of the Tibetan mastiff : Unveiling the Mysteries  
Breeds of the Tibetan mastiff: Like attracts like  
Habits of the Tibetan Mastiff: Perfect combination of ferocity and Ingenuity  
Present situation and future of the Tibetan Mastiff  
Appendices  
1. How to get along with a Tibetan Mastiff  
2. Dog breeds with a Tibetan Origin.]

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Kung Fu : Chinese shaolin Kung Fu / Edited by Yang Hui  
Beijing : China pictorial Publishing house, 2005  
193 p. : ill. ; 26 cm.  
7-80024-899-2  
\$ 32.50

[Contents:  
Chapter 1: Shaolin boxing  
Chapter 2: The basic skills a Shaolin Kung Fu  
Chapter 3: The unique skills  
Chapter 4: Miscellanies of Shaolin Kung Fu  
Chapter 5: Shaolin cudgeling  
Chapter 6: Kung Fu everywhere  
Chapter 7: Shaolin temple  
Chapter 8: The routines of Kung Fu  
Chapter 9: The magic Kung Fu.]

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## **History**

A Century of Chinese Exclusion Abroad / I-Yao Shen; Translated by Shi Yi  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, 2006  
7119020498  
\$ 12.00

This book is the first work on the history of overseas Chinese ever since the conclusion of the Cultural Revolution and the commencement of China's Opening-up to the outside world. It has been a classical work of reference in the study of overseas Chinese in many colleges and universities in China.

This book is targeted at both overseas Chinese and Western readers who can read no Chinese so that they have an access to know the history of the discriminated overseas Chinese and the mindset of the Chinese nation today.

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Shop Signs of Imperial China / Chief Editor: Wang Shucun

Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, 2006

159p.; 22cm.

7119042106

\$ 19.50

With paintings and photographs of scenes of business premises, workshops and fairs, this book presents nearly a hundred types of signboards prevalent in Chinese commercial districts at the turn of the 19th and 20th centuries. The purpose of this collection is to resurrect the market setting and street scenes of bygone days

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The Summer Palace

Beijing : Beijing Publishing House, 2004

141 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.

7-80501-271-7

The World Culture Heritage in Beijing  
in Chinese and English

\$ 8.00

[Contents:

1. A Paragon of Imperial Garden
  2. A Masterpiece of Garden Art That Represents Harmony of Man with Nature
  3. The Complex of Palatial Buildings that Symbolize the Supreme Royal Power
  4. The Splendid and Comfortable Residential Area of Imperial Bedroom
  5. The Front Hill of Longevity Hill on Which Tall Pavilions are Positioned Majestically
  6. Long Corridor-A Colorful Road
  7. The Delicate And Elegant Garden in the Garden that has a Style of its Own
  8. Kunming Lake with Shadow and Shimmer of Water and Charming Beauty
  9. The Rear Hill and Back Lake That are Secluded, Quiet and Possess a Unique Style
- Appendix.]

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Shaanxi : Glories and Dreams / Editorial Committee

Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2006

244 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.

7-119-03920-2

Panoramic China Series

\$ 19.50

[Statistics show that nearly 36,000 cultural relics have been found in Shaanxi, and that 900,000 items (sets) of unearthed cultural relics are kept in museum collections through out the province. Of these relics some 50,000 are classed as rare and precious. These dull and dry numbers allow us to catch a faint glimpse of the receding view of China's longest and most brilliant ancient civilization...

But, if you go a little deeper into the study or appreciation of these cultural relics, you will find that what lies behind them is a geological environment of unique

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beauty, one that conceived and gave birth to a few mighty dynasties. The most spectacular part is the Qinling Mountain range, known as the dividing line between the north and south of China.

For this reason, this book on Shaanxi starts with the ancient Qinling Mountains, which were essential to the survival of the ancestors of the Chinese people, and ends at today's Qinling Mountains, still a lifeline for the people of Shaanxi-of all Chinese even. The subject of environmental changes in Shaanxi runs right through the book.]

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Shanghai : Shanghai Down the Centuries / Edited by Sue Duncan and Wang Mingjie  
Second Printing (First Edition : 2006)

Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2006

322 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.

7-119-04081-2

Panoramic China Series

\$ 19.50

[As a city, Shanghai is only some 700 years old and its history as a well-known international metropolis is even shorter – a little over a century. During that time Shanghai has experienced many vicissitudes, its rise and prosperity becoming the stuff of legend. Being near the sea and reflecting this in its name, since the beginning of China's modern history, Shanghai has become the most vibrant and most internationalized place in China's modernization process. It is the epitome of modern, fast-changing China. Today, Shanghai attracts more and more attention from all over the world. The legend continues.]

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Hainan : China's Island Paradise / Editorial Committee

Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2005

279 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.

7-119-04095-2

Panoramic China Series

\$ 19.50

[In ancient times, when there was a lack of technology and means of transportation, Hainan was considered "the end of the earth". Now it has become, however, the youngest province and the largest special economic zone in China. In recent years, this island has drawn Asia's or even world's attention by successfully holding a series of activities, such as the annual meetings of Boao Forum for Asia and Miss World finals. On a map of the world, Hainan sits on the 18<sup>th</sup> parallel of the north latitude, the same as Hawaii, Miami, and Casablanca. It is said that the magnetic field along this parallel is particularly good for mental and physical health. The industrious, kind-hearted, and brave people of Hainan welcome visitors from all over the world for sightseeing, spending their holidays, enjoying the sunshine, sea, beaches and delicious food, or even settling down.]

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Jiangxi : Cradle of Red China / Edited by Sue Duncan & He Jun

Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2006

231 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.

7-119-04211-4

Panoramic China Series

\$ 19.50

[Jiangxi Province lies in southeast China. In the 1920s and 1930s, Jiangxi witnessed the surging tide of workers' and peasants' movements and of armed insurgencies. The Anyuan Workers' Strike raised the curtain for the great revolution, the August 1 Nanchang Uprising created the Red Army, the struggles in the Jinggang Mountains laid the foundation for the red base areas, and the red regime of the Provisional Central Government of the Soviet Republic of China was established in Ruijin. Among its mountains and rivers lie numerous revolutionary sites and relics, telling stories about the arduous struggles and heroic spirits of revolutionary veterans. Today, the people of Jiangxi, carrying forward the unrealized wishes of previous generations, have made notable progress in building a brand new Jiangxi. With detailed descriptions and lavish illustrations, this book presents the revolutionary history of Jiangxi, its green landscapes and its rise in the new era.]

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Beijing : The City and the People / Editorial Committee  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2005  
233 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.  
7-119-04038-3  
Panoramic China Series  
\$ 19.50

[With vivid descriptions and abundant illustrations, this book compares Beijing city and its people a hundred years ago with those of the present era of the modernization drive.

The history of a city reflects the history of a nation. The great changes seen in the past 100-odd years in Beijing and its future plans are the epitome of China's long-standing history and bright prospects.]

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The Ming Tombs  
Beijing : Beijing Publishing House, 2004  
141 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.  
7-80501-274-1  
The World Cultural Heritage in Beijing  
\$ 8.00

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The Palace Museum  
Beijing : Beijing Publishing House, 2004  
147 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.  
7-80501-273-3  
The World Cultural Heritage in Beijing  
\$ 8.00

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The Great Wall  
Beijing : Beijing Publishing House, 2004  
133 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.  
7-80501-272-5  
The World Cultural Heritage in Beijing  
\$ 8.00

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Peking Man Site at Zhoukoudian

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Beijing : Beijing Publishing House, 2004  
125 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.  
7-80501-280-6  
The World Culture Heritage in Beijing  
\$ 8.00

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The Temple of Heaven  
Beijing : Beijing Publishing House, 2004  
141 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.  
7-80501-275-X  
The World Cultural Heritage in Beijing  
\$ 8.00

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Tibetan Stories / Zhang Xiaoming  
Beijing : China Intercontinental Press, 2004  
129 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.  
7-80113-914-3  
Series of Basic Information of Tibet of China  
\$ 9.00

[Contents:  
Preface: Here is a Real Tibet  
Qinghai-Tibet Plateau and Tibetan Race  
History and Facts  
Tibetan Buddhism and Temporal and Religious Administration  
Democratic Reform and Self-Government in Tibet  
Reform Program Enjoys Popularity  
Between Tradition and Modernization.]

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Dreams of Snow Land / Editorial Committee  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2005  
294 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.  
Includes a Map.  
7-119-03883-4  
Panoramic China Series  
\$ 19.50

[Countless People have long been fascinated by and dreamed about the wonderful land of Tibet in China. The author has visited Tibet 19 times within 16 years, covering almost every county, city and a great number of villages, experiencing its unique traditional festivals, celebrations, religious activities and major events, forging an indissoluble bond with Tibet in the process.

During each of his Tibetan journeys, the author faithfully recorded what he saw, heard and felt, sparing no effort or danger to photograph the magnificent natural scenery of Tibet's snow-covered land, its exotic local customs and conditions, its solemn scenes of Buddhist worship. This book is based on that material, arranged as 14 topics whose fine text and lavish photography present precious moments and places that lie beyond the easy reach of ordinary people.]

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Story of the Silk Road / Zhang Yiping ; Translated by Jia Zongyi  
Beijing : China Intercontinental Press, 2005  
176 p. : ill. ; 25 cm.  
7-5085-0832-7  
\$ 19.50

[Contents:

The Home of Silk  
Zhang Qian's Journey to the West  
China and Rome: the Mysterious Strangers  
Tribes on China's Western Frontier During Han Dynasty  
The Early Merchants on the Silk Road  
The Introduction of Buddhism into China via the Silk Road  
The Dispute on the West End of the Silk Road  
The Great Tang Dynasty and the Golden Age of the Silk Road  
International Trade during Tang Dynasty  
Tang Monks' Searching for True Buddhist Scriptures in Indian  
Sogdians, the Rich Merchant and Artist on the Silk Road  
The Rising of Arabs  
The Influence of Roman Arts on the Oriental Cultures  
The Culture Diversity of the Silk Road  
The Foreign Relations Practiced in China  
From the Crusades to Marco Polo  
Lyons: the Silk Capital of the Europe  
The Interaction of Civilizations between the East and the West  
Renaissance of the Silk Road and Dunhuang Buddhist Manuscripts.]

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Yunnan : "Shangri-La" over the Horizon / Edited by Sue Duncan and Yu ling  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2006  
267 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.  
7-119-04077-4  
Panaromic China Series  
\$ 19.50

[Of all China Provinces, Yunnan is the one with the largest concentration of ethnic minority peoples. It is here in Yunnan that the mingling of different ethnic groups, their ways of life and their cultures are most richly and distinctively displayed. This is a land that abounds with sacred mountains and holy waters, quiet pristine hamlets and unpolluted old towns, verdant grasslands set off by snow mountains, quiet blue valleys in moonlight, and lush magical rainforests. The land also boasts its old music and written languages, mystical dances and customs. Different religions and folk traditions mingle here, all retaining their original character. For millennia different ethnic groups have lived and multiplied on this land in peace and harmony.]

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Shandong: Home Of Mount Taishan / Chief Editor : Sun Chengzhi  
Beijing : Foreign Language Press, 2006  
172p.; 24cm.  
7119041762  
Panaromic China  
\$ 19.50

Towering Mount Taishan stands rooted in the east and mirrored in the sea. Rich in relics and with profound historical associations, it was honored as Chief of the Five Sacred Mountains and Watch Guard of the State. This book gives a comprehensive introduction of Mount Taishan --- geological formation of Mount Taishan, historical records about imperial ceremonies on the mountain, Mount Taishan culture, religion and folk customs, tales about the ancient philosophers, statesmen, poets and scholars who visited the great place etc. This book is lavishly illustrated, with 220 pictures vividly depicting the seasonal changes and the magnificent buildings on Mount Taishan.

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Hunan: Home of Chinese Celebrities / Chief Editor : Kong Heping  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, 2006  
171p.; 24cm.  
ISBN 7119040790  
Panaromic China Series  
\$ 19.50

The province Hunan has nurtured many famous historical figures-from Emperor Yan who created the culture and history of south China to Mao Zedong, founder of the People's Republic of China; from the poet statesman Qu Yuan who dedicated his life to his country to Wei Yuan who advocated "studying enemy technology to use against the enemy;" from Cai Lun who invented the world's first paper to Yuan Longping, the "father of hybrid rice". All are inheritors of the Hunanese spirit of patriotism and innovation-an influence on China's past, an influence on its present. They are like bright stars at night, sparkling in the sky of history, an inspiration to all both now and for the future.

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A Last Look : Monthly Calendars from the Era / Ming Deng  
China : Shanghai Pictorial Publishing House, 2003  
128 p. : ill. ; 19 cm.  
7-80685-167-4  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 25.00  
Collection of Monthly Calendars from the 1920s

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Old Streets and Lanes of Beijing  
Beijing : Beijing Arts and Photography Publishing House, 2005  
144 p. : ill. ; 25 cm.  
7-80501-301-2  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 18.00

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The Ancient Town of Lijiang the Sacred Place of Spirit  
China : [S.N.], 2005  
124 p. : ill. ; 23 cm.  
7-81068-903-7  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 25.00

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Zheng He's Voyages Down the Western Seas / Compiled by the Information Office of the Peoples Government of Fujian Province  
Beijing : China Intercontinental Press, 2005  
109 p. : ill. ; 30 cm.  
Includes a Map  
7-5085-0708-8  
\$ 39.50

[Contents:  
Chapter 1. Great Era  
Chapter 2. Western Sea Voyages and Friendship  
Chapter 3. Tracing the Routes of Zheng He's Voyages  
Chapter 4. Meritorious Exploits.]

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Find the Old Beijing  
Beijing : China Nationality Art Photograph Publishing House, 2005  
167 p. : ill. ; 26 cm.  
7-80069-667-7  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 55.00

[Contents:  
Foreword  
A Spiritual Tour of the 800-Year Capital-Beijing in History  
To Visit the Vanished City- The City Gates, City Walls and Moat of Old Beijing  
Dragon Vein-Beijing's Central Axis  
To Find the Memory of Shopping –Visiting Ancient Streets in Beijing  
Lost Splendor-Beijing's Water System  
World of Childhood-Beijing's Hutong  
Boast the Commons and the Talents-Beijing's Siheyuan  
Postscript.]

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The Old Silk Road – From Xi'an to Pamir / Gu Wiheng  
China : [S.N.], 2003  
192 p. : ill. ; 28 cm.  
Includes a Map  
7-5032-2125-9  
In Chinese and English  
\$ 80.00

[Contents:  
Table of Contents  
Preface  
Chapter I : Xi'an, an Ancient Capital  
Chapter II : Qinshihuang's Buried Legion – Terracotta Warriors and Horses  
Chapter III : Recalling Antiquity at Zhouyuan  
Chapter IV : The Shaanxi-Gansu Section (1)  
Chapter V : The Shaanxi-Gansu Section (2)  
Chapter VI : Maijishan Grottoes-Museum of Oriental Sculptural Arts  
Chapter VII : Gannan Folklore  
Chapter VIII : Tour of the Hexi Corridor

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Chapter IX : The Dunhuang Grottoes  
Chapter X : The Qinghai Route  
Chapter XI : The Hexi Great Wall- a Barrier on the Old Silk Road  
Chapter XII : The Northern Tianshan Route  
Chapter XIII : A Tour of Turpan  
Chapter XIV : The Tianshan Route  
Chapter XV : A Tour of the Central Route  
Chapter XVI : Kizil Thousand-Buddha Cave, a Bright Pearl on the Old Silk Road  
Chapter XVII : A Tour of the Southern Route  
Chapter XVIII : Cross the "Roof of the World" – Pamir.]

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## **Linguistics**

1700 Groups of Frequently Used Chinese Synonyms / Editors: Yang Jizhou & Jia Yongfen  
Beijing : Beijing Language and Culture University Press, 2005  
1641p.; 21cm.  
756191265x  
Chinese-English  
Chinese Reference Series for Foreigners  
\$ 19.50

This is a reference book for foreign students who learn Chinese as a foreign language. It can also be used as a reference book by teachers who teach Chinese as a foreign language. It is hoped that this book serves as a useful tool to students and teachers of Chinese as a foreign language and can solve their problems in their learning and teaching effectively. 1718 pairs (among which there are 80 groups of 3 words) of commonly used Chinese words and expressions that foreign students often misused were selected in the book.

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Learner's Dictionary of Contemporary Chinese (Elementary Level) / Chief Editor: Xu Yumin  
Beijing : Beijing Language and Culture University Press, 2005  
1183p.; 21cm.  
7561912102  
Chinese-English  
Chinese Reference Series for Foreigners  
\$ 19.50

This dictionary is aimed at foreign learners with an elementary knowledge of the language. It is also suitable for the teachers of Chinese as a second language, Chinese pupils and ethnic minority learners with elementary level skills in Chinese. The 4337 entries in this dictionary cover the A and B level words in A Syllabus for the Graded Chinese Vocabulary. This dictionary approaches Chinese from the perspective of foreign learners emphasises practicality.

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A Dictionary of Chinese Synonyms with English Translation / Chief Editor: Wang Huan  
Beijing : Beijing Language and Culture University Press, 2005  
508p.; 21cm.  
756191413x

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Chinese-English  
Chinese Reference Series for Foreigners  
\$ 9.00

This dictionary is compiled for the foreigners who have mastered a certain amount of the Chinese language. It can also be used as a reference for those teaching Chinese as a foreign language as well as Chinese teachers and students in college, primary schools and middle schools.

In order to meet the needs of teaching Chinese as a foreign language, 420 groups of synonyms are selected from the 8822 commonly used words of The Outline of Grade of Chinese Words and Characters for HSK. In differentiating the different words in each group, they are distinguished in meaning, usage collocation, etc. To help foreign learners have better comprehension, all the notes and examples have English translation respectively.

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Experiencing Chinese Living in China (40-50 Hours) (With CD)  
Beijing : Higher Education Publishing House, 2006  
168p.; 28cm.  
7050187477  
Chinese-English  
\$ 15.00

Written for Chinese-language learners at the beginning level, the material provided is suited for short-term classes or one-on-one tutorials. It incorporates the concept of learning-through-experience and functional language learning and is aimed at daily communication, (focus on listening and speaking skills.) The book consists of one Pronunciation (2-4 hours) and twelve units (3-4 hours/unit), totaling 40-50 teaching hours.

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Great Wall Chinese: Essentials in Communication / Chief Editor : Ma Jienfei  
Beijing : Beijing Language and Culture University Press, 2005

Vol.1 ISBN 7561914792  
\$ 10.00 07-2005 P 283x207mm 74pp  
Vol.2 ISBN 7561914806  
\$ 10.00 07-2005 P 283x207mm 74pp  
Vol.3 ISBN 7561914814  
\$ 10.00 07-2005 P 283x207mm 72pp  
Vol.4 ISBN 7561914822  
\$ 10.00 07-2005 P 283x207mm 71pp  
Vol.5 ISBN 7561914830  
\$ 10.00 07-2005 P 283x207mm 70pp  
Vol.6 ISBN 7561914849  
\$ 10.00 07-2005 P 283x207mm 73pp

Chinese-English

Great Wall Chinese is a major project planned and organized by China National Office for Teaching Chinese as a Foreign Language (NO CFL). A new Chinese teaching mode based on the development of the technology of multimedia network is adopted.

The goal of Great Wall Chinese is to develop learners' Chinese communicative competence. Different means of teaching, such as on-line multimedia courseware,

multimedia CD, face-to-face teaching in class, textbooks and workbooks etc. are employed, and the management mode to monitor learners' progress and to test the learning effect is also used. Individualized learning plans with the backing of rich teaching resources are provided, so as to meet the needs of learners of Chinese learning at any time, any place, and any level in China or overseas.

The textbook is an important component of Great Wall Chinese. It well reflects the levels of the series and well presents the contents of this teaching mode. The textbook is divided into three parts: Essentials in Communication, Progression in Communication, and Fluency in Communication. All the three parts are connected smoothly with each other and can be used independently as well. Each part has 6 textbooks corresponding to 6 levels, and each level contains 10 units. The textbooks are mainly used together with the on-line multimedia courseware. It can also be used with multimedia CD, in classroom or for self-study.

Essentials in Communication caters for learners of elementary Chinese. The content covers personal information, communication for survival, daily life, learning and working, social activities, etc., focusing on satisfying the basic needs for communication in daily life.

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### **Literature**

Selected Poems and Pictures of the Tang Dynasty / Wang Yushu

Beijing : China Intercontinental Press, 2005

175 p. : ill. ; 23 cm.

7-5085-0798-3

Chinese Traditional Culture Series

In Chinese and English

\$ 15.00

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Selected Poems and Pictures of the Song Dynasty / Xu Yuanchong

Beijing : China Intercontinental Press, 2005

187 p. : ill. ; 23 cm.

7-5085-0848-3

Chinese Traditional Culture Series

In Chinese and English

\$ 15.00

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When the Purple Mountain Burns – A Novel / Shouhua Qi

San Francisco : Long River Press, c2005

viii, 273 p. ; 24 cm.

Includes a Map.

1-59265-041-4

\$ 19.95

[An unprecedented historical novel, When the Purple Mountain Burns presents a riveting, profoundly intimate portrait of Nanjing and its people during the first six days after its fall to the Japanese Army. Within the city walls are men and women, young and old, soldiers and civilians, Chinese and a dozen foreigners, all caught up in the whirling, turbulent fires of history.

Amid the forested hills, placid lakes, bustling streets, and quiet alleyways of Nanjing, Shouhua Qi paints a vivid picture of life in wartime China, the struggles faced by each generation, the hopes and aspirations of a people, and the final march to destiny.

When the Purple Mountain Burns probes deeply into the souls of victims and perpetrators of war atrocities, and hails its unassuming heroes and heroines. It is a powerful allegory against the folly of war and the horrors of genocide.]

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The Summer Palace and Its Background Stories / Edited by Xu Fengtong and Lan Peijin  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2006  
226 p. : ill. ; 19 cm.  
7-119-03808-7  
\$ 15.00

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Poetry and Prose of the Han, Wei and Six Dynasties  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2005  
226 p. ; 21 cm.  
7-119-03356-5  
\$ 12.00

[The Han, Wei and Six Dynasties period in China, which lasted from 206 BC to AD 589 was rife with political turmoil, but produced many eminent writers and monumental works. This volume presents some of the most significant literature of this period, including early folk songs, a record of travels, literary criticism and a long narrative poem, and will help to expand readers' interest in Chinese literature.]

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Lu Xun Selected Essays / Lu Xun  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, 2006  
470p.; 22cm.  
\$ 10.00

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Amazing Tales : A Seventeenth-Century Chinese Classic-First Series / Ling Mengchu  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2005  
359 p. ; 21 cm.  
7-119-03351-4  
\$ 10.00

[Amazing Tales –First Series together with Amazing Tales-Second Series authored by Ling Mengchu (1580-1644), a famous writer of vernacular stories, have topped the best-loved works of Chinese fiction in the past centuries. Stories from the collections are known to almost everyone in China. In close-knit plots, often punctuated with surprising denouements, and vivid range of subjects, from young men and women in love and family disputes to complicated legal cases. Now both books have been translated into English. In Amazing Tales – First Series 18 stories are selected from the original 40 to sing the praise of fidelity of love and all-weather friendship, expose the greed of some nefarious monks and nuns for sex and wealth, and urge the authorities to uphold justice in handling cases. While enjoying these fascinating tales, the reader can get a glimpse of the ethics, customs, and social life of seventeenth-century China.]

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Amazing Tales : A Seventeenth-Century Chinese Classic-Second Series / Ling Mengchu  
Beijing : Foreign Languages Press, c2005  
429 p. ; 21 cm.  
7-119-03352-2  
\$ 10.00

[As Amazing Tales –First Series by Ling Mengchu (1580-1644) made a hit, the publisher urged him to write a sequel to it. This gave rise to Amazing Tales-Second Series, which has become another bestseller for the last few centuries. Our English version of the Second Series features 19 stories carefully chosen from the original 40. In fascinating plots and a highly expressive colloquial language, they are mostly about women’s fate, their miserable existence in a polygamous society, their daring struggle for genuine love, and their implications in legal cases. All these shed precious light on the social mosaic of seventeenth-century China.]

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### **Maps**

Tourist Atlas of China (English Edition) / Compiled by The Star Map Press  
Beijing : The Star Map Press, 2006  
156 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.  
Includes Index  
7-80212-084-5  
\$ 10.00

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### **Performing Arts**

Peking Opera : The cream of Chinese culture / Compiled by Yi Bian  
Beijing : Foreign languages press, 2005  
150 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.  
7-119-03697-1  
\$ 32.50

[Contents:  
Foreword  
Sheng-Male Roles  
Dan-Female roles  
Jing-Painted-Face roles  
Chou-Clowns  
Appendix.]

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### **Official Publications**

China Statistics Yearbook of High Technology Industry – 2005 / Edited by National bureau of statistics [National development and reform commission, Ministry of science and technology]  
China : China statistics press, 2005  
464 p. ; 30 cm.  
7-5037-4811-7  
In English and Chinese  
\$ 120.00

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2005 - China Yearbook : Rural Household Survey  
Beijing : China statistics press, 2005  
318 p. : 30 cm.  
7-5037-4744-7  
In English  
\$ 120.00

[Contents:

1. National information of rural households, 1978-2004
  2. Basic condition of rural households by groups, selected years statistics grouped by annual per capita: Net income
  3. Income and expenditure by province, selected years
  4. Main information of rural households by province, 2004]
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China compendium of statistics 1949-2004 / Compiled by Department of compendium statistics of national bureau of statistics  
Beijing : China statistics press, c2005  
1156 p. ; 30 cm.  
7-5037-4809-5  
\$ 195.00

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## **Religion**

Religions and religious Life in China / Sang Ji [Translated by Li Zhurun]  
China : China Intercontinental press, 2004  
154 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.  
7-5085-0496-8  
China basics series  
\$ 19.50

[Contents:

Religious life in China  
Government policy towards religious and activities  
Main religious practiced in China.]

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The 11<sup>th</sup> Panchen Erdeni Qoigyi Gyaibo / Edited by Li Chunsheng  
China : China pictorial publishing house, 2005  
109 p. : ill. ; 27 cm.  
7-80024-960-3  
\$ 25.00

[Contents:

1. Last words of the 10<sup>th</sup> Panchen Lama
  2. Search for the 11<sup>th</sup> Panchen Lama
  3. Jiali county birthplace of the 11<sup>th</sup> Panchen Lama
  4. Enthronement ceremony
  5. Taking sramanera precepts
  6. Studying and promoting Buddhism.]
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