

“P
eople will not look forward to posterity
who never look backward to their ancestors.”

-Edmund Burke,

Reflections on the Revolution in France, 1790



“N
ot to know what happened before you were born
is to be a child forever.”

- Cicero, *Ad M. Brutum*, 46 BC



“H
istory is an excellent teacher with few pupils.”

-Will & Ariel Durant, *The Story of Civilization*, 1967



“C
ivilization is not inherited; it has to be learned
and earned by each generation anew;
if the transmission should be interrupted...
civilization would die, and we should be savages again.”

-Will & Ariel Durant, *The Lessons of History*, 1968



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