The loneliness of luminaries

Along with the mountains the story of rocky mountain vegetation has always fascinated Carola Deck, Susana Docampo, and Antonio Caneva. As a result of the presence of the Nature Park, just below the summit of the Drei Zinnen/Tre Cime Di Lavaredo, the Dix Deschampsia, the Drei Zinnen/Cime, the Drei Zinnen/Cima and the Sarti De Gerolamo, pioneers of plants, shrubs have slowly crept higher up the scree slope.

and black, white and red wings make it resemble a hummingbird, Alpine accentor also live here and feed on these invertebrates. The Bird species, such as the black redstart, the wheatear and the

function. They form the first dormant islands in the debris stream.

requires decades to develop into a plate-sized island of vegetation.

and the snow crystals. A true treasure found on the barren scree is

Dolomite Yarrow, the Dolomite columbine, the Dolomite Bellflower, Dolomite cinquefoil, the dwarf alpine rose, the bear’s ear, the moss

Habitats, animals and plants

approximately two-thirds of the land of the Nature Park is

able assertion made by the farmers here.

however, cause numerous habitats to be irretrievably lost. If the

have been felled and the ground levelled for machine use and

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crowns above the mountain pine forests. They appear at an un-
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The provincial government of South Tyrol has taken these

result of centuries of

Tourism was flourishing when the First World War broke out. This regular, relatively insular local lifestyle changed in 1871,

These extensive cultural landscapes do not lend themselves to

The Human Factor

In the 1950s, mass tourism finally came to the Sextner/Sesto

Dolomites UNESCO World Heritage Site

The Drei Zinnen/Tre Cime is a peak of the Sesto Dolomites and belongs to the Sextner Dolomites. This mountain is made up of evenly layered Main dolomite, the card- and brown marls, the black, red and green marls, shales and gray dolomites can always

In the 1960s, the touristic exploration of the Sextner/Sesto Dolomites, the Dolomites UNESCO World Heritage Site, began. For the first time, the unique scenery of this mountain range was accessible to everyone, and it has been awarded the greatest recognition a natural asset can

The Drei Zinnen/Tre Cime Nature Park

The Drei Zinnen/Tre Cime Nature Park is a nature park of particular importance. It has been awarded the status of a ‘site of Community Importance’ (SCI) under the EU Habitats Directive, the status of a ‘Special Protection Area’ (SPA) for birds, and has been included on the list of sites of ‘European importance’ (SITES) under the Bern Convention.

At first glance, these interactions may seem quite simple, but they

in the southern part of the Sextner/Sesto Dolomites the Scolar/Sciliar dolomite only forms a barrier for the exhaus-
tional processes.

The alpine meadows of the Nature Park are one of the most

Uphill as far as the Kreuzberg Pass/Passo di Monte Croce Comelico, In the same way, the dolomite hills have given rise to unique

These mountains are made up of very hard dolomite. The Dolomites are the most southerly group of dolomites and are characterized by their characteristic dolomite crust.

Dolomites South Tyrol Nature Parks

The Dolomites South Tyrol Nature Parks (Nature Parks of the Sesto Dolomites and Nature Parks of the Tre Cime Di Lavaredo) are a network of protected areas comprising the most important and unique natural sites of the Dolomites. The Nature Parks are managed by the South Tyrolian Nature Parks Authority (Acque e Foreste del Trentino Alto Adige – AFTI).

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