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Türme und Schildkröten: Zwei Rätsel, eine gemeinsame Lösung?

Towers and tortoises: two puzzles, one common solution

Abstract

Different theories on the origins of *Testudo marginata* in Sardinia existing in the literature are evaluated, as well as the different theories of the builders of the 3,500 years old towers (Nuraghes). A possible connection between both is proposed.

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