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Shi huangdi’s Life line

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Shi huangdi was 13 when he became the first emperor in China from 221B.C.-210 B.C.,

Under Shi huangdi’s leadership he made China bigger and stronger and also richer by taxing farmers and making a where everyone spoke the same language/and spent the same money.

Farmers were a big help to Shi huangdi,
One of his projects was The Great Wall of China built by farmers. It was 1500 miles long. His tomb also built by farmer is at northern China took 40 years to build.

Shi huangdi spent his time traveling. Once when he was on a tour with his secretary Li Si to east China, a man named Zhang Liang heard he was traveling so he spent all of his family’s money on assassins to kill Shi huangdi because Shi huangdi destroyed Han Dynasty back in 230 B.C. But Liang wasn’t successful

Shi huangdi was afraid to die so he ate Mercury pills to try to become immortal, but mercury is a poison and actually caused his death.

On September 10 210B.C., he died while on tour. Li Si was worried about Shi huangdi’s death and about what the people of China would do so he ordered two fish wagons to ride behind to hide the smell of decaying body.

Today Archaeologists have found a tomb full of clay solders and emperor Shi huangdi’s tomb but still haven’t opened it.

Shi huangdi was one of the greatest emperors of all china history.

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