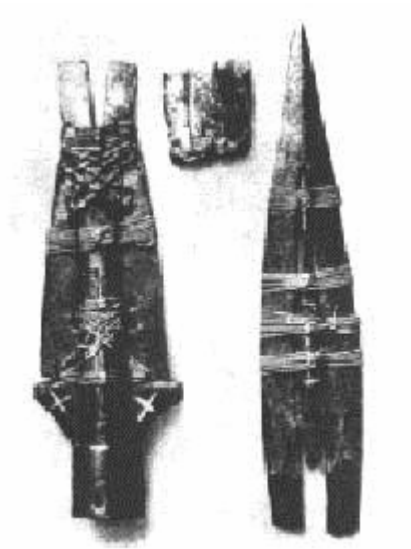


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Describe the spear of destiny, describe its past, and describe any attributes.

Tasking:

Move to the optimum position/location and describe the object, its past or its attributes in detail.



Additional feedback:

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Spear_of_Destiny

The **Spear of Destiny** (also known as the **Holy Lance**, **Holy Spear**, **Lance of Longinus**, or **Spear of Longinus**) is claimed to be the spear that pierced the side of Jesus when he was on the cross (John 19:31-37). Later Christian tradition named the soldier that pierced Christ's side as Gaius Cassius, and he is later called Longinus (making the spear's "correct" Latin name **Lancea Longini**). It should be noted that there is a historical figure named Gaius Cassius Longinus, one of the conspirators responsible for the death of Gaius Julius Caesar (died March 15, 44 BC). This should not necessarily be viewed as "too coincidental," since Roman names held little variety, especially among members of the same family. There are many prototypes and analogues of the spear in other legends, it can be compared to the ancient Irish weapon, the Spear Luin, and is similar to the Bleeding Lance of Grail mythology, which was eventually claimed to *be* the Spear of Destiny.

According to its legend, it has passed through the hands of influential world leaders throughout the ages including Constantine, Justinian, Charlemagne, Otto the Great, the Habsburg Emperors, and Adolf Hitler.