

CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS: AN ENIGMA REVEALED –Trailer
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One of history's greatest legends is also one of its greatest mysteries.
We know him as a daring adventurer...
An unconventional visionary...
A man who charted his own destiny...
And uncovered a new world.
But what do we really know about Christopher Columbus?

Was he a humble Italian wool merchant...
Or a Catalan nobleman.
The bastard son of a an exiled prince...
Or a Jewish refugee, from the Spanish Inquisition?

Though his story has been told in countless history books...,
His homeland...
His origins...
Even his final resting place...— have remained shrouded in mystery...
Until now...

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Discovery Channel sifts through centuries of myth and misinformation
to uncover the true story of Christopher Columbus.

Perhaps his secrets are sealed, along with these bones...inside the
Cathedral in Seville—the city from where Columbus began his historic

<p>voyage to the New World in 1492. Are these the fragile remains of the famed explorer...or a case of mistaken identity?</p>
<p>Columbus' traveled nearly as much in death as he did in life—from Europe to the Caribbean and back again to Europe— to his final resting place here.</p> <p>Yet many claim his remains still lie in the Dominican Republic—where he made his historic landfall in the New World a half a millennium ago.</p>
<p>Now—For the first time in history—leading scientists and scholars will combine state-of-the-art technology with unprecedented access to the tomb in the Cathedral of Seville in this exclusive Discovery Channel presentation...</p> <p>Finally settling age-old controversies behind one of history's most enigmatic figures.</p>
<p>Forensic and genetic experts from leading international universities and the FBI will compare these remains with those of Columbus' brother, son, living descendents and other Spanish nobility.</p> <p>The latest in 3D recreations and DNA analysis will also reveal what Columbus really looked like, where he came from, and how he lived.</p>
<p>Discovery Channel prepares to unveil a dramatic new perspective on the historic legend we thought we knew.</p> <p>The questions have confounded scholars for centuries...</p> <p>The answers may change history.</p>