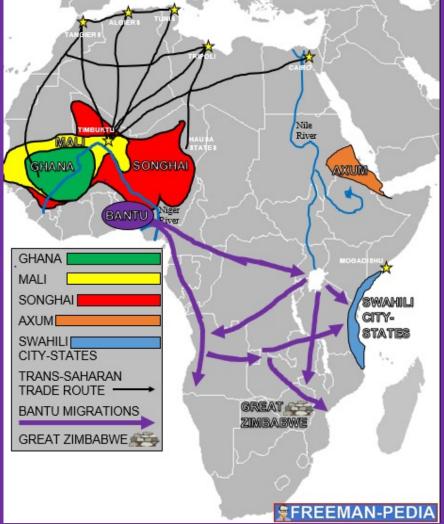
# LET'S EXPAND OUR HORIZONS... IT'S TIME TO HEAD TO A PLACE THAT:

CONTROLS THE KEY **TRADE ROUTE TO SALT & GOLD RESERVES** TRAVELS VAST **DISTANCES USING CAMEL CARAVANS DOMINATED BY ARAB & BERBER TRAVELS** HOME TO ONE OF **HISTORY'S GREATEST** MIGRATIONS HOME OF THE RICHEST MAN IN HISTORY

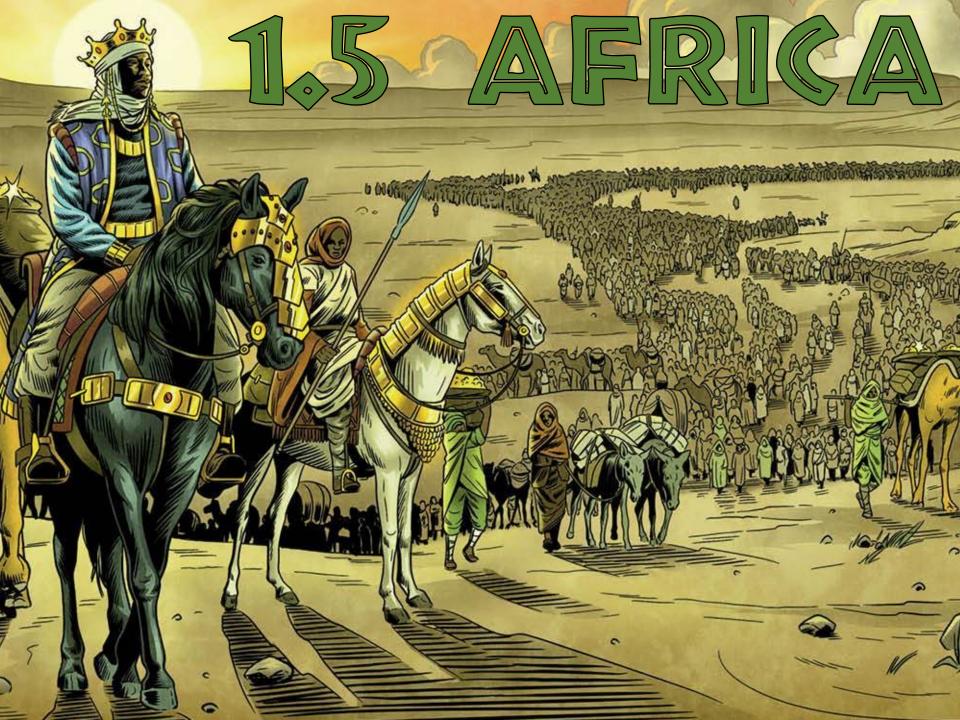


# POST-CLASSICAL (1200-1450 CE)









## HERE IS ALL THAT THE COLLEGE BOARD REQUIRES OF YOU FOR:

# THIS IS THE THEMATIC FOCUS. IT'S WHAT YOU SHOULD FOCUS ON FOR THIS SECTION

### **THEMATIC FOCUS**

### Governance Gov

A variety of internal and external factors contribute to state formation, expansion, and decline. Governments maintain order through a variety of administrative institutions, policies, and procedures, and governments obtain, retain, and exercise power in different ways and for different purposes.

# **HISTORICAL DEVELOPMENTS**

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In Africa, as in Eurasia and the Americas, state systems demonstrated continuity, innovation, and diversity and expanded in scope and reach.

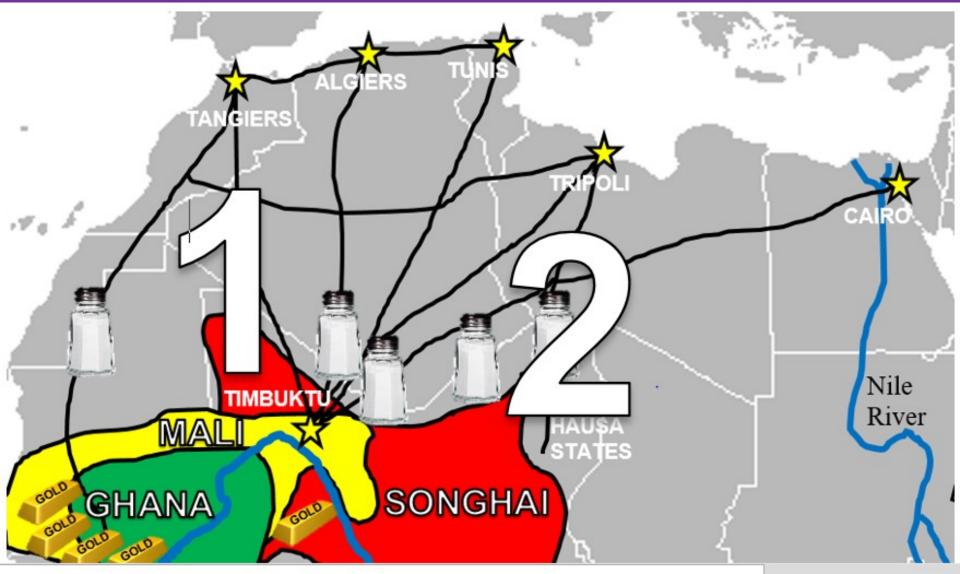


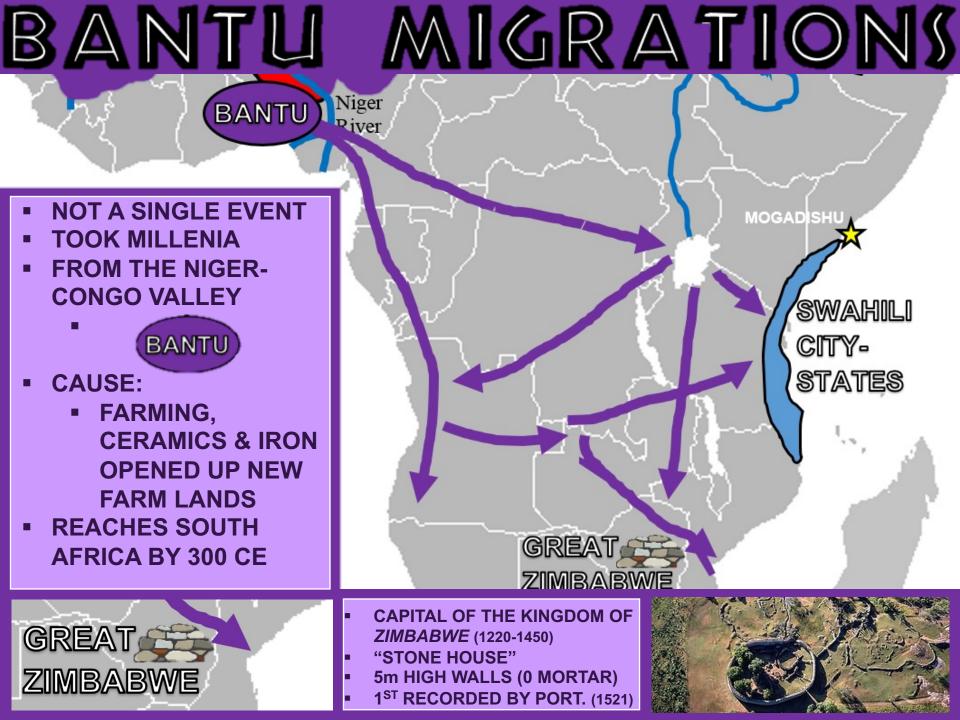


### SAHARAN TRADE RANS PEAKED FROM 700→1500 CE

- CAMEL CARAVANS START c. 300 CE
- **1K-12K CAMELS PER CARAVAN**
- BERBER TRADE FUELED SPREAD OF ISLAM

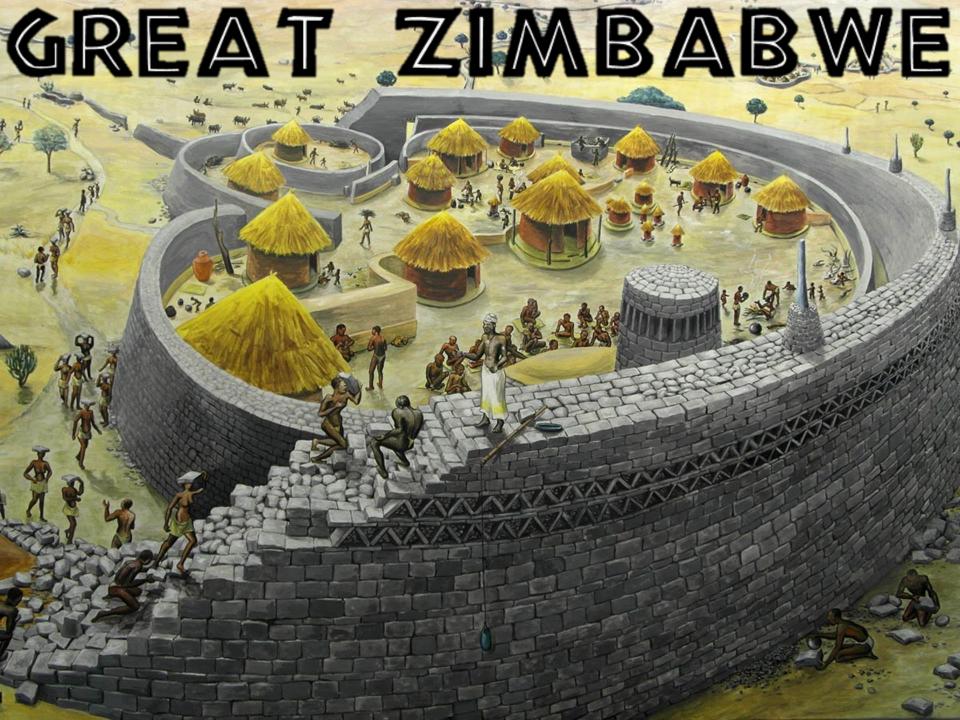
- **TWO MAIN ROUTES:** 
  - 1. MOROCCO→NIGER BEND
  - 2. TUNISIA→LAKE CHAD
- **RUINIED BY COLUMBUS (ATLANTIC SYS)**





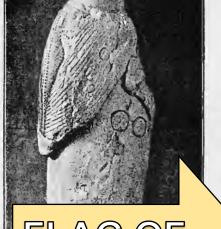
# <u>Bantu Migrations</u>





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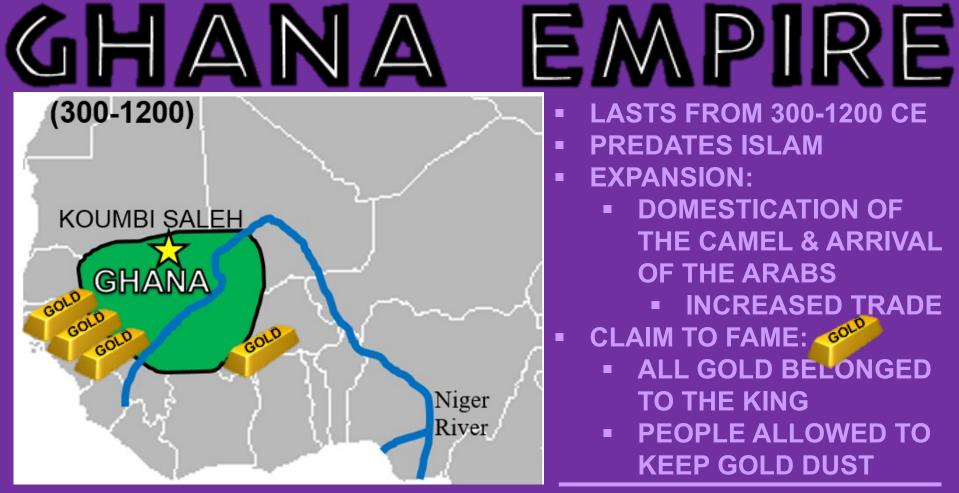




3 EXAMPLES OF THE SOAP-STONE BIRDS FOUND IN OR NEAR G.Z.

FLAG OF THE NATION OF ZIMBABWE ADOPTED IN 1980

# GREAT ZIMBABWE



**LASTS FROM 300-1200 CE PREDATES ISLAM** 

- **EXPANSION:** 
  - **DOMESTICATION OF THE CAMEL & ARRIVAL OF THE ARABS** 
    - **INCREASED TRADE**
- CLAIM TO FAME: 6010
  - ALL GOLD BELONGED TO THE KING
  - **PEOPLE ALLOWED TO KEEP GOLD DUST**

**BOOK OF ROADS & KINGDOMS** 

- WRITTEN IN CORDOBA (1068)
- **ACCOUNT OF TRAVELLERS FROM SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA**
- **1000 CE: ISLAM STARTED SHOWING UP IN THE GHANA GOVERNMENT TREASURER, INTERPRETER...**

- **DECLINE IS DEBATED** 
  - **IBN KHALDUN (TUNISIAN**

**SCHOLAR) SAID ALMORAVIDS "VEILED** 

**PEOPLE" DEFEATED THEM** 

**BY THE END, GHANA BECAME ISLAMIC & ABSORBED BY MALI** 

# **SUNDIATA KEITA (1217-1255)**

AL

- FOUNDER OF MALÌ
- BORN TO KING & BUFFALO WOMAN (UGLY/HUNCH BACK)
- PHYSICALLY DISABLED
  - DIDN'T WALK TIL OLDER
- KING DIES; SUNDY EXILED
- GAIN SUPPORT OF GHANA ET AL
   RETURN; DEFEATED BAD KING
   1<sup>ST</sup> MANSA OF MALI

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NOTATON OF INFO ON THIS AREA...
MVP= MANSA MUSA
1280-1337

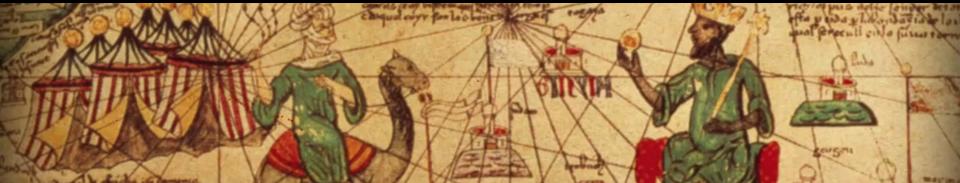
FAMOUS PILGRIM.

- 60K PEOPLE
- TONS OF GOLD

MAL

- BUILT A MOSQU EVERY FRIDAY!
- KNOWN FOR DESTROYING THE MEDITERR. ECON.
   BORROWED MOST OF THE \$\$ ON THE WAY BACK AT HIGH INTEREST TO HELP THE PEOPLE OUT

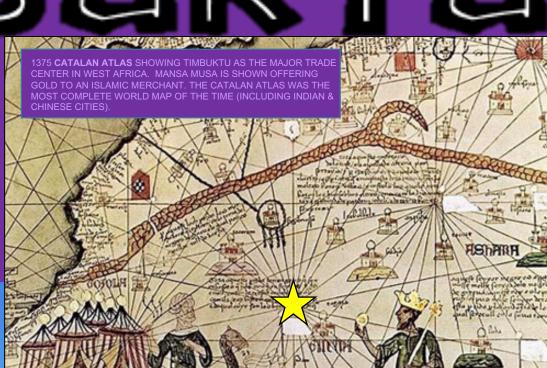
# THE LIONKING?





### DURING THE 12<sup>TH</sup> CENTURY, TIMBUKTU REPLACED AOUDAGHOST AS THE TRADE CENTER OF WEST AFRICA

- ANNEXED BY MANSA MUSA UPON RETURNING FROM HIS HAJJ (1324)
  - **BUILT THE DJINGUERBER MOSQUE (BELOW)**
- ISLAMIC CENTER THAT ATTRACTED SCHOLARS FROM ALL OVER



- CITY THRIVED DURING BOTH THE MALI AND SONGHAI EMPIRES
- TIMBUKTU SERVED AS THE CENTER FOR THE SLAVES/GOLD
- 1591: CITY FELL TO MOROCCAN INVADERS (SEE GHANA)
- TRANS-ATLANTIC TRADE ROUTES SPELLED THE ULTIMATE DOOM FOR TIMBUKTU
  - SLAVE/GOLD TRADE MOVED TO THE COAST

# TIMBUKTU





 SUCCESSION BATTLES DIVIDED THE EMPIRE LEADING TO THE RISE OF SONGHAI
 THE SONGHAI TOOK BACK THE CITY OF GAO
 THE SONGHAI EMPIRE LASTED FOR NEARLY 150 YEARS
 UNDER ABOUT 9 DIAS (KINGS)
 MALI GETS ALL THE PRESS... BUT,

- LARGEST AFRICAN EMPIRE?
- WEALTHIEST SUB SAHARAN EMPIRE?
- MOST POWERFUL SUB SAHARAN E?
- A:SONGHAI EMPIRE

SHORT LIVED (150 Y)...

- MVP→ASKIA MUHAMMAD THE GREAT
  - DEVOUT MUS., TOLERANT OF NON-MUSLIMS

COMPLETED A SIMILAR PILGRIMMAGE TO MANSA MUSA

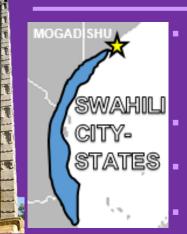
CENTERED AROUND GAO ("GREATEST CITY"-IBN BATTUTA)



KEY STOP BETWEEN ROME-INDIA TRADE
KNOWN FOR STELAE
AFTER 330=CHRIST.
FRIENDLY TIES TO ISLAMIC WORLD

SONGHAI

Niger River



- **GREEKS CALLED IT** 
  - ZANJ
  - "LAND OF THE BLACKS"
- ROSE WITH THE INDIAN OCEAN TRADE NAMED FOR LANGUAGE THAT TOOK HOLD HERE
- BANTU+ARAB=SWAHILI