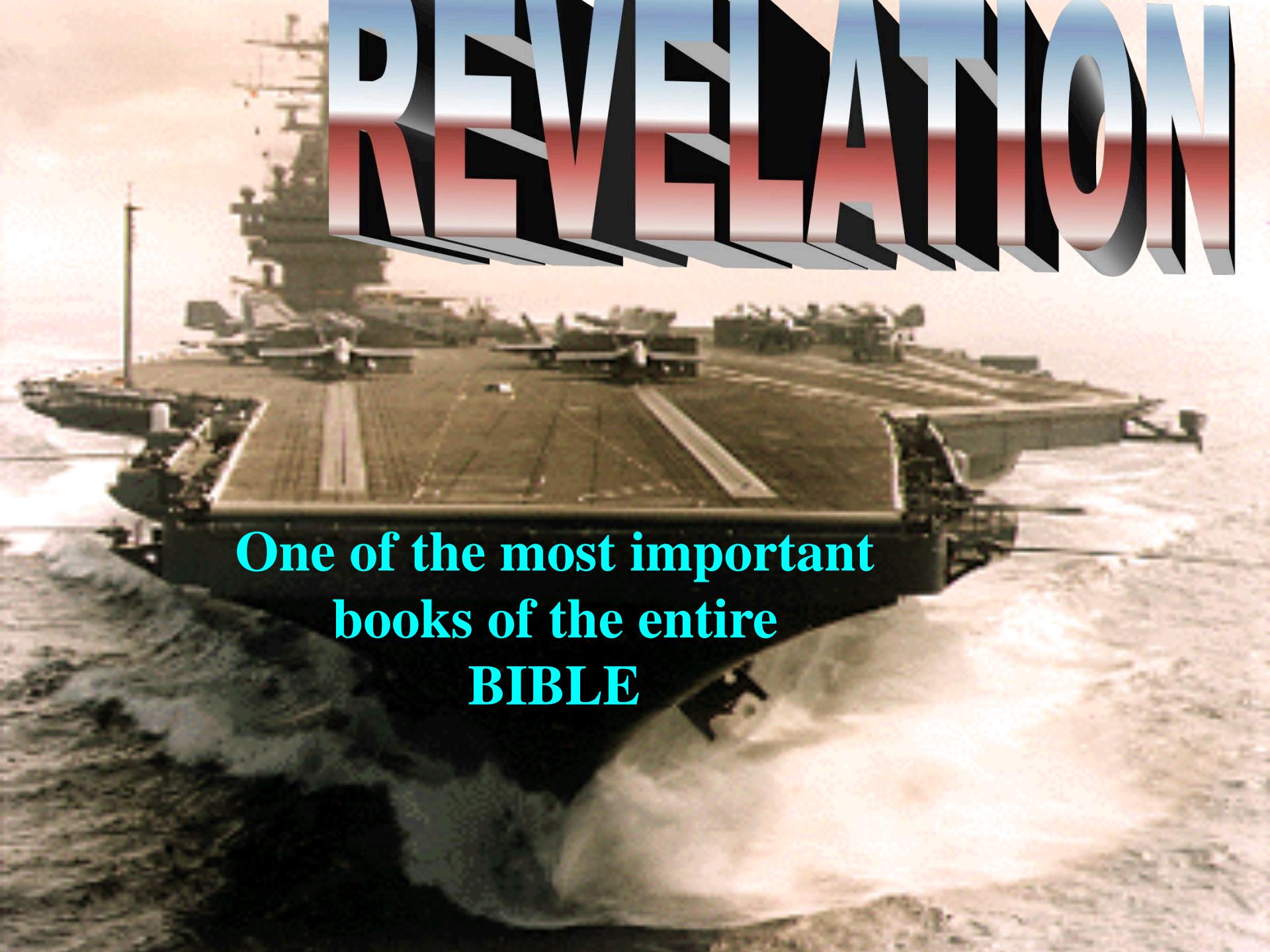


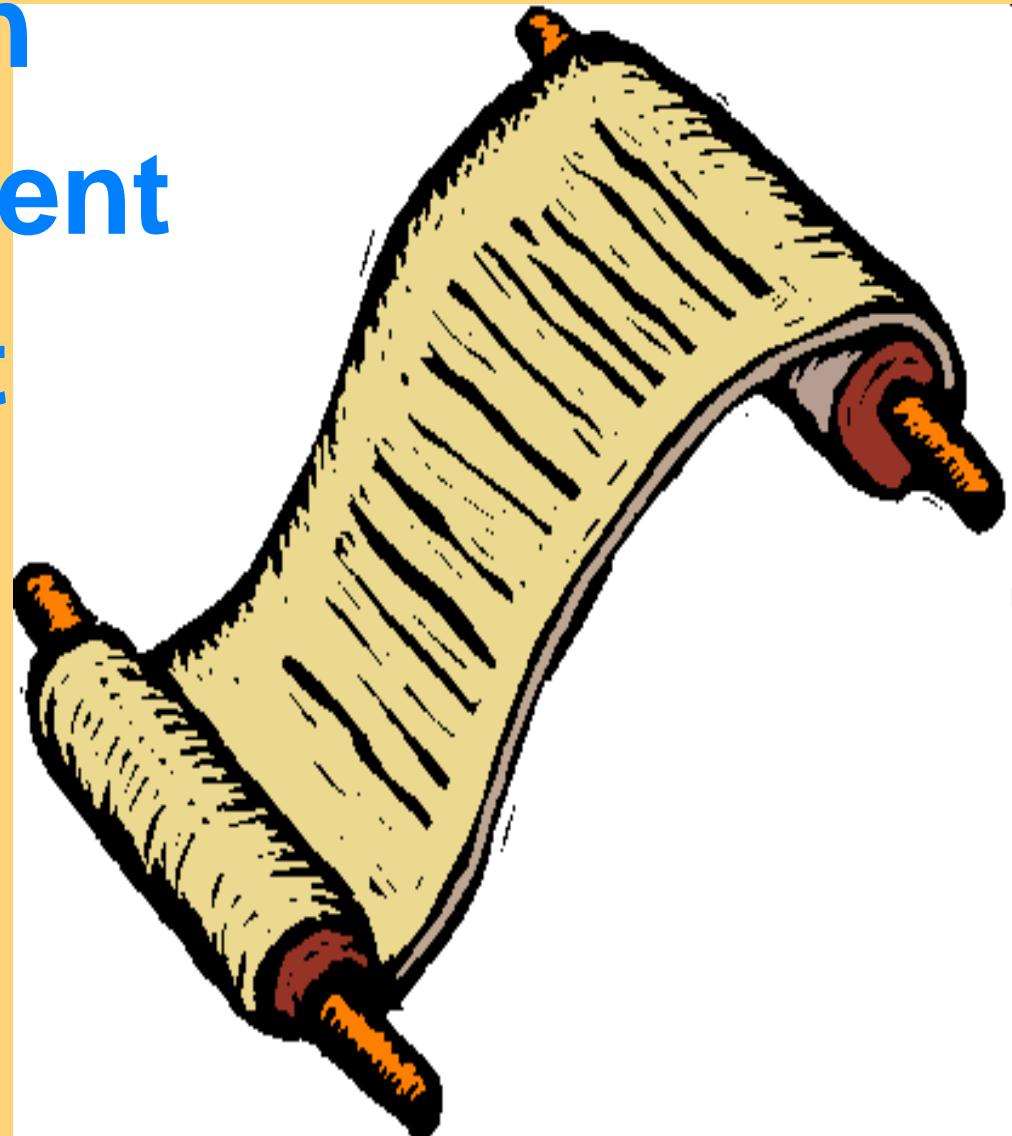
# REVELATION

A large aircraft carrier is shown from a low angle, sailing across a choppy sea towards a horizon where the sky is painted in deep reds and blues of a setting sun. The ship's flight deck is visible, along with its various masts and structures. The overall atmosphere is one of grandeur and historical significance.

**One of the most important  
books of the entire  
BIBLE**

# PATTERN

- 1. Commission**
- 2. Correspondent**
- 3. Compliment**
- 4. Complaint**
- 5. Correction**
- 6. Call**
- 7. Challenge**



# 7 CHURCHES



- Pertinence
- Properties
- Pattern
- Panorama

# ESSENCE

- |                          |                   |
|--------------------------|-------------------|
| <b>1. Ephesus -</b>      | <b>Lost Love</b>  |
| <b>2. Smyrna -</b>       | <b>Suffering</b>  |
| <b>3. Pergamum -</b>     | <b>Compromise</b> |
| <b>4. Thyatira -</b>     | <b>Apostasy</b>   |
| <b>5. Sardis -</b>       | <b>Deadness</b>   |
| <b>6. Philadelphia -</b> | <b>Faithful</b>   |
| <b>7. Laodicea -</b>     | <b>Lukewarm</b>   |

# PANORAMA

- Doctrinal Purity
- Practical Life
- Evil Dangers
- Future Perspective

# EPHESUS

## 1. Circumstances







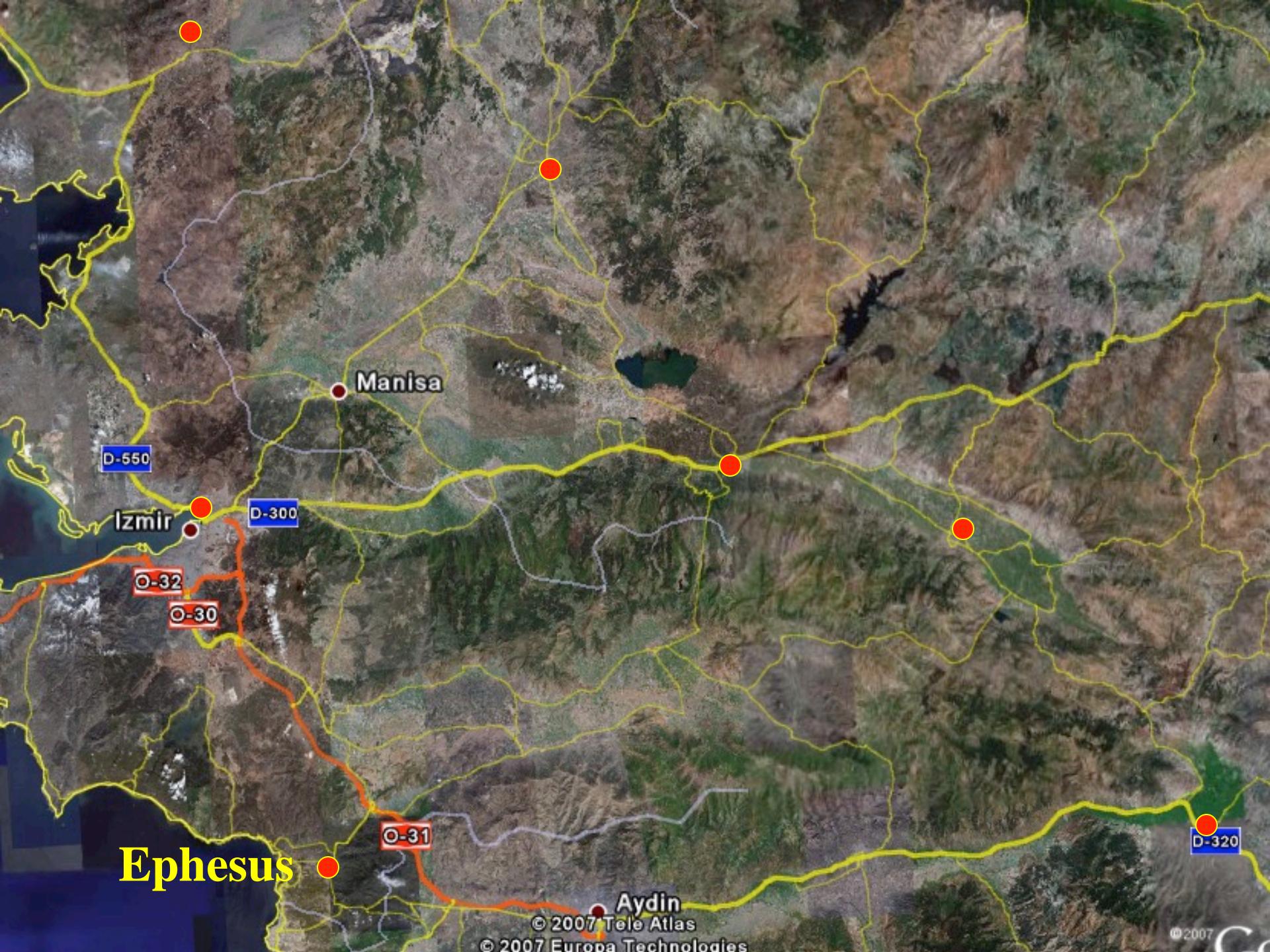


# Qusadassi Harbor



# Ephesus area of Temple of Artemis





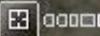
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Selçuk

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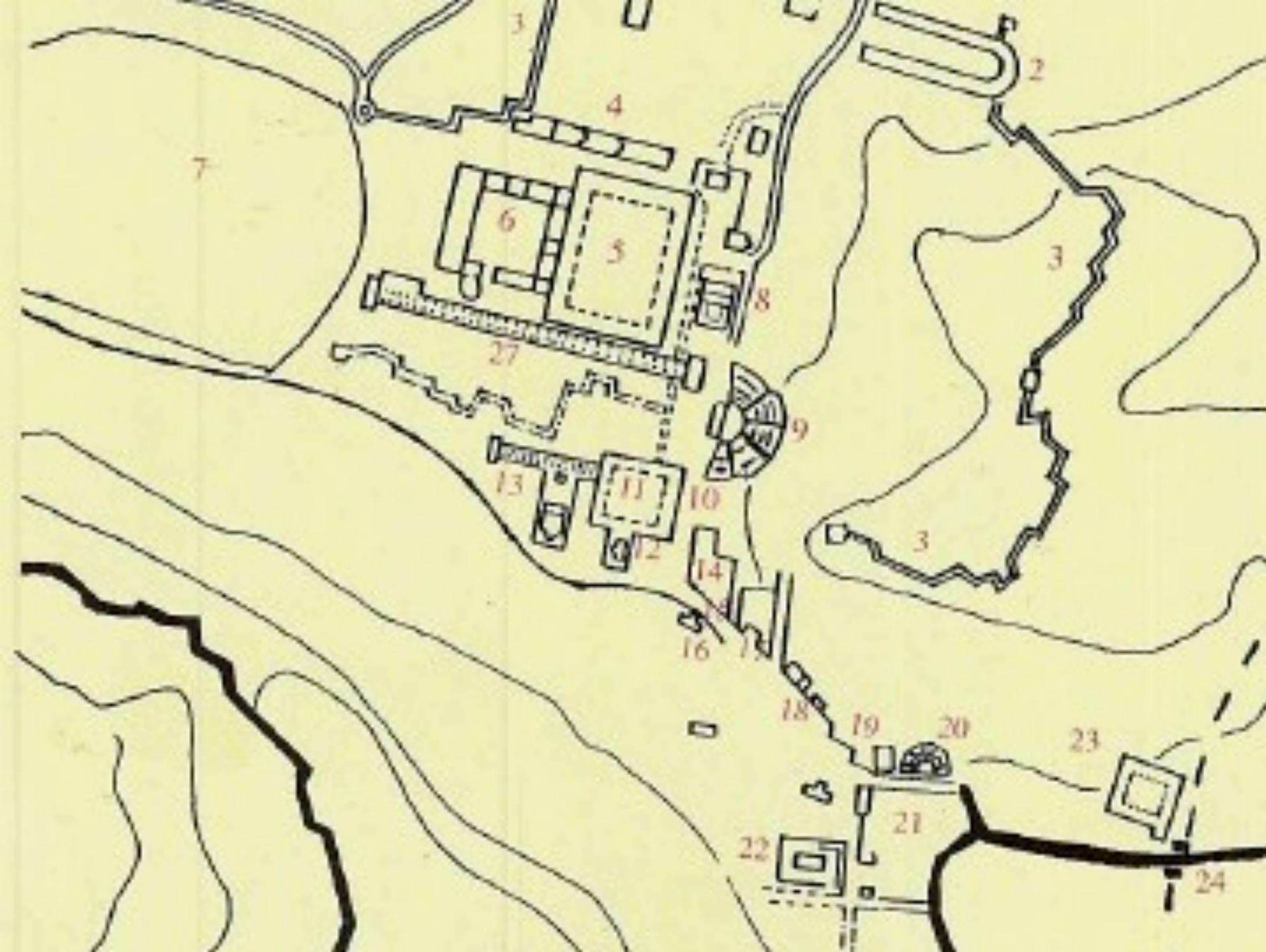
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Temple  
of Artemis

Harbor

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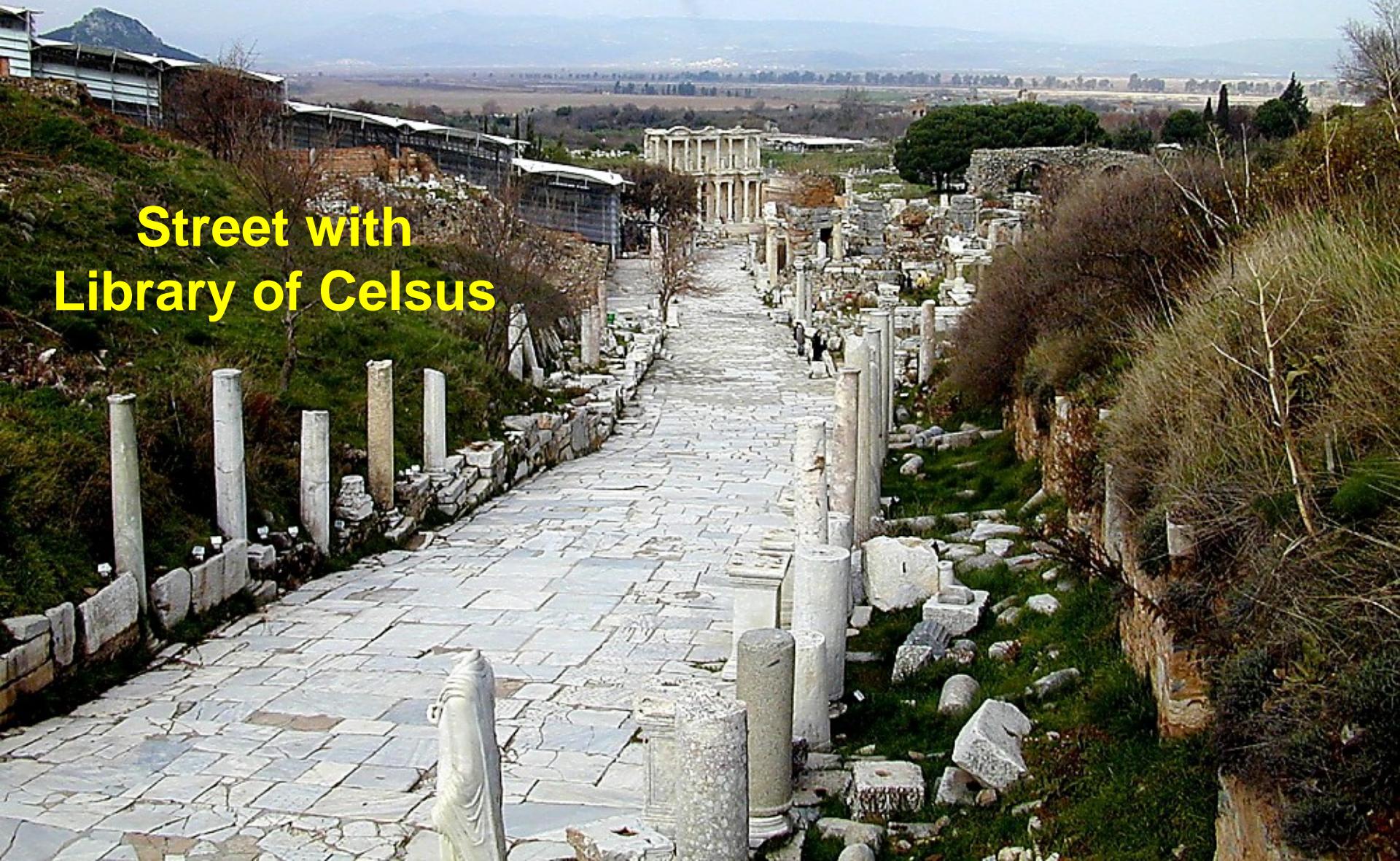


# Emperor Domitian

# Ephesus Street



# Street with Library of Celsus



# Library of Celsus





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# Library of Celsus



A photograph of an archaeological site, likely Ephesus, featuring ancient stone structures, including a small theater and a street with columns. A group of tourists is visible on the right. The foreground shows grass and scattered stone fragments.

# Street and Small Theater

## Frescoes in House



# Bathhouse Caldarium







**475' x 98'  
25,000**

An aerial photograph of the ancient Greek city of Ephesus in Turkey. The image shows the well-preserved ruins of the amphitheater in the foreground, with its tiered seating and stage area. In the middle ground, a large, paved rectangular area, likely a portico or a public square, is visible. A straight, paved road, identified as the Appian Way, extends from this area towards the horizon. The surrounding landscape is a mix of green fields, some modern infrastructure like roads and small buildings, and distant mountains under a clear blue sky.

**Appian Way  
To Harbor**

A photograph of a wooden walkway made of weathered planks, leading up a steep, rocky hillside. The hillside is covered in large, light-colored stones and some green vegetation. On the left side of the walkway, there are several long, low stone benches. The sky is clear and blue.

**There is  
nothing new  
under the sun!**

# Ephesus Street and Civic Agora





**Commercial Agora**



A photograph of an archaeological site, likely the Temple of Artemis at Sardis. The foreground shows a grassy area with scattered large stone blocks. In the middle ground, there is a clearing with more stone fragments and a small, low wall made of stacked stones. To the left, a white informational sign on a wooden post stands near some trees. The background features a dense line of tall evergreen trees, rolling hills, and a clear sky. The text "Temple of Artemis" is overlaid in yellow in the lower right quadrant.

**Temple of Artemis**

**Artemis, 1st c AD  
World-wide**





# Temple of Artemis

**60' Column  
127 columns**



**Hadrian Temple,  
2nd c AD**



# 7 ANGELS

- Pastors
- Prophets
- Messengers
- Personification
- Guardians
- Witness



# EPHESUS

- 1. Circumstances
- 2. Correspondent - 2:1
- 3. Compliment - 2:2-3







Appian Way



ΓΛΥΠΤΟΣ  
ΕΦΕΣΙΟΝ  
ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΟΝ

ΟΝΑΝΟΥ ΙΑΝΩΝ ΙΑΖ

# EPHESUS

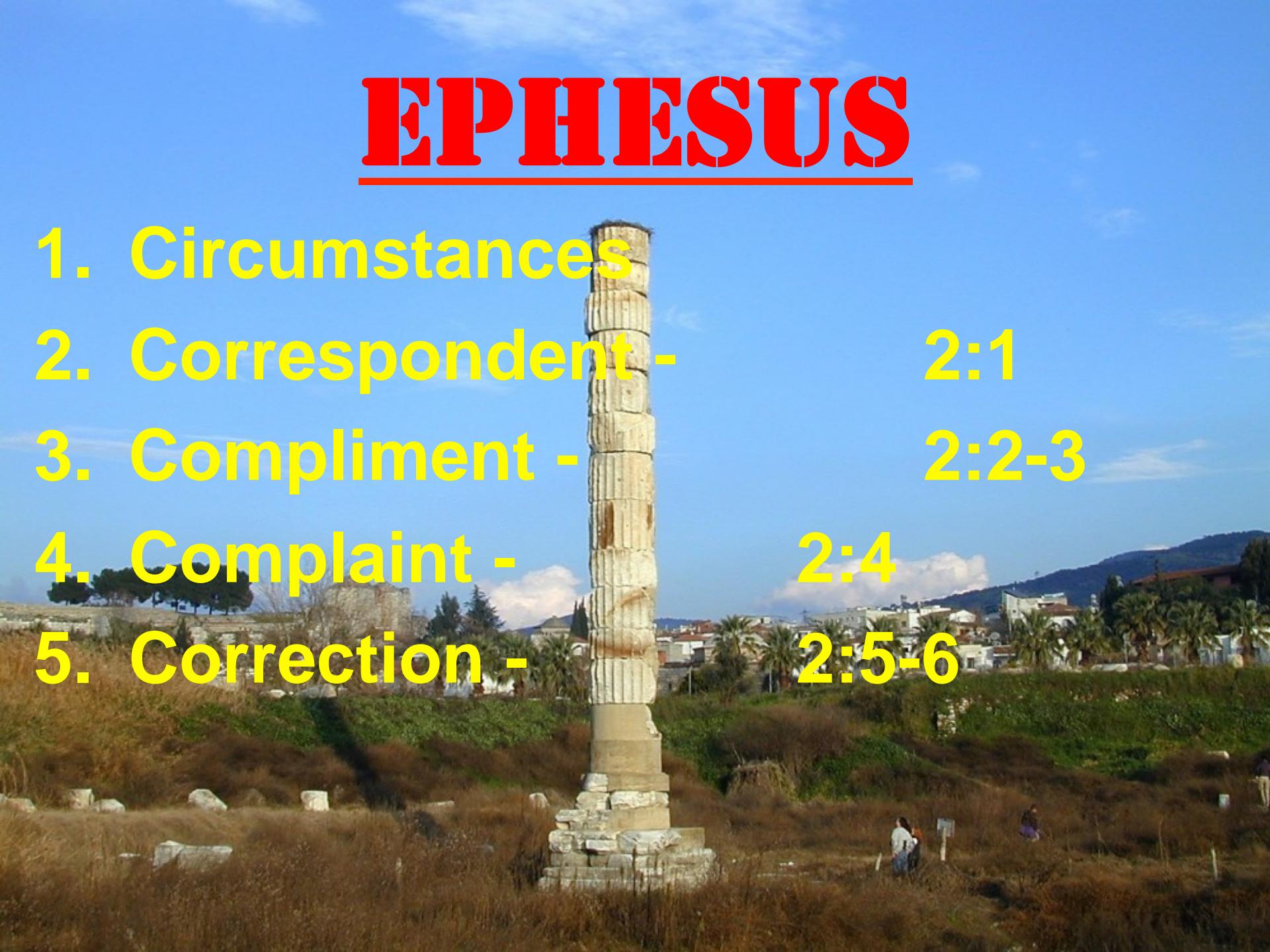
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- 1. Circumstances
  - 2. Correspondent - 2:1
  - 3. Compliment - 2:2-3
  - 4. Complaint - 2:4

**Lost love for Lord  
& replaced with  
cold orthodoxy**



**Small Theater**

# EPHESUS

- 
1. Circumstances
2. Correspondent - 2:1
3. Compliment - 2:2-3
4. Complaint - 2:4
5. Correction - 2:5-6

# CORRECTION

- Remember
- Repent
- Repeat
- Or Removal

# EPHESUS

- 
1. Circumstances
2. Correspondent - 2:1
3. Compliment - 2:2-3
4. Complaint - 2:4
5. Correction - 2:5-6
6. Call - 2:7
7. Challenge

# 7 CHURCHES

1. Ephesus - lost love
2. Smyrna -

