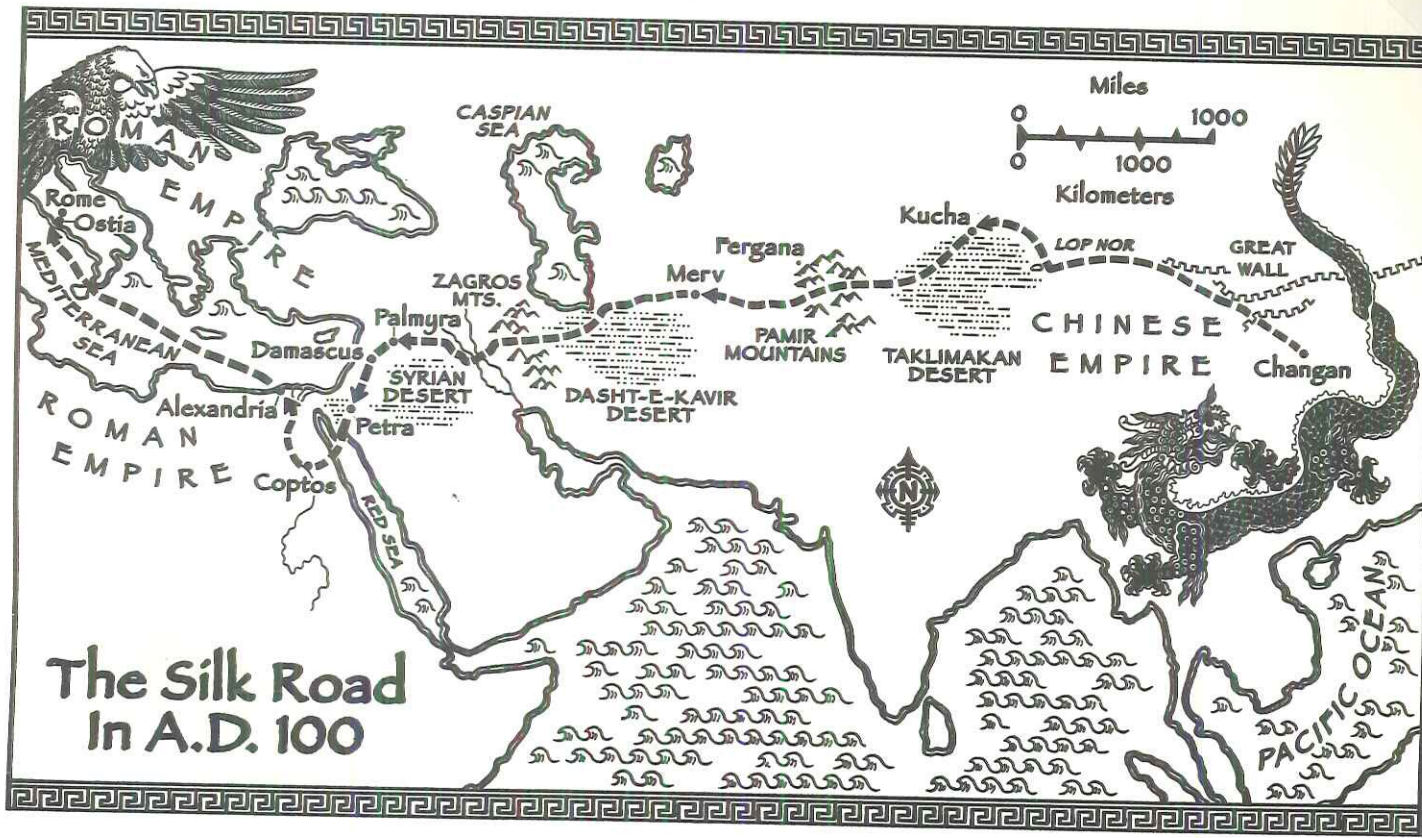


# The Great Tunnel book

Project

**Tunnel books** (also called **peepshow books**) consist of a set of pages bound with two folded concertina strips on each side and viewed through a hole in the cover. Openings in each page allow the viewer to see through the entire book to the back, and images on each page work together to create a dimensional scene inside. This type of book dates from the mid-18th century and was inspired by theatrical stage sets. Traditionally, these books were often created to commemorate special events or sold as souvenirs of tourist attractions. (The term "tunnel book" derives from the fact that many of these books were made to commemorate the building of the tunnel under the [Thames River](#) in London in the mid-19th century. In the United States, tunnel books were made for such attractions as [World's Fairs](#) and the [New York Botanical Gardens](#).)

# Between the Dragon and the Eagle





# What should the book look like?



# What we are looking for.



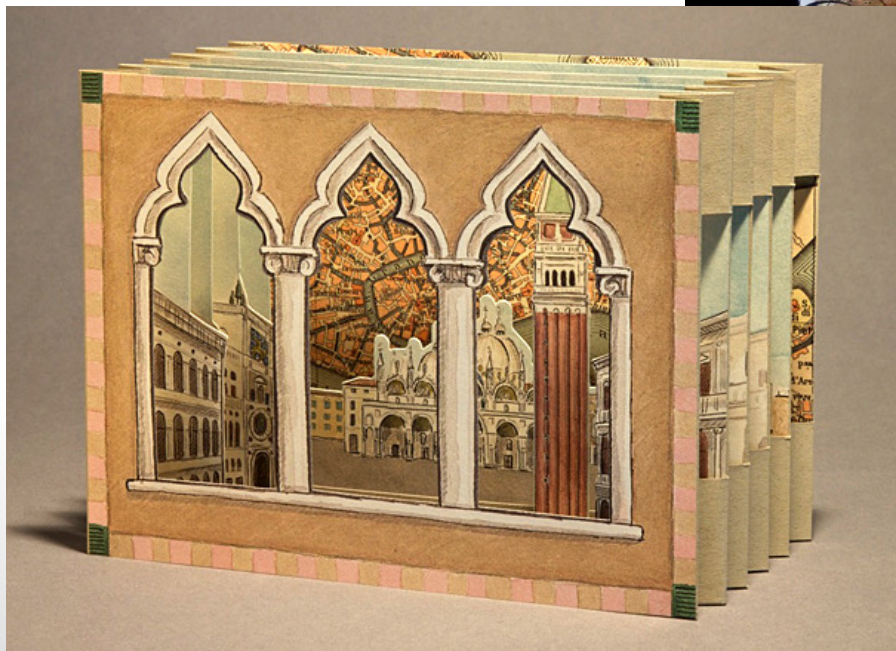






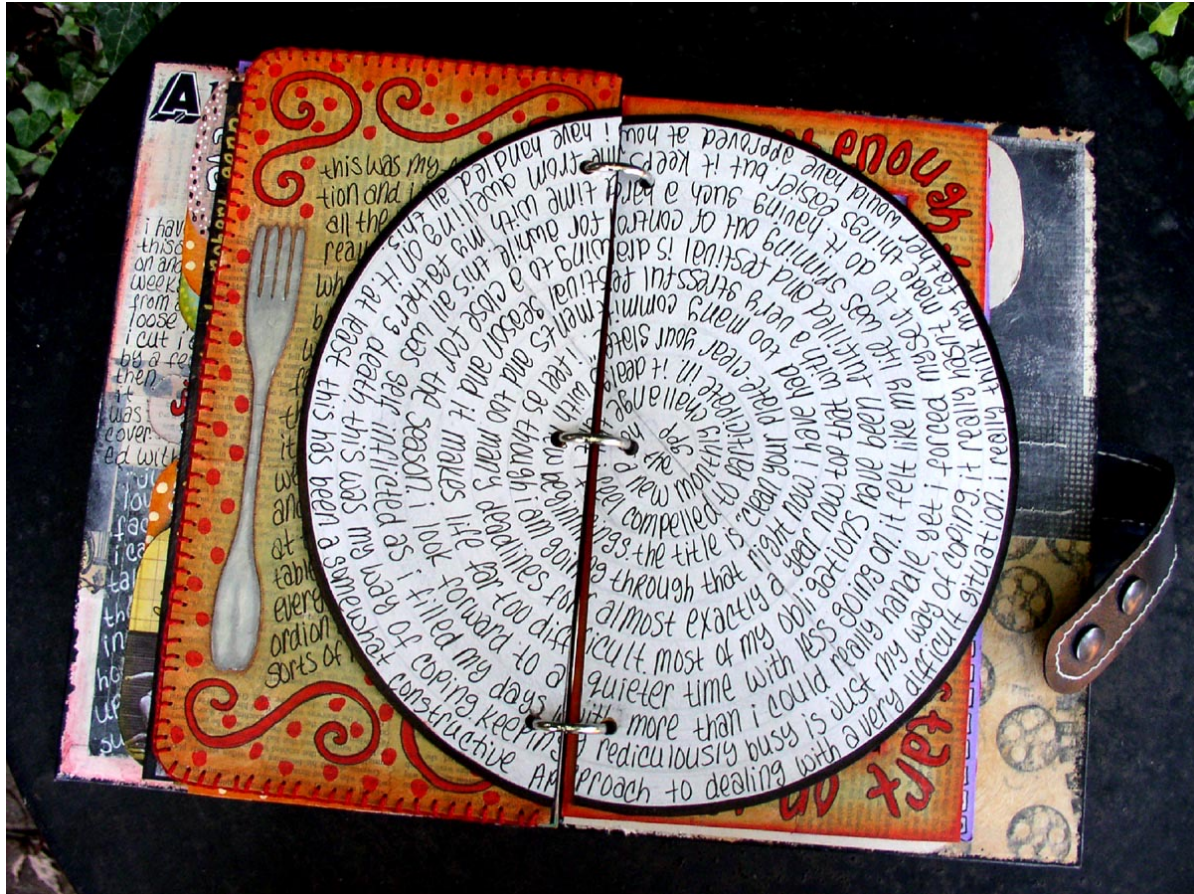












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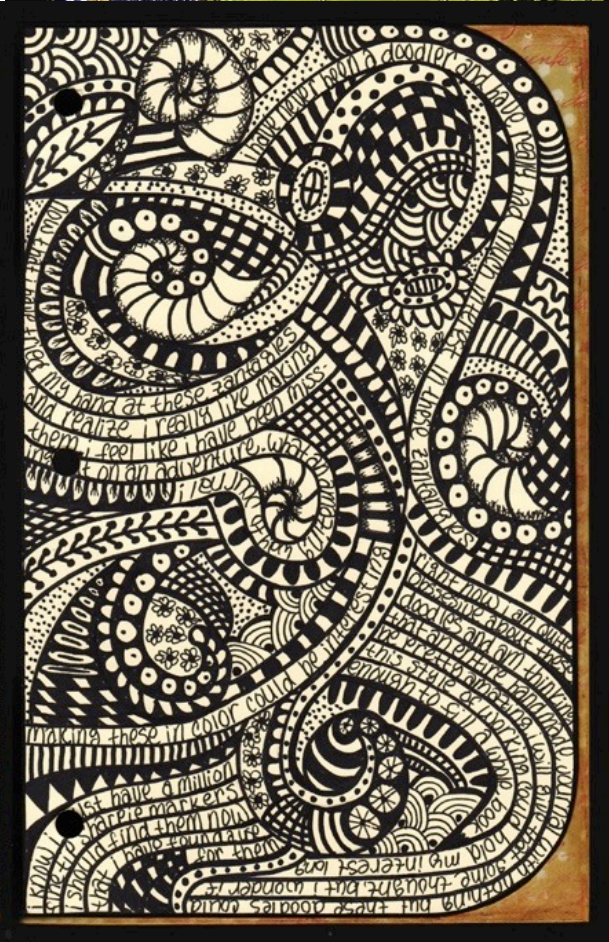
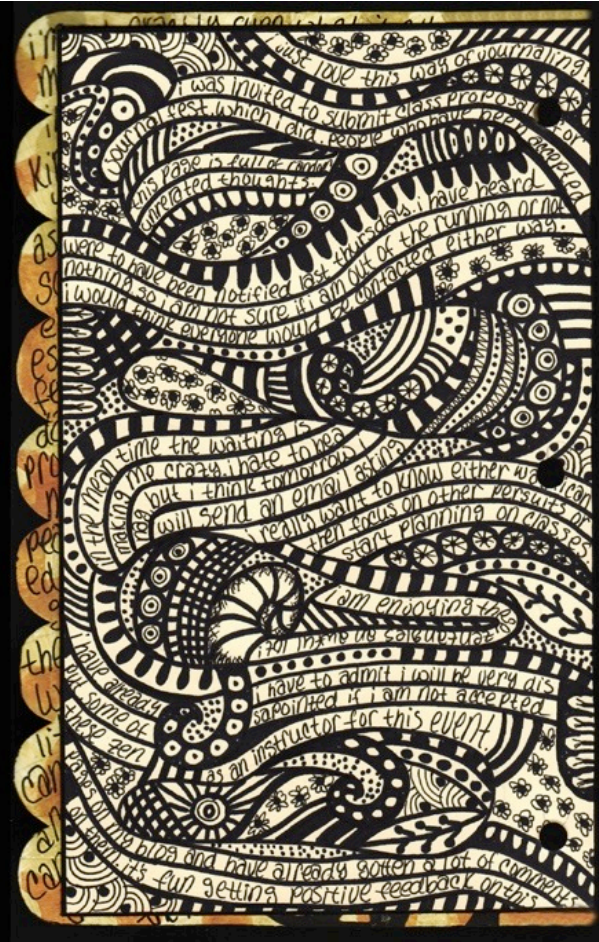
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November 2009  
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were quite nice. One rather large depiction of "Pis and Pepper" or more accurately the cook and her soup with way too much pepper. I think it has to be my all time favorite part of both the Alice stories. I had



actually sewn on a number of very small copper pots and pans and it had some very nice imagery transferred onto it. One of these days when I have nothing else to do, I might now have so many ideas for these visual journals. I'm busy for the rest

Oh, I have had such a curious dream!





# Page themes

- *Pg 1* *Rome* (The Great City)
- *back of 1-Pg2* Mediterranean Sea
- *back of 2-Pg3* Alexandria (The land of the great Leader)
- *back of 3* Petra
- *Pg 4* CUT OUT IMAGE PAGE
- *Pg 5* Palmyra (Syrian Desert)
- *back of 5* Merv (Mountains)
- *Pg 6* Kucha
- *back of 6-Pg 7* The Great Wall
- *Back of 7- 8* Changan ( The Silk Empire and Buddha )



# Page 1 Rome



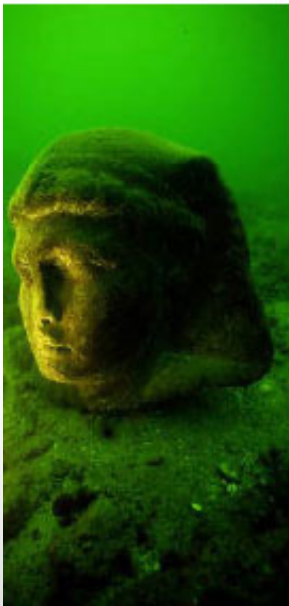
# Rome

- Nike of Samothrace
- Your Character
- Laocoon and His sons
- Gold
- City Painting with roman buildings
- Your Shipment

WRITING: While there's life, there's hope.



# Mediterranean Sea



# Mediterranean Sea

2 PAGE SPREAD – Back of roman page and the next page.

- A map of the Mediterranean
- A ship
- A Urn
- Your Character
- 4 Mediterranean fish
- A sunken sculpture
- A compass rose
- A storm cloud

WRITING:

they change their skies but not their souls who run  
across the sea



# Alexandria



# Alexandria

2 PAGE SPREAD

- Royal Library of **Alexandria** (The once the largest library in the world)
- A Page cut out from a from a book (parts of a page)
- The Alexandria Light house
- Your Character
- The sunken lion
- A Large harbor and a city

Statement:

Verily, great grace may go with a little gift; and precious are all things that come from a friend.

-Theocritus



# Petra



# Petra

- The Treasury of Petra
- The Monastery of Petra
- A mosaic picture or sky
- Indiana Jones
- Your Character
- Water conduit system of Petra
- Your shipment

## WRITING:

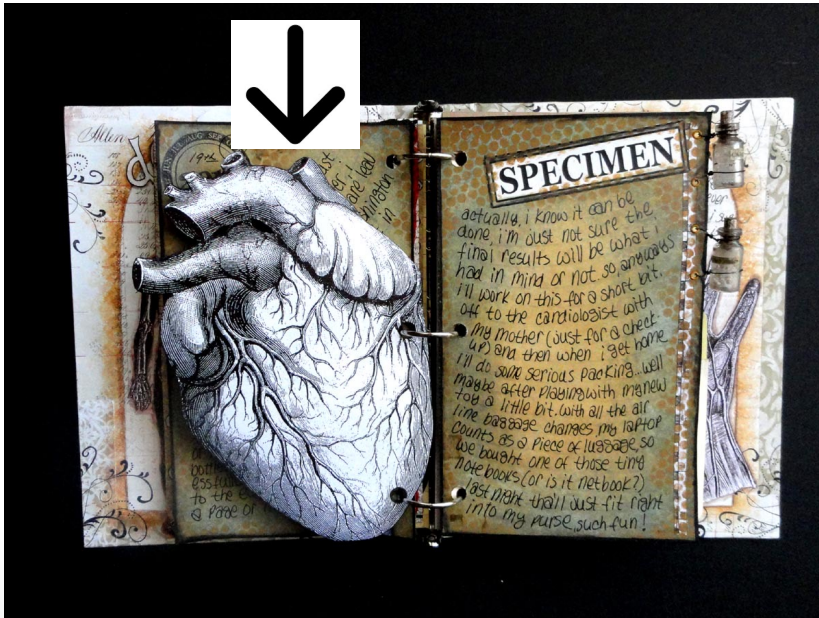
for this writing part of your page you need to pick your own quote from the poem *The rose red city of Petra, by John William Burgon*  
(Use your laptop and look up the poem)

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# Create a cut out page

- Create a cut out page that goes with your story.
- ZOOM in on an object
- Add your own writing



# “Tadmur” Palmyra





# “ Tadmur “ Palmyra

- Cavalryman
- Inscription of Queen Zenobia
- Early morning Panorama Of Palmyra picture  
(A city scape)
- This can be one or two pages – your choice! It is an awesome city with a lot of images to work from.
- A detailed archway
- Your Character
- Your shipment

From the reading write a short story about Queen Zenobia.

# Merv (Mountains)





# Merv (Mountains)

- Mountains
- Camel
- The water Pipeline and a fountain
- The temple
- The city walls
- Plants
- A map of Merv
- Gold pen
- Your shipment
- Your Character

Statement: Marvellous Merv of faith, water and light

# Kucha





# Kucha

- 1 page work
- Rolling mountains
- Hill top city of kucha
- Buddha of kucha
- jade stone
- Your shipment
- Your Character

Statement:

Kucha of gold, of orange and red. This is the changing city on are path

# The Great Wall





# The Great Wall

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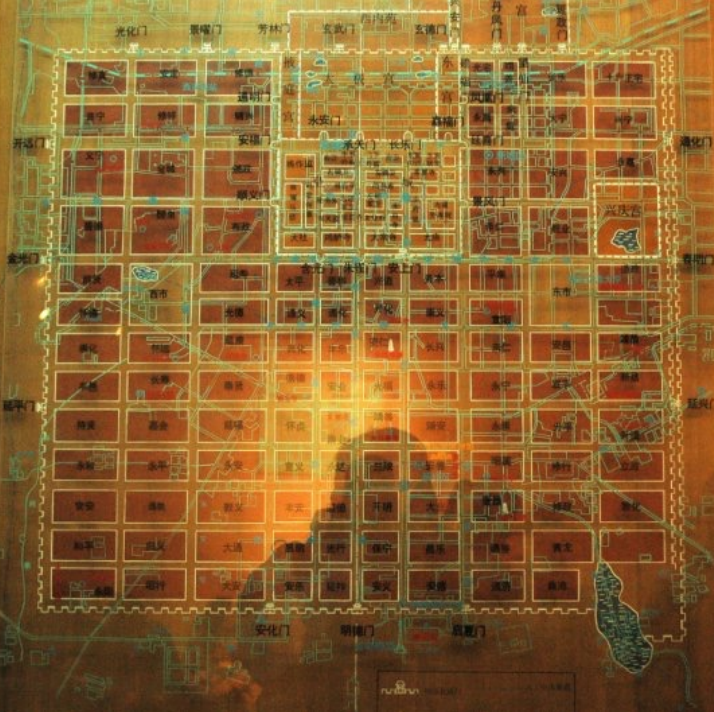
- Green mountains – in water color
- Chinese ink painting
- Silk or a drawing of silk
- A accordion book fold wall
- The great wall
- Your Character
- Your shipment

Statement:

Built upon miles and miles of mountains, Dotted with strong fortresses both on hilltops and ridges. Weathering three thousand years of wind and rain, Transforms into dancing dragon in earth's hilly forest

# Changan

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# Changan

2 PAGE SPREAD

- A great map of the city of gold -The city from above
- A long thin dragon around the page like a frame.
- Parts of the forbidden city
- Chinese painting style / have fun
- Your Character
- Your shipment

Statement: write your own fantastic ending.