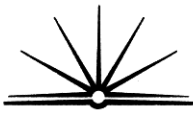


Section III

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a) My historical focus area is the Ancient times. The ancient times of the Egyptians, Romans. They wore the flowing dresses known as Robes, Tops, Sari's and dresses. The original drape dress was originated by the Egyptians they wore the white cloth made by with the use of flax a light weight fibre. These dresses and shawls were draped around waists & the dress have the asymmetrical shape & features they draped around the bottom hem of the dress. The Ancient roman times used the Egyptian design to make their own Robes. These were a very flowing dress wore by men and women, usually one piece of cloth drape over the entire body and pinned or tied at the arms, this is the traditional wear of the Roman time. They use a more flowing fabric a light cotton or silk type fibre. The developing



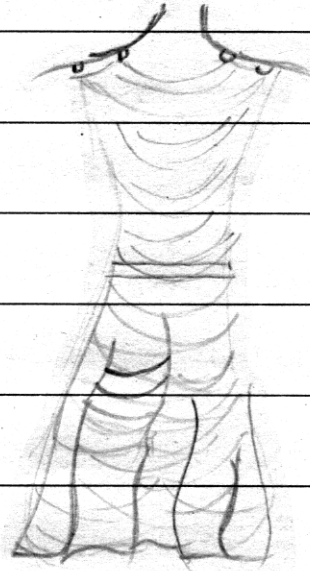
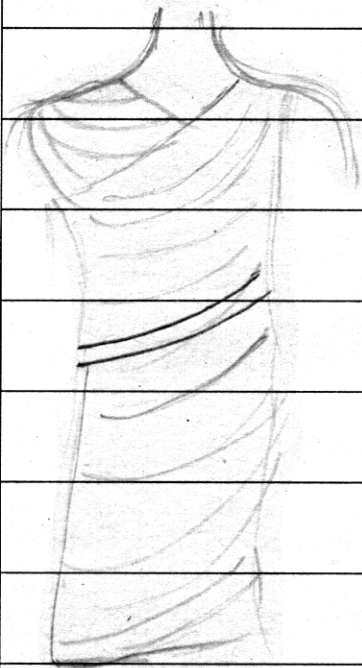
of the draped dress of the Ancient times was well underway. This historical dress was used for centuries by the Romans it was later picked up over the years at different cultures like Indians with the Sari, ~~the~~ and many places all over the world and are still very much used today. Many times was the Ancient drape dress altered to fit the needs of their times.

B) The impact on ~~the~~ the design developments of the Ancient times of the draped dress is one of great importance. From the ancient times of the Egyptians $\frac{3}{4}$ the Romans the draped dress has very much changed for the better. The draped dress has impacted dramatically on contemporary design. Today you still see the flowing drapes in formal & everyday wear.

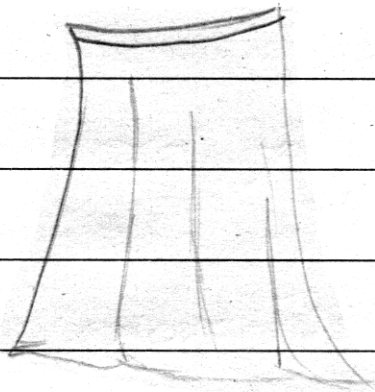
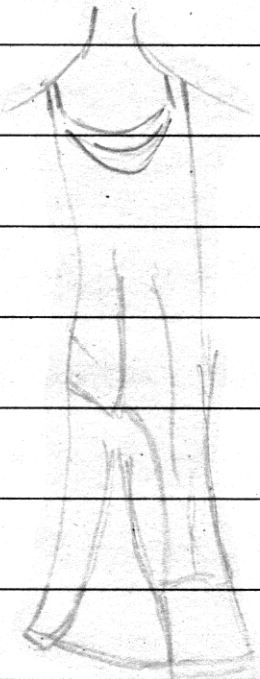
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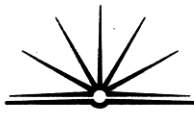


From the Ancient Roman & Egyptian times.



to today contemporary fashion of today's world.





Today you can see how contemporary design have had the major influence of the Ancient times of draped dress.

You can find many things draped from the formal wear, tops, skirts, belts, sarongs, shawls. It has been a major impact. Draped is seen as feminine & beauty & aesthetic pleasing design that we have picked up and collected from the ancient times of Egypt & Rome. With ever flowing draped, skirt, dress, top you see you can remember the Ancient times of the draped dress. The draped dress wear is a very fashionable look everyday at the moment also it's very summery ~~and~~ beautiful. Without the impact of the Ancient historical time of Egyptians & Romans today we wouldn't have the contemporary design of today. Designers all over the world have picked up on this trend



of the ancient times as it is a remarkable & unforgettable time in history for textile design.