

# Church History Literacy

## Muhammad and Islam

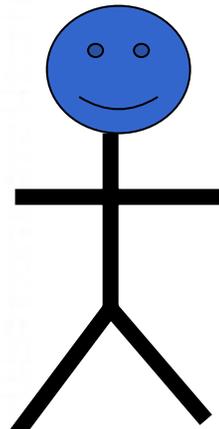
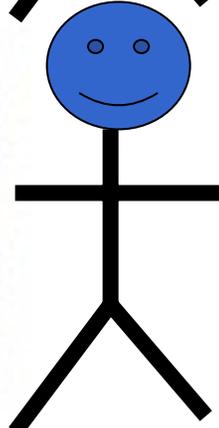
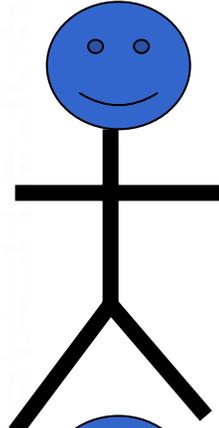
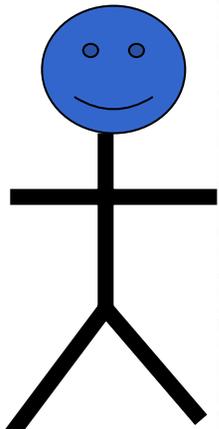
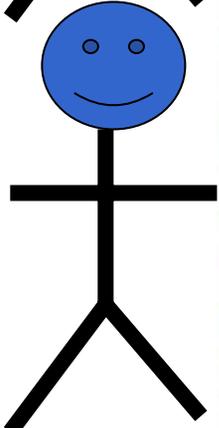
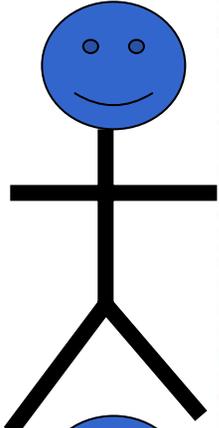
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### Lesson 39

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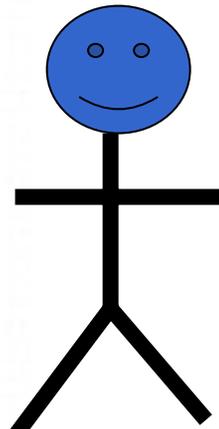
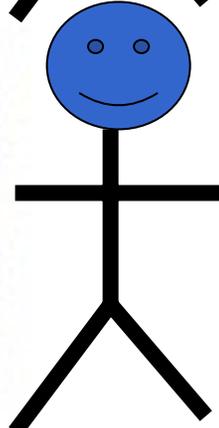
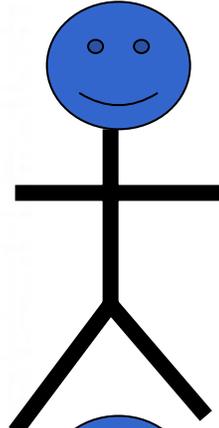
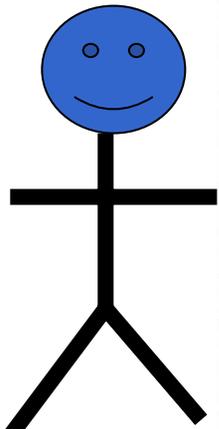
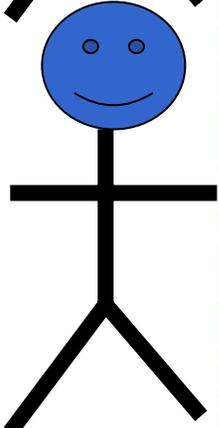
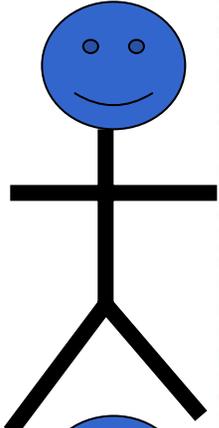
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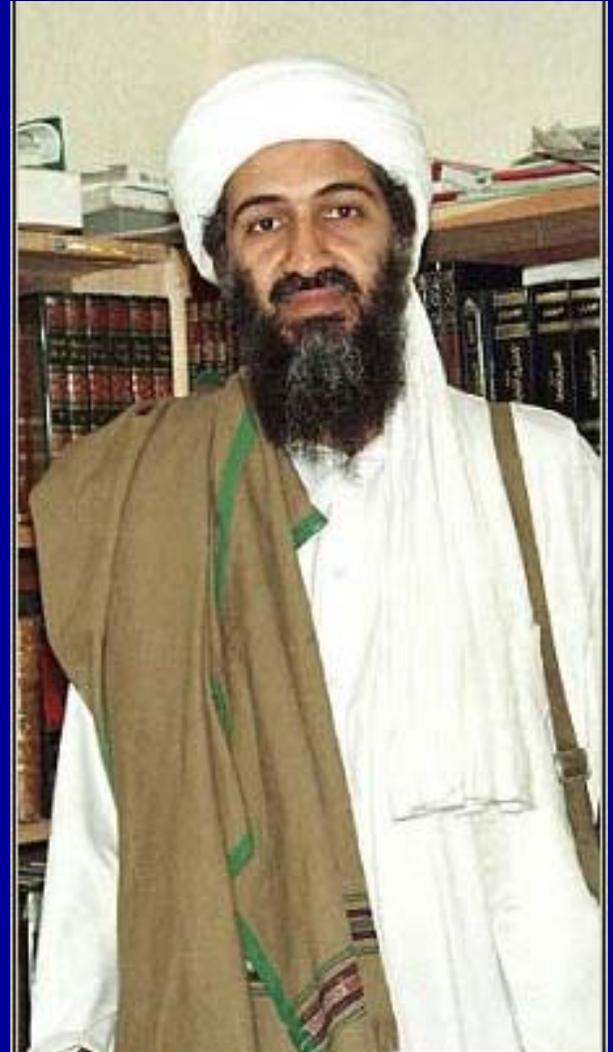




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are Muslim









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# Slaughter of Shi'ite Muslims?

# This Week



# This Week



# This Week

Before



After

Next Week : Details of Islamic  
faith compared to Christianity

# This Week







**Africa**

A hand-drawn map showing the continents of Europe and Africa. The landmasses are colored in a reddish-brown hue, while the surrounding oceans and seas are colored in a light blue. The word "Europe" is written in large, bold, black letters across the top of the European continent, and the word "Africa" is written in large, bold, black letters across the top of the African continent. The drawing style is simple and illustrative, with visible pencil or crayon textures.

**Europe**

**Africa**

A hand-drawn map showing the continents of Europe, Africa, and the Middle East. The landmasses are colored in shades of orange and red, while the surrounding oceans and seas are colored in light blue. The map is drawn with simple black outlines. Three large, bold, black text labels are overlaid on the map: 'Europe' is positioned over the European continent, 'Africa' is positioned over the African continent, and 'Middle East' is positioned over the Middle Eastern region. The text is in a sans-serif font with a white outline.

**Europe**

**Middle  
East**

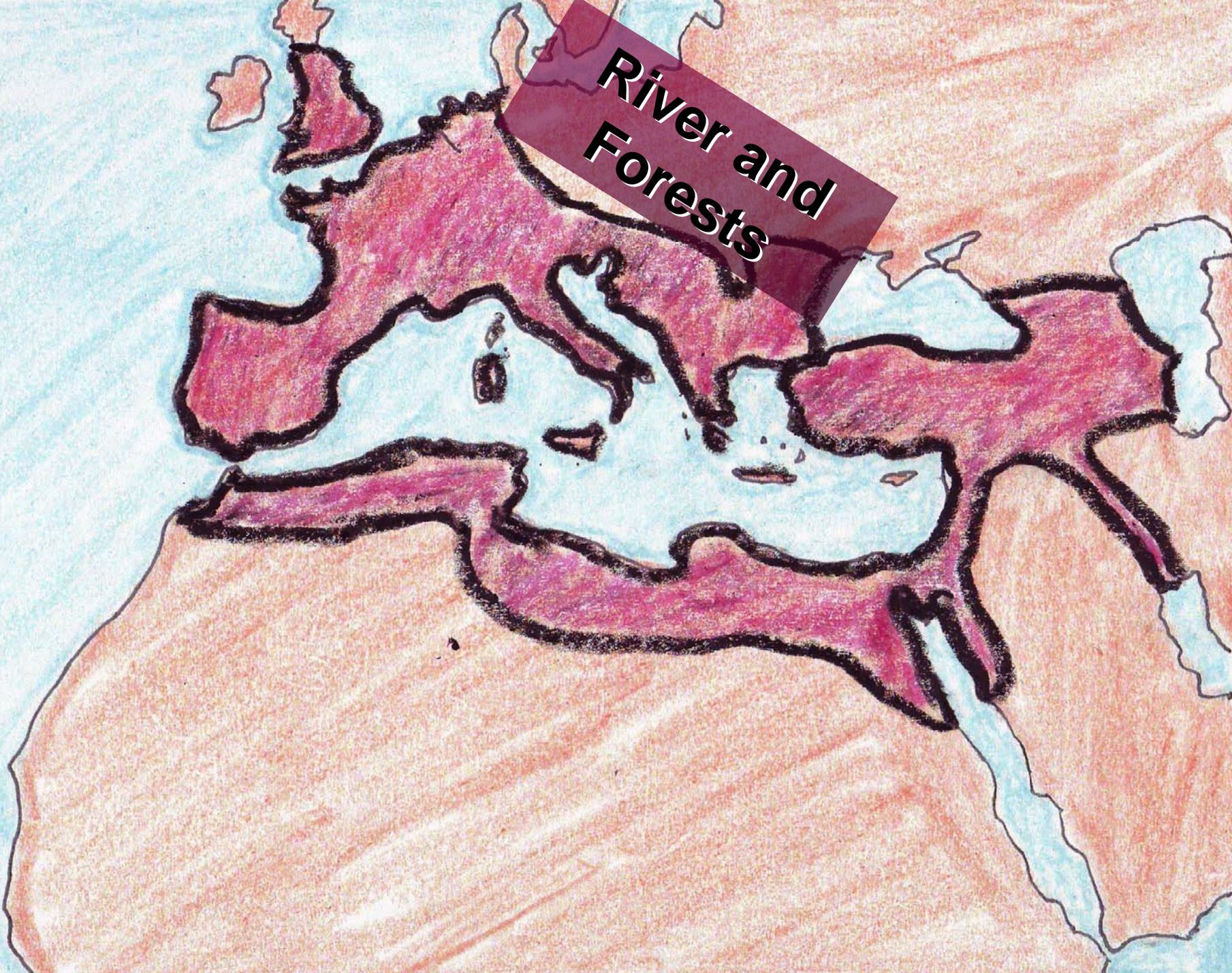
**Africa**



**Roman Empire  
at its peak**



# River and Forests





**River and  
Forests**

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River and Forests

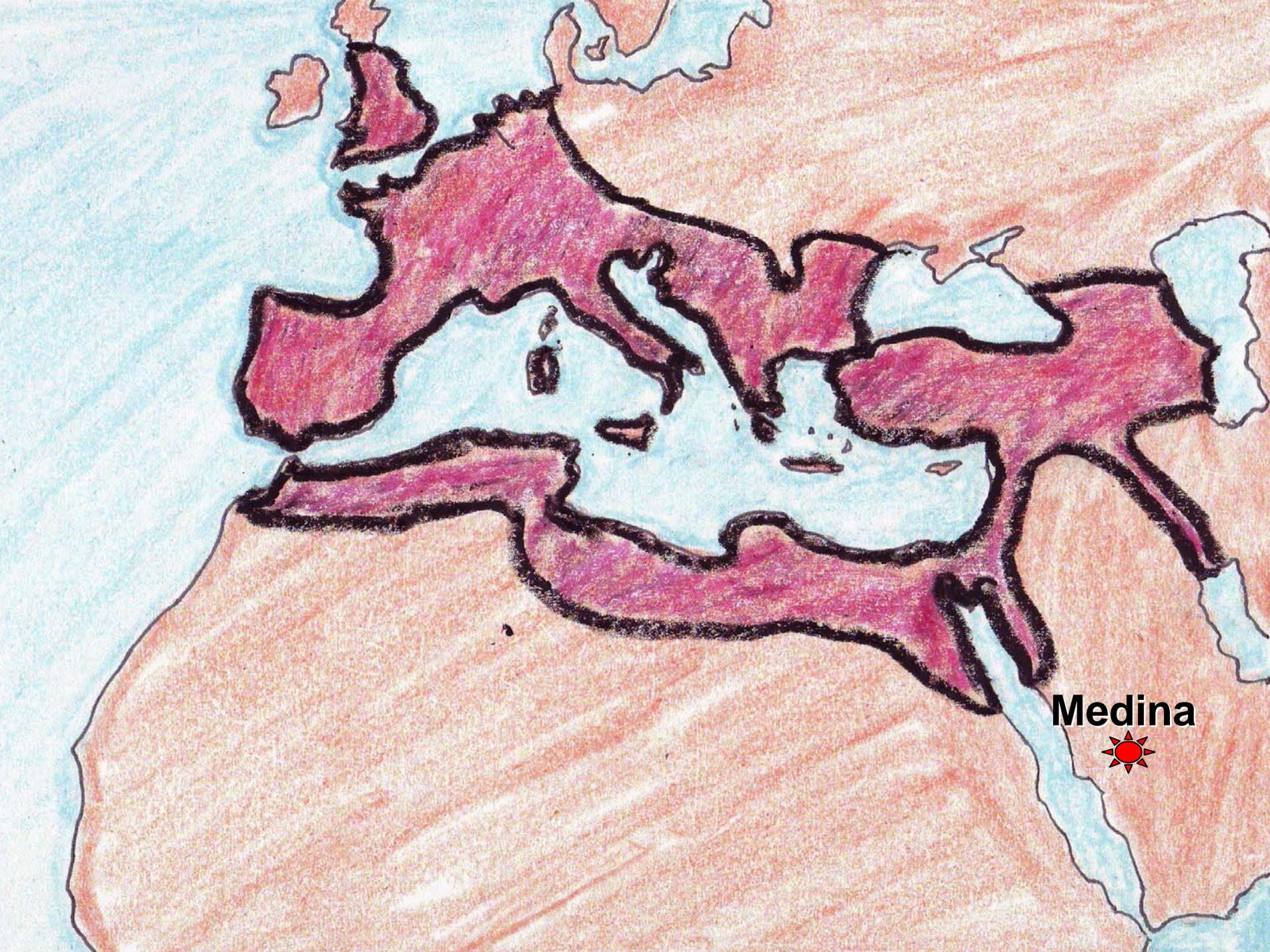
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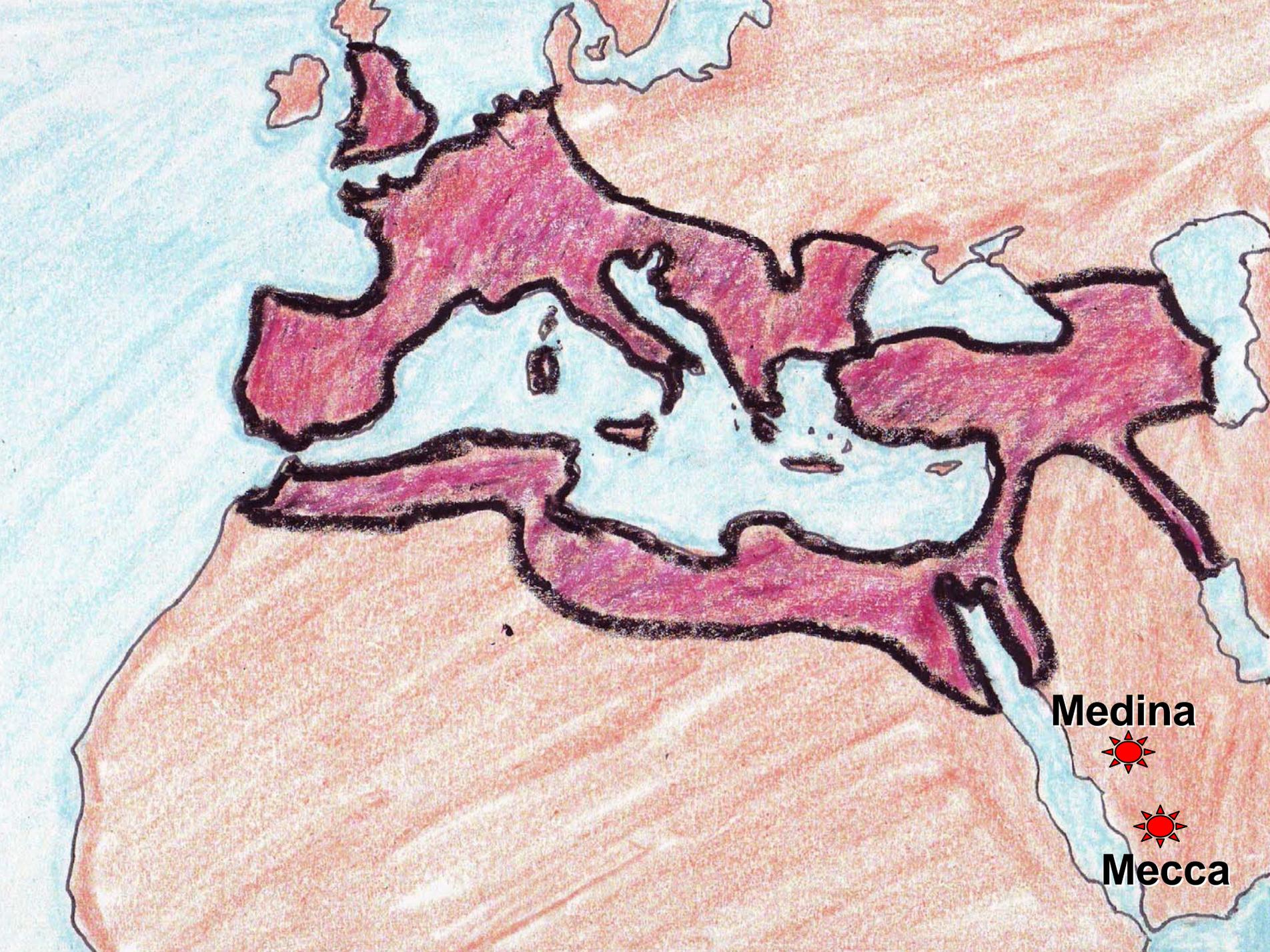






Medina





**Medina**



**Mecca**

These are  
“Semitic”  
people

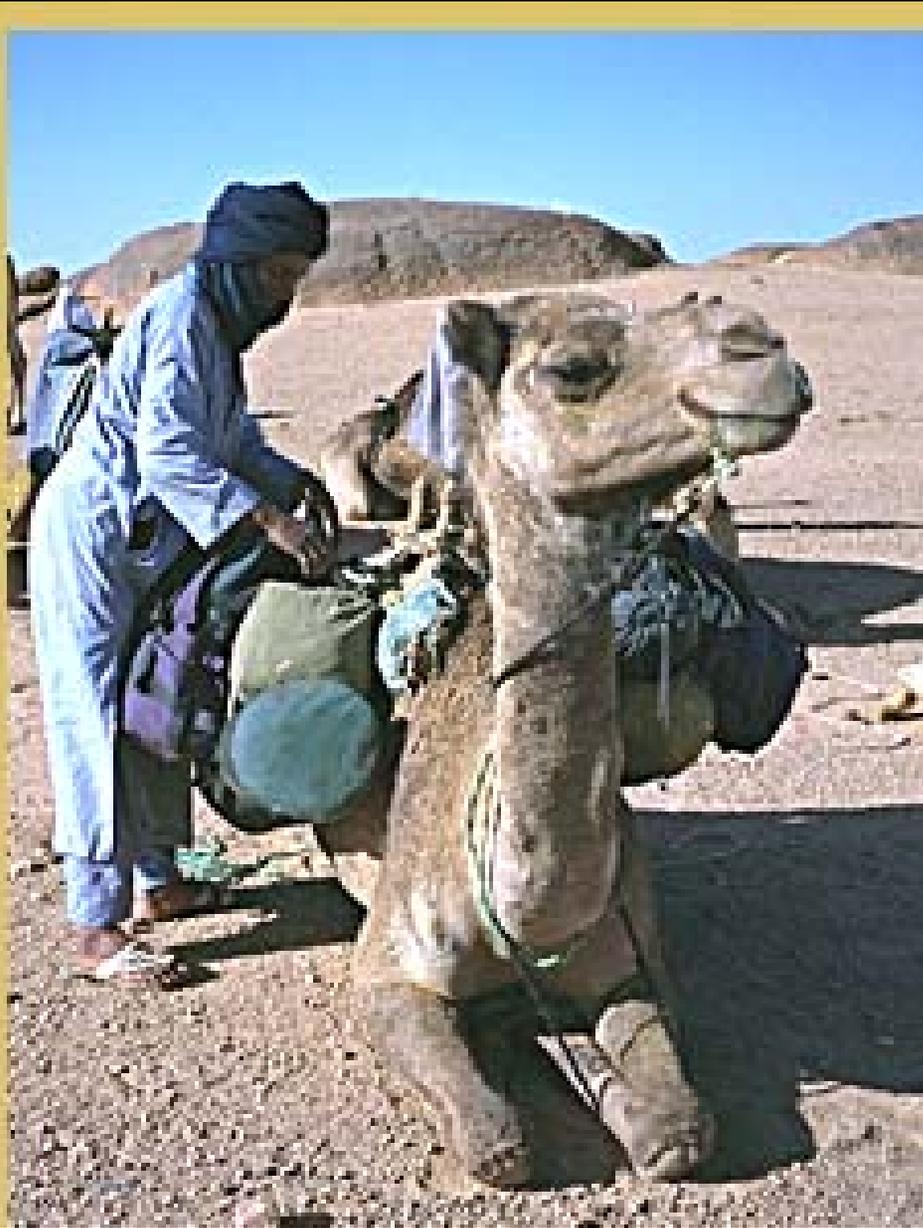




“Semitic”  
comes from  
Shem, son of  
Noah

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Semitic  
cultures and  
languages  
are very  
different



Nomadic  
lifestyle  
produce  
different  
cultures



Family = Tent



Family = Tent

Tents = Clan



Family = Tent



Tents = Clan

Clans = Tribe

Family = Tent



Tents = Clan

**“Elder” = “Shaykh”**

Clans = Tribe

Family = Tent



Tents = Clan

**“Elder” = “Sheikh”**

Clans = Tribe

**Tribe**

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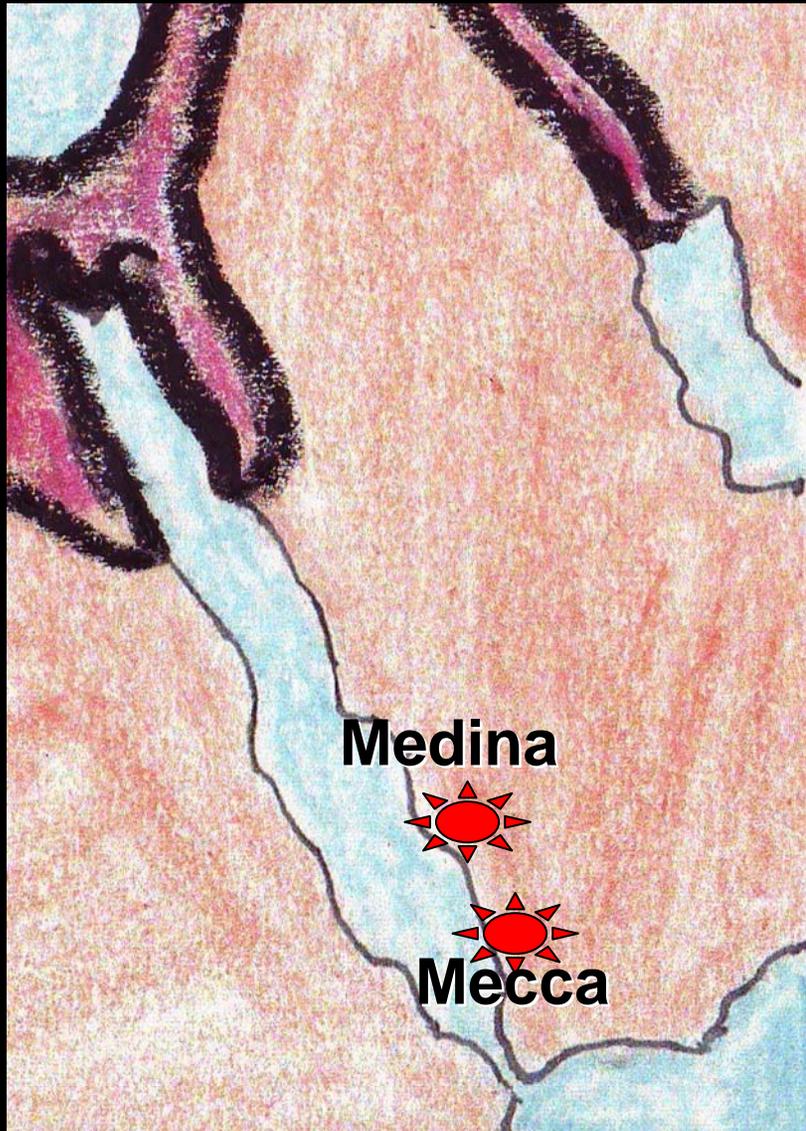


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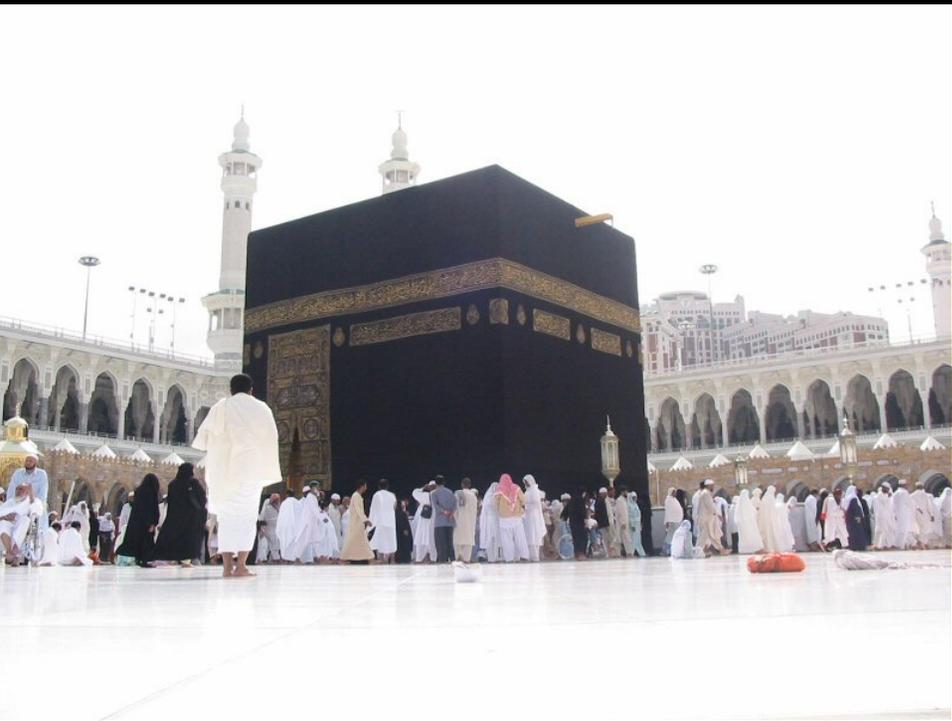




Different  
Clans and  
tribes worship  
different gods



Mecca was a  
common  
place for  
worship



The Ka'ba  
was the  
center of  
worship with  
360 different  
gods



**Abraham - Hagar - Ishmael**

# Quraysh Tribe

**Water  
Clan**

**Food  
Clan**

**Dispute  
Clan**

**Family**

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# Quraysh Tribe

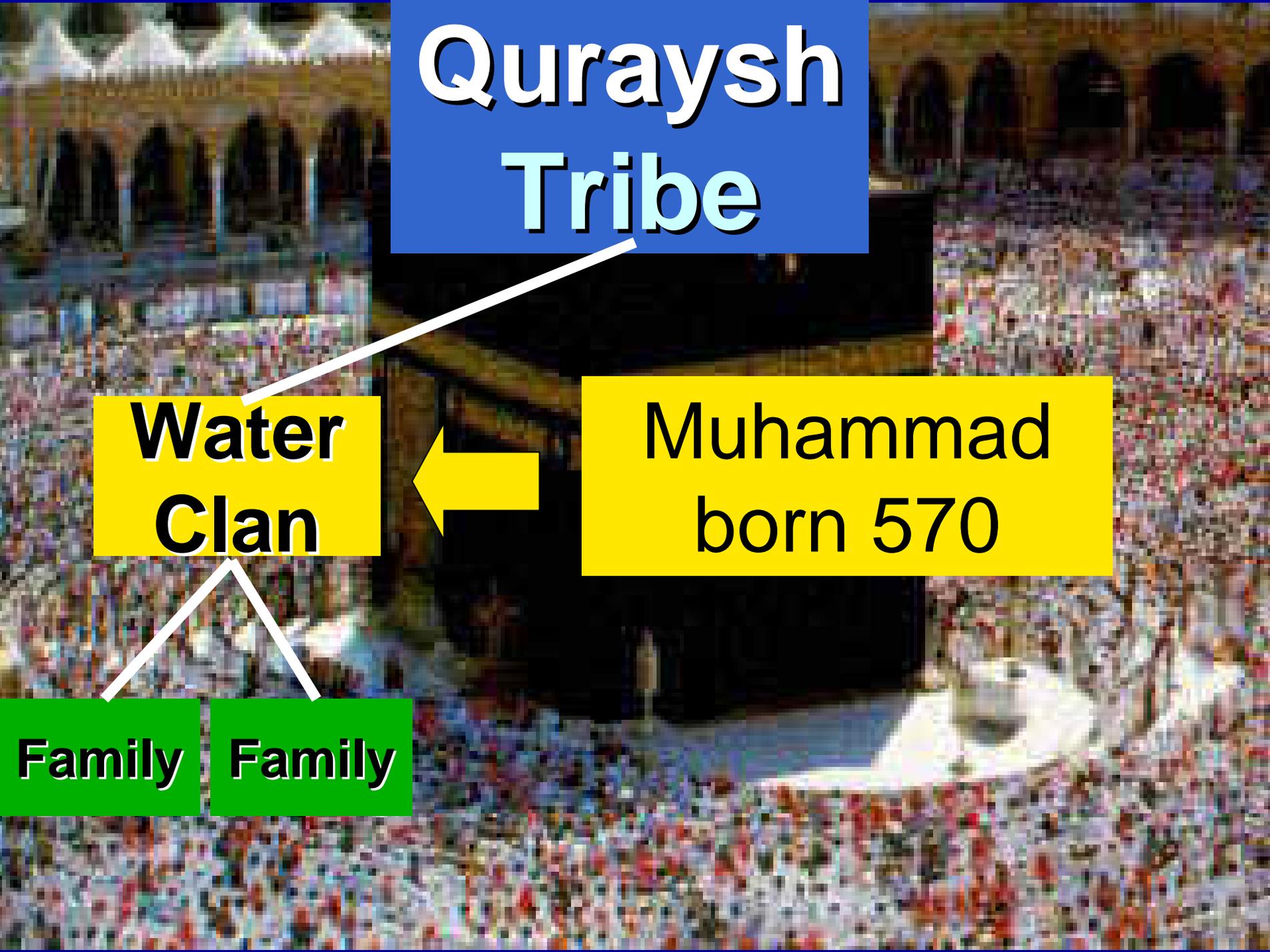
**Water  
Clan**

**Muhammad  
born 570**



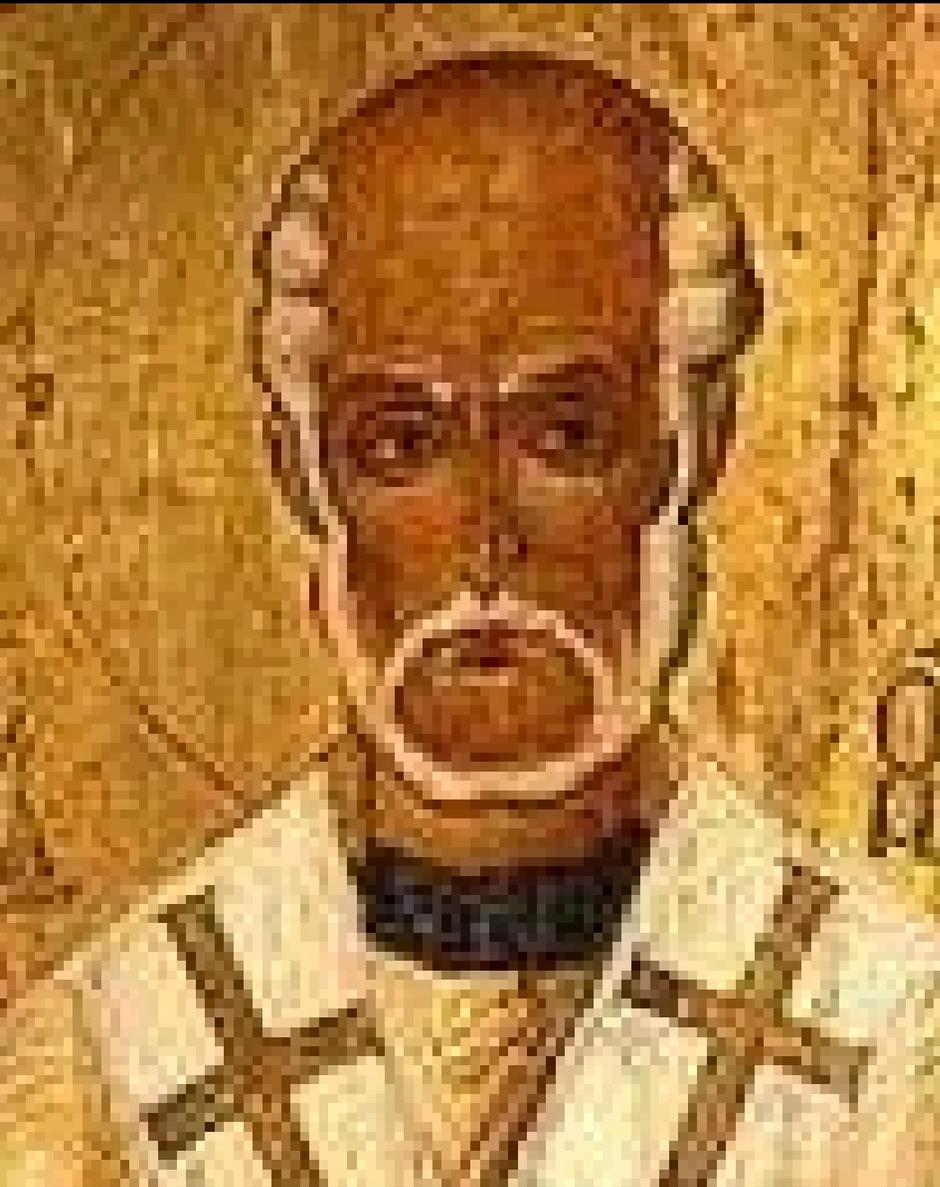
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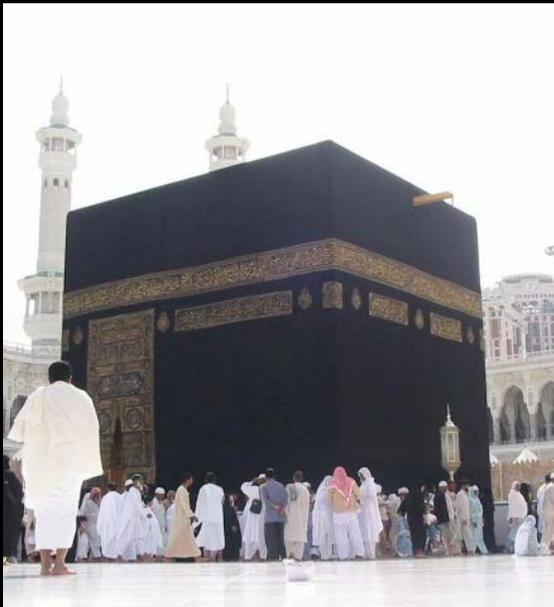
Muhammad raised a nomad



Muhammad  
encounters a  
Nestorian  
monk



Muhammad  
grows into a  
wise man



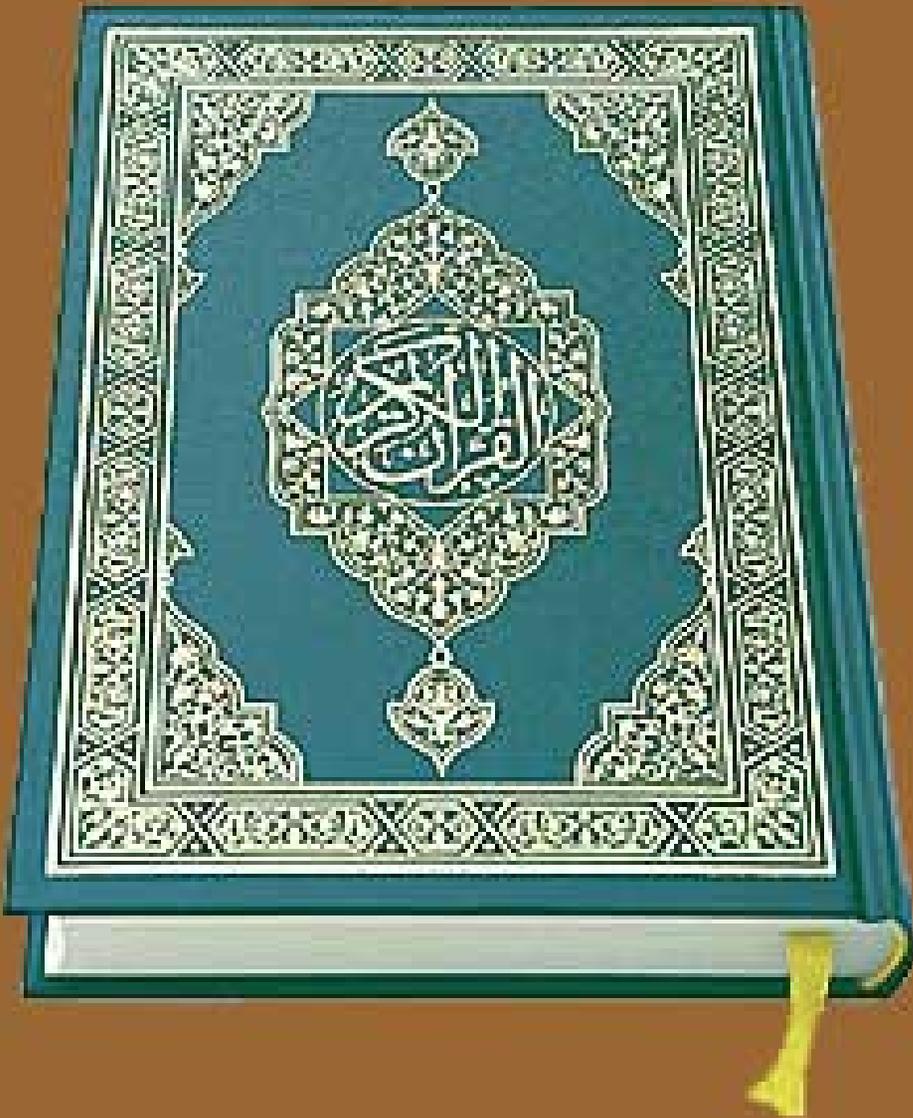
Muhammad  
encounters the  
Ka'ba



Muhammad at  
Mt. Hira



**Gabriel visits Muhammad**



Visions  
become the  
Koran



Muhammad  
grows into a  
wise man



Muhammad is  
called “The  
Messenger of  
God”

# Islam points to the Bible for prophecy of Muhammad

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and in regard to sin, because I am going to the Father, and you will no longer be in the world now

stands condemned because of sin, because I am going to the Father, and you will no longer be in the world now

can now bear witness to the truth. He will not speak on his own, he will speak only

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But because I am going to the Father, who is greater than I, the Counselor who comes from the Father will be greater than I, and he will remain in the world now

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# “Counselor” = *paraklete* or Holy Spirit

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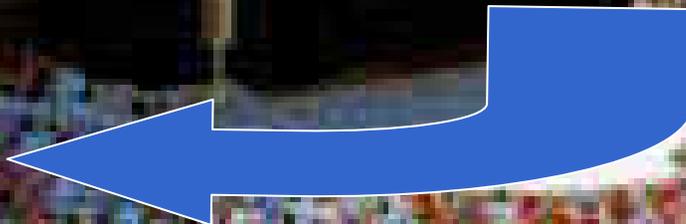
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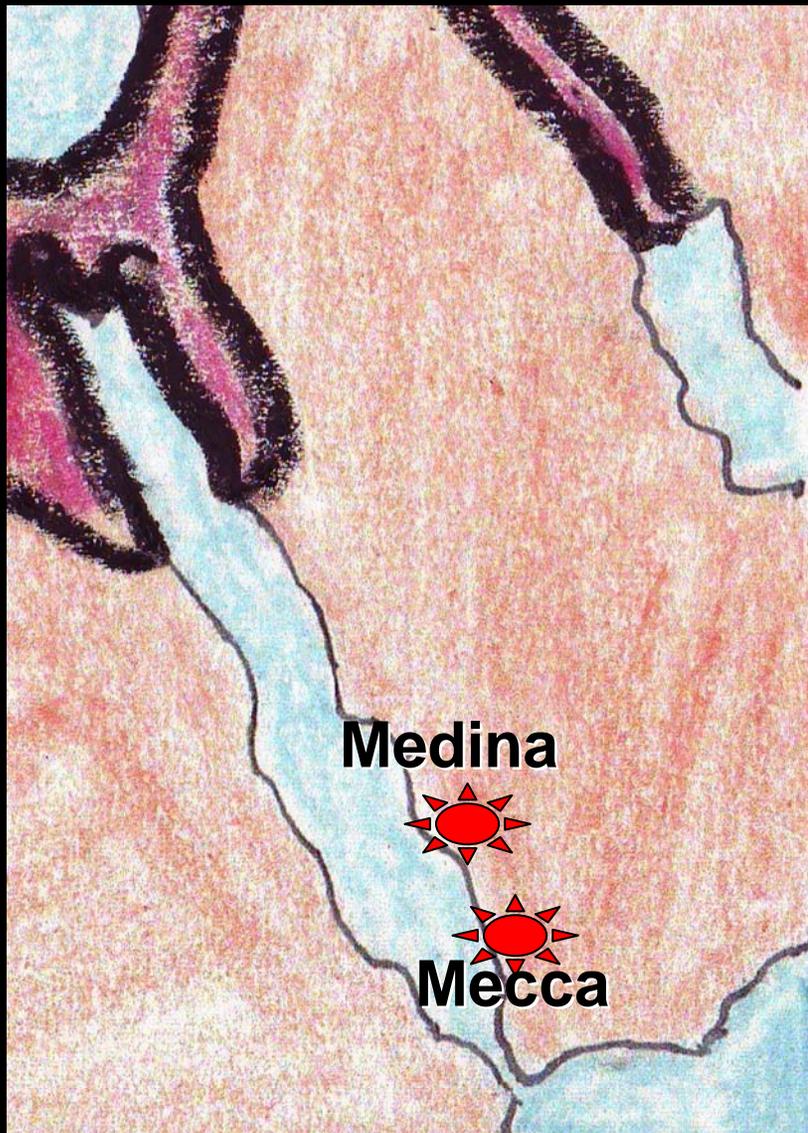
**Water  
Clan**

Muhammad  
Teaches family  
for 3 years

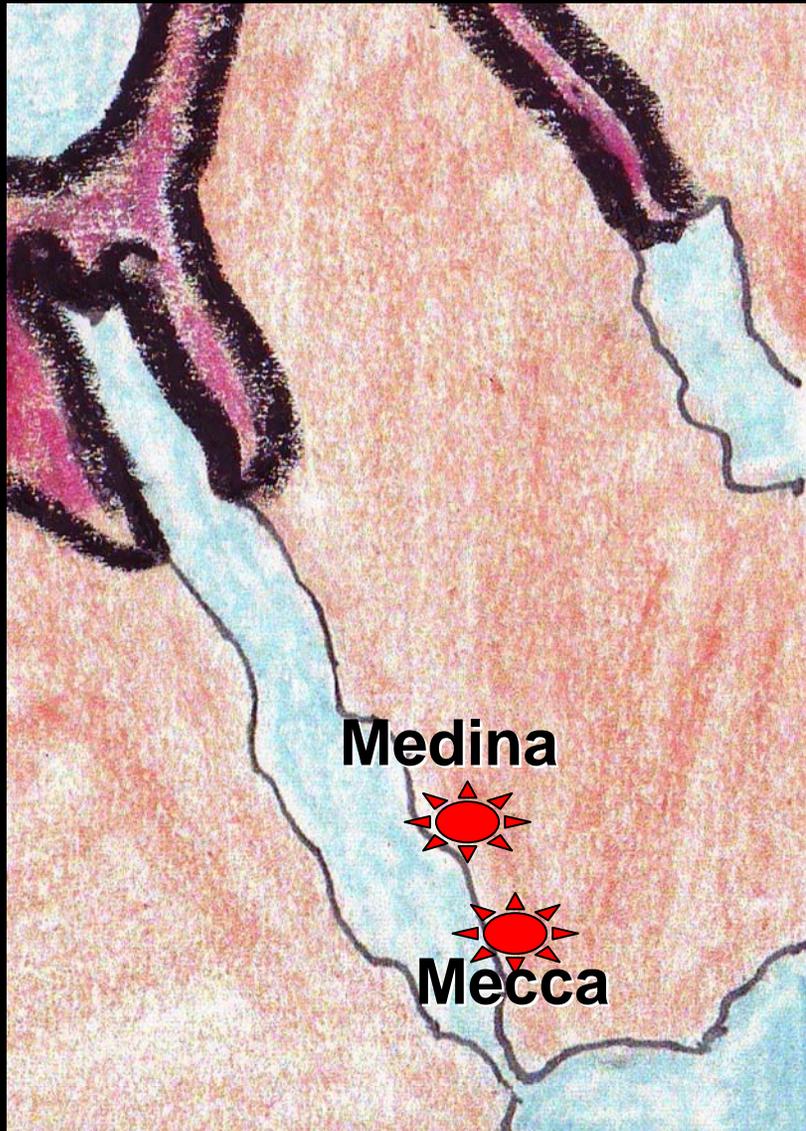
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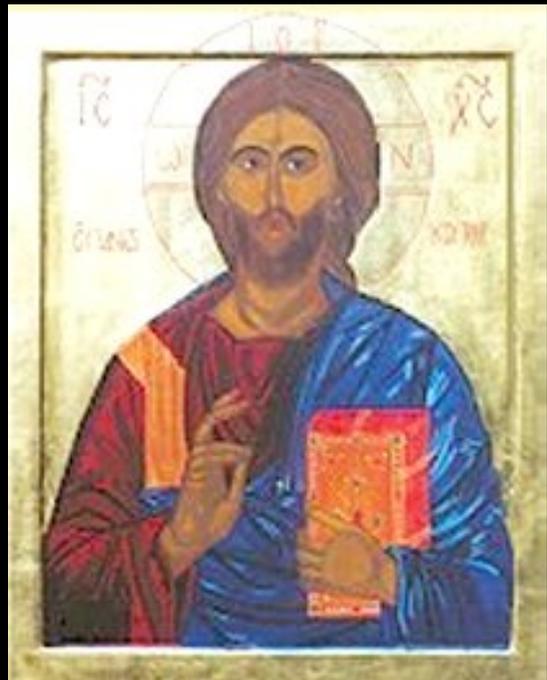




Muhammad  
flees to  
Medina



Muhammad  
wars  
successfully  
against the  
Quraysh



Muhammad  
debates the  
Christians  
and offers an  
“Ordeal”

# This Week



After



Muhammad  
dies in 632  
after his last  
pilgrimage

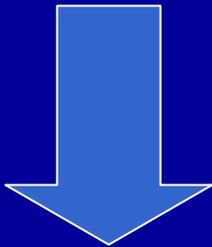
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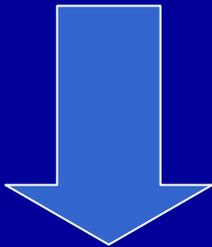
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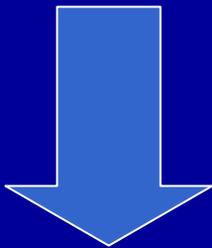


**Sunnis**

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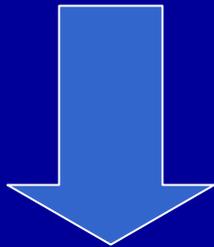
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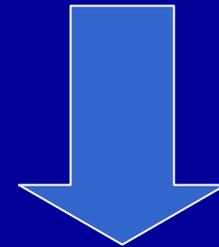
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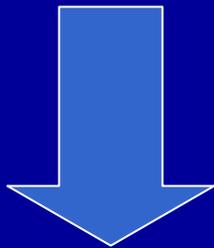
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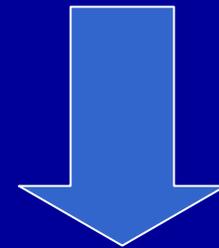
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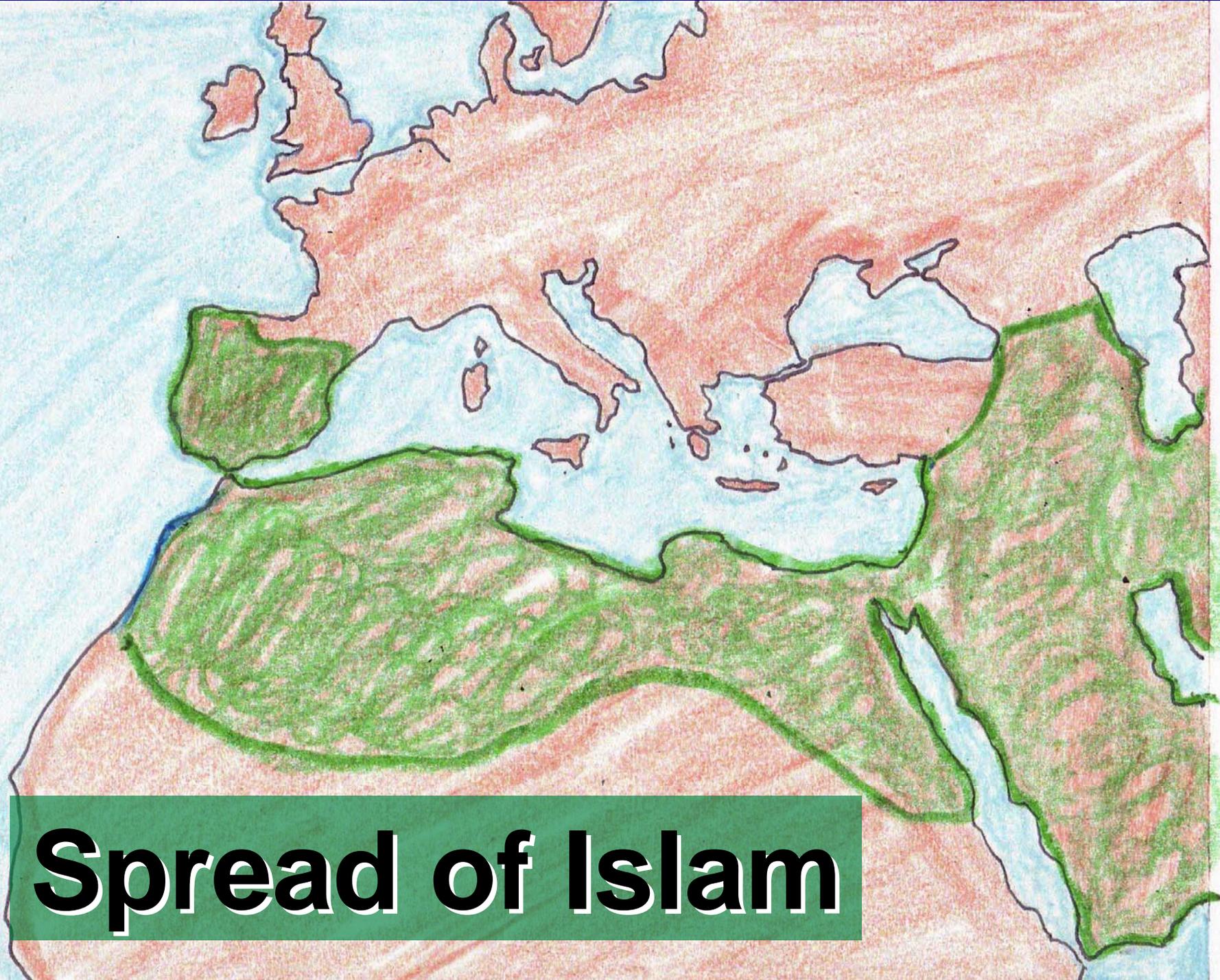


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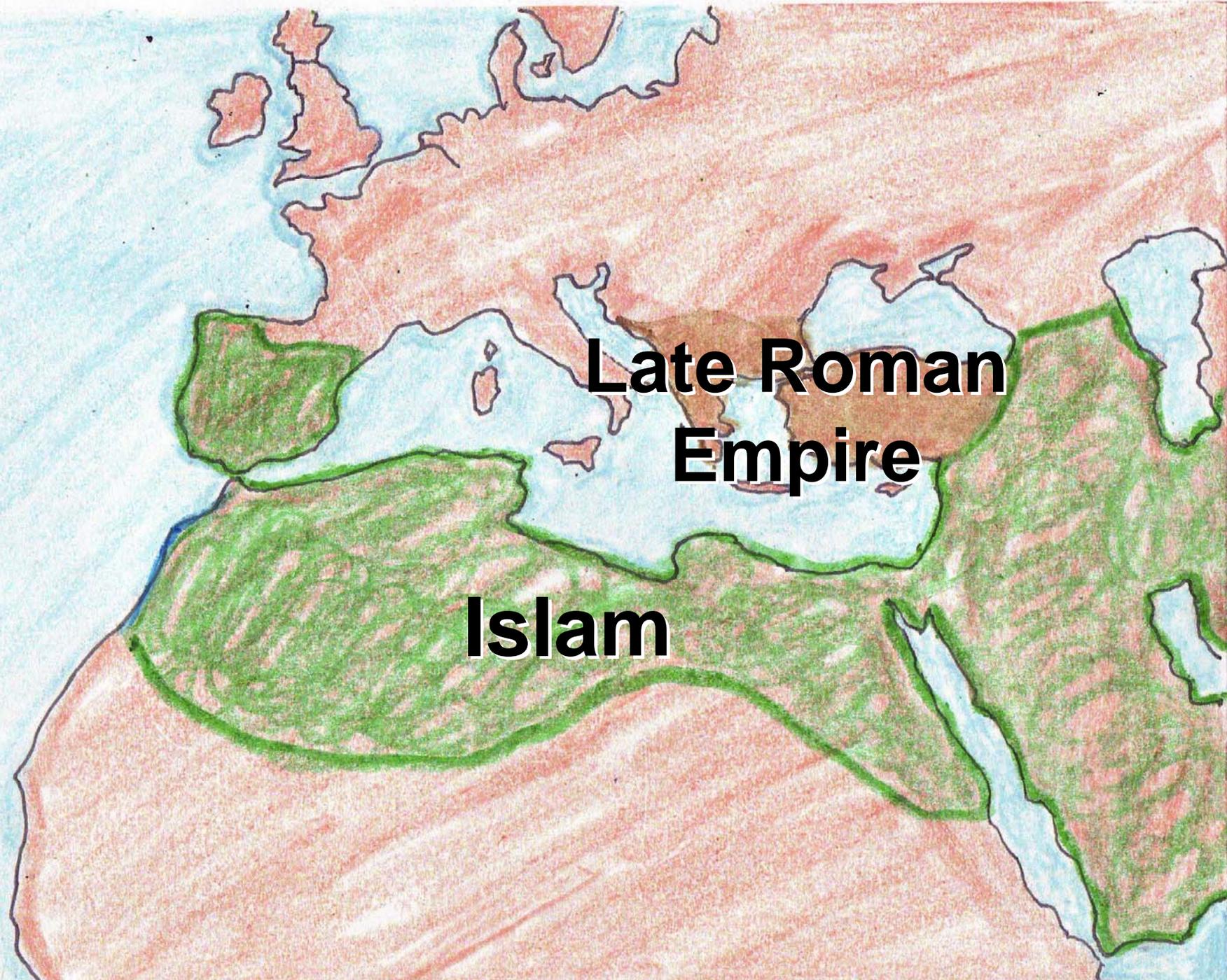
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Shi'ites



**Spread of Islam**



**Late Roman  
Empire**

**Islam**

# Five Pillars of Islam

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5. Pilgrimage

# Points for Home

- “When he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all truth... He will bring glory to me [Jesus!]” (Jn 16:13-14).

# Points for Home

- “Now brothers, I want to remind you of the gospel I preached to you, which you have received and on which you have taken your stand. By this gospel you are saved, if you hold firmly to the word I preached to you ... that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day” (1 Cor. 15:1-2)

# Points for Home

- “If we or an angel from heaven should preach to you a gospel other than the one we preached to you, let him be eternally condemned. As we have already said, so now I say again: if anybody is preaching to you a gospel other than what you accepted, let him be eternally condemned” (Gal. 1:8-9).