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Assignment: Summary of ‘Cave of Forgotten Dreams’

 The film, “The Cave of Forgotten Dreams,” takes the viewer on a journey the brought together our ancestors to our current generation through means of art. Many painting of horses, bears, mammoths and animals that roamed the land show how early ancestor’s praised them. One of the explorer actually took images from different areas and combined them together as if it were moving sort of like that of a cinema, conveying a story. The ambient surrounding the cave just gave a sense of how old the cave was from the description of the smell to the overlapping of several drawing. Overall, the drawings were incredible and really captivating, but mostly because they showed what our ancestor’s wanted to communicate. The very existence of human beings is to express what we want, what we dream of and how we can adapt to life the way these ancestors did.