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The search discussed the plans of the buildings and their architectural features by conducting a descriptive, analytical, and interpretative study. Also, conducted comparisons with similar buildings outside Lebanon. This has given us a better understanding of the nature of the social and religious life in the entire Lebanon and the knowledge gap has been bridged to a satisfying extent. This research can be seen as innovative because scholarly work on architectural elements from the Greco-Roman period in Lebanon has, not mainly discussed their characteristics, elements, and decorations, with no reference to their potential socio-economic significance. Furthermore, these studies have mostly focused on bronze ages rather than classical periods, and a comprehensive analytical overview is still lacking.

The research also examines the role of World heritage in sustainable development based on their potential as cultural heritage sites and examines some of the concepts of community role in the conservation of World Heritage Sites in Byblos, Sidon, and Tyre. Furthermore, investigates how people could contribute to raising awareness and making their advocacy campaigns in managing their cultural heritage. Also, discuss how local communities could be partners in their heritage to find an important place in all development processes.

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