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Sommario/riassunto	Did the Exodus occur? This question has been asked in biblical scholarship since its origin as a modern science. The desire to scientifically resolve this question was a key component in the funding of archaeological excavations in the 19th century. Egyptian archaeologists routinely equated sites with their presumed biblical counterpart. Initially, it was taken for granted that the Exodus had occurred. It was simply a matter of finding the archaeological data to prove it. So far, those results have been for naught. This book takes a very real-world approach to understanding the Exodus. It is not a story of cosmic spectacles that miraculously or coincidentally occurred when a people prepared to leave Egypt.