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AFRICAN TIMELINE
KEMET, WEST & EAST AFRICA

KEMET (Ancient Egypt)

5900 BCE - Birth of Kingship in Ta-Seti/Nubia- First King on earth.

5660-4188 BCE – THE OLD KINGDOM – Dynasties 1-7 Pharaoh

Mena/Narmer 1st King of Unified Egypt (Kemet).

Great Pyramid & Giza Plateau

Saqqara Funery Complex

The Sphinx

4188-3448 BCE - 1st Intermediate Period Dynasties 7-10.

Internal Conflict caused the demise of Pharonic rule.

3448-3182 BCE - MIDDLE KINGDOM Dynasties 11-12

Pharaoh Mentuhotep II reunifies Kemet .

Building of The Labyrinth – the largest building in antiquity.

3182-1709 BCE 2nd Intermediate Period. Dynasties 13-17

The Hyksos (Caucasians) rule Kemet & Nubian independence.

1709-1095 BCE - NEW KINGDOM- Dynasties 18-20

Pharaoh Ahmose and Queen Ahmose-Nefertari reunify Kemet

Queen Hapshepsut. Amenhotep I II III IV. Rameses II & III

Karnak & Luxor complex.

**1089 BCE – Dynasties 21-25. End of Kemetic Rulers - Kushite/
Nubian Pharaohs rule Kemet.**

Shabaqo. Kandace Queens.

Fall Of Kemet

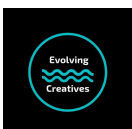
663 BCE Assyrians conquer Kemet.

525 BCE Persians conquer Kemet.

332 BCE Greeks conquer Kemet

30 BCE Romans conquer Kemet.

708 ACE Arabs conquer Kemet.



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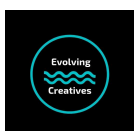
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WEST AFRICA – TIMELINE

- 4290-250BCE** Early evidence of Iron smelting, manufacturing, arts & crafts in the **Nok, Igbo, and Yoruba** regions.
- 1000-250BCE** Stone masonry villages and later cities appear in Tichitt-Walata, and Djenne, West Africa.
- 300-1240ACE** - The rise of **Ancient Ghana** as a Kingdom, grows into an empire **700ACE**.
- 1240-1464ACE** – Rise of the **Malian** Empire, West Africa.
- 1464-1660ACE** – Rise of the **Songhai** Empire, West Africa.
- 550ACE** - **Glass** is manufactured in **Yoruba** city of Ife-Ife.
- 800ACE** - City of **Eredo** is built in Southwestern Nigeria. Largest of it's kind in the world.
- 1116ACE** - Castle with glass windows built in in **Kumbi-Saleh**, capital city of Songhai.
- 1441ACE** - The **Portuguese** begin the first **European** raids to **enslave African** people- creating the **transatlantic** slave trade.
- 1562ACE** - Englishman **Sir John Hawkins** becomes an important slave trader on behalf of **Queen Elizabeth I**

EAST AFRICA – TIMELINE

- 13,000BCE** - Cattle domesticated in Kenya.
- 4200-1710BC** – **Kerma**, capital city of **Kush**, rises to prominence. Ancient Kush vies with Kemet for dominance.
- 1005BCE** - **Queen Makeda** ascends to the thrones of Ethiopian & Yemen.
- 50ACE** - **AXUM** rises to prominence under **King Zoscales**. East Africa ships documented crossing the Indian Ocean.
- 750ACE** - **Mosques** first appear on East African coast.
- 916ACE** - **East African Cities** trade with **India, Oman, and China**.
- 1153ACE** - **East Africa** exports superior iron, considered the best steel manufactured in the world.
- 1180ACE** - **Emperor Lalibela** begins construction of underground churches in **Roha**.
- 1414ACE** - City of **Malinda** sends Giraffe to Emperor of China.

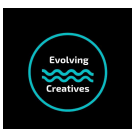




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**1505ACE -
Mombassa.**

Portugese burn Swahili cities of **Kilwa &**



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