

The Permanence of Ancient Egypt

Wonders of Arabia

Windstar Cruises

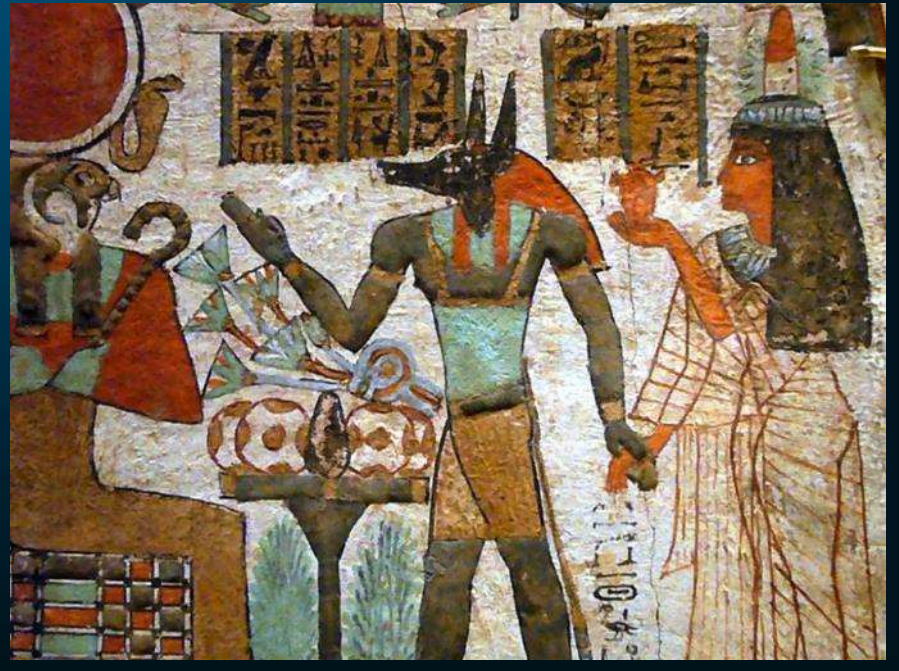
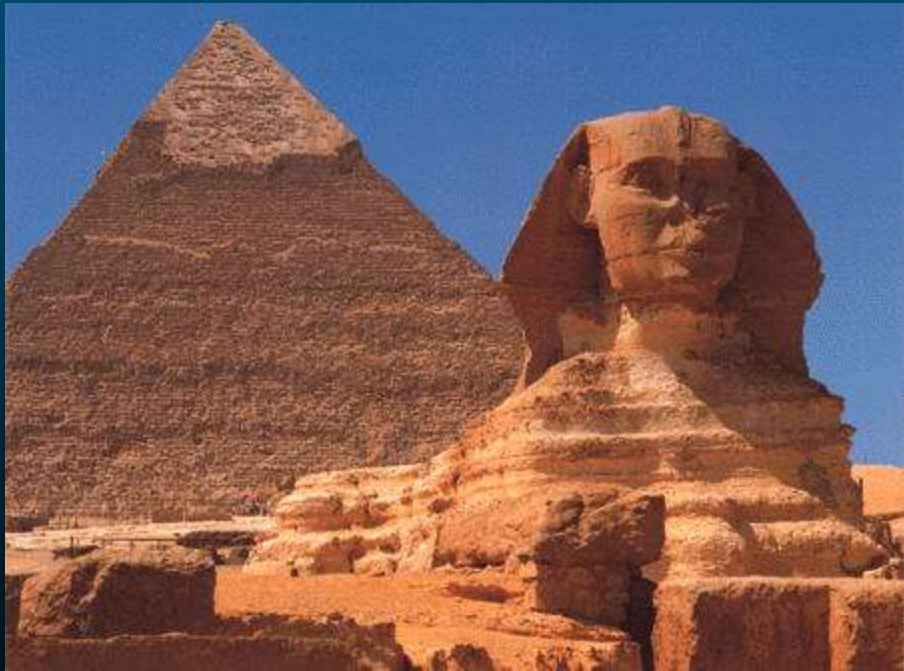
Ross Arnold, Winter 2017

Wonders of Arabia Lectures

- Oct 29- *Intro to Wonders; Permanence of Egypt*
- Oct 30- *Pharaohs, Temples & Tombs*
- Oct 31- *Alone in the Desert; Nabateans & Petra*
 - 11/01- *Hurghada, Egypt*
 - 11/02- *Aqaba, Jordan*
 - 11/03- *Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt*
 - 11/04-05- *Safaga/Luxor, Egypt*
- Nov 6- *Birthplace of Empires; Faith & Culture in ANE*
- Nov 7- *Unity & Diversity in the Middle East*

Wonders of Arabia Lectures

- Nov 8- *Children of Abraham; Understanding Islam*
- Nov 9- *Moses, Israelites, and Crossing the Red Sea; Lawrence of Arabia, Bedouins and Victory in WWI*
- Nov 10- *History & Culture of Oman*
 - 11/11- **Salalah, Oman**
- Nov 12- *Alexander the Great & Hellenism; Crusades*
- Nov 13- *History, Culture & Conflict in the Middle East*
 - 11/14- **Khasab, Oman**
 - 11/15- **Dubai**



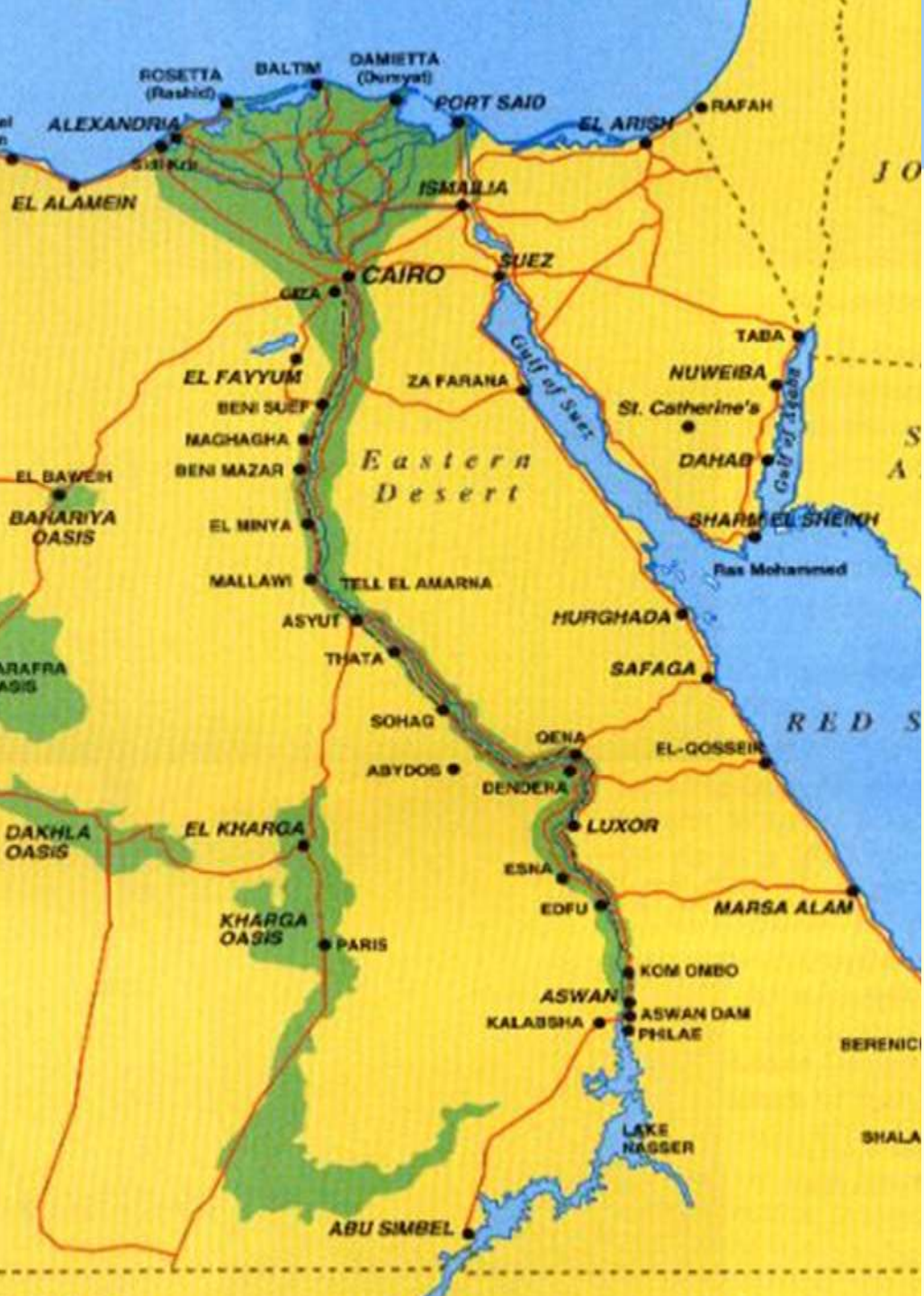
“Egypt is the gift of the Nile.”

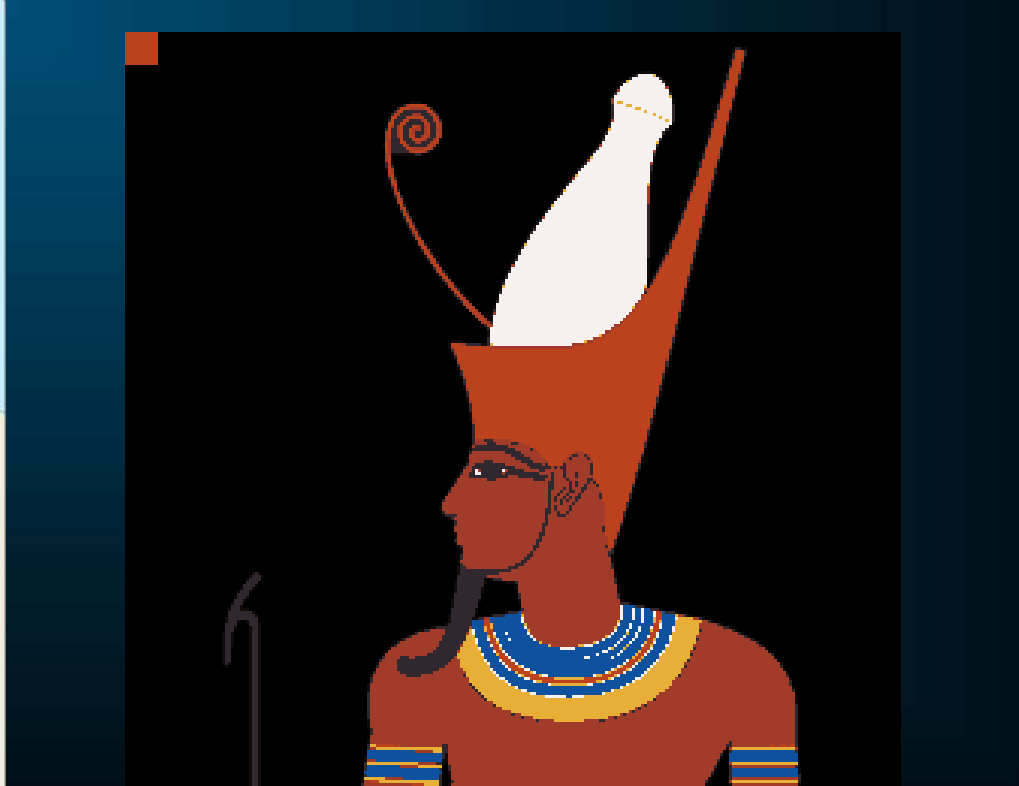
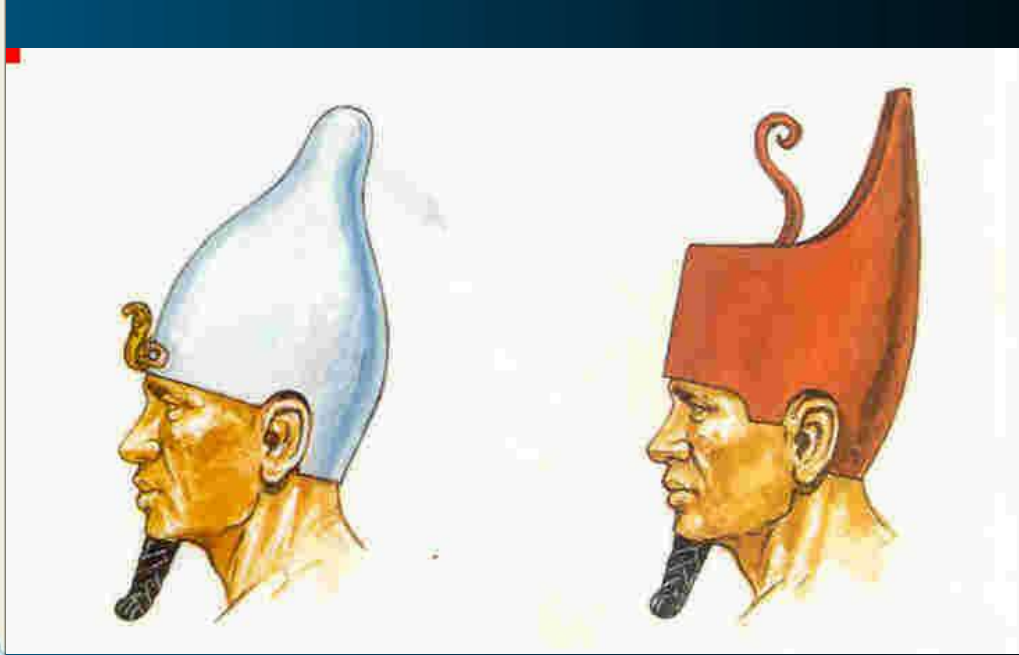
Herodotus, 5th cent. BC

“*kemet*” – the “Black Land” of the fertile Nile River basin.

“*deshret*” – the “Red Land” of the deserts on either side of the Nile.









Timeline of Egyptian History

3100-2686 BC - **Early Dynastic Period** (414 years)

2686-2181 BC - **The Old Kingdom** (505 years)

2181-2055 BC - **First Intermediate Period** (126 years)

2055-1650 BC - **The Middle Kingdom** (405 years)

1650-1550 BC - **Second Intermediate Period** (100 years)

1550-1069 BC - **The New Kingdom** (481 years)

1069-653 BC - **Third Intermediate Period** (416 years)

664-332 BC - **The Late (Achaemenid) Period** (415 years)

332-30 BC - **The Ptolemaic Period** (302 years)

30 BC-641 AD - **Roman & Byzantine Period** (671 years)

641-1517 AD - **Arab & Muslim Periods** (876 years)

1517-1867 AD – **Ottoman Empire Period** (350 years)



Early Dynastic Period
(3100–2686 BC)



Narmer, unifier of the
Two Lands of Egypt,
shown wearing the Red
Crown of Lower Egypt, and
White Crown of Upper Egypt.





Khafre Enthroned

Old Kingdom
(2686–2181 BC)



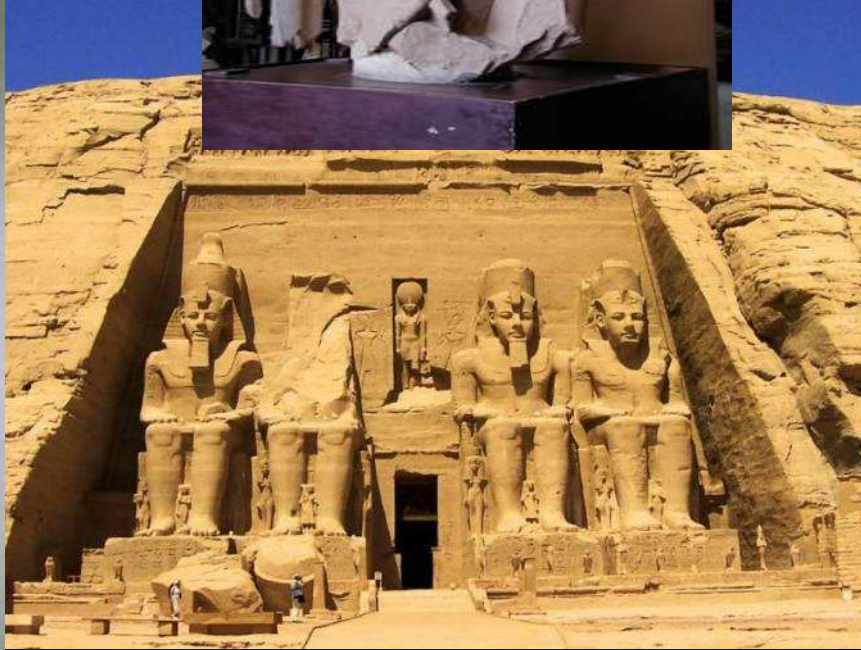


Amenemhat III

Middle Kingdom
(2055–1650 BC)



2nd Intermediate Period
(1650–1550 BC) & the Hyksos



New Kingdom
(1550–1069 BC)



Taharka

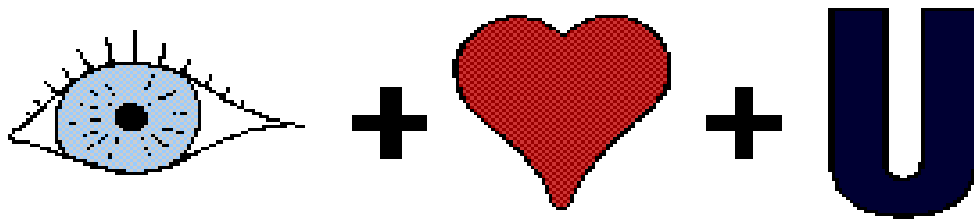
25th Dynasty, Nubia

Late Period































747-30 BC






















Vertical column of hieroglyphs, likely a list or record, containing approximately 15 lines of text.



HIEROGLYPHIC SYMBOLS

A 	B 	C 	D 	E 	F 
G 	H 	I 	J 	K 	L 
M 	N 	O 	P 	Q 	R 
S 	T 	U 	V 	W 	X 
Y 	Z 	KH 	SH 	CH 	MS 

 Udjat Safety	 Scarab Transformation	 Sema Union
 Ka Spirit	 Nefer Goodness	 Ba Soul
 Tjet Welfare	 Mes Birth	 Shen Eternity
		

						
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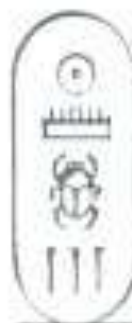
MENUTEP



HATSEPSUT



THUTMOSIS II



THUTMOSIS IV



AMENOPHIS III



AKHENATEN



TUTANKHAMEN



SETI I



RAMSES I



RAMSES II



RAMSES III



RAMSES IX



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ALEXANDER THE GREAT
















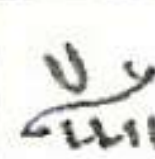




TRAJAN THE GREAT



Cartouche of Thutmose III

Handwritten Egyptian hieroglyphs on a fragment of papyrus. The text is arranged in several horizontal lines, with some words written in red ink. The script is a mix of hieroglyphs and hieratic symbols, typical of Late Period Egyptian writing. The fragment is irregularly shaped with some missing parts at the top and bottom edges.

	hieroglyph		semi hieroglyph		hieratic symbols	
	detailed form	short form	detailed form	short form	detailed form	short form
duck						
bug						
bee						

Fragment of a papyrus scroll with handwritten text in a cursive script, likely Coptic or Greek. The text is arranged in approximately 15 horizontal lines. A large circular symbol is visible at the top left of the fragment. The papyrus is aged and shows signs of wear.

Fragment of a papyrus scroll with embossed text in a blocky script, likely Coptic or Greek. The text is arranged in approximately 7 horizontal lines. The characters are large and clearly defined, suggesting a formal or official document. The papyrus is aged and shows signs of wear.

The Rosetta Stone Circa 196 BC

