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New Discoveries about the People of Lost Civilizations

San Francisco, CA (September 20, 2012) — Philip Coppens' long-awaited new book, *The Lost Civilization Enigma: A New Inquiry Into the Existence of Ancient Cities, Cultures, and Peoples Who Pre-Date Recorded History,* is destined to be another of his bestsellers.

A prolific investigative journalist whose books, articles and media appearances never fail to stir controversy, and a household name in the world of alternative science, Coppens is world-famous for his research and his exposés about ancient history and archaeology.

In *The Lost Civilization Enigma*, he lays out substantial evidence that civilization is far older, more advanced and far more sophisticated and complex than is currently accepted and taught by our academics and in our textbooks.

After years of exploration and analysis of historical, ancestral and archaeological records, the author opens new portals into fascinating, previously unknown worlds of the ancients. He has discovered that human civilization goes back at least 10,000 years beyond what has been, until now, generally known. For instance, textbooks barely mention the 6,000-year-old Sumerian civilization, yet the latest archaeological findings at sites such as Jericho and, most recently, Gobekli Tepe in Turkey, have been dated to 10,000 BC.

The Lost Civilization Enigma reveals some astonishing new facts about:

- Lost magnitudes to known cultures, such as the Bosnian Pyramids and the civilization of "Old Europe"
- The fabled lost "golden" cities of South America and the Amazon, which are slowly being rediscovered
- Fascinating examples of lost technology, such as the Antikythera Device
- Atlantis as a real civilization

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Philip Coppens is an internationally renowned investigative journalist and a regular contributor to magazines such as Atlantis Rising and NEXUS Magazine. He has been a leading contributor to The History Channel's popular series, "Ancient Aliens".

When not leading Sacred France tours and The Writer's Grail seminars, with his wife, Kathleen McGowan, Coppens co-hosts The Spirit Revolution radio show. He lives in Edinburgh and Los Angeles.

Philip Coppens is the author of many popular books and other media, including:

- Reality Entertainment's documentary "2012: Signs of the Times"
- An eBook: 2012 Science or Fiction?
- The Stone Puzzle of Rosslyn Chapel: The Truth Behind Its Templar and Masonic Secrets
- The Ancient Alien Question: A New Inquiry Into the Existence, Evidence, and Influence of Ancient Visitor
- The Secret Vault: The Secret Societies; Manipulation of Sauniere and the Secret
- Sanctuary of Notre-Dame-de-Marceille
- Land of the Gods: How a Scottish Landscape was Sanctified to Become Arthur's Camelot
- The New Pyramid Age: Worldwide Discoveries of New Pyramids Challenge Our
- Thinking
- Servants of the Grail: The Real-Life Characters of the Grail Legend Identified
- The Canopus Revelation

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