

# Re: Challenge for naysayers of the Kensington Runestone

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Apparently on date Fri, 26 Aug 2005 11:40:14 -0500, kenney@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx said:

>In article <9nlpg1h8i3gpiad3afpdce3912pvt5f81p@xxxxxxx>,  
>nospam@xx () wrote:  
>  
>> A centre of trade has to exist as a circle of distribution of trade  
>> goods of a type that might be transported to the centre of that  
>> circle

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> I have no problem with the idea of Norse iron work proving trade with  
>the Inuit. I do have a problem with using it as evidence of where the  
>Norse were trading. Other wise we would have evidence of Chinese  
>traders in Rome in the reign of Trajan, silk was there. The problem

Well it's not quite the same thing, that. The equivalent is if the Chinese were setting up a colony in, say, Venice, and then the silk was turning up around widespread sub-Apine sites. And we know already that the silk road was essentially a European venture – Marco Polo type thing.

And not to mention, the Chinese\*were\* in europe in the medieval period.

>with all goods is that there is generally no evidence of how many  
>middlemen were involved. Unless you are going to state that various  
>Inuit never traded with each other it does not prove much.

I don't say I'm proving anything.

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- *References:*
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