

Description:

Sometimes the history of a place begins elsewhere, and the colony of South Carolina *actually* began somewhere else, almost two thousand miles across the sea.

The settlement of Charles Towne that would grow into the colony of South Carolina owes its origins and success to a tiny island in the West Indies that most of us know nothing about.

Yet, more than 7 million Americans can trace their roots directly to this Caribbean paradise.

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Introduction & Title Sequence

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Natural History

Exploration of the New World

The Colonization of Barbados

Part 2: SWEET SUCCESS-

Sugar & Slavery

The Barbadian Lifestyle

Part 3: THE BARBADOS ADVENTURERS-

Carolina & The Lords Proprietors

Rice and a Global Economy

Part 4: COLONY OF A COLONY-

The Goosecreek Men

Pirates & Stede Bonnet

George Washington in Barbados

Part 5: A CULTURAL HEARTH-

A Cultural Transference

The Abolition of Slavery in Barbados

Evolution of the Chattel House

Part 6: FROM WHENCE THEY CAME-

Gullah Culture

The Charleston Single House

At home in Barbados & Charleston

Heritage Tourism- Barbados National Archives

We are one family

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