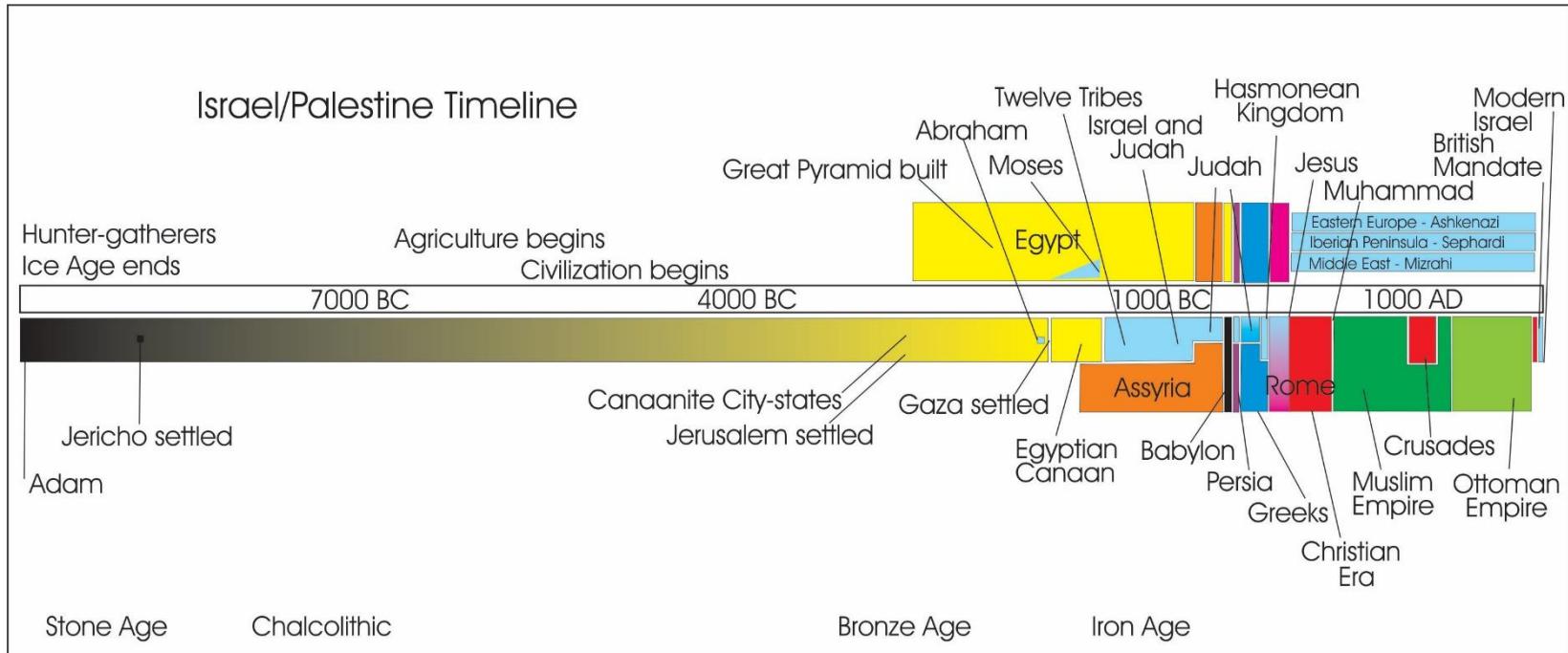


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# Geopolitics



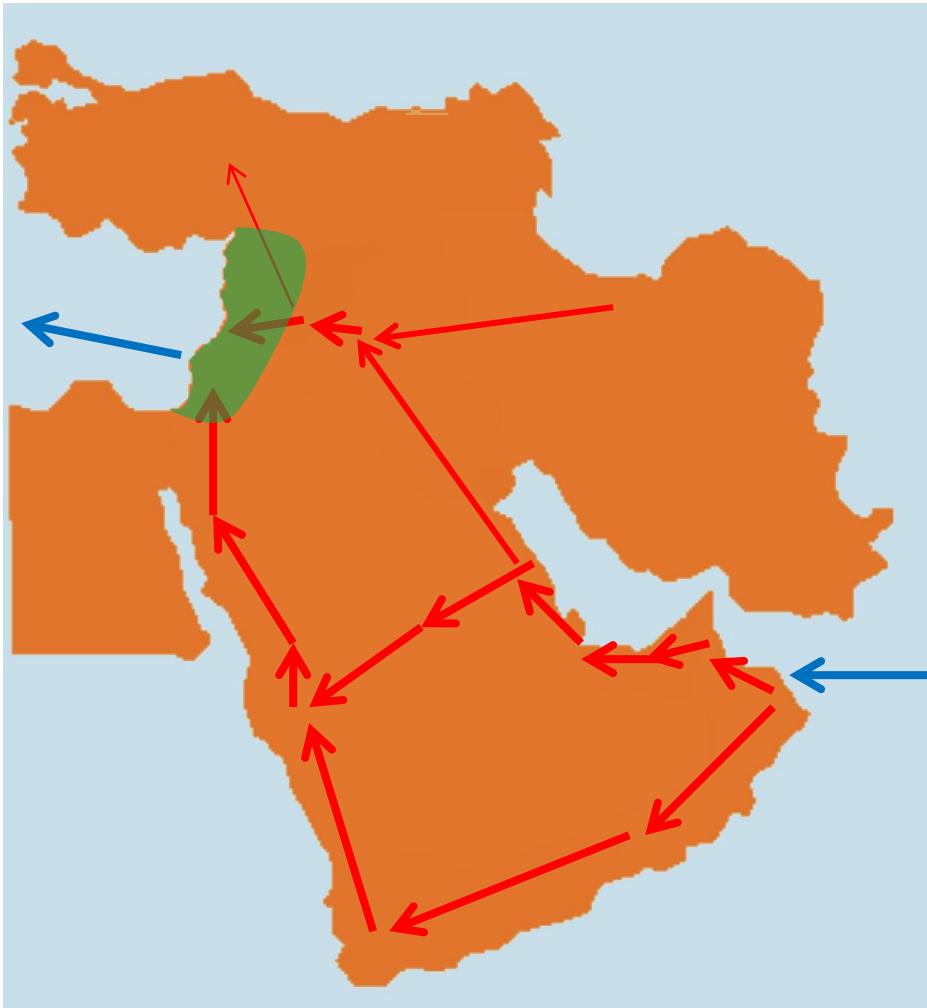
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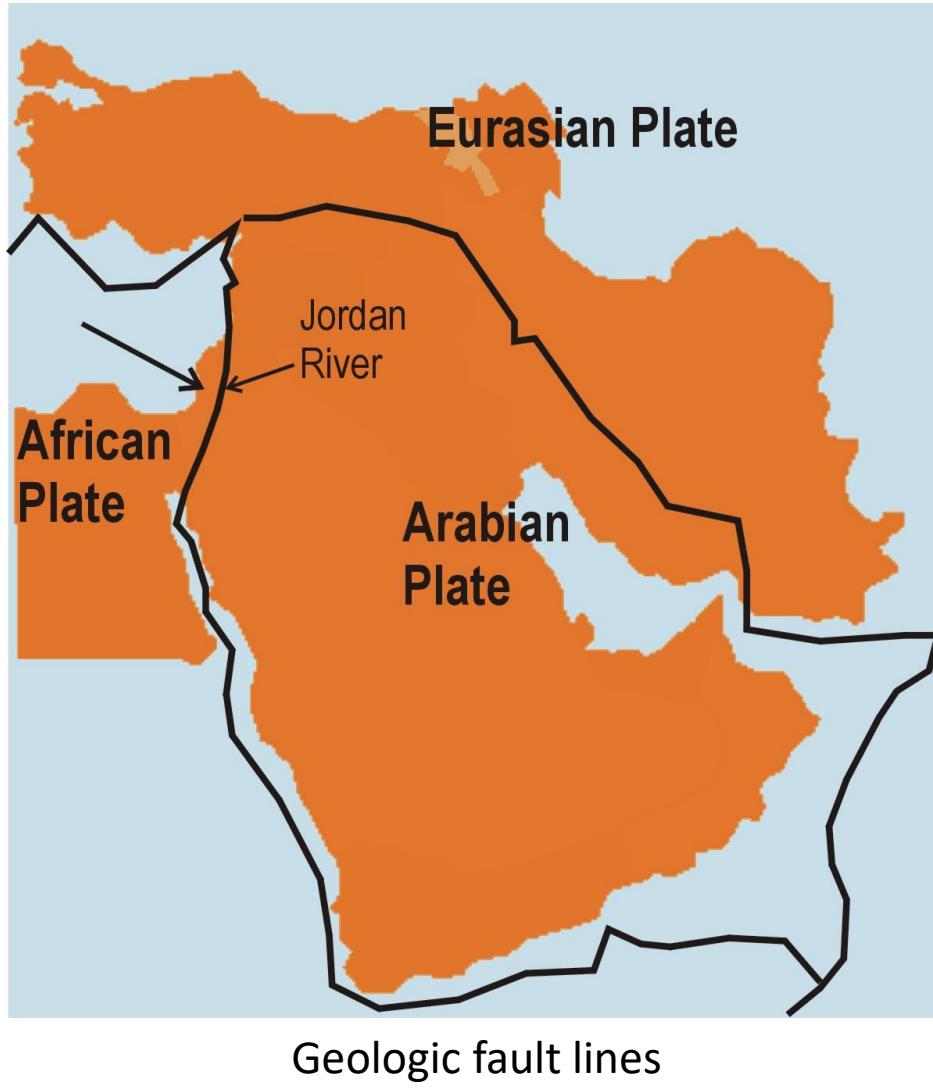
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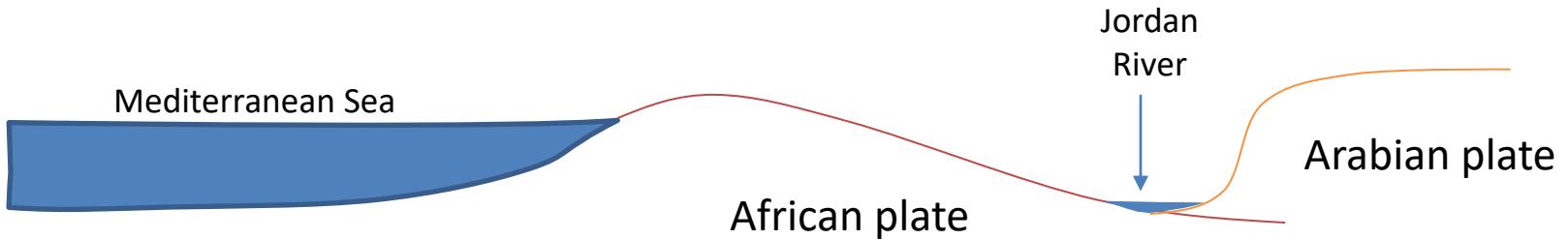


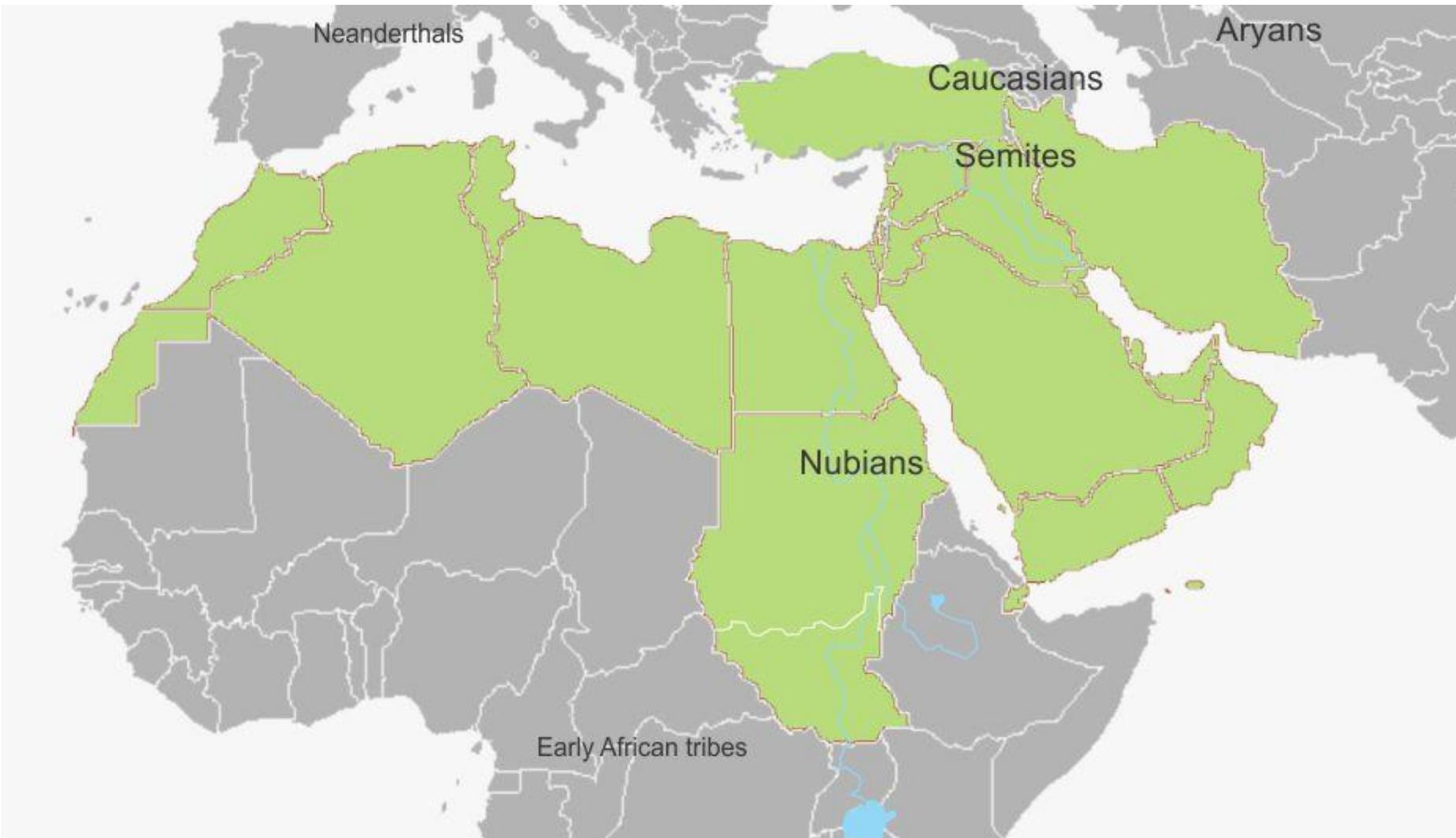
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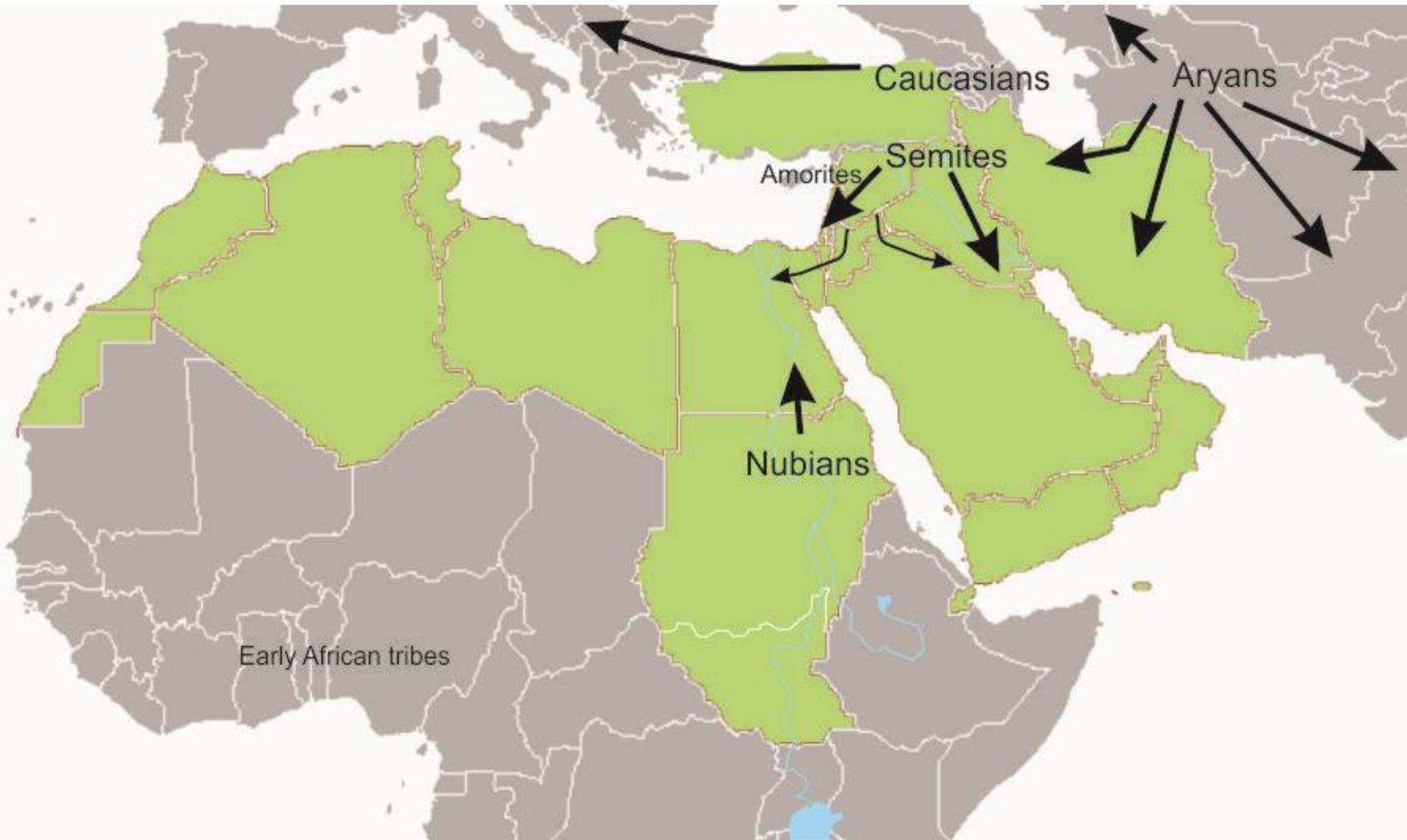
Caravan trade



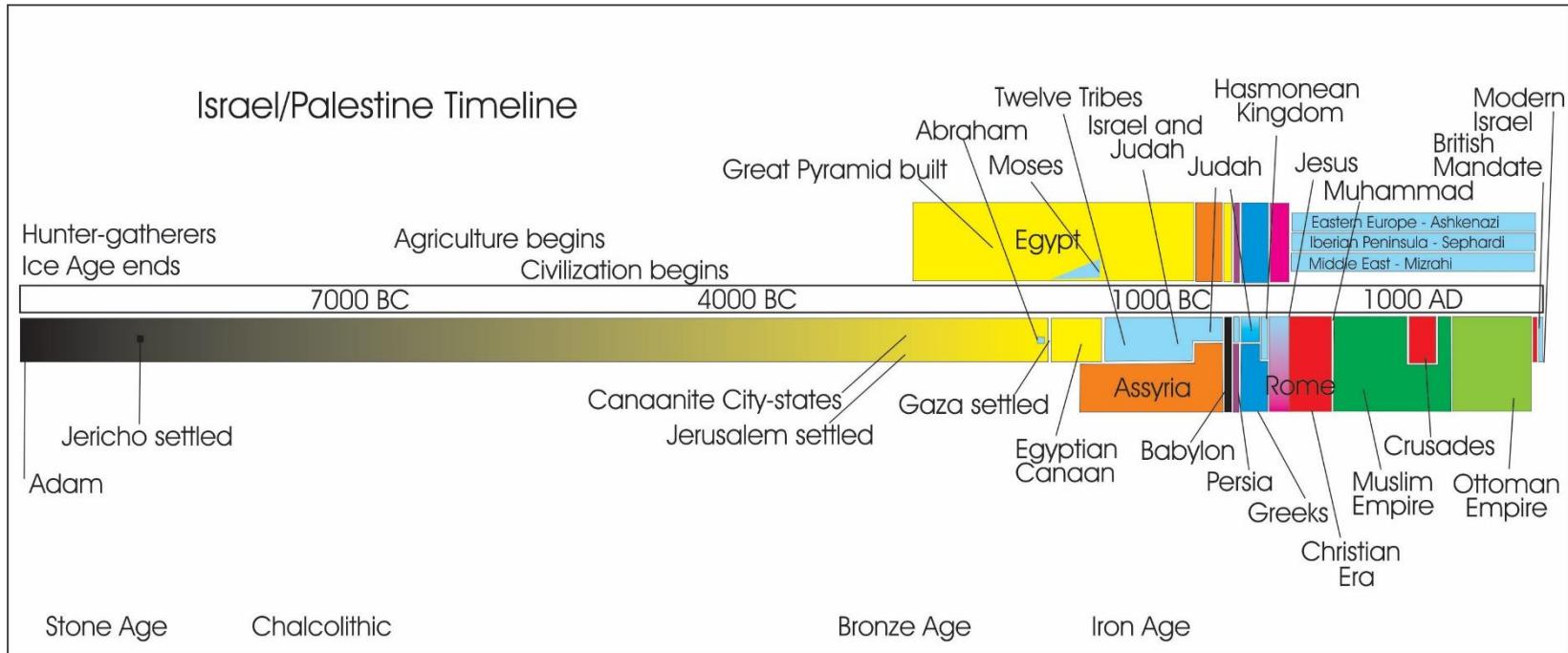




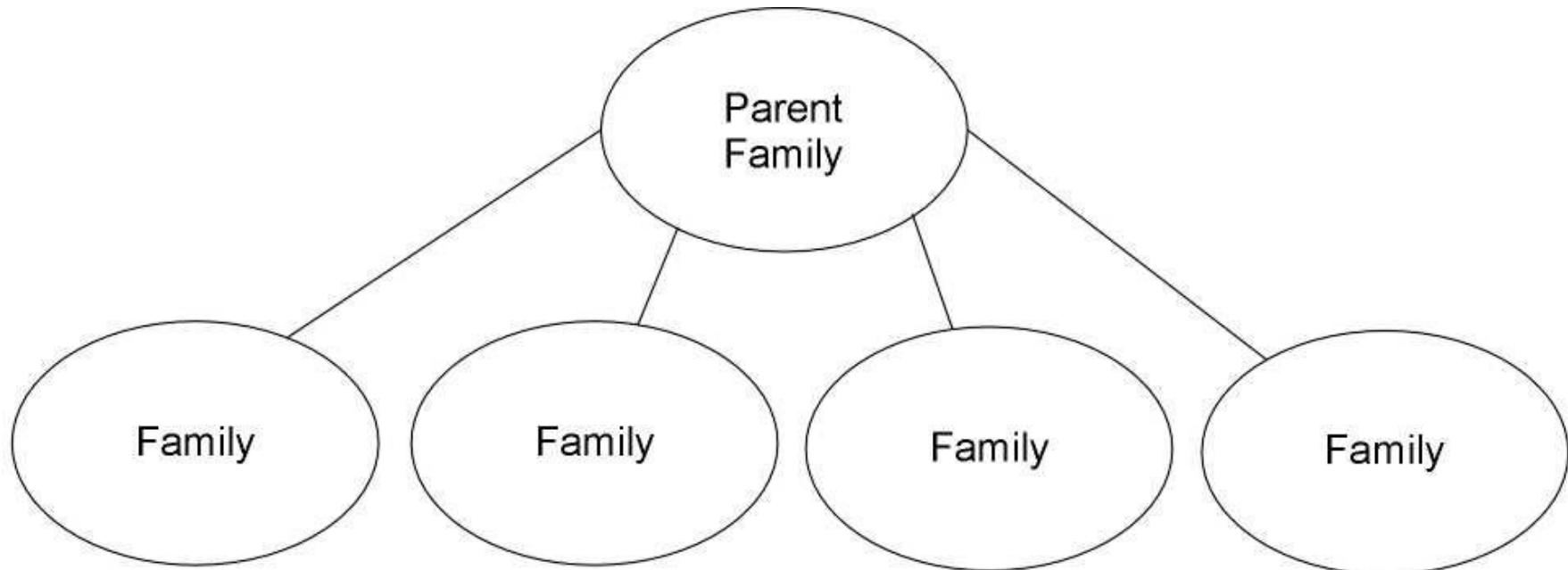
The Ice Epoch (30,000 BC - 13,000 BC)



Expansion after the Ice Epoch (13,000 BC)



Clans, Tribes, Nations



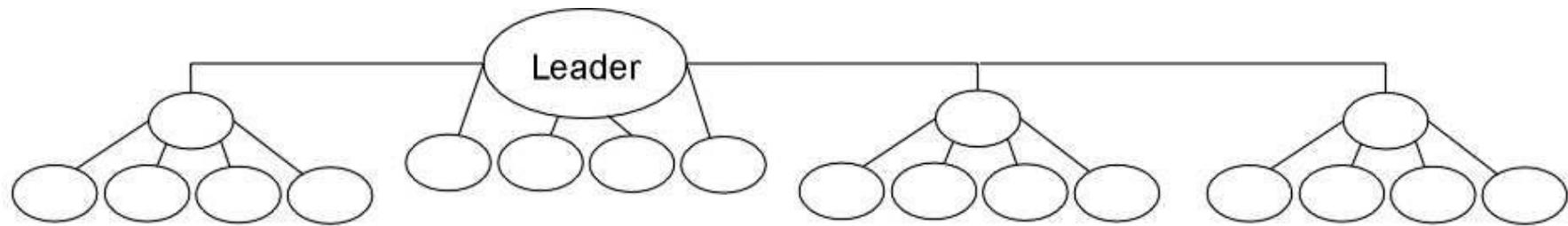
Family:

Paternal leadership

All living

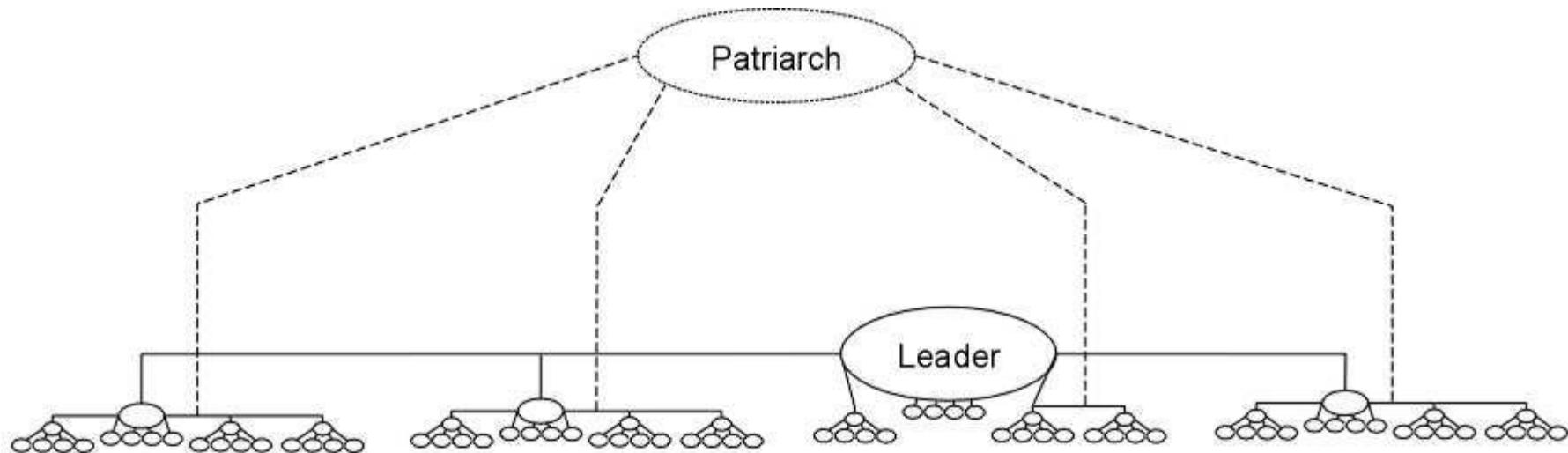
Less than 100 people

Often common skills: herders, farmers, craftsmen



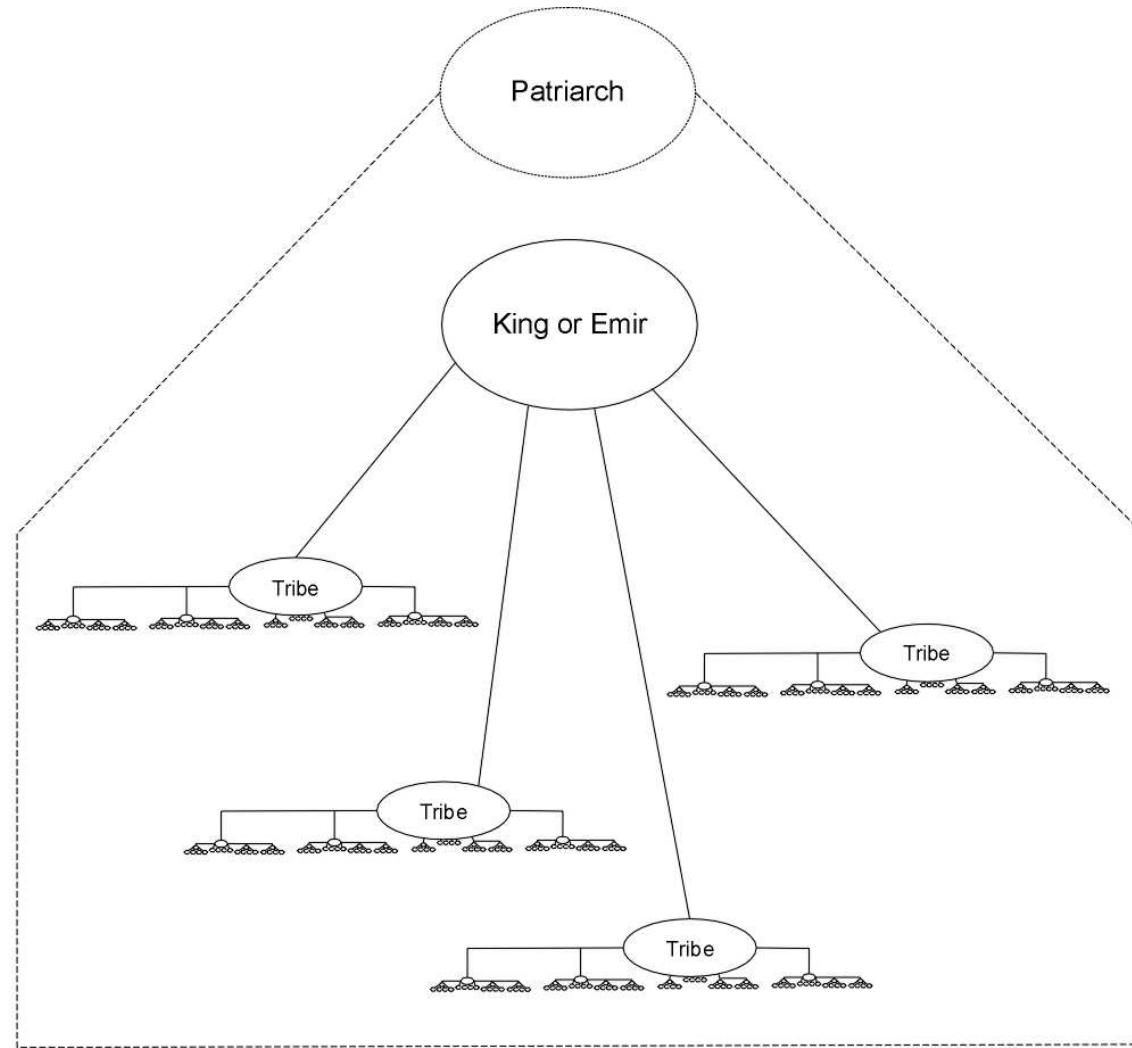
**Clan:**

Selected leadership  
Several hundred or more people  
Herders, farmers, craftsmen, raiders



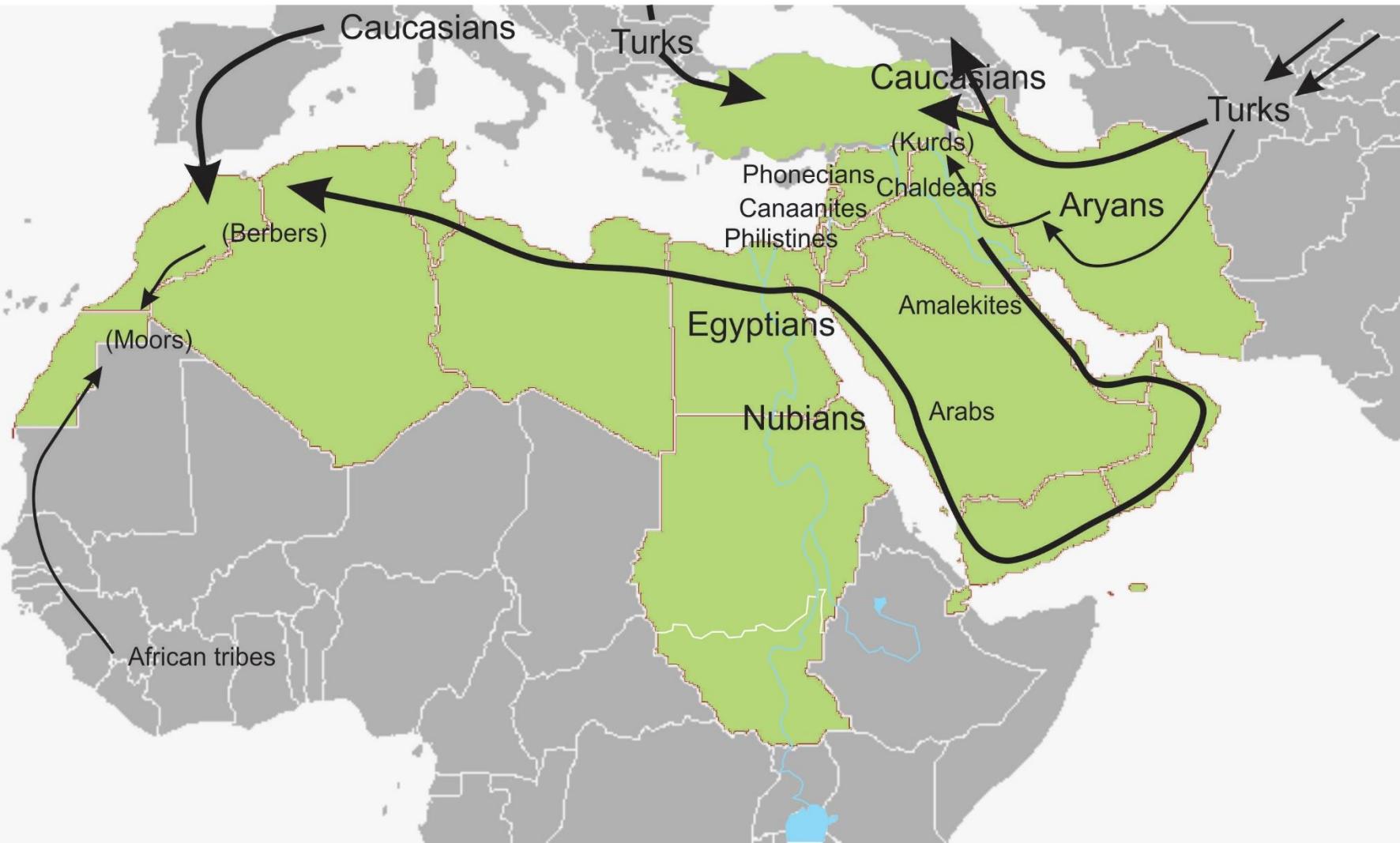
**Tribe:**

- Common ancestral patriarch
- Selected leadership
- Several thousand people, or more
- Territorial, with permanent villages



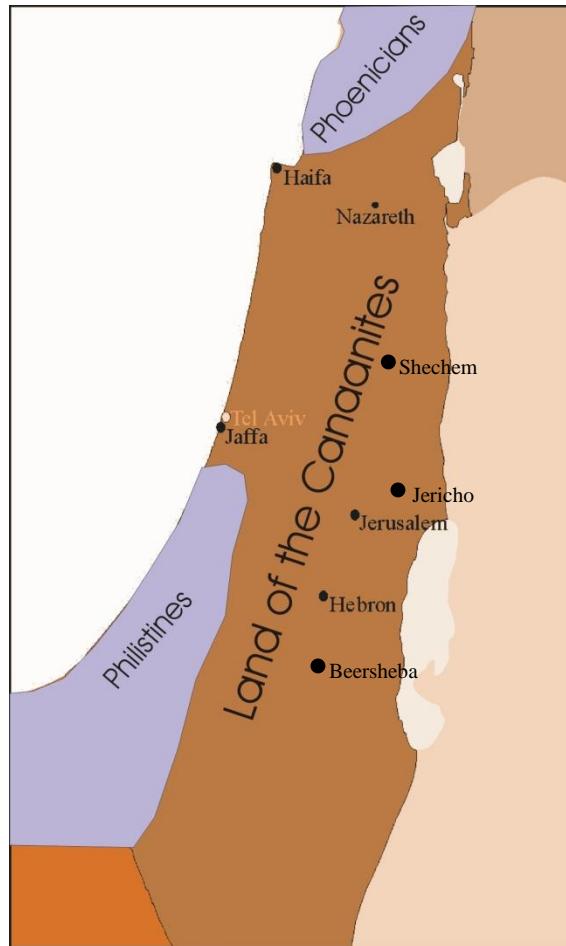
**Nation:**

- Common ancestral patriarch
- Hereditary King
- Tens of thousands of people
- Territorial, with a capital
- Class-based hierarchy, may include slaves
- Tribute-based taxation
- Laws, armies



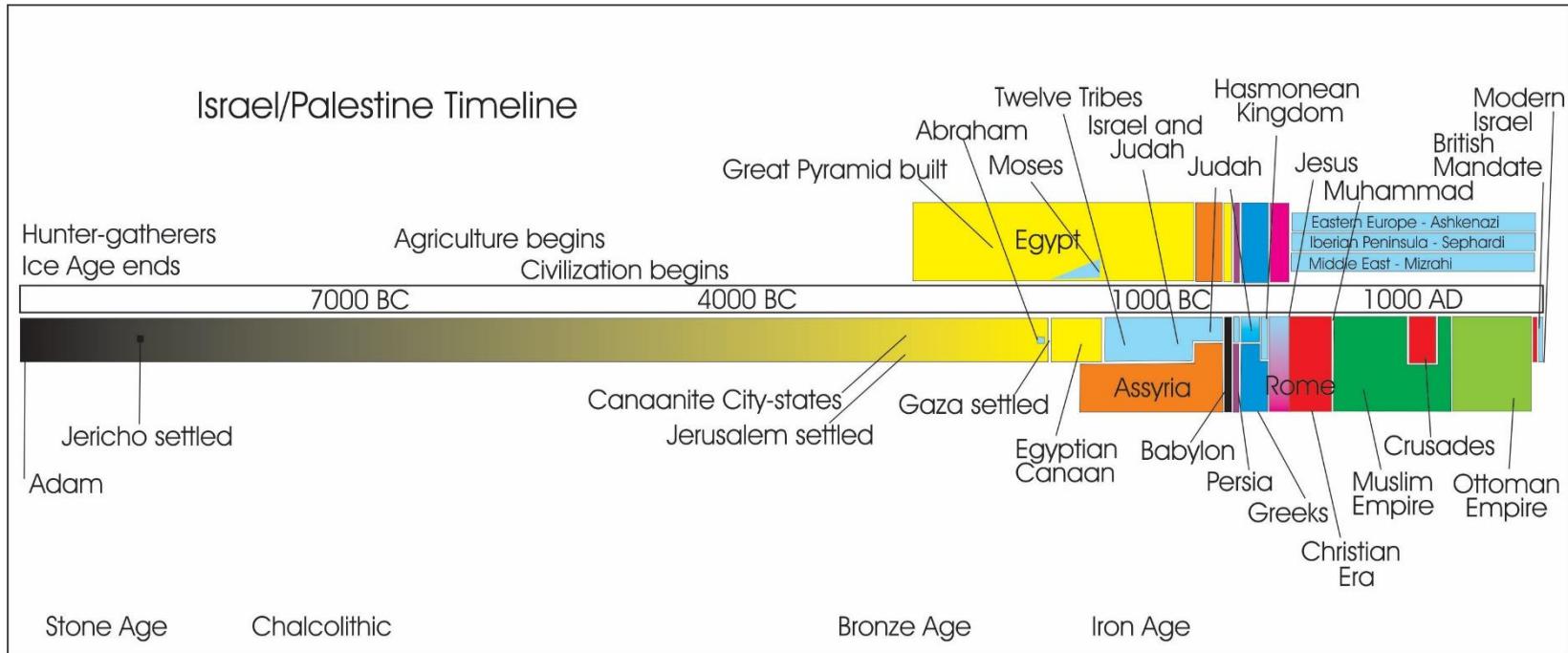
Pre-historic migration (12,000 BC – 1,000 AD)

# Canaanites



Canaan at the time of Abraham

Abraham





Abram, cir. 1800 BC



Abram migrates from Ur to Chaldea, to Hebron



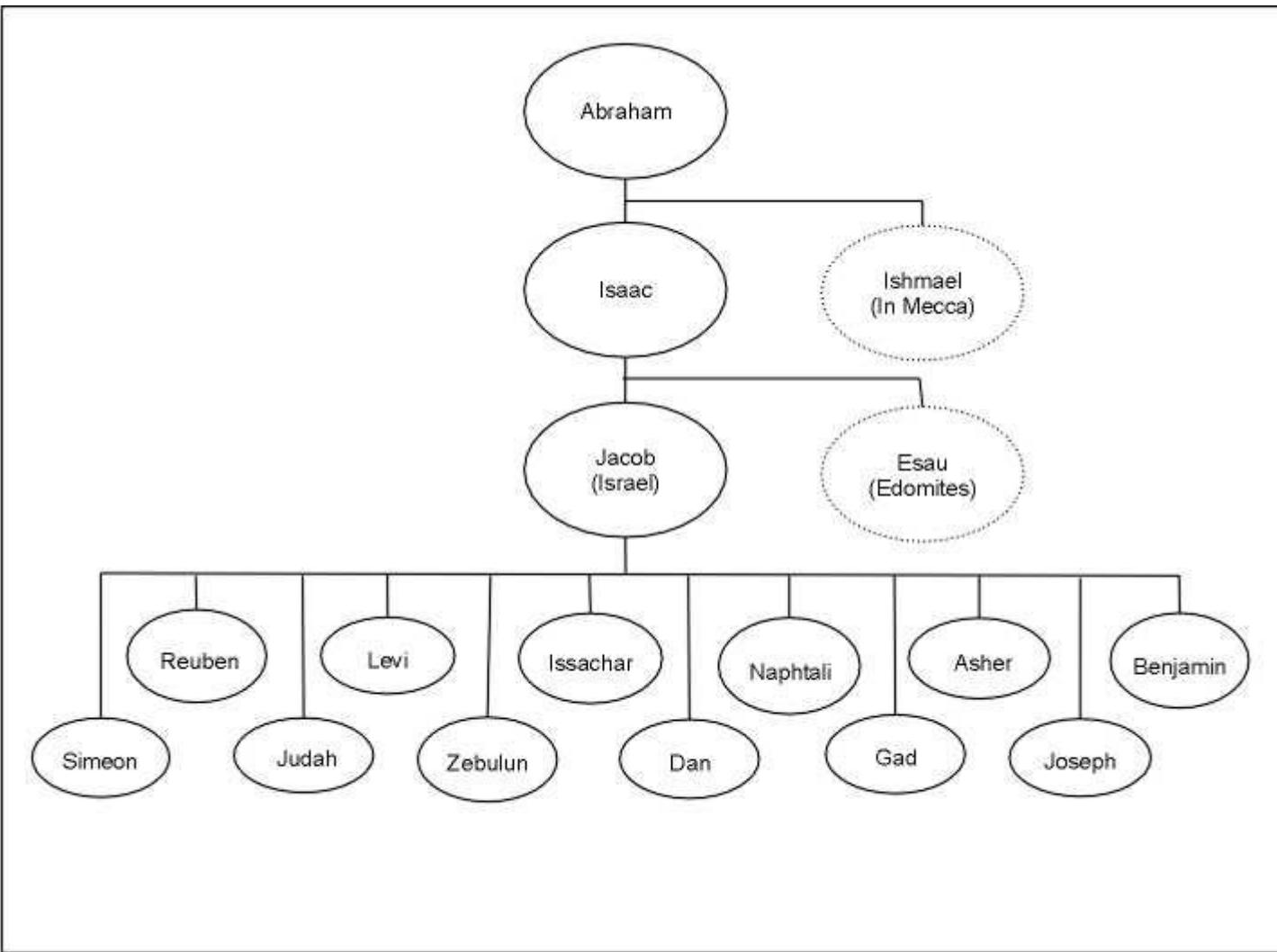
God speaks to Abram,  
by Carolsfeld,



Abram entertains the angels,  
by Rembrandt



Abraham's sacrifice,  
by Rembrandt

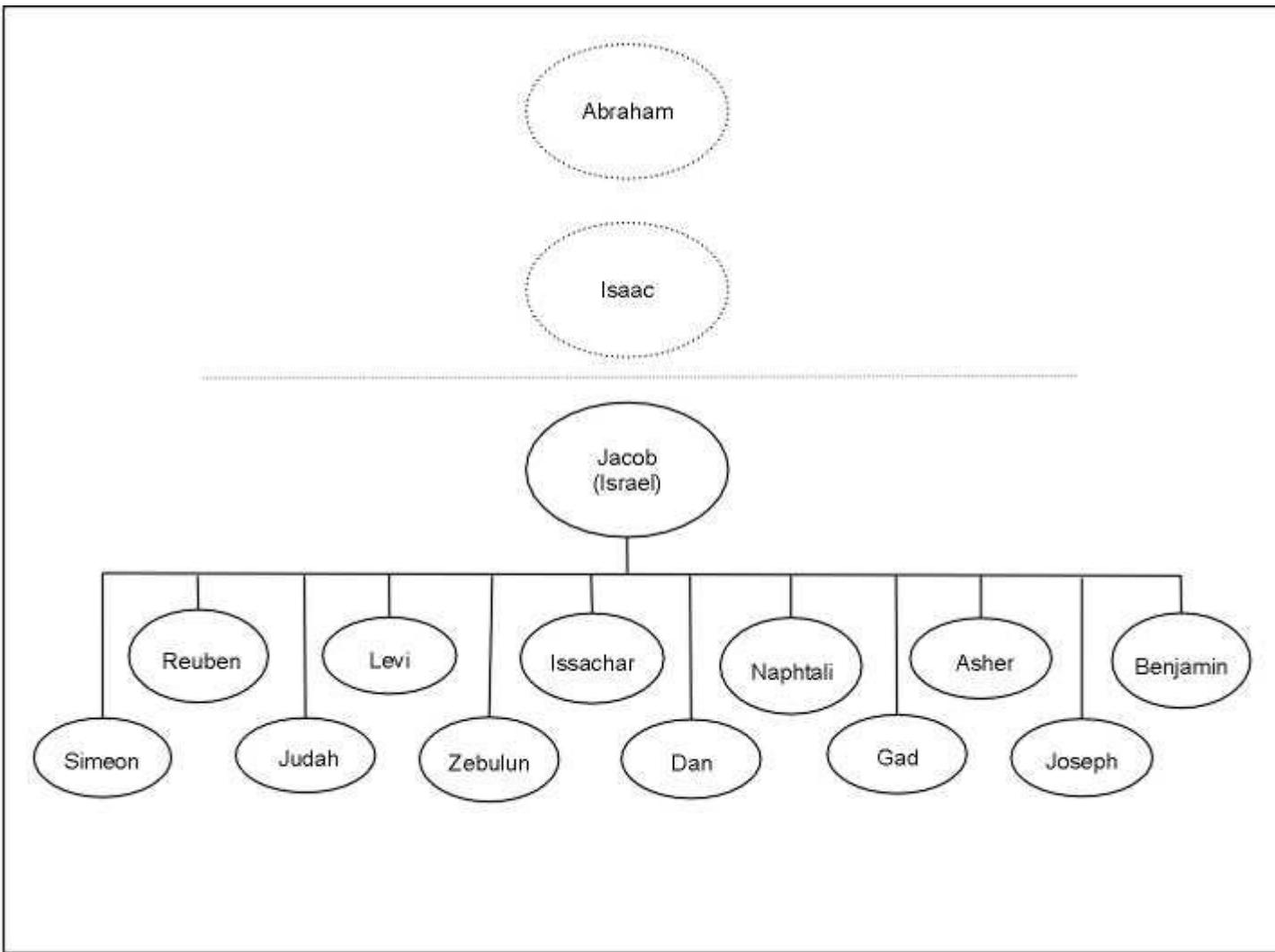


Isaac's family

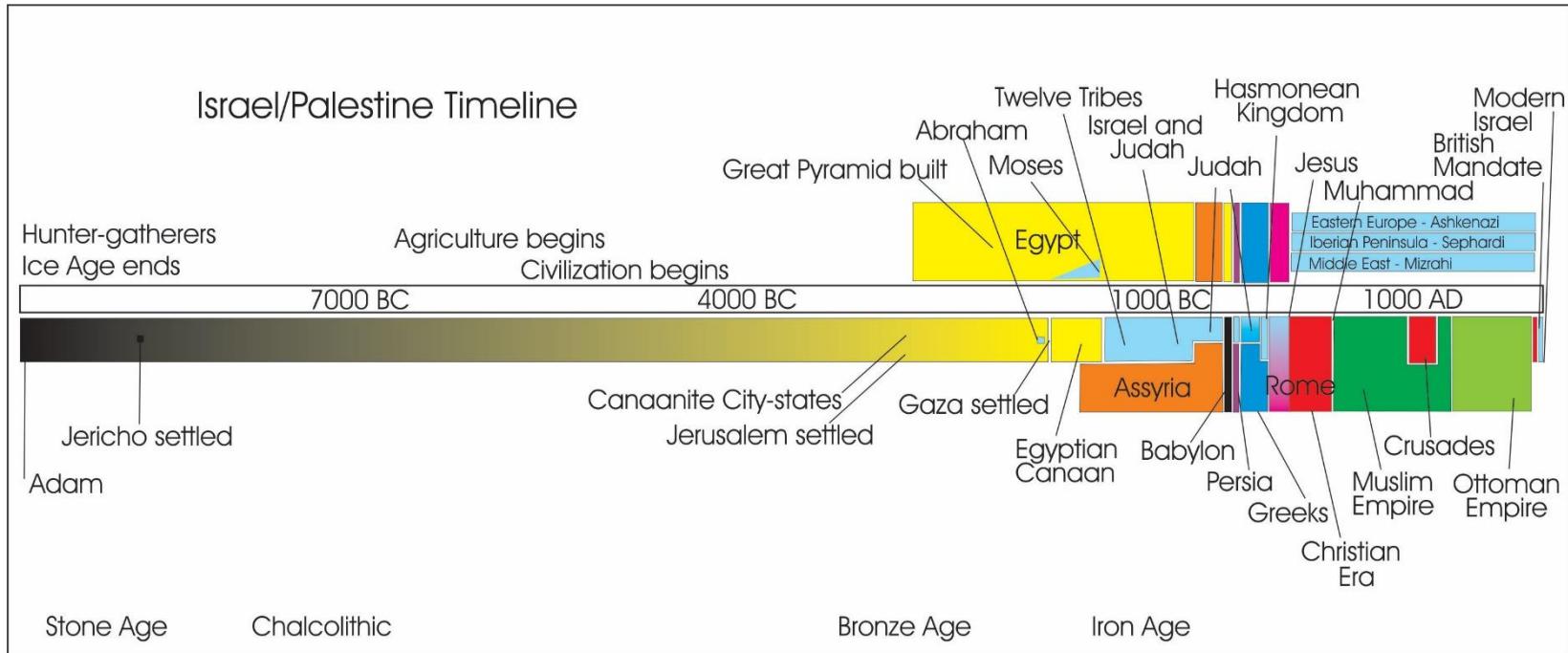
# Egypt



The Great Pyramid, built around 2,800 - 2,500 BC  
(before the Israelites came to Egypt).



Israel's family moves to Egypt to escape a drought in Canaan, about 1800 BC or 2400 BC.



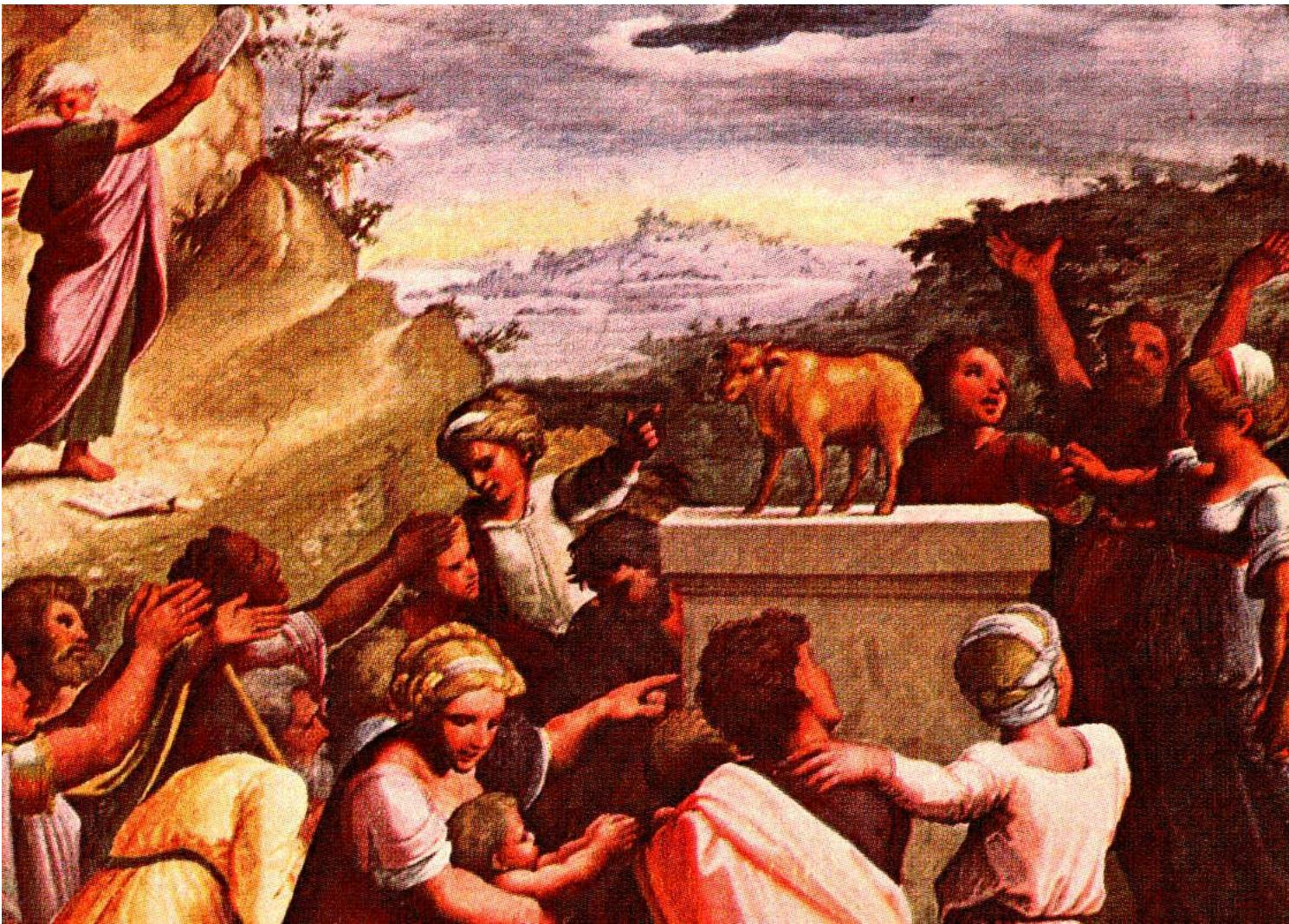


Goshen

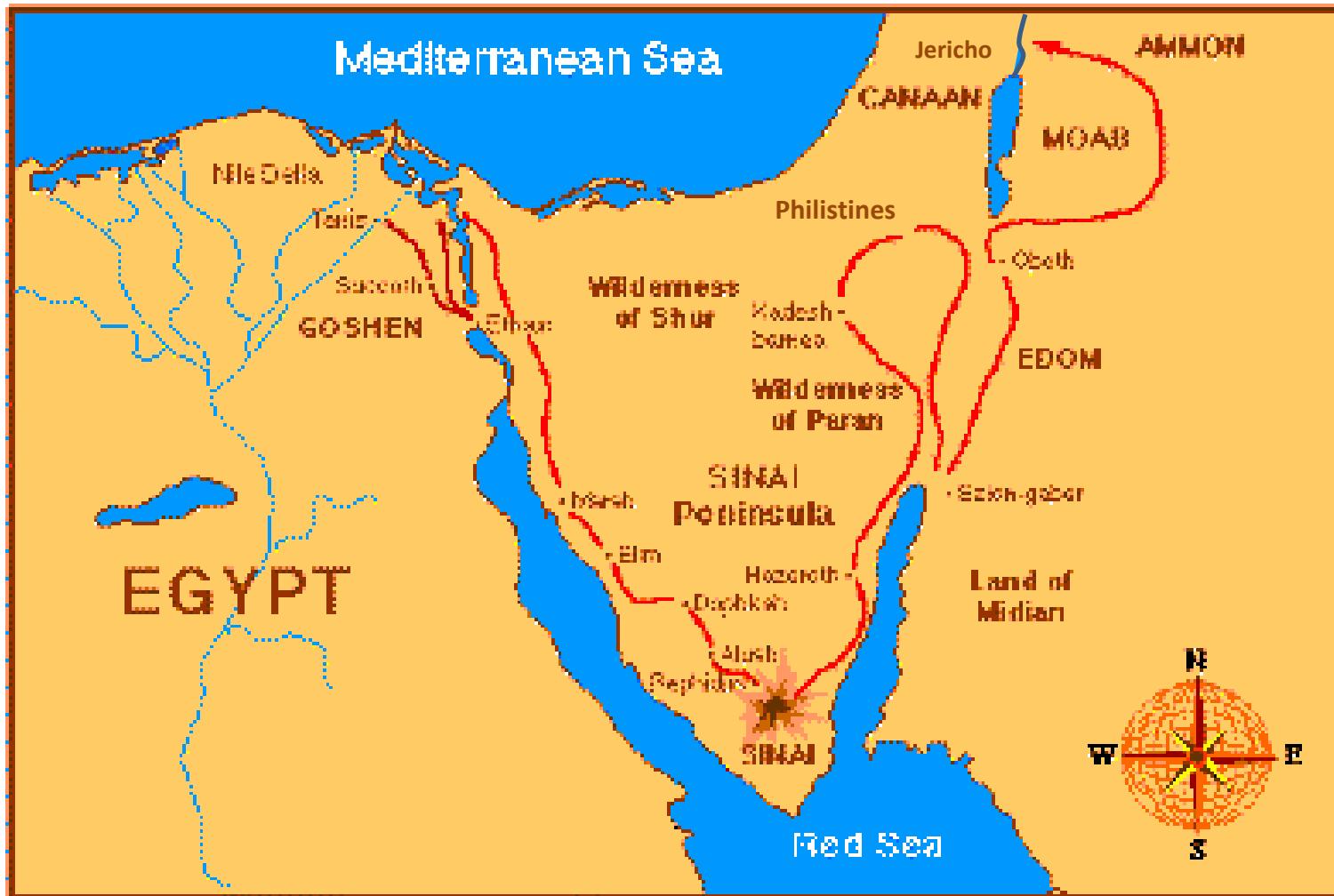
# Exodus



Moses' Exodus from Egypt, cir. 1300 BC



Moses, the Hebrews and the Golden Calf,  
by Rafaello



Route of the Exodus



The Battle of Jericho, the first Canaanite city to fall to the Hebrews.

Israel

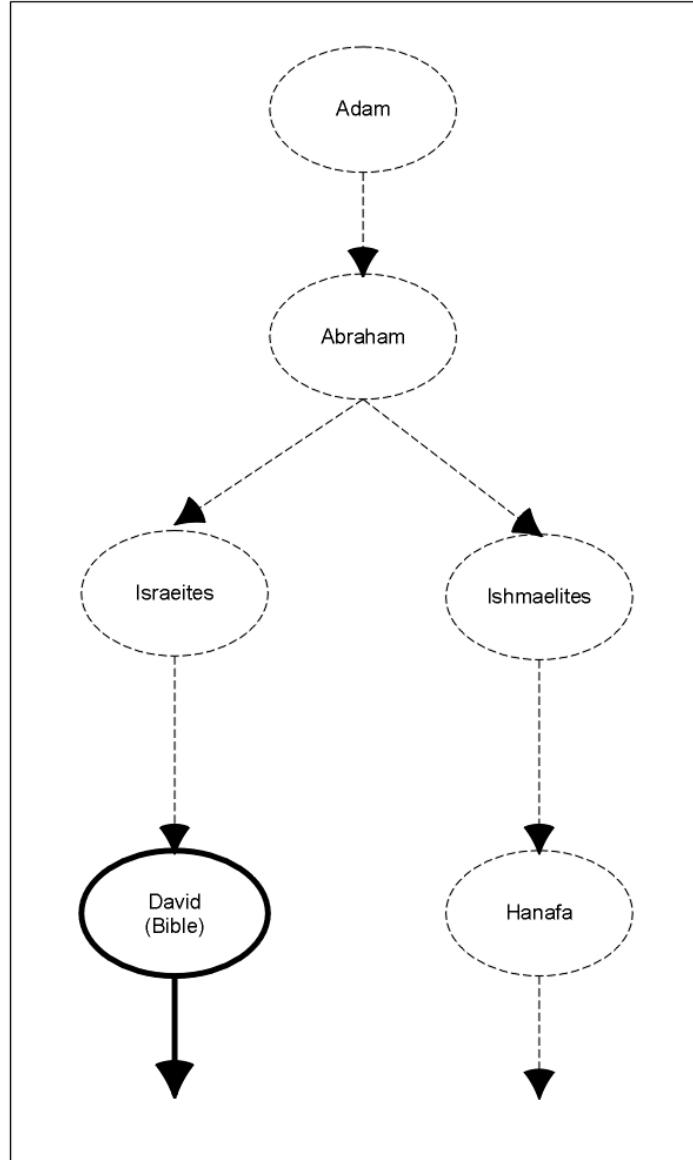


The Hebrew tribes  
After the conquest  
Of Canaan,  
1200 – 1022

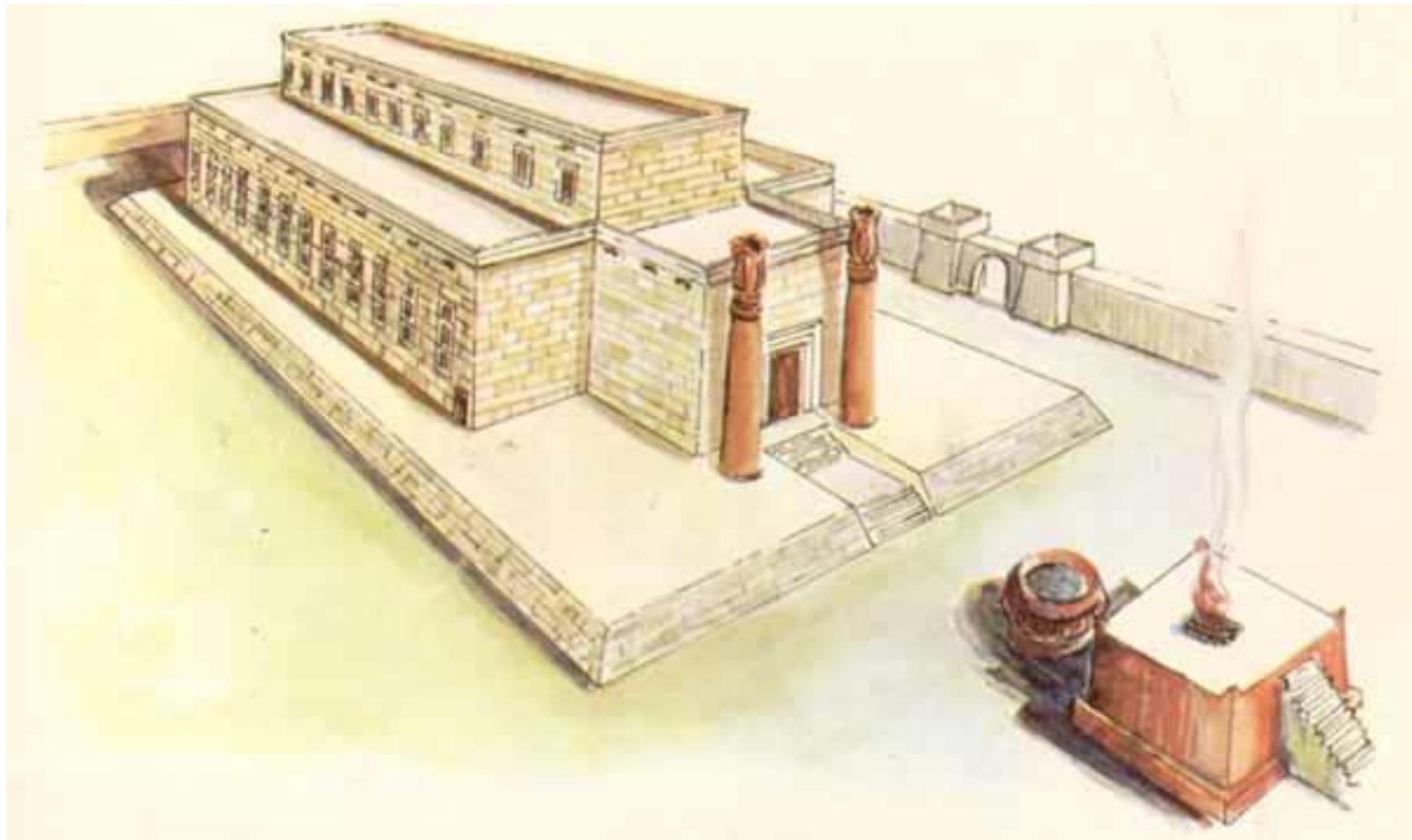
**THE UNITED KINGDOM  
OF ISRAEL**  
Around the time of  
SAUL AND DAVID  
**EDOM** Vassals and defeated peoples



Israel united  
Into a single  
Kingdom under  
Kings Saul, David  
and Solomon,  
1022 – 933 BC.



Written vs.  
oral history



The First Temple, Jerusalem.  
Built 952 BC by King Solomon.  
Destroyed 586 BC by Nebuchadnezzar.



The two  
Kingdoms,  
after Solomon,  
until the  
Assyrian  
conquest,  
933 – 722 BC.

# The Empires



The Assyrian Empire, 934 – 609 BC

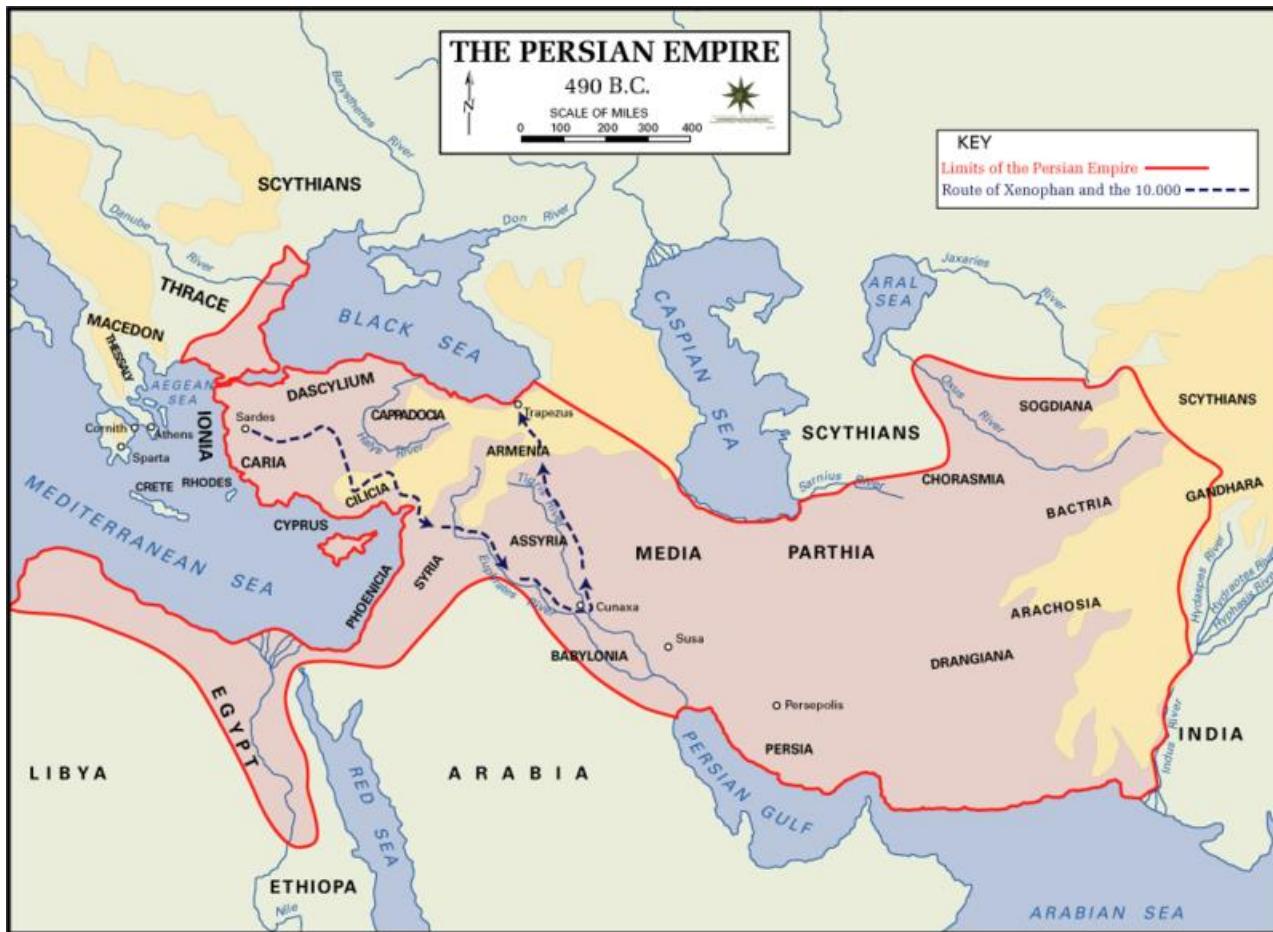


722 BC, the Assyrians named the conquered North “Samaria,” and exchanged populations.

The Kingdom of Judah remained until the Babylonian conquest.  
722 – 586 BC.



The Babylonian Empire, 626 – 539 BC



The Persian Empire, 558 – 330 BC



The Second Temple, Jerusalem.

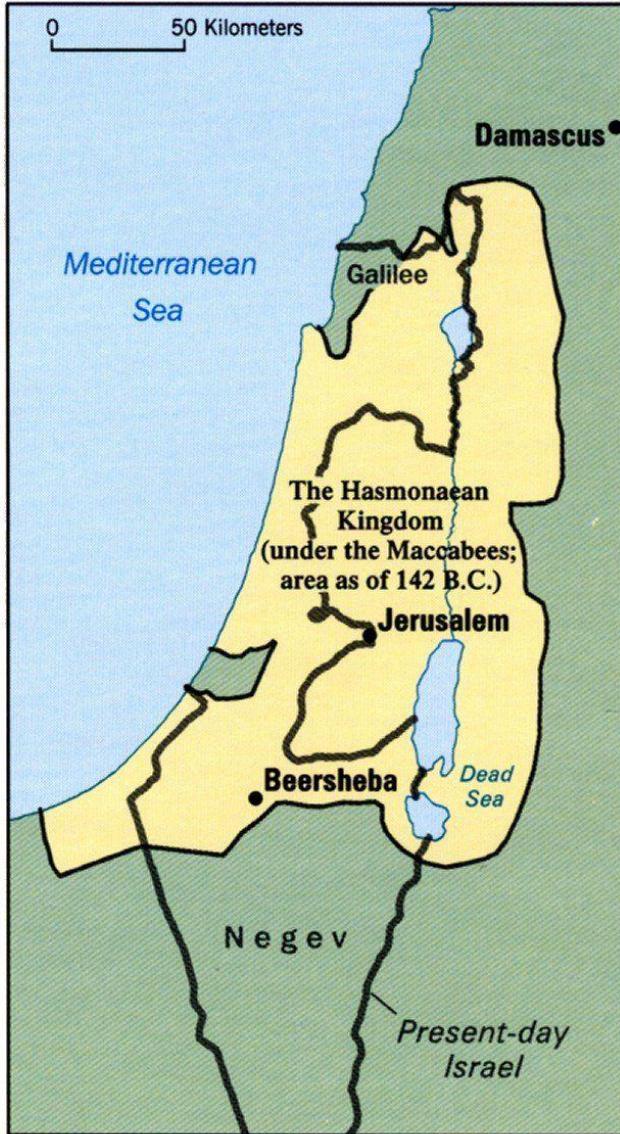
Built 521 – 515 BC by authority of King Cyrus of Persia.

Expanded 23 BC by King Herod the Great.

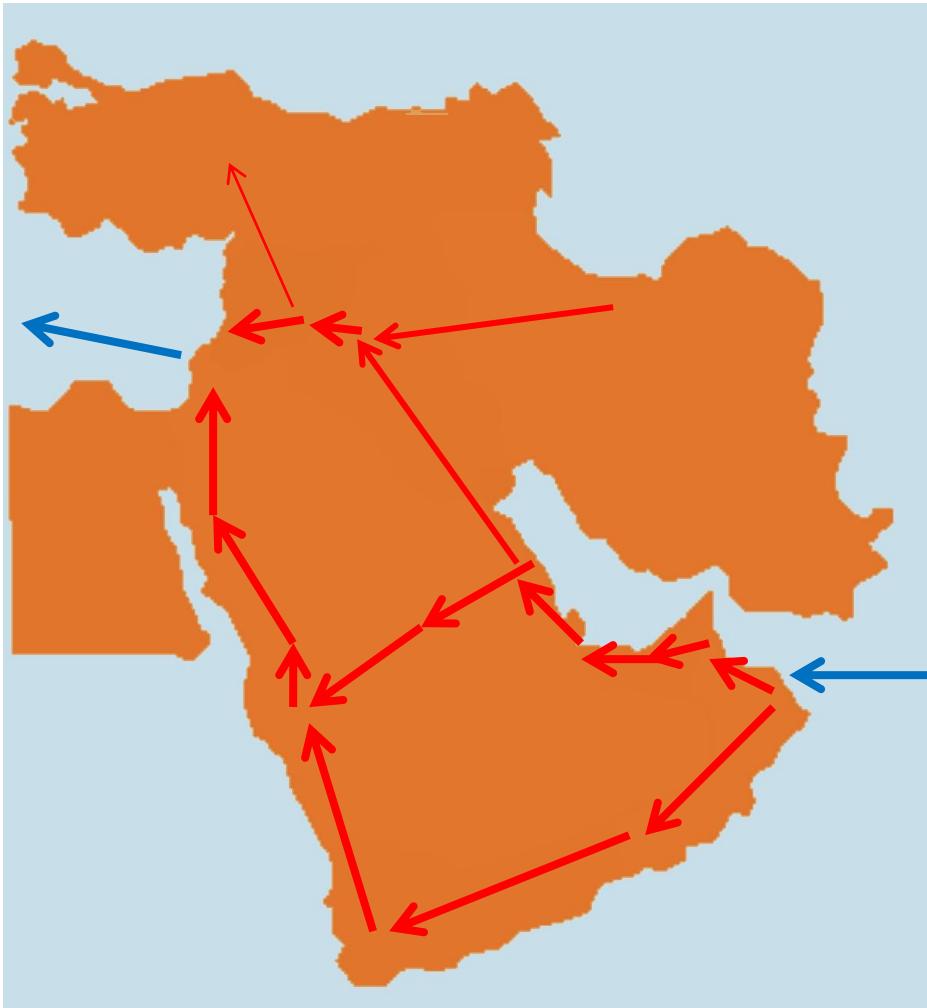
Destroyed 70 AD by the Romans.



The Greek Empire of Alexander The Great, 336 BC  
Greek becomes the language of the educated elite.



Hasmonean  
Kingdom of Israel,  
Between the  
Greek and Roman  
conquests  
152 BC – 63 BC



Caravan trade





The Roman Empire

## Iudaea Province in the First Century



Roman Provinces  
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The Port at Caesarea



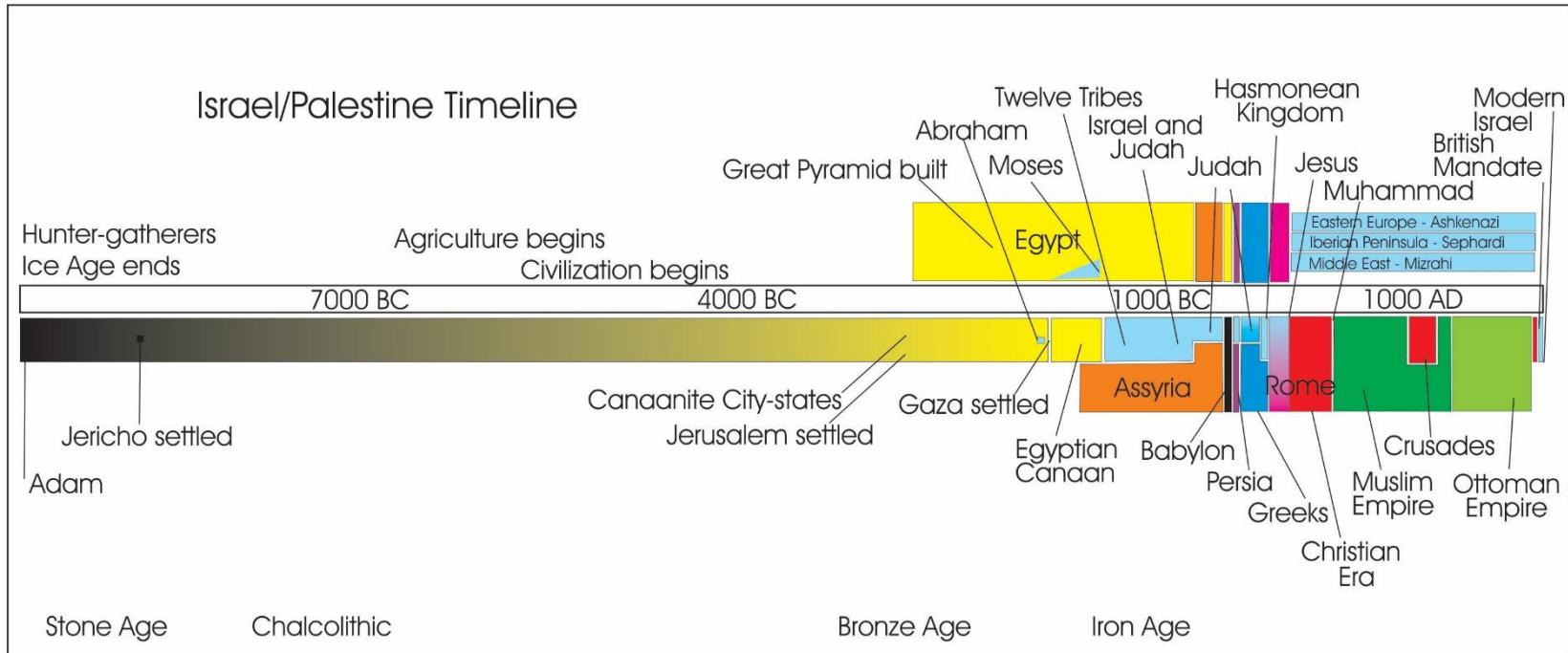
The Coliseum at Caesarea

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# Christian Era





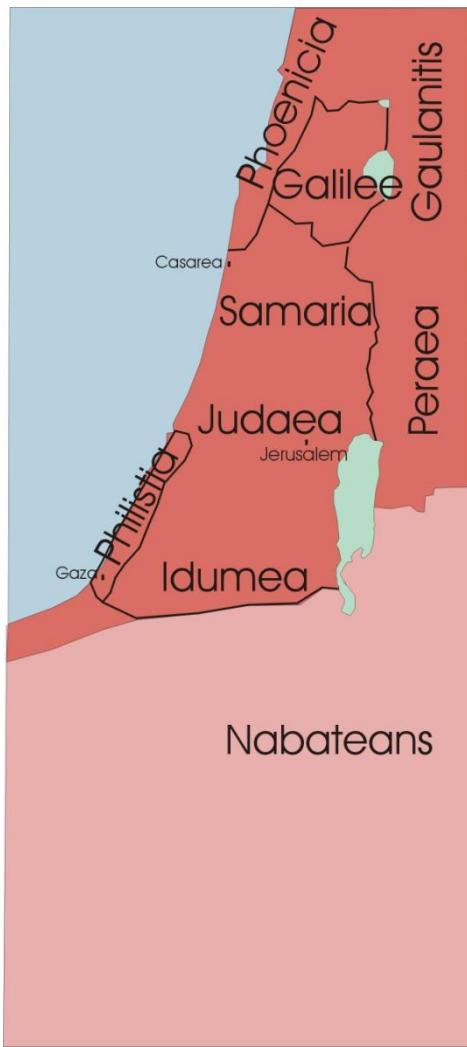
Jesus



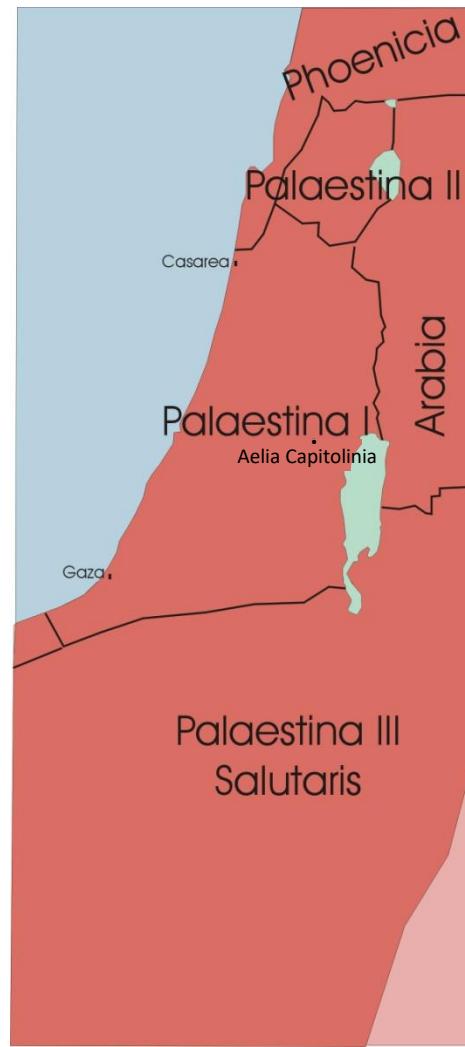
Second temple destroyed



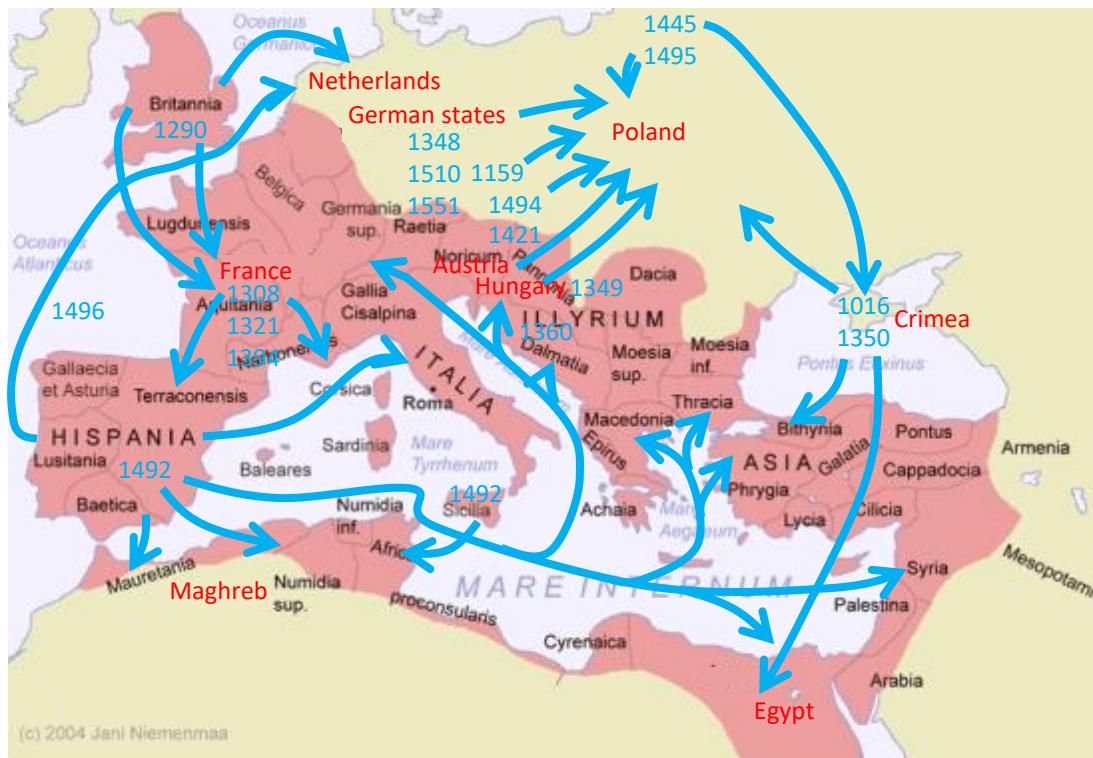
The Diaspora, 135 AD  
The Romans drive the Jews out of Jerusalem  
and Judea after 1,300 years.



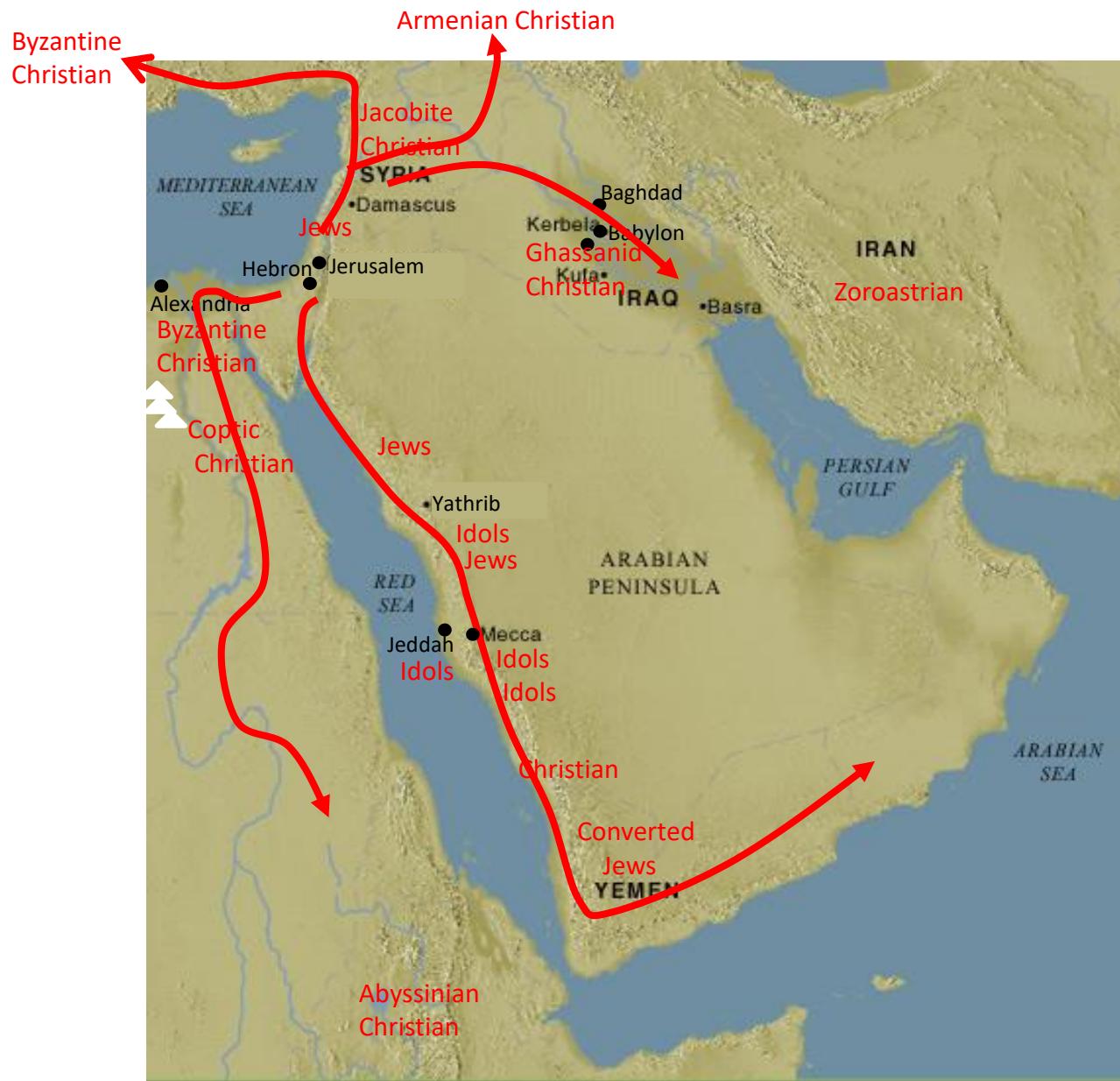
Roman Judea and  
Samaria before 135 AD



Roman and Byzantine  
Palaestina 135 AD –  
636 AD

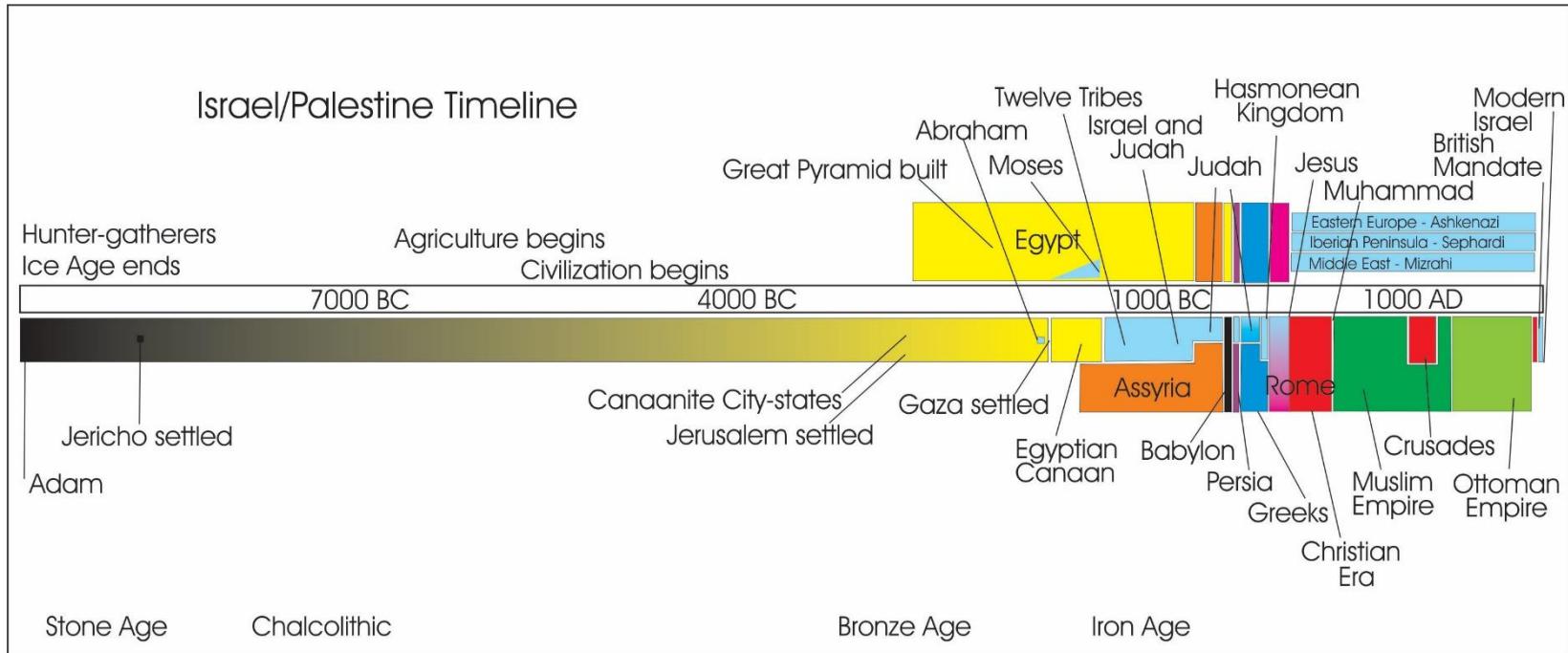


The Diaspora, 1100 -1600  
Europeans expel Jewish populations.



Christian Expansion

# The Muslim Period



Muhammad  
Born 570 AD, into the  
Hashemite clan of the  
Quraish tribe,  
In Mecca

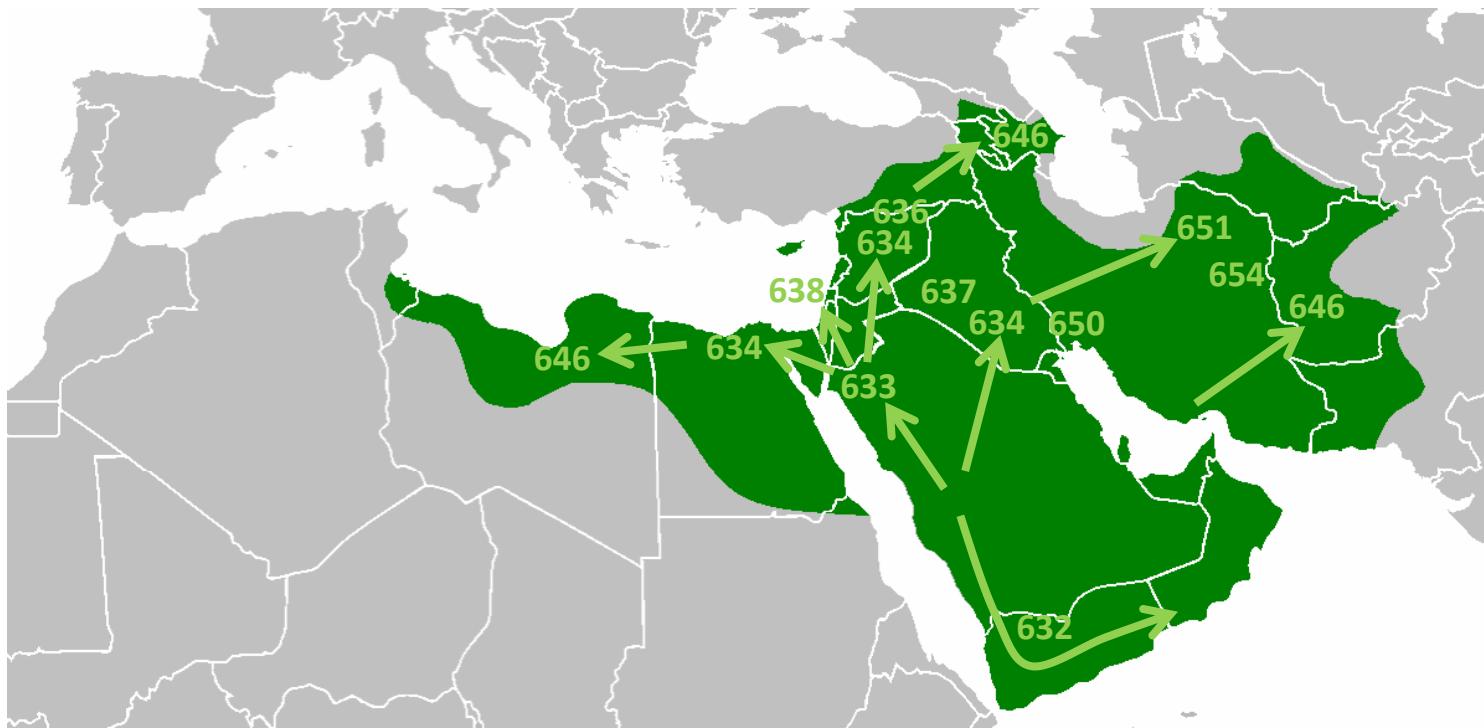




621, Al Isra' and Al Mi'raj.



622, Hijira--Escape to Yathrib (Medina).



The Rashidun Caliphate under  
Caliph Umar



Temple Mount/Haram al-Sharif



Dome of the Rock  
Built by Umayyad Caliph Abd’ul Malik,  
691 AD



Al-Aqsa Mosque  
Built by Umayyad Caliph al-Walid,  
701 AD

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