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The Silk Road: Ancient China's Pathway to the World

Short Answer

1. How did the Silk Road contribute to the enrichment of China's culture and knowledge base?
2. Explain the role of the Silk Road in the rise and fall of empires, using specific examples.
3. What were the challenges and dangers faced by travelers along the Silk Road?
4. How did the decline of the Silk Road occur, and what is its enduring legacy?
5. Why were papermaking and printing technologies significant contributions spread by the Silk Road?

