

GENESIS - EXPOSITION

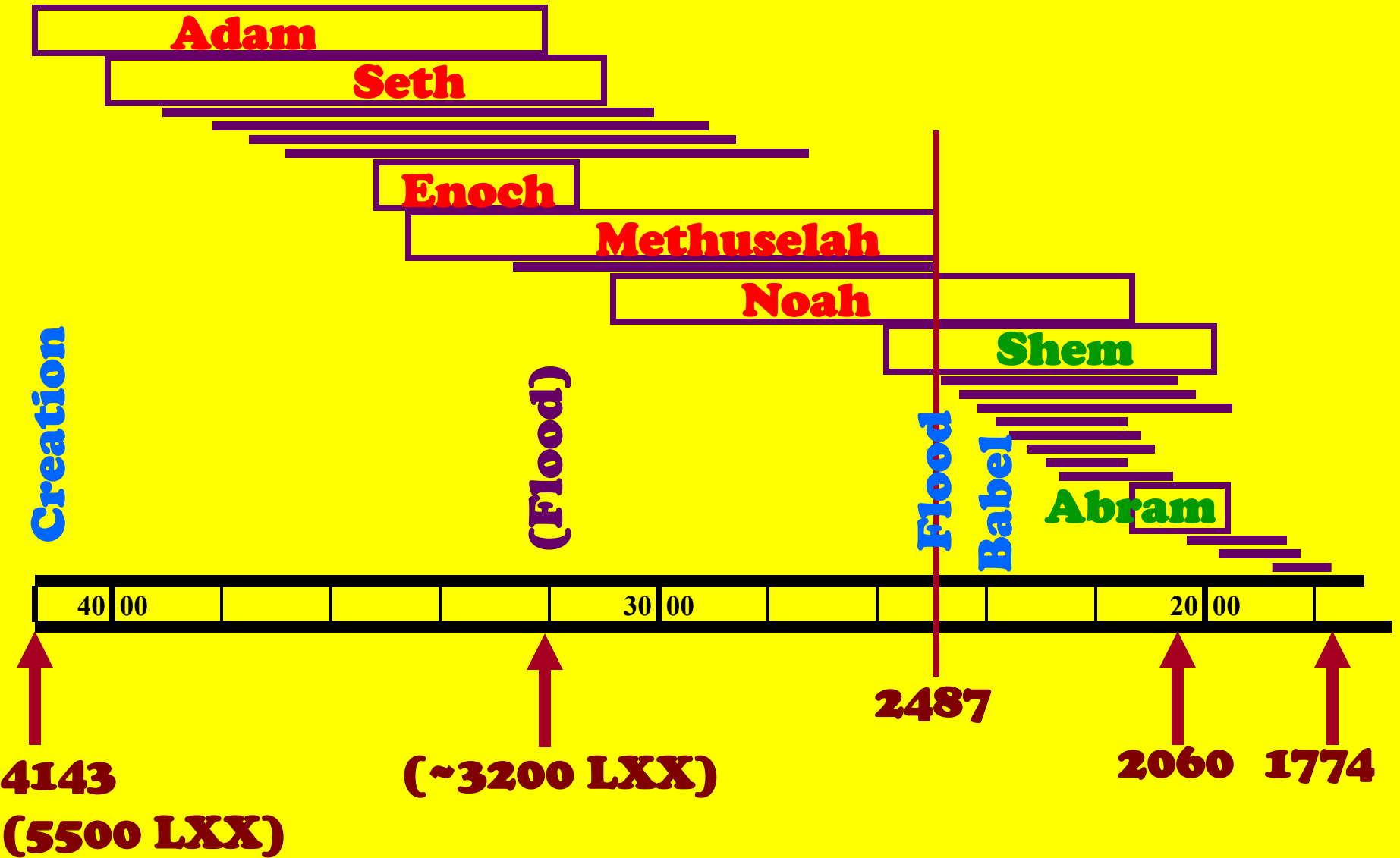
The background of the slide is a deep space image of a galaxy, likely the Andromeda Galaxy, showing a dense field of stars and a bright central core. A prominent blue star with a four-pointed diffraction pattern is visible in the lower-left quadrant of the galaxy's core area.

Genesis 11

ISSUES

- 1. What happened after Babel?**
- 2. What is view of secular history?**
- 3. What is the chronology of
modern archaeology?**
- 4. What is the biblical chronology?**

GENESIS CHRONOLOGY



GENESIS Outline

- I. Primeval History** 1:1-11:26
- II. Patriarchal History** 11:27-50:26
 - A. History of Abraham** 11:27-25:18
 - 1. Early Development** 11:27-14:24
 - a. Call** 11:27-12:9
 - 1) Background** 11:27-32

NEW DISPENSTION

1. 3rd new beginning
entire race -> 1 man/family

11:27-12:9

“Israel would learn by this account that their very existence as a nation was by God’s election of one man who responded by faith. ... rooted in the will of God. Thus, as they heard their call to leave Egypt ... they would know that faith in the promises would be demonstrated by obedience to the call”

Allen Ross

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- 1. 3rd new beginning**
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- 2. New Covenant - Abrahamic**
- 3. Heightened conflict of good/evil**
- 4. Curse continues - birth/death**
- 5. Foundation of world history**

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TOLEDOTH

1. 2:4 - Heaven & Earth
2. 5:1 - Adam
3. 6:9 - Noah
4. 10:1 - Sons of Noah
5. 11:10 - Shem
6. 11:27 - Terah

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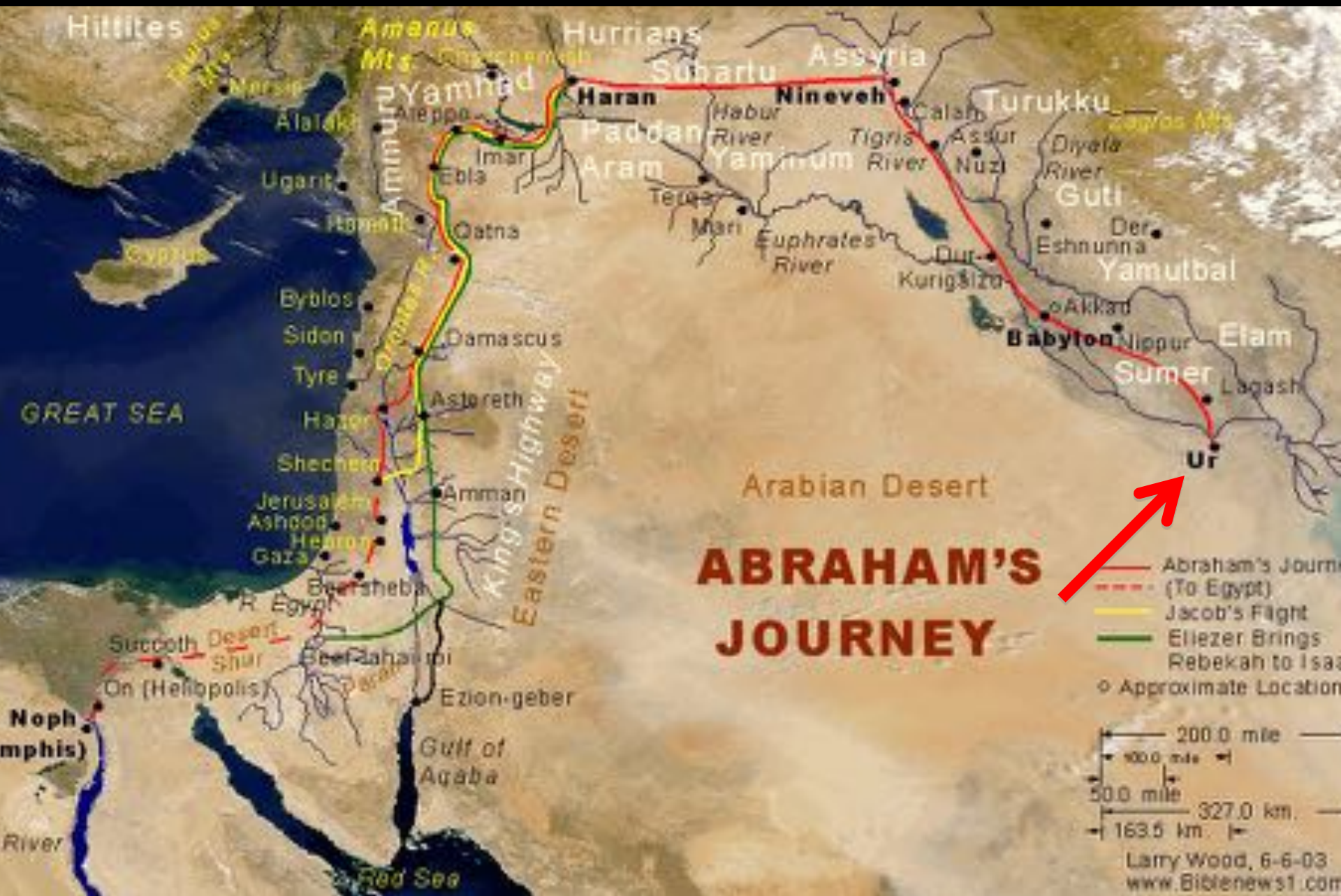
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ABRAHAM'S JOURNEY

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- 1. Location - SE of Babylon**
- 2. Sumer capital - high civilization**
- 3. Culture - art, writing, schools, oldest law code**
- 4. Economy - wealthy**
- 5. Idolatry - moon god
Ziggurat**



Great Ziggurat - Ur

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- 3. Haran -> Milcah/Nahor's ->**
Bethuel -> Rebekah
(Isaac's wife, 24:24)

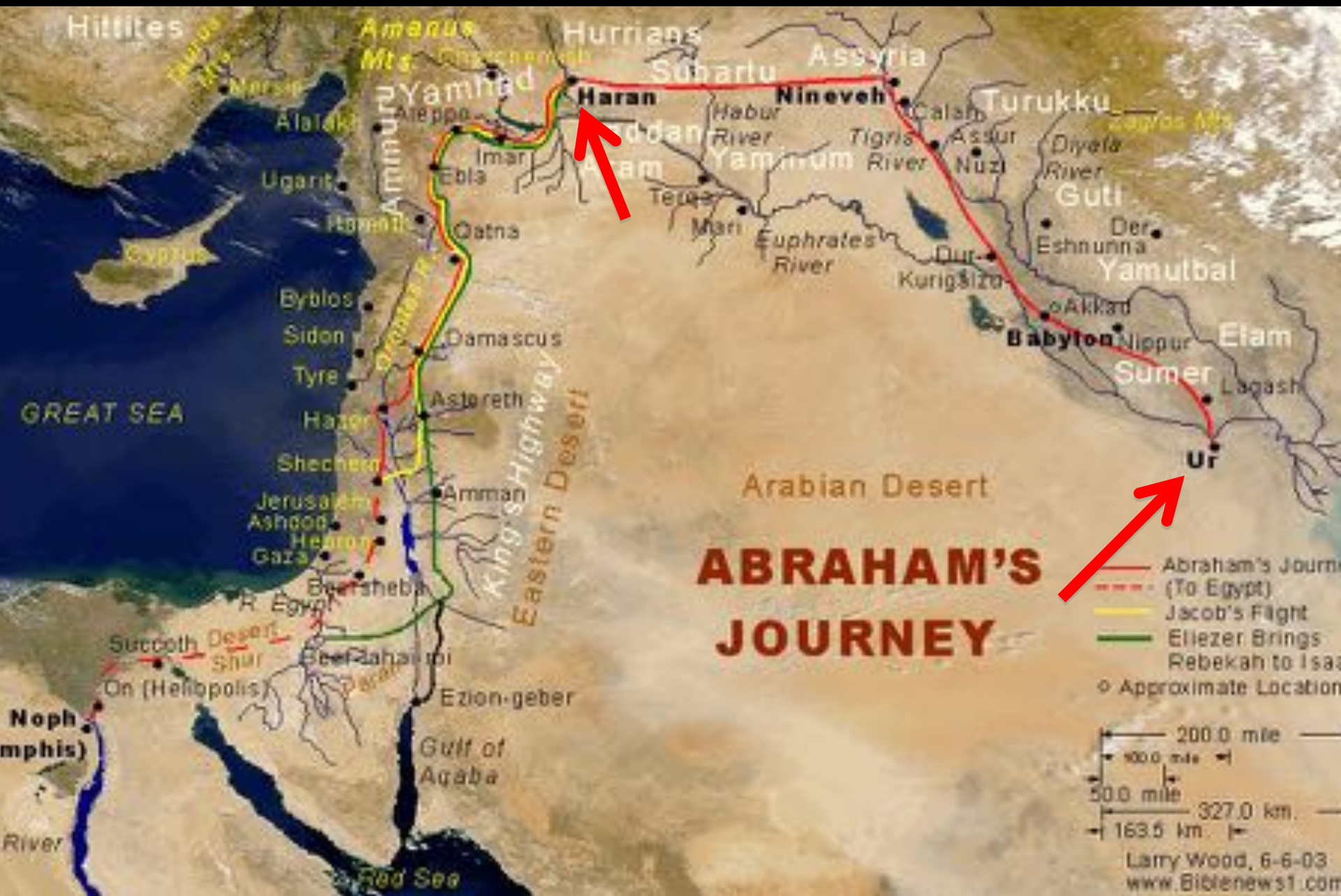
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no child.**

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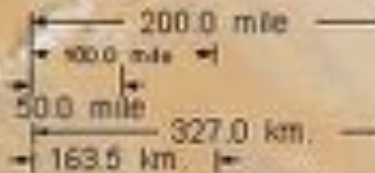
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ABRAHAM'S JOURNEY

- Abraham's Journey (To Egypt)
- Jacob's Flight
- Eliezer Brings Rebekah to Isaac
- Approximate Location



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- 5. How do we explain rapid development of culture?**

FLOOD to ABRAHAM

Sumerians – 1st 25 dynasties

Egypt – 1st 12 dynasties

Dyn 1 (~2290)

Dyn 4 (~2100)

Ice Age

Noah

Shem

Abram

Flood

Babel

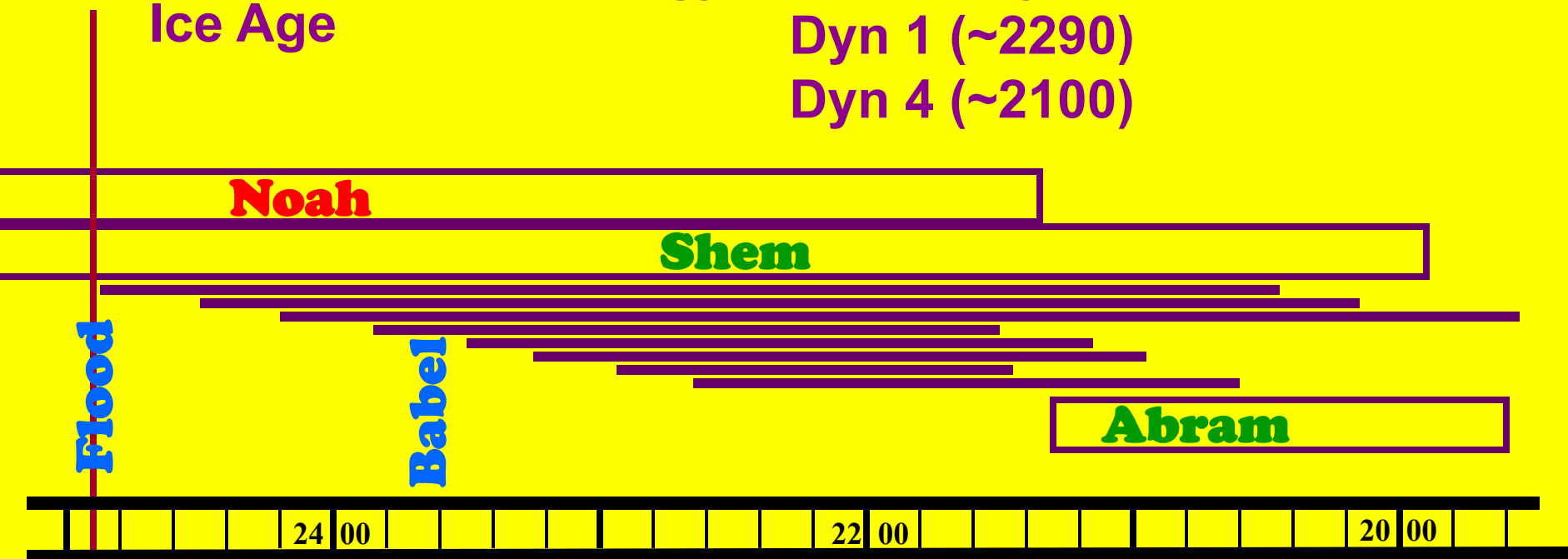
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“Ancient cultures all over the world show links of intelligence in areas of architecture, religion, mathematical abilities and astronomical understanding”

Don Landis

HIGH TECHNOLOGY

- 1. Pre-Flood artifacts**
- 2. Sophisticated Architecture**
- 3. Astronomical Knowledge**

30' tall
25 tons



Stonehenge
near Salisbury, England

Mayan Observatory at Chichen Itza

El Caracol





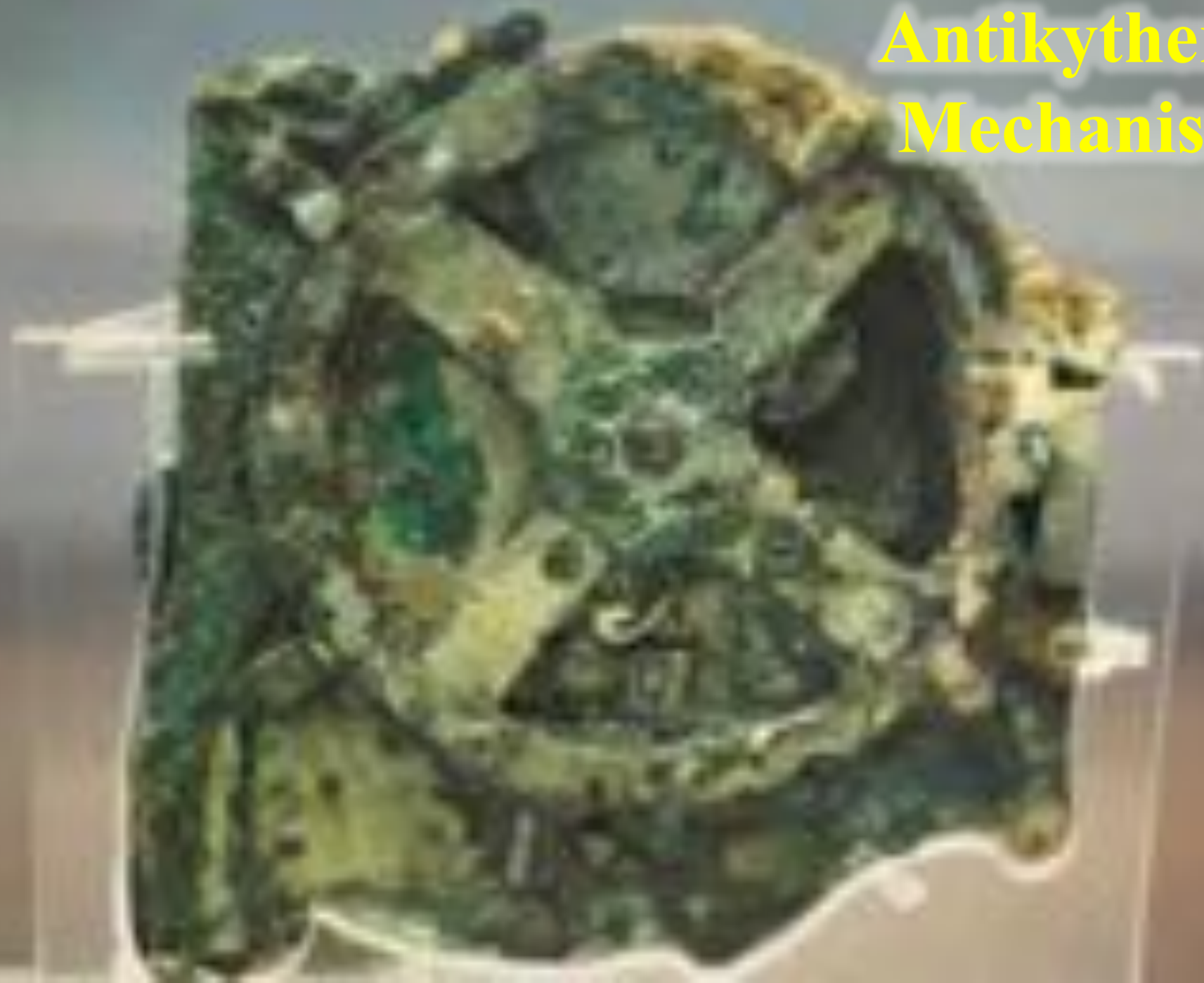
Chankillo In Peru
2300 yrs old

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Antikythera Mechanism



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“What is now fairly clearly established is that civilization, the arts and trades, and organized city life, with the division of labour, social stratification, a leisure class, written records, and so forth, began, in so far as the Middle East is concerned, with these Sumerians.”

Arthur Custance

Isis with Hatshepsut & Horus-Ra At Hatshepsut Temple





Amun-Ra at Hatshepsut Temple



Khufu (Cheops) (~2100) & Khafre (1800)
white limestone on top of 2nd

The image shows a close-up, low-angle view of the Great Pyramid of Khufu. The pyramid's surface is composed of numerous layers of light-colored limestone blocks, showing some weathering and shadowing. The sky is a clear, bright blue. The text is overlaid on the image in a yellow, bold, sans-serif font.

The Great Pyramid Khufu (Cheops)

Aligned to
Constellation
Orion

>3 Million limestone
blocks - 2.5-15 tons

13 acres
Level to 7/8"



**3 million blocks -
@ 72 hrs/wk, 40 yrs =
20 blocks/hr**

White Limestone Casing Stones

Pyramid of Khafre





Bent Pyramid



Bent Pyramid outer casing

Peru



Bolivia

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Sacsayhuaman

Nazca

Puma Punku

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Puma Punku in Bolivia



Puma Punku





Gate of Sun

Sacsayhuaman





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Easter Island





Humming Bird

175'x310'



Spider

150'

National Geographic

Monkey

310' across



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- 6. World Maps**

“The evidence presented by the ancient maps appears to suggest that in remote times, before the rise of any of the known cultures, of a true civilization, of a comparatively advanced sort, which either was localized in one area but had worldwide commerce, or was, in a real sense, a worldwide culture.”

Charles Hapgood

WORLD MAPS

1. Circumference of Earth
2. Details on every Continent
3. Spherical Trigonometry
4. Antarctica's shorelines
5. Remnant glaciers

**North
America**

Spain

Africa

**South
America**

**Piri Reis
World Map
(1513 AD)**

Antartica



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