



The book by Prof. Martin Homza "The Handbook of the Oldest Slovak History" is problem-oriented and at the same time a comprehensive and well-balanced essay on the early Slovak history from ancient times to the early Middle Ages. The book is based on the results of the latest research of Prof. Martin Homza and contains the author's deeply original view of earliest stages of Slovak ethnogenesis and state formation within the context of Central Europe, which, in our deep conviction, is extremely promising. Thus, the book not only makes a foreign reader familiar with the initial pages of Slovak history, but also introduces a reader to the current state of reflections on the processes of social and cultural evolution in relation to the era that had a formative role in the history of Slovakia and Central Europe as a whole. There are no books of this kind in modern historiography.

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