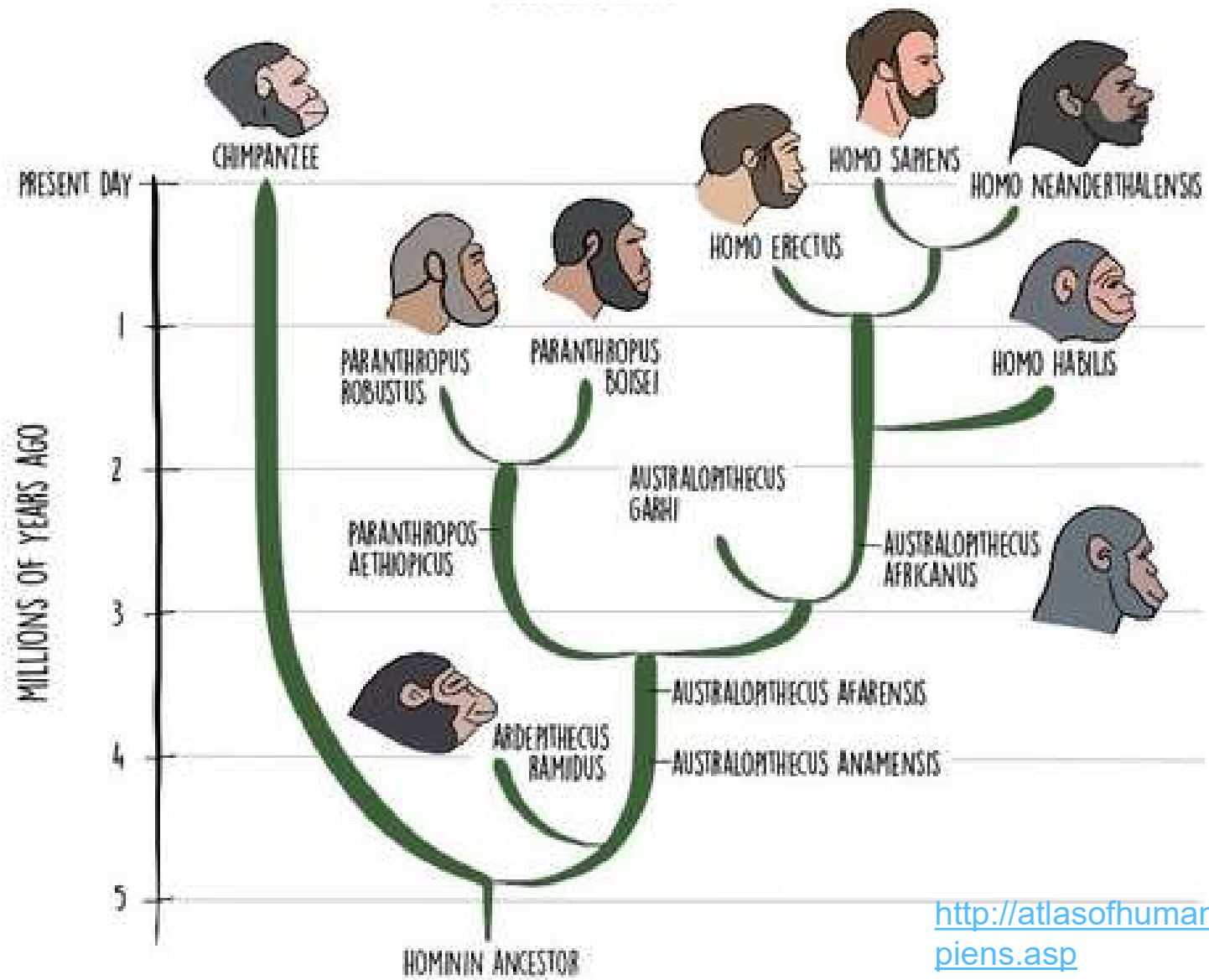


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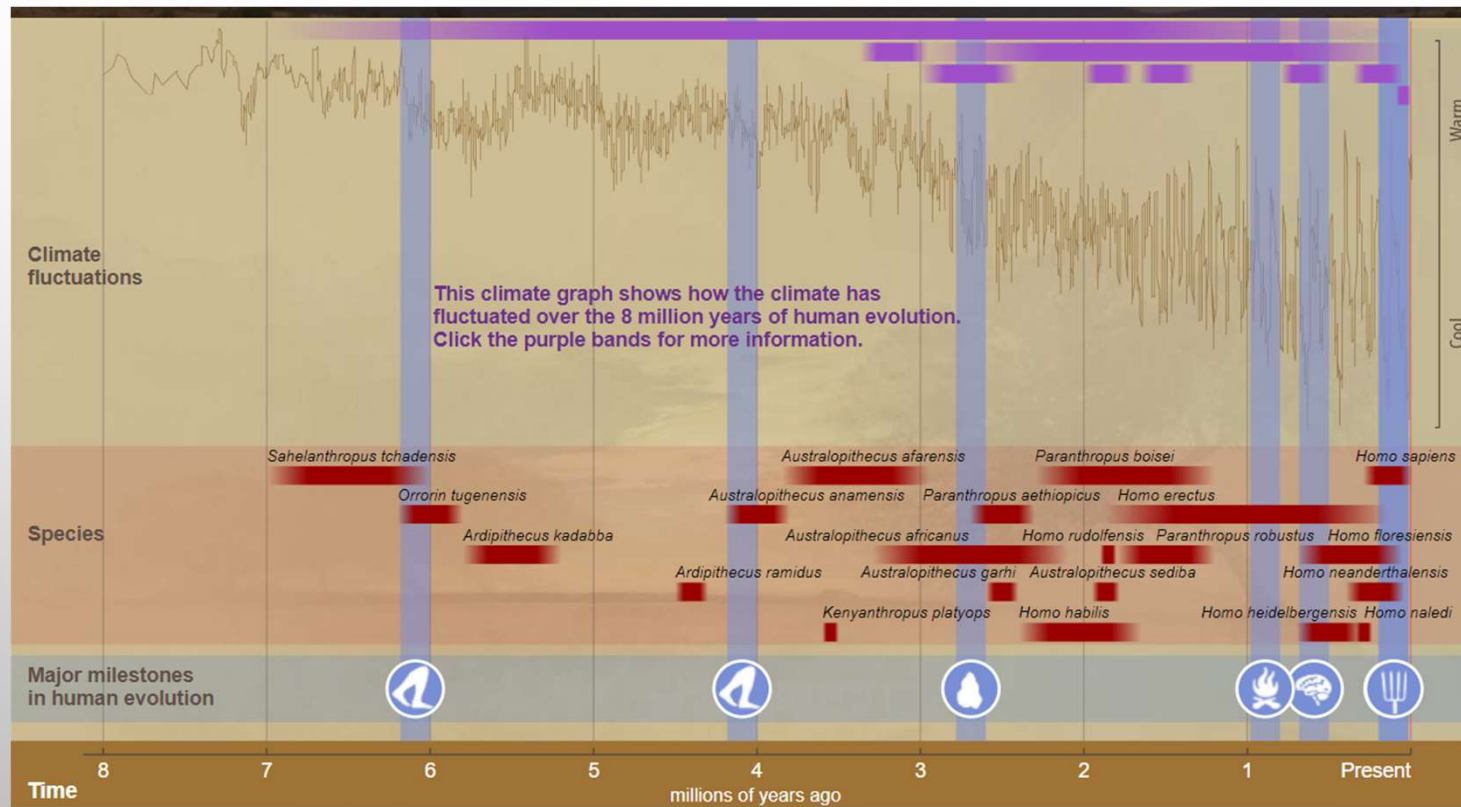
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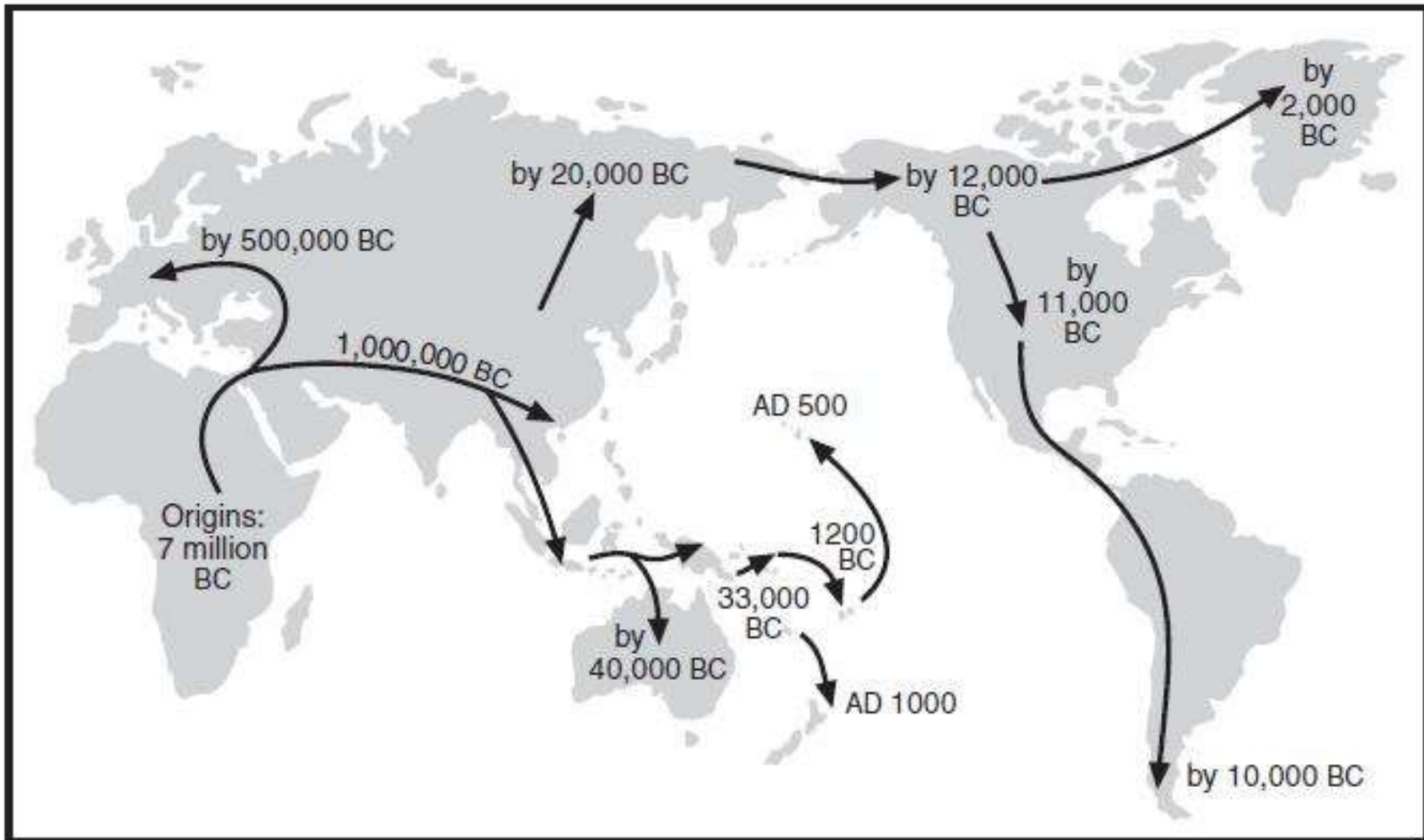
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HUMAN EVOLUTION INTERACTIVE TIMELINE

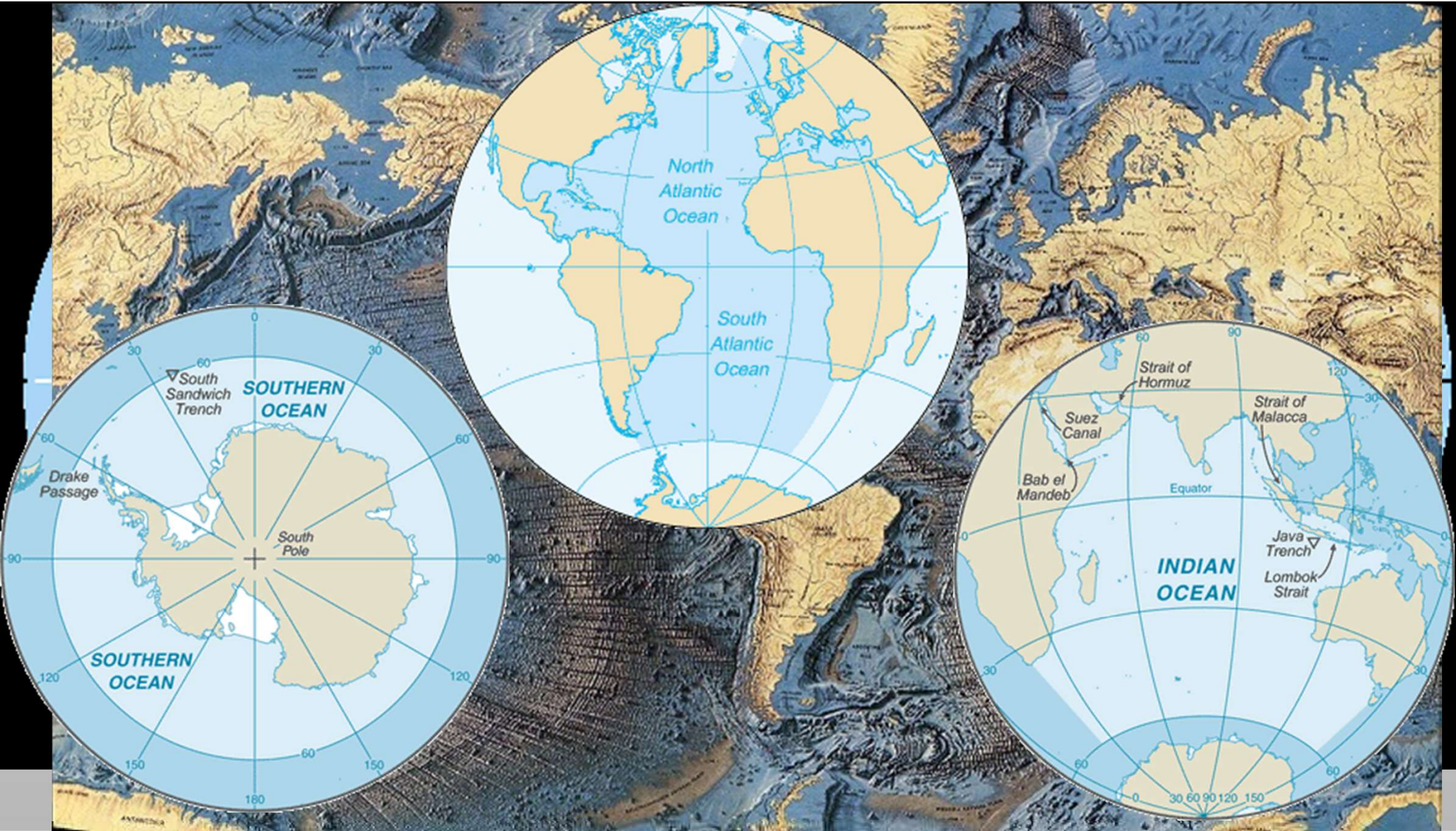


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The Spread of Humans Around the World



Source: Jared Diamond, *Guns, Germs, and Steel: The Fates of Human Societies*, W. W. Norton & Company, 1999 (adapted)



THOR HEYERDAHL

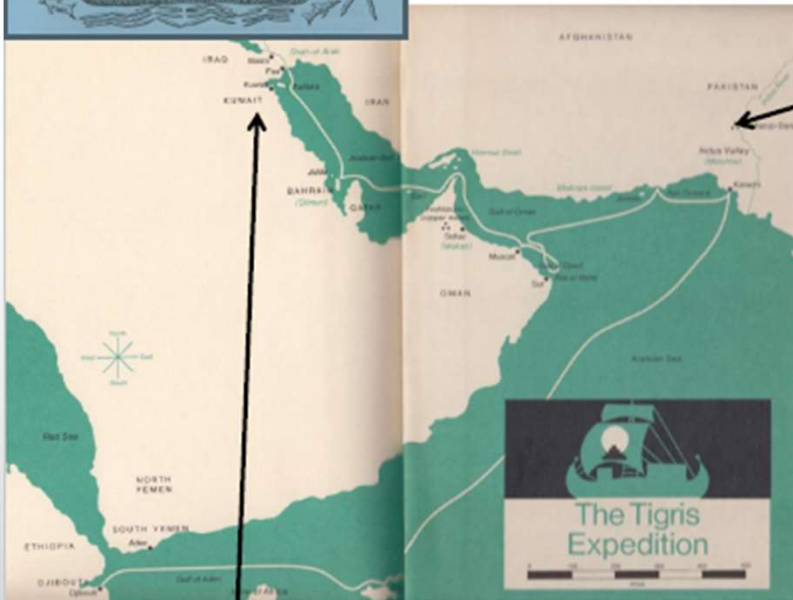




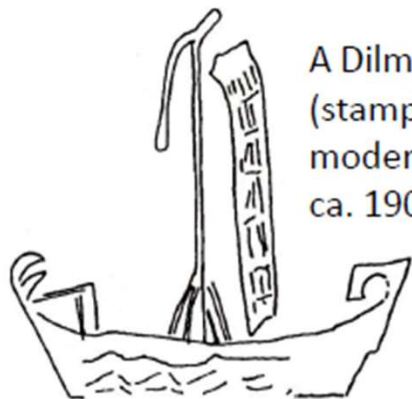




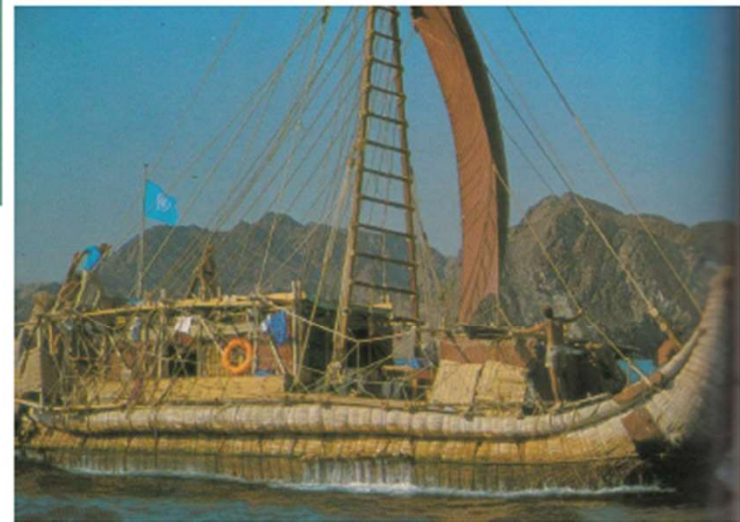
Akkadian cultic boat
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A Meluhha ship
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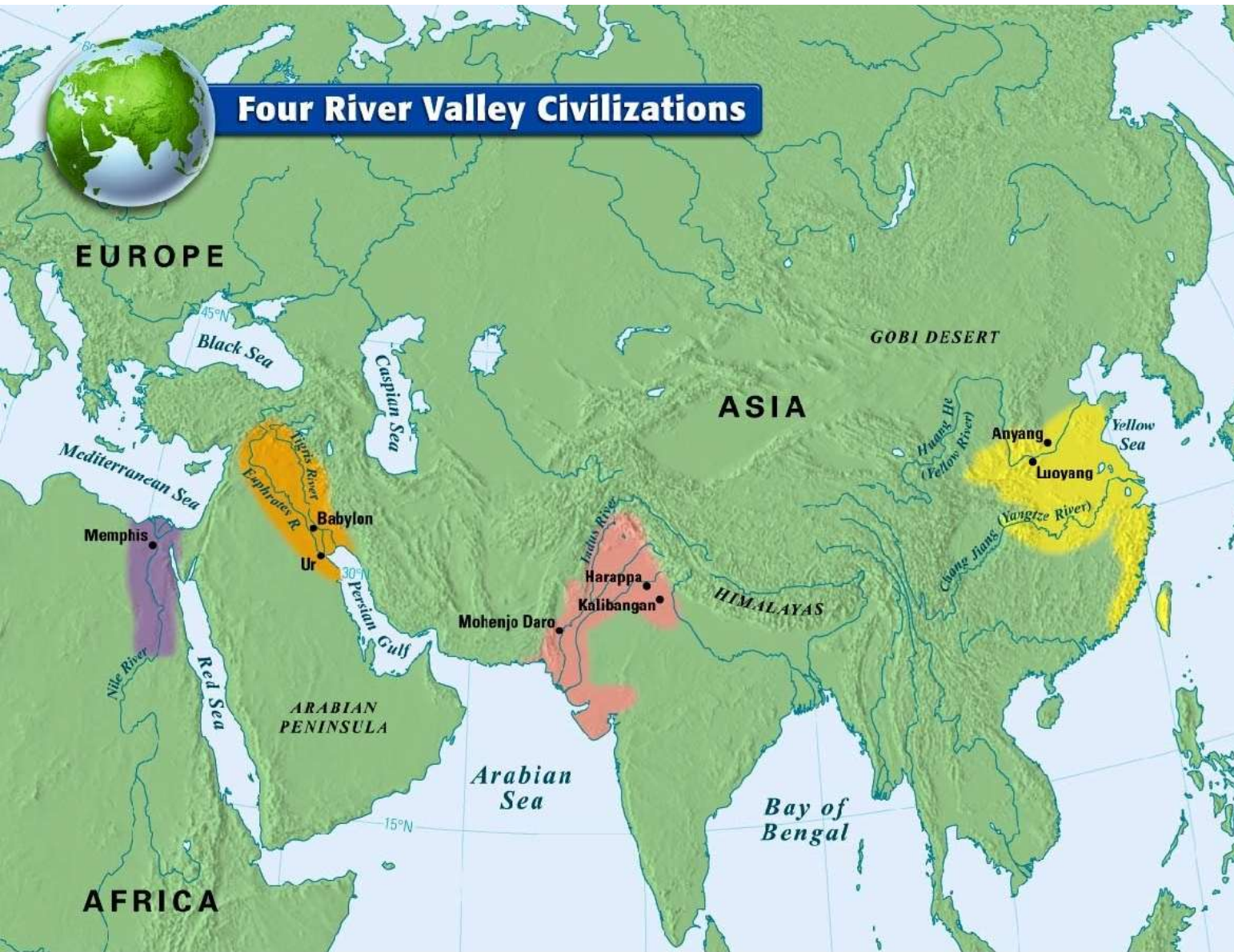


Thor Heyerdahl, Tigris expedition

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 - INDIA – WHEAT, BARLEY
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Four River Valley Civilizations

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- – WHEAT

INDIA

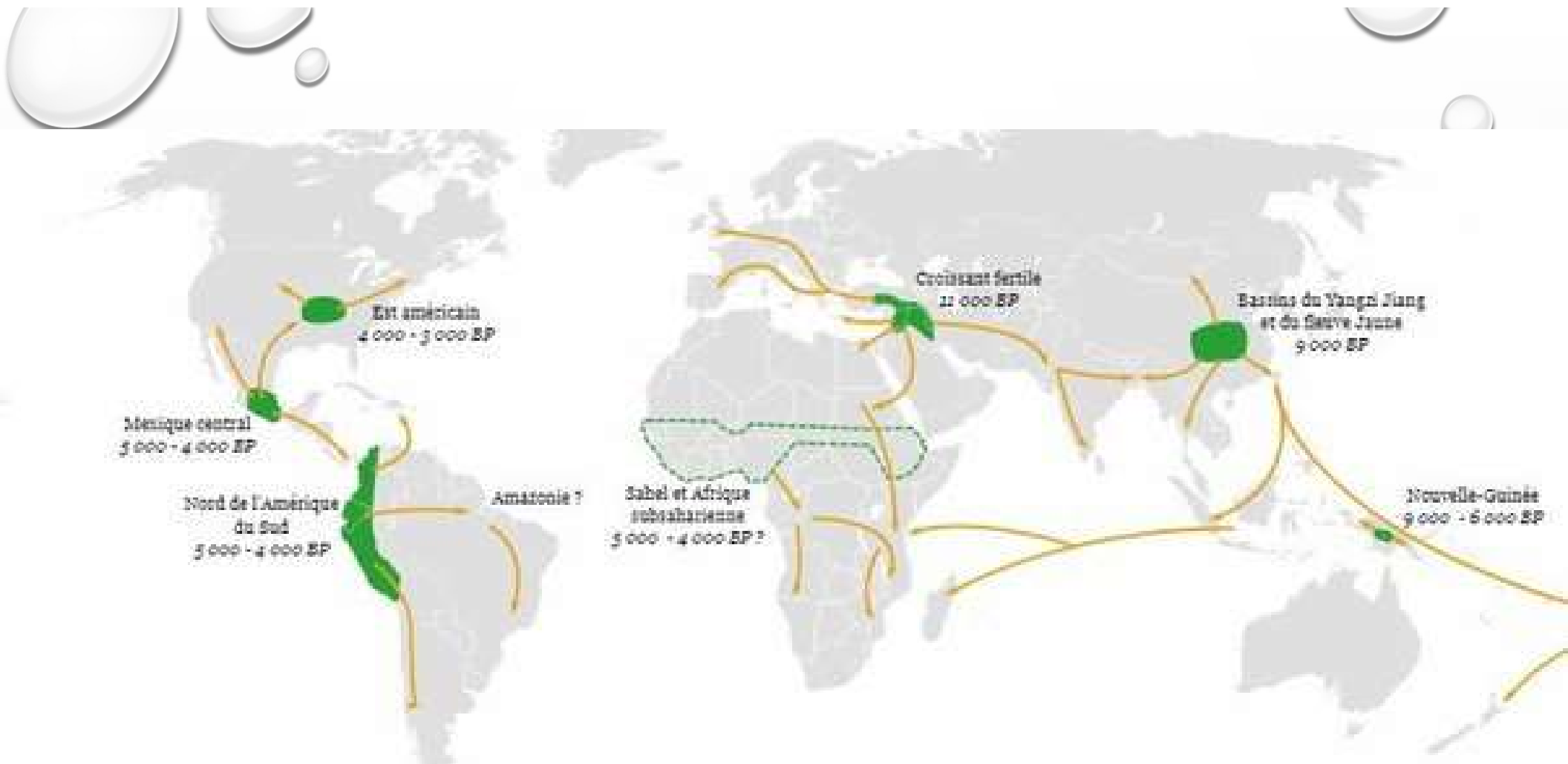
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North America



Southwestern Europe



South and East Mediterranean



Caribbean



Central America and Mexico



Andes



Tropical South America



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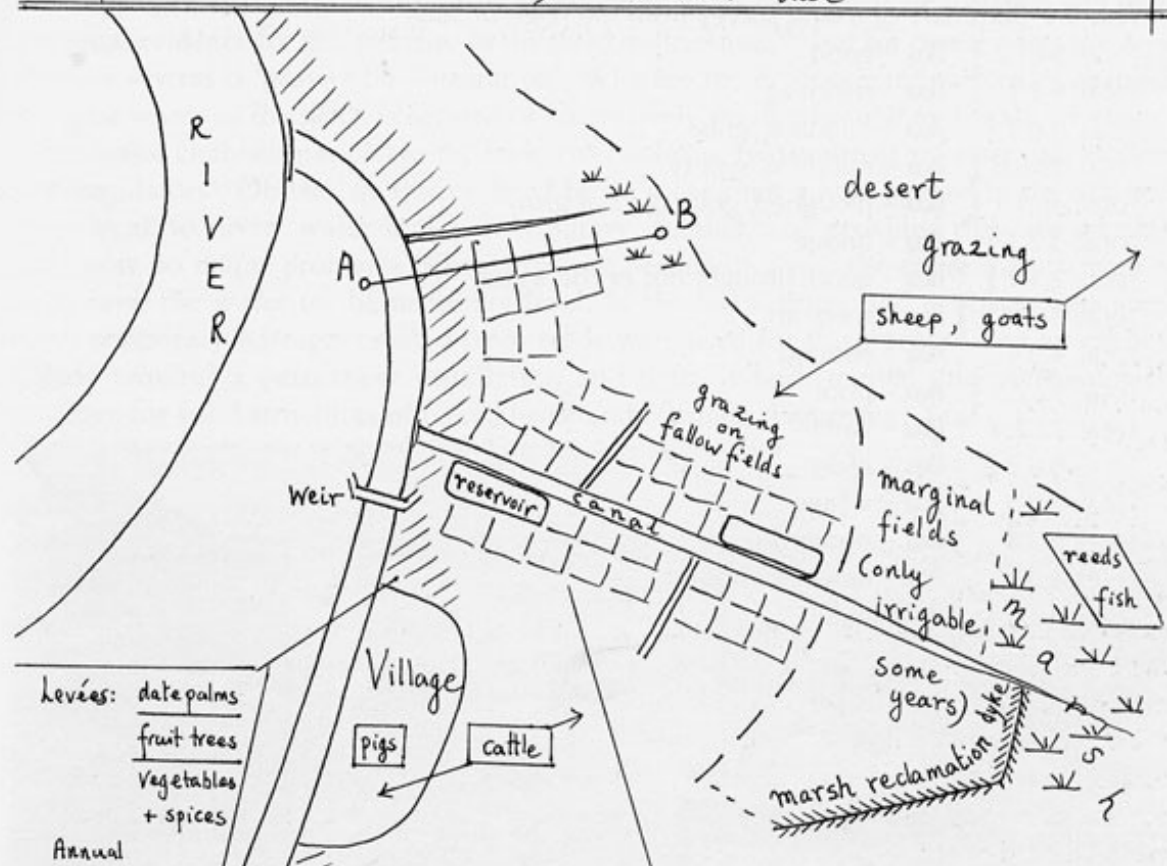
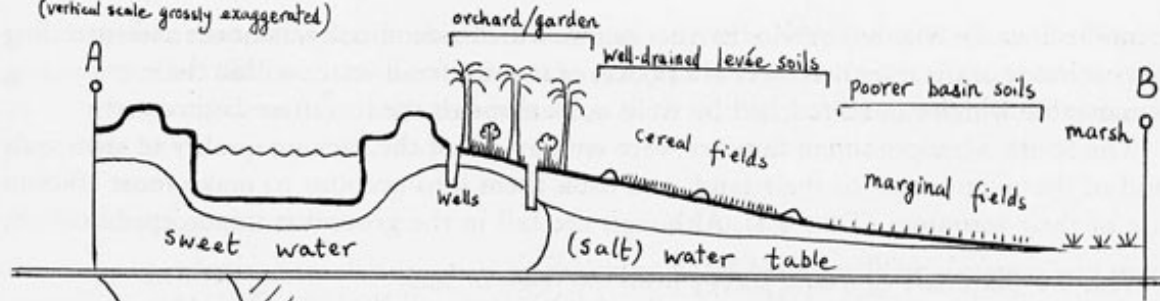


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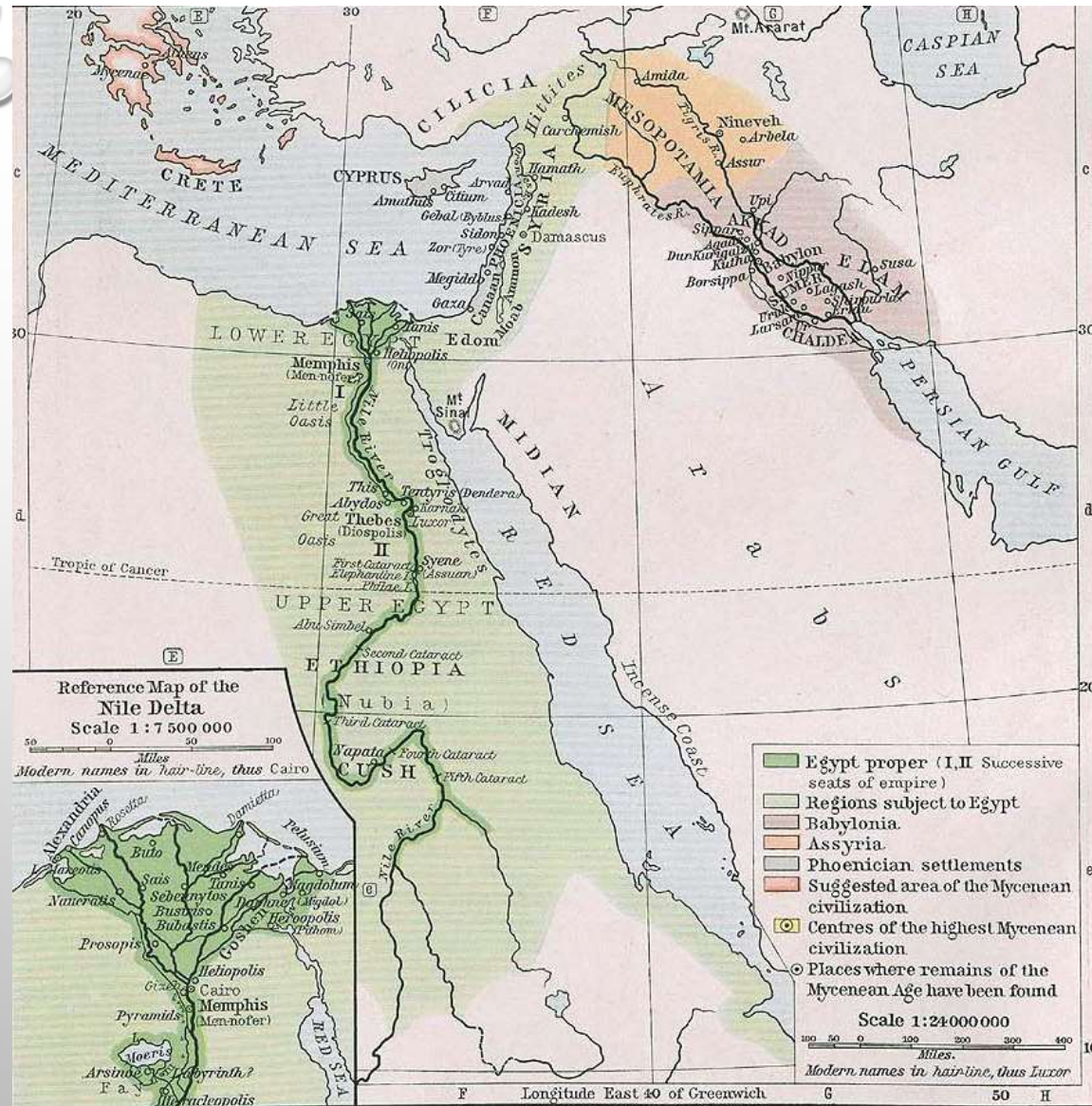
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Section A-B
(vertical scale grossly exaggerated)



Levees: date palms
fruit trees
Vegetables
+ spices
Annual

WESTERN CIVILIZATIONS



BRONZE AGE TIMELINE

- ~ 8500 BCE DEVELOPMENT OF AGRICULTURE
- ~ 3200 BCE DEVELOPMENT OF WRITING
- 2650 BCE EGYPT: OLD KINGDOM
- 2600-2465 BCE EGYPT: PYRAMIDS BUILT
- 1792-1750 BCE MESO: HAMMURABI RULES
- 1539 BCE EGYPT: NEW KINGDOM
- 1336-27 BCE EGYPT: TUTANKHAMUN RULES

I. GEOGRAPHY

- NATURAL RESOURCES
 - MESOPOTAMIA
 - LACK OF RESOURCES LEADS TO CONFLICT
 - FIGHTS OVER GOOD LAND FOR FARMING
 - FROM OTHERS NEAR THE RIVERS
 - FROM OTHERS IN LESS DESIRABLE AREAS
 - EGYPT
 - RIVER CREATES POLITICAL UNITY = PEACE
 - DESERT
 - PERMITS TRADE – ACCESS TO AFRICAN MARKETS
 - PROHIBITS ARMIES – FEELING OF PEACE

I. RIVER FLOODING

- MESOPOTAMIA
 - UNPREDICTABLE
 - DEADLY AND SEEN AS ACT OF THE GODS
- EGYPT
 - PREDICTABLE YEARLY FLOODING (JUNE-SEPT)
 - FARMING IS GREAT: NO CONCERN FOR SOIL DEPLETION



- **HAMMURABI**

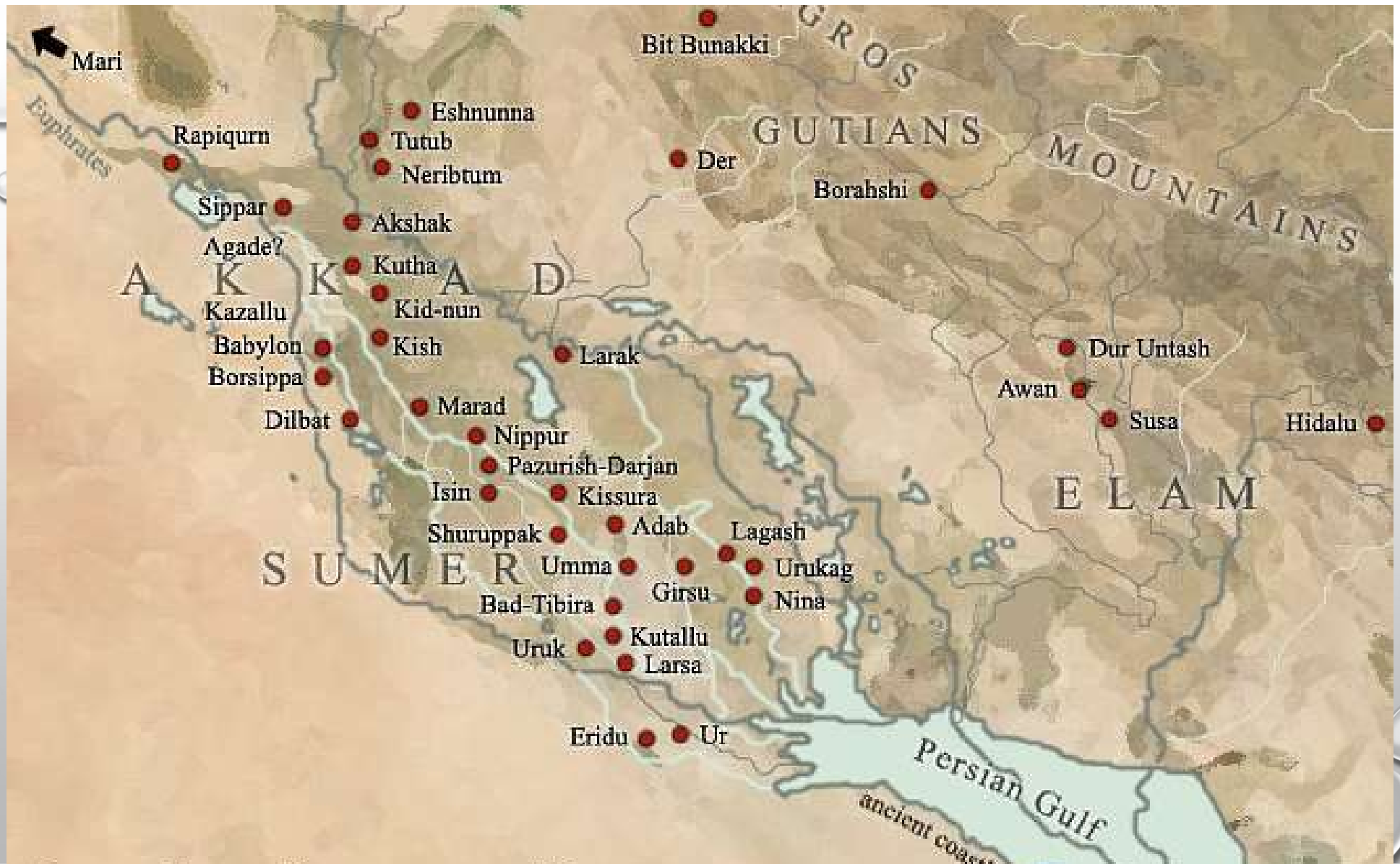
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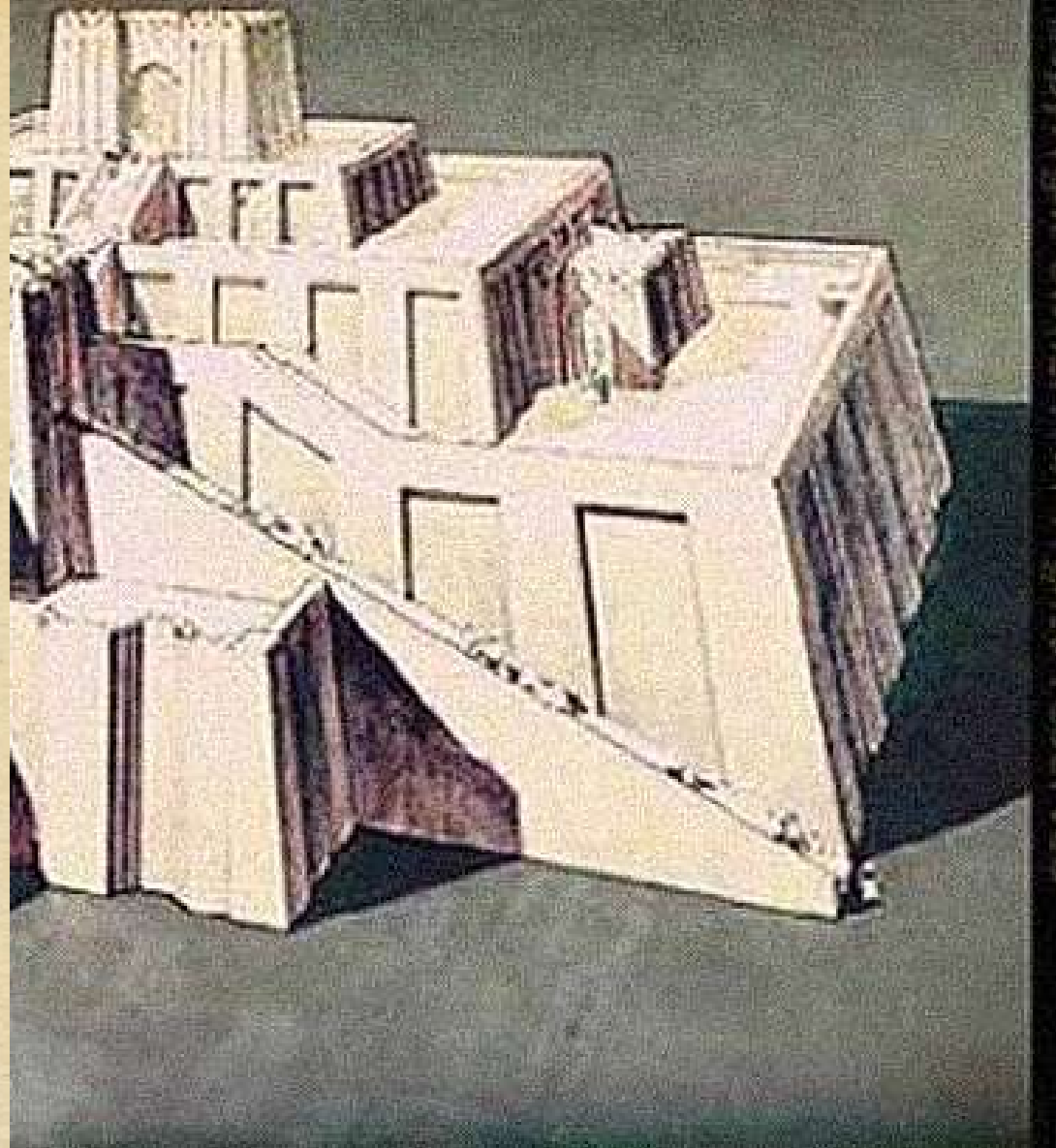
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THE SEA PEOPLES

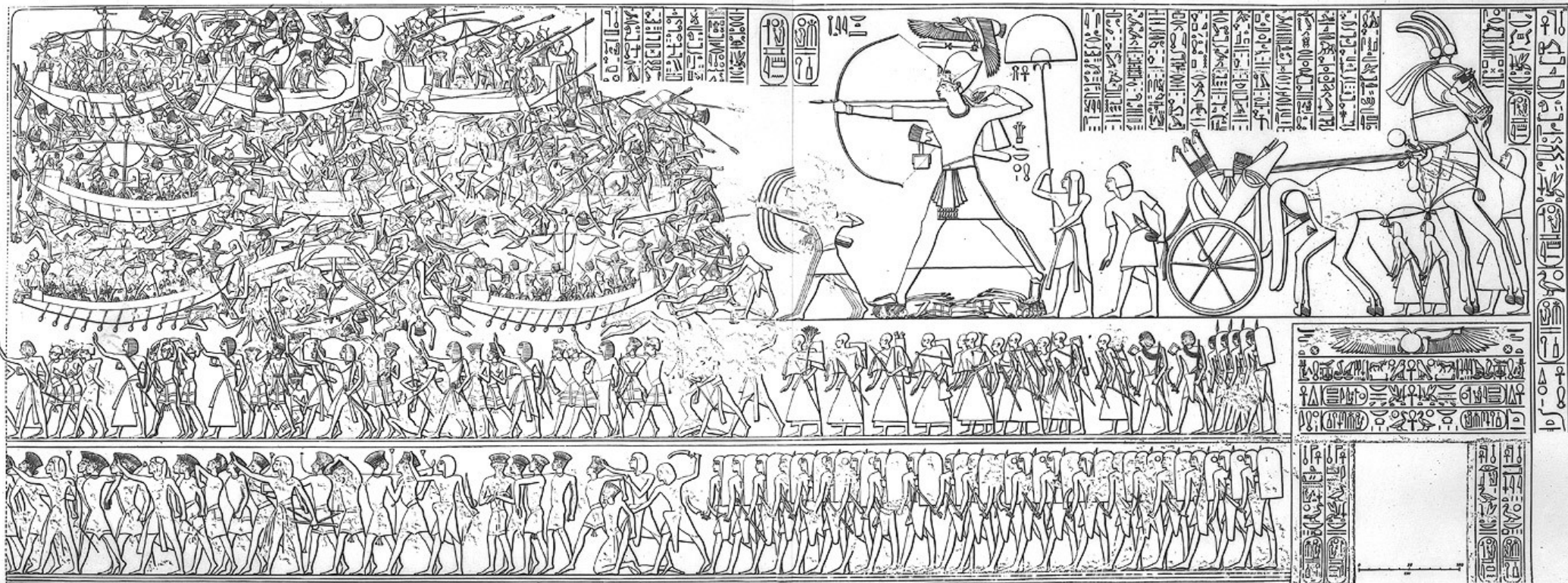
- City
 - ← Routes of the Sea Peoples
- Sea Peoples groups mentioned by Ramses III:
- TJEKKER
 - DENYEN
 - PELESET (PHILISTINES)
 - SHEKLESH
 - WESHESH
 - SHARDANU

Ramses III battles with the Sea Peoples

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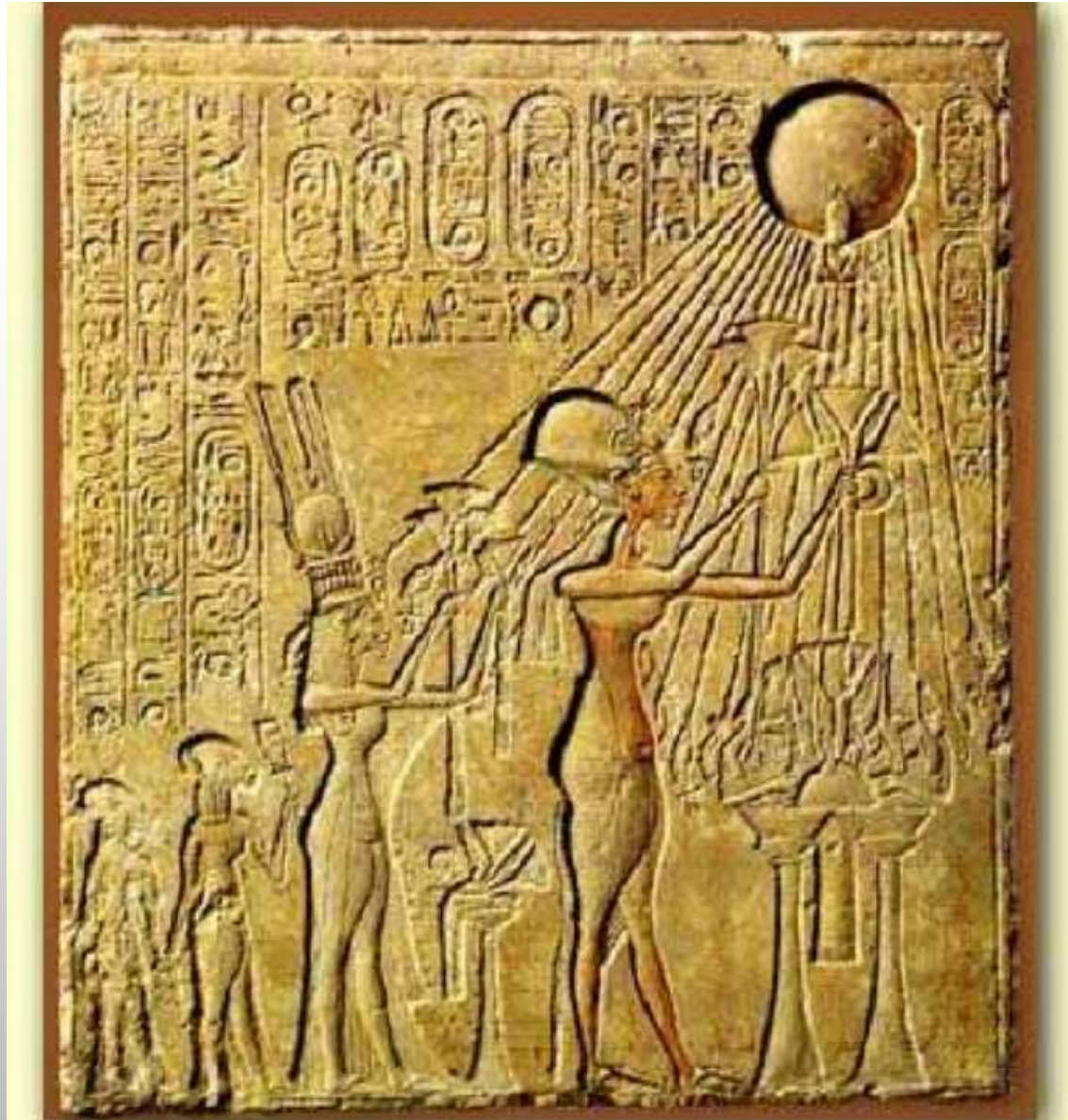
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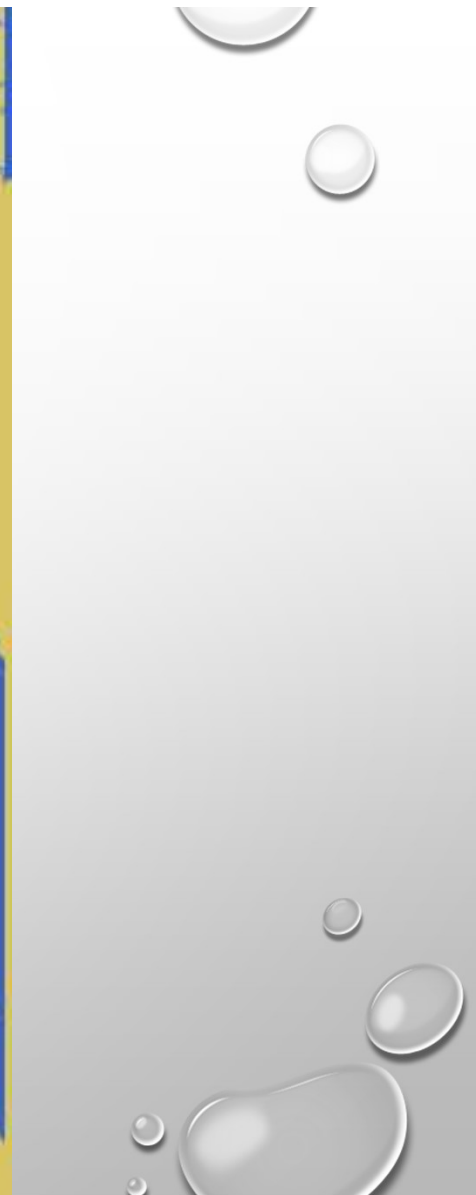
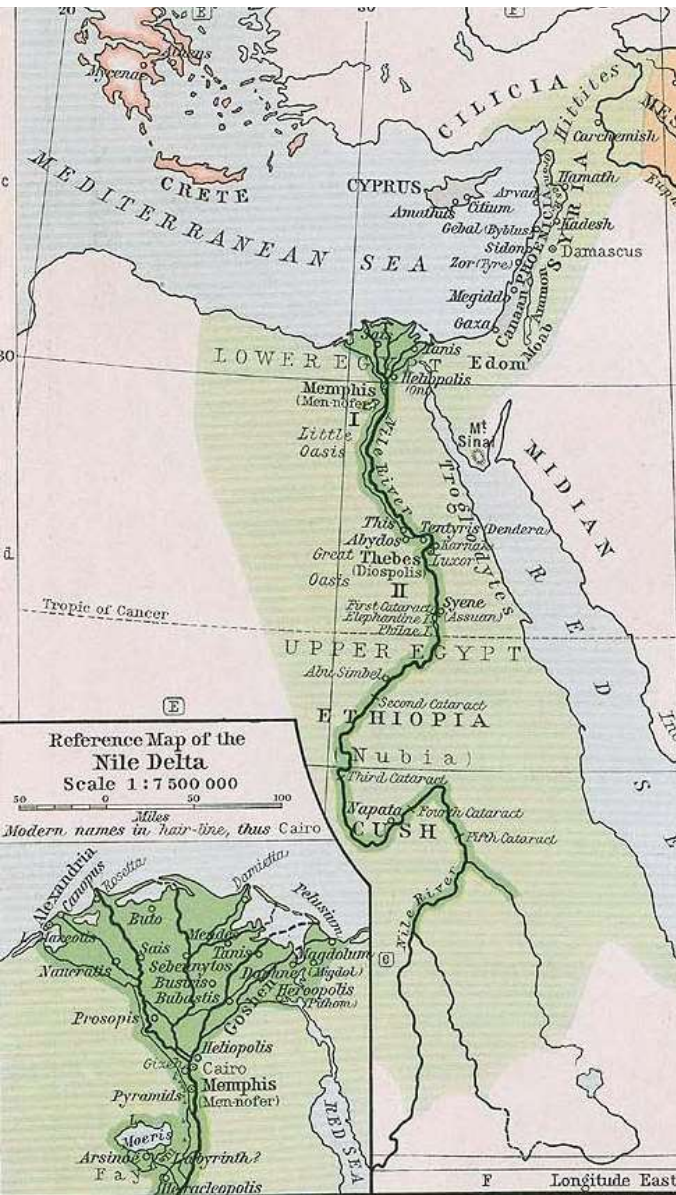
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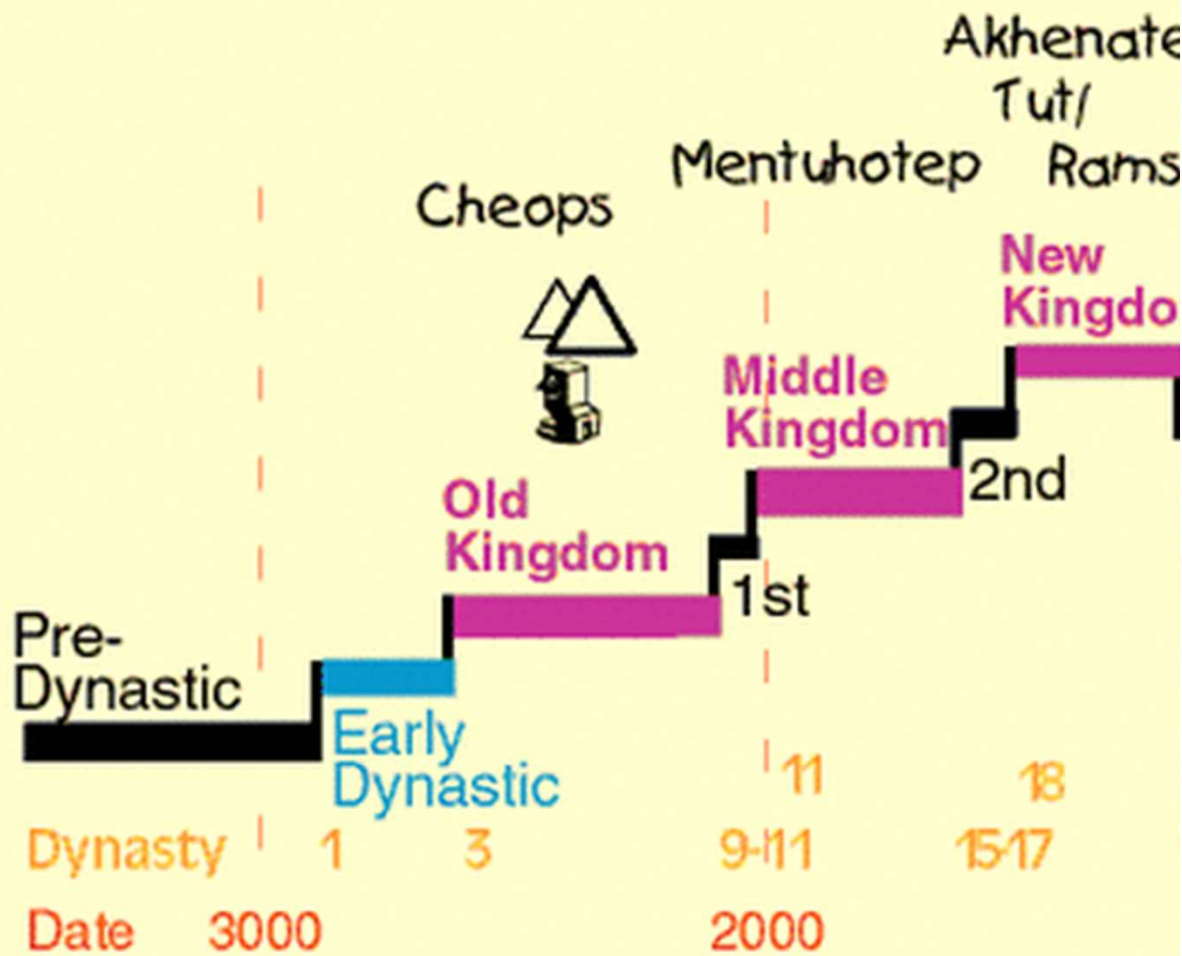
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RAMSES III AND HIS FLEET IN BATTLE WITH THE FLEET OF THE SEA PEOPLES
COMPARE PLATES 38-41





Egyptian History Timeline



Ptolemy/
Cleopatra

Greek
Roman

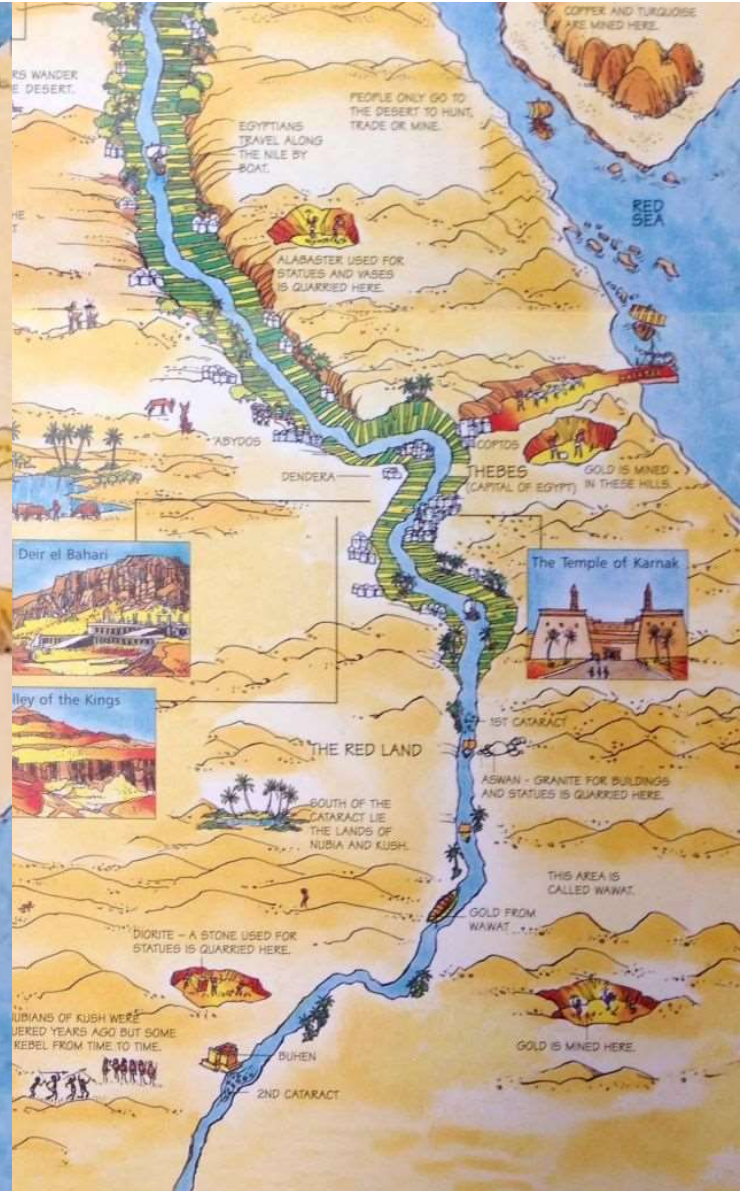
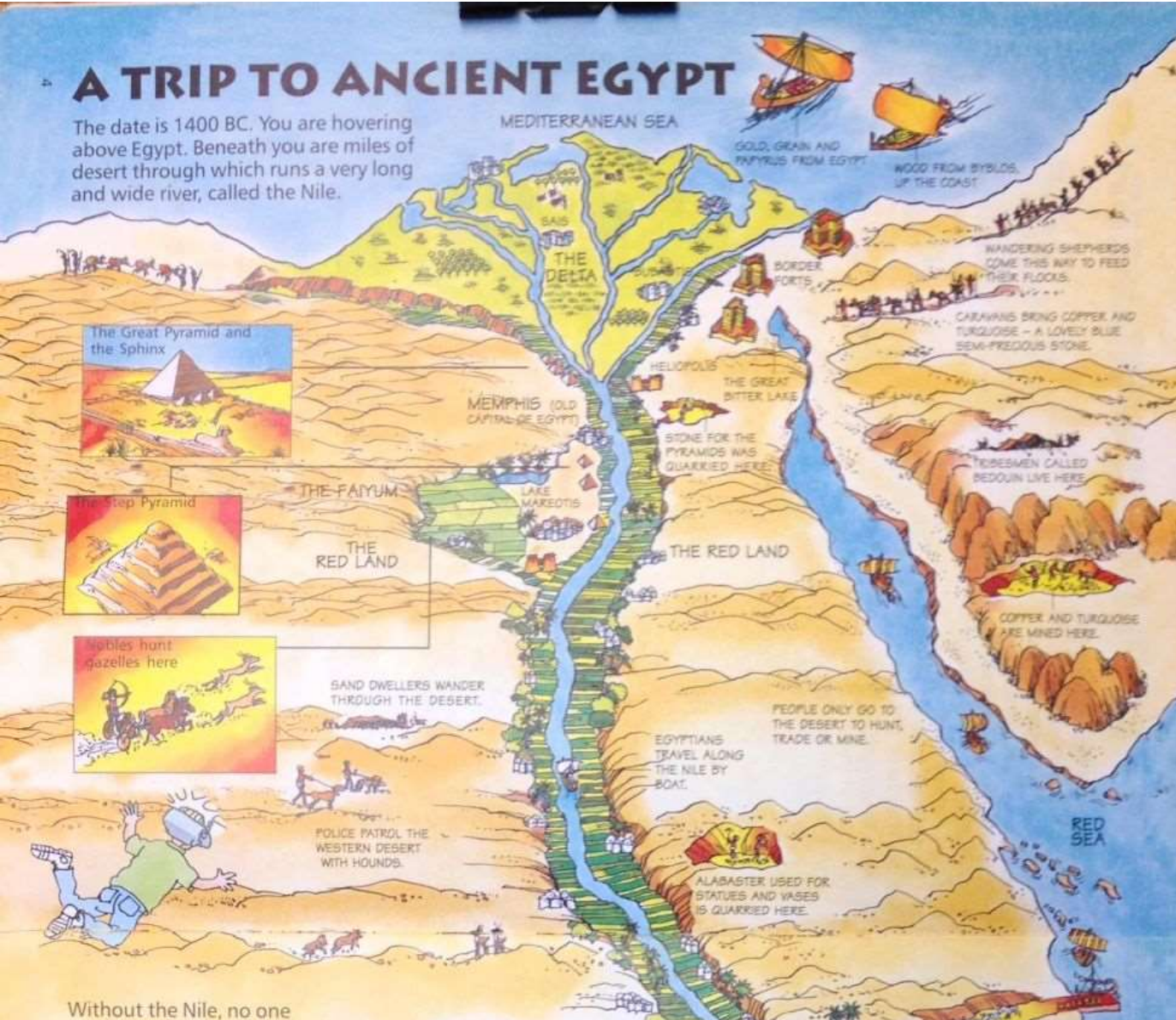
30 BC/AD

EGYPT



A TRIP TO ANCIENT EGYPT

The date is 1400 BC. You are hovering above Egypt. Beneath you are miles of desert through which runs a very long and wide river, called the Nile.



Without the Nile, no one

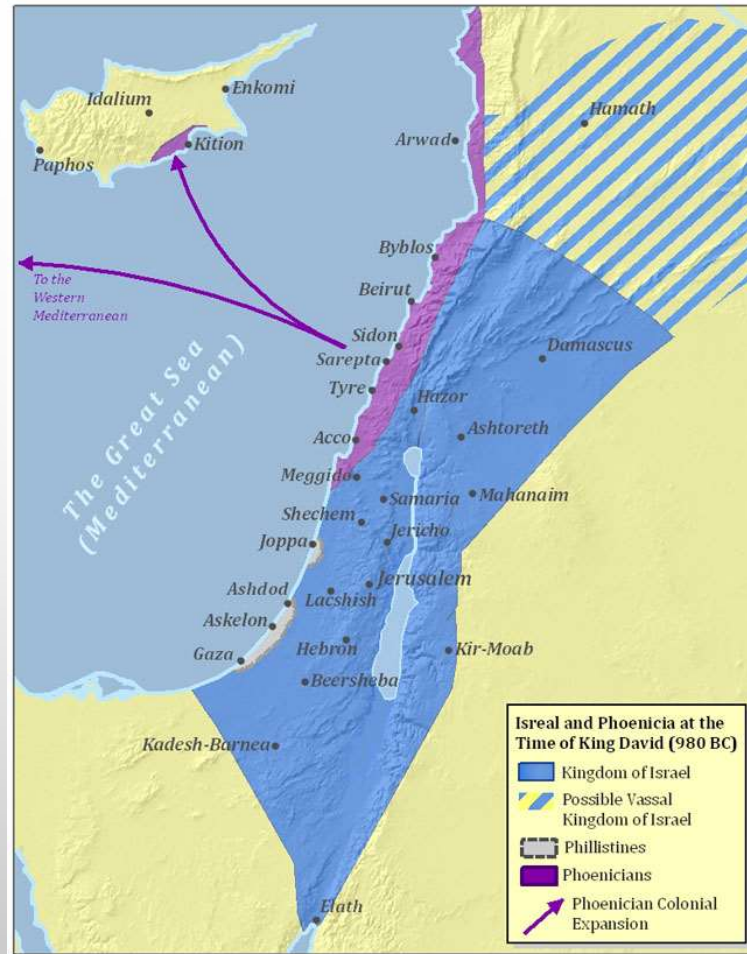


I. HEBREWS

1024-1000 REIGN OF SAUL, ISRAEL'S FIRST KING

1000-961 CREATION OF A UNIFIED MONARCHY UNDER DAVID
MILITARY EXPANSION NORTH

961-922 REIGN OF SOLOMON: CONSTRUCTION OF THE FIRST
TEMPLE



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I. IMPERIAL AFTERMATH & CAPTIVITY

- 586 THE KINGDOM OF JUDAH DEFEATED BY THE BABYLONIANS
- 586-538 BABYLONIAN CAPTIVITY
 - RISE OF THE PROPHETS
 - 1. SERIOUSNESS OF COVENANT WITH GOD
 - 2. OBLIGATION OF GOD'S PEOPLE TO TREAT EACH OTHER JUSTLY
 - YHWH BECOMES UNIVERSALIZED
 - GOD WAS SHAPING ALL EVENTS FOR DIVINE PURPOSES
 - CREATION OF THE TORAH.

