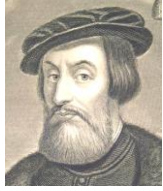


# The Explorers

Many men and women were responsible for the great Age of Exploration, which fundamentally changed the world - bringing with it both prosperity and destruction. Examine the following explorers and note their contributions to the connection of the East and the West.



**Hernan Cortez**



**Amerigo Vespucci**



**Pedro Alvarez Cabral**



**Vasco Nunez de Balboa**



**John Cabot**



**Francisco Pizarro**



**Juan Cabrillo**