III.1. Egyptian Art Kings, Power, and the Divine



c. 3100 BCE 'Unification' of Egypt under King Narmer (or Menes)

c. 2800–2200 BCE Old Kingdom (Memphis capital)

c. 2200–2052 BCE Intermediate Period

c. 2052–1567 Middle Kingdom (Thebes capital)

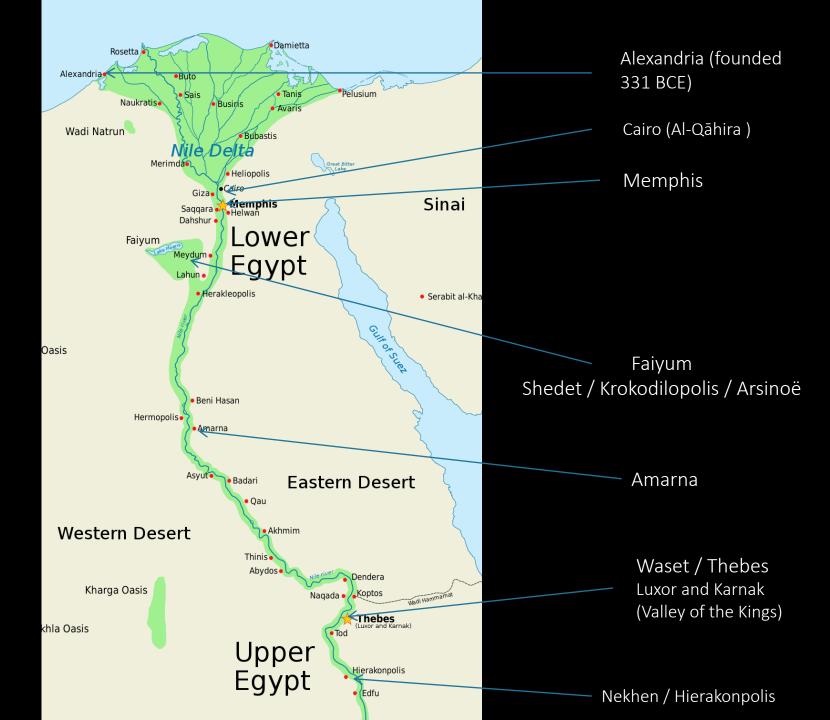
c. 1567–1085 BCE New Kingdom (Thebes capital, except during the Amarna period)

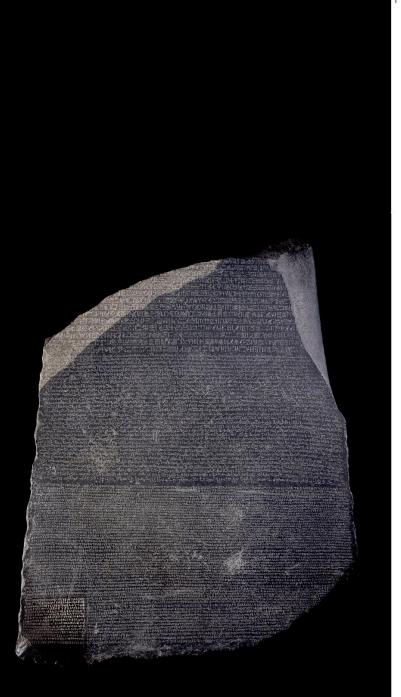
c. 1085–713 BCE Intermediate Period

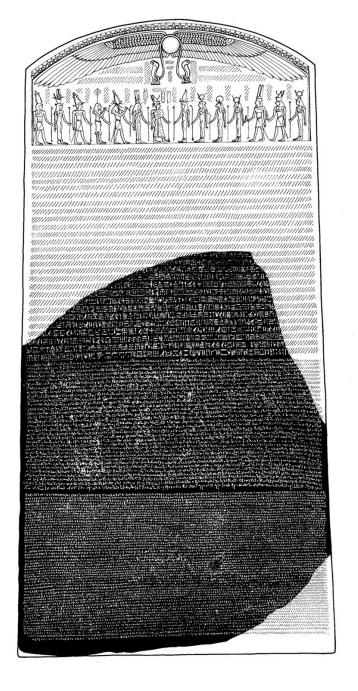
c. 712–332 BCE Late Period (foreign dynasties: Nubian, Lybians, Persian)

c. 332–30 BCE Ptolemaic Period









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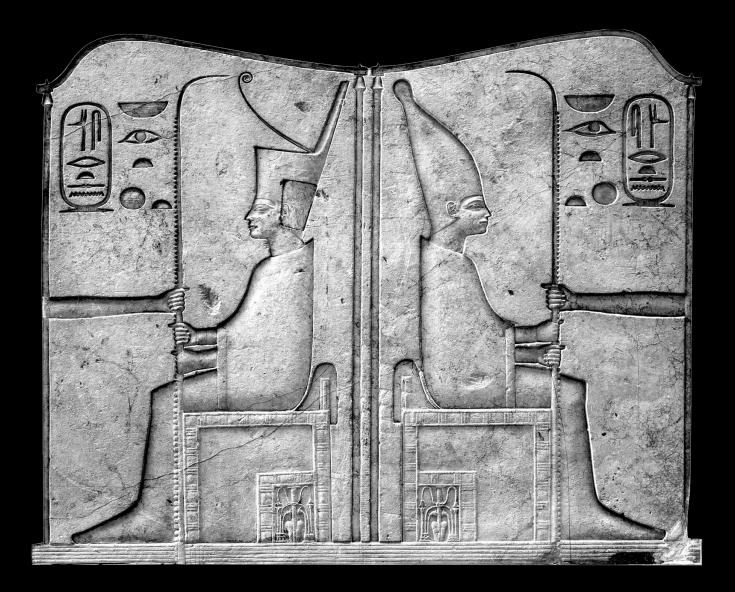












(Left) the crown of Lower Egypt and (right) the crown of Upper Egypt













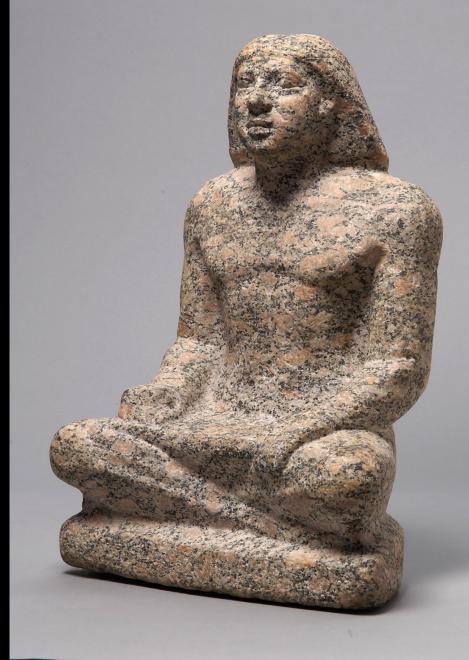










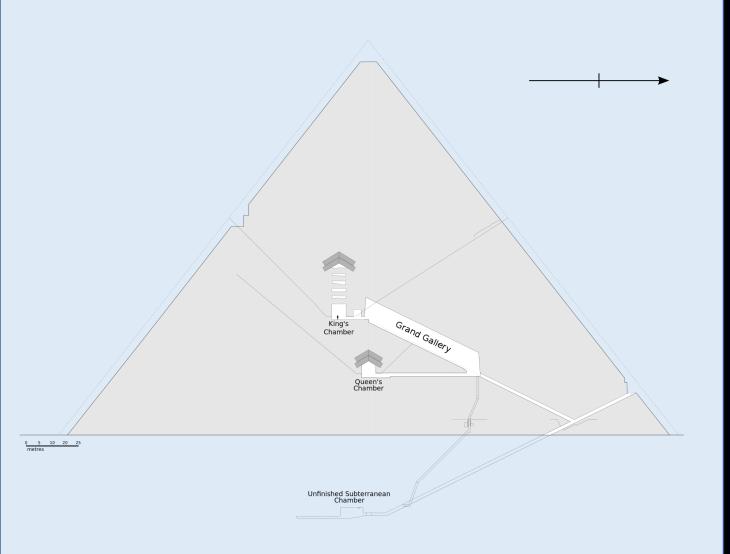


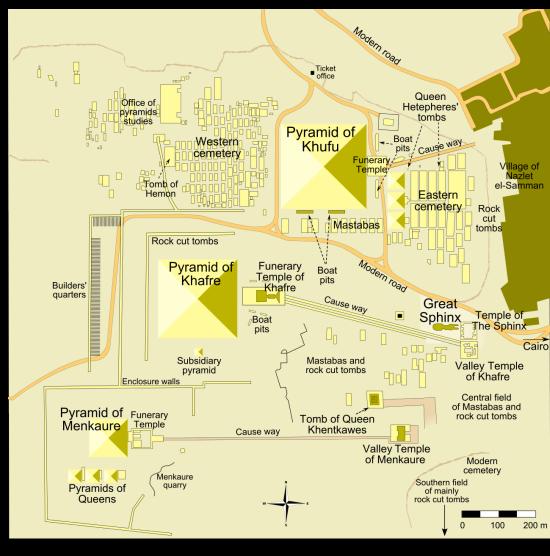






Wall tiles from the funerary apartments of king Djoser, ca. 2630–2611 BCE





Great Pyramid of Giza, Pharaoh Khufu, ca. 2580–2560 BC





Valley of the Kings, in use from ca. 16th to 11th century BCE



