

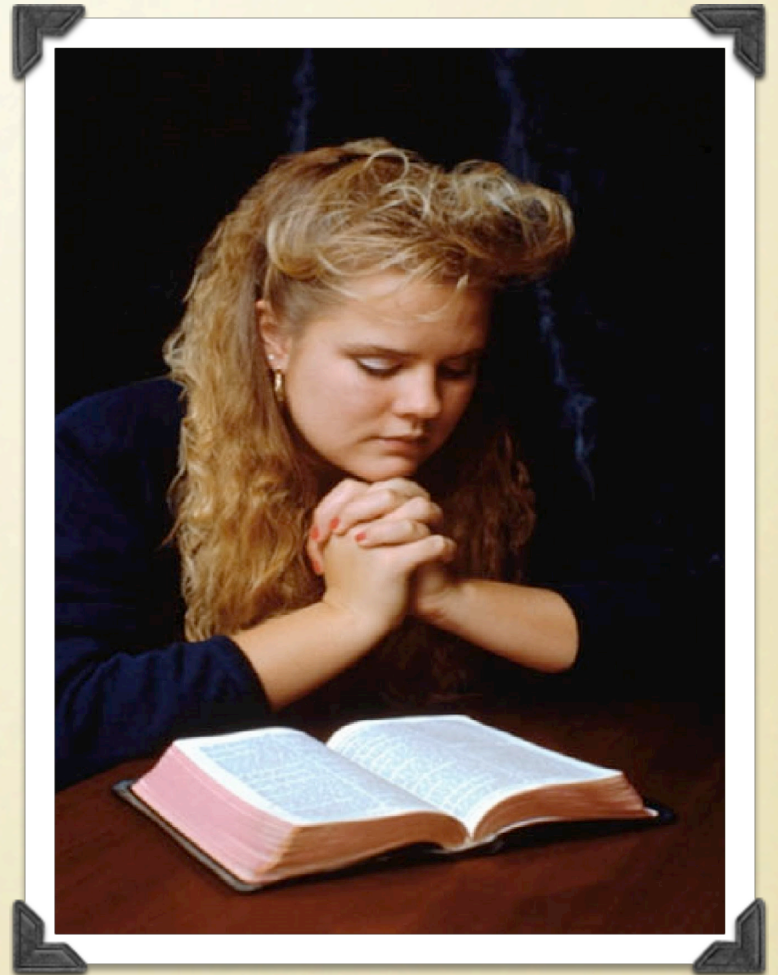
ARCHAEOLOGY
and the BIBLE



*Part IV: Illumination
of the Old Testament*

Illumination of the Old Testament

- How does archaeology illuminate the Bible?
 - By shedding light on the historical contexts of Scripture
 - By demonstrating that God's people did not live in a "vacuum"



The Behistun Monument



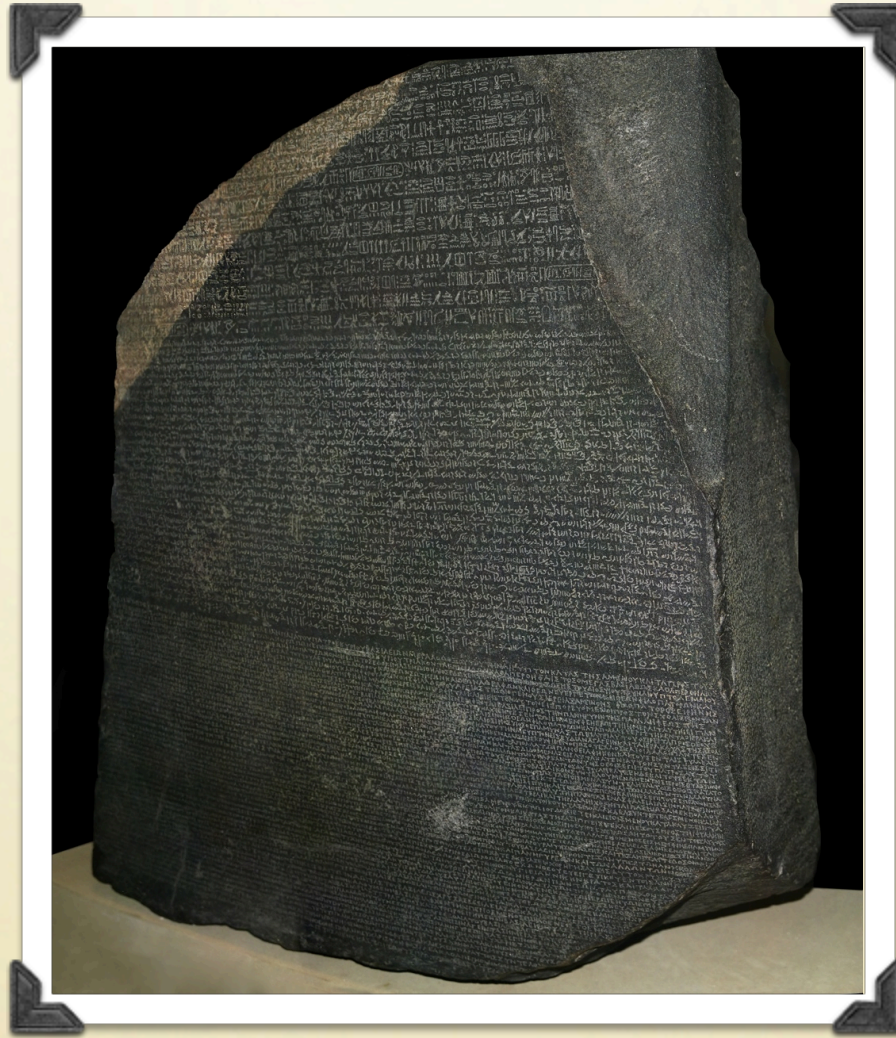
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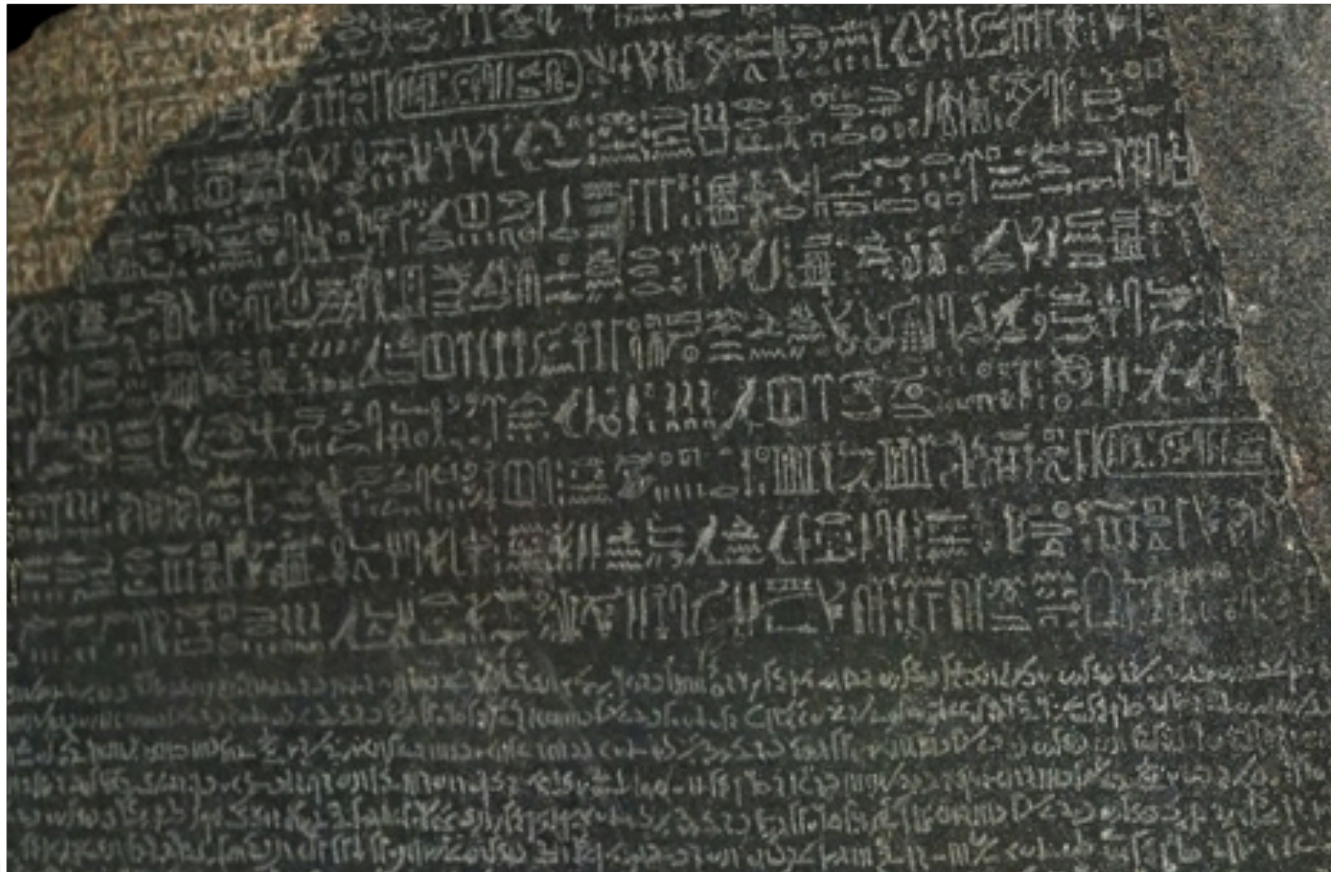
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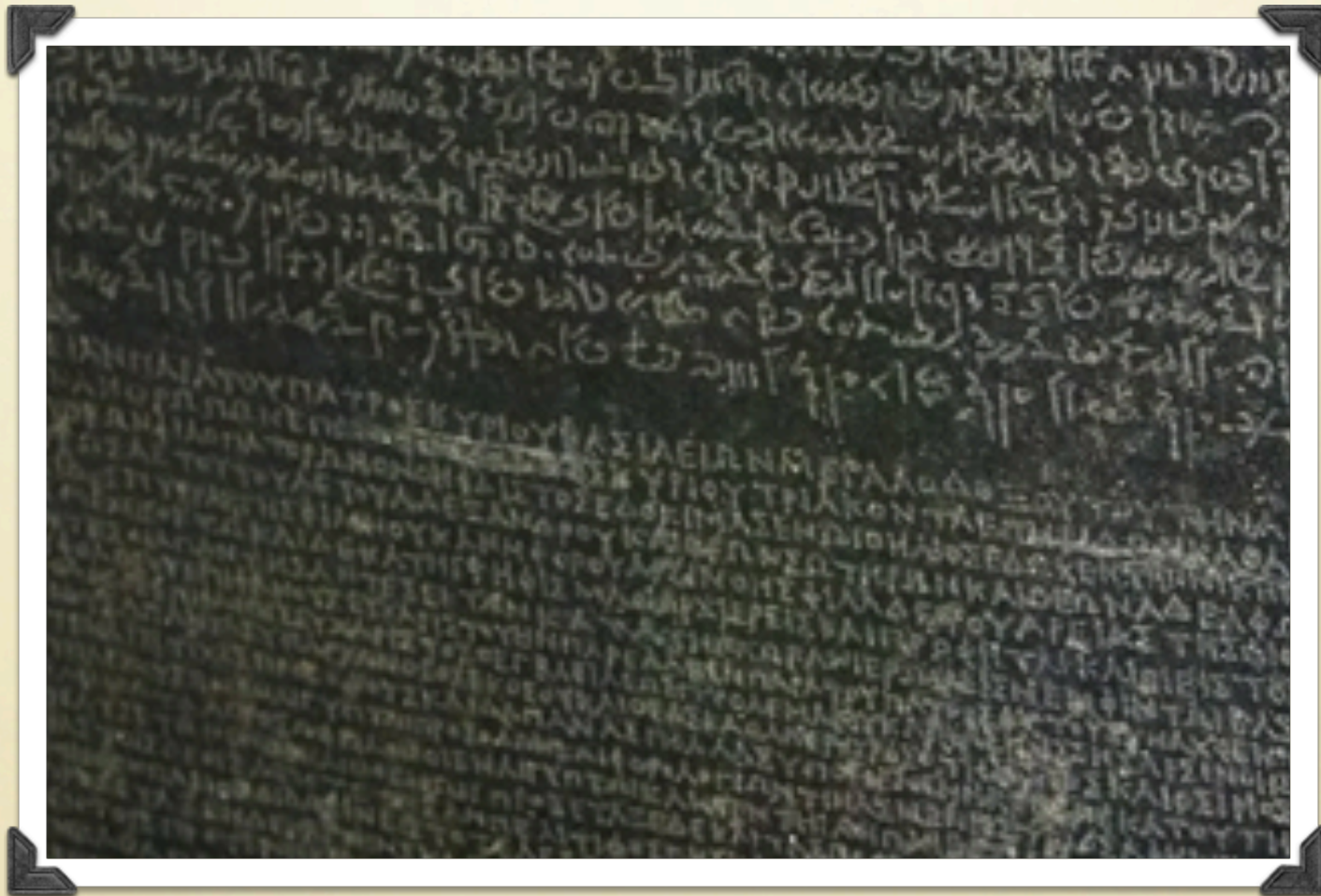
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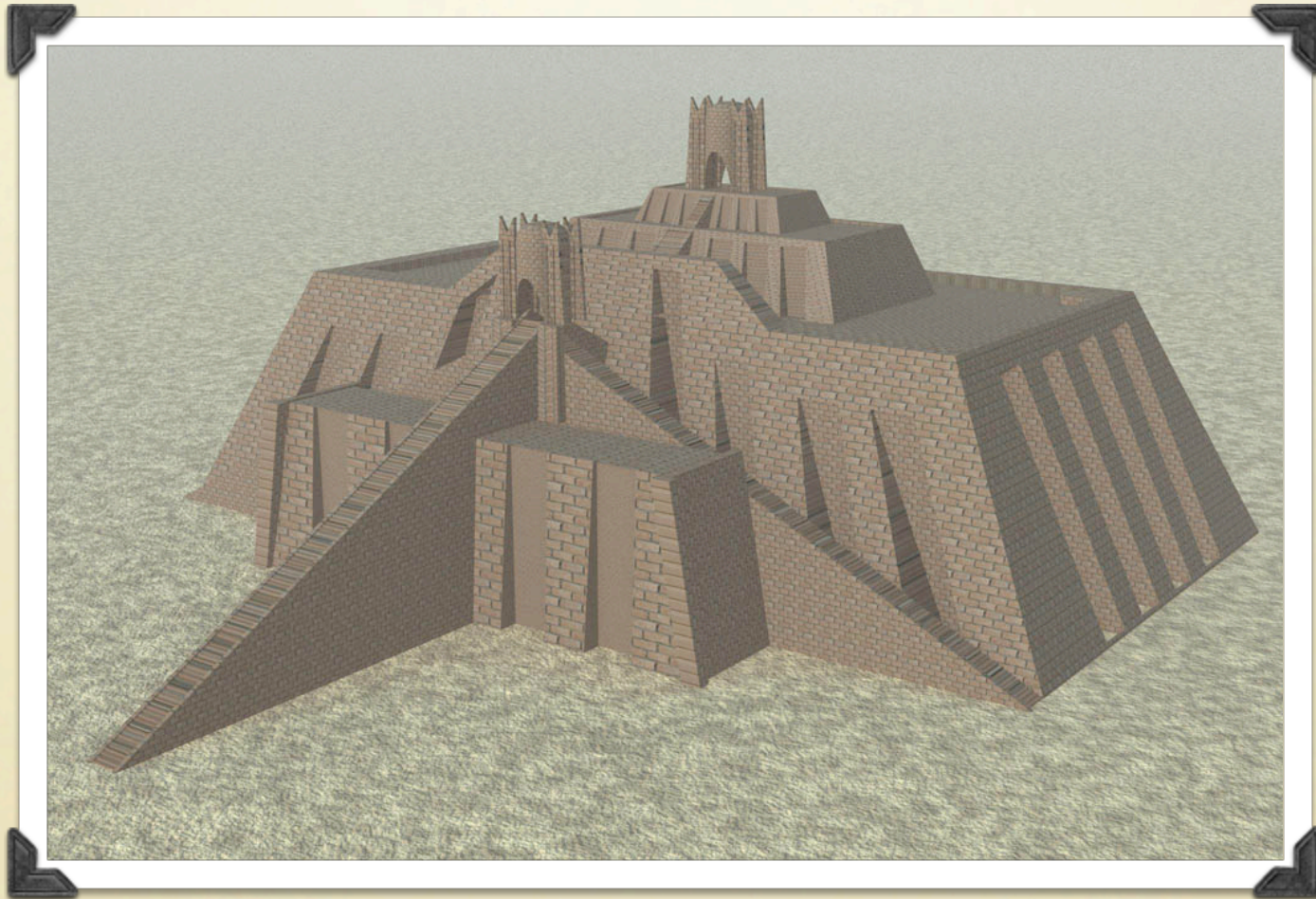
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Ziggurat at Ur



Ziggurat Reconstruction



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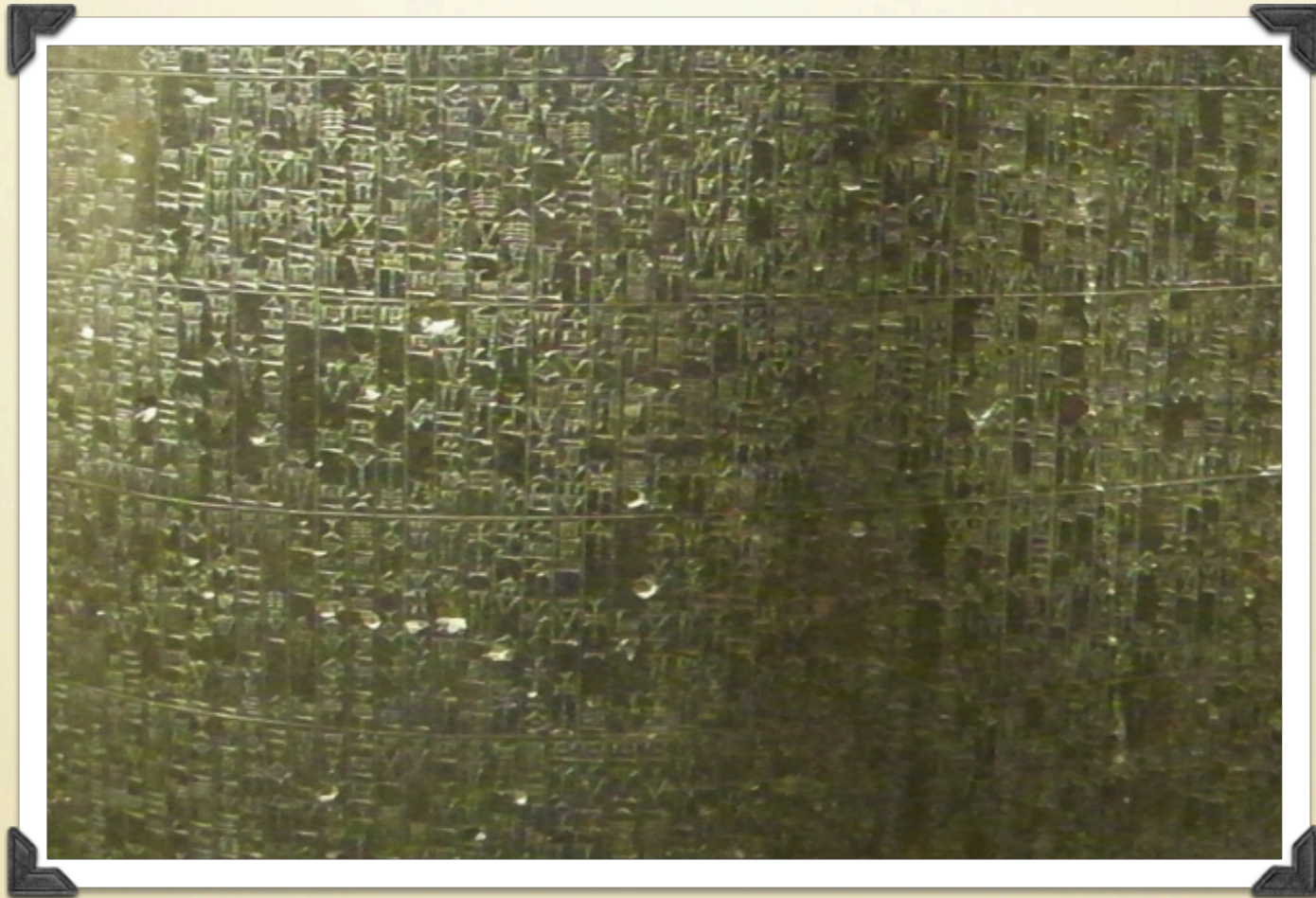
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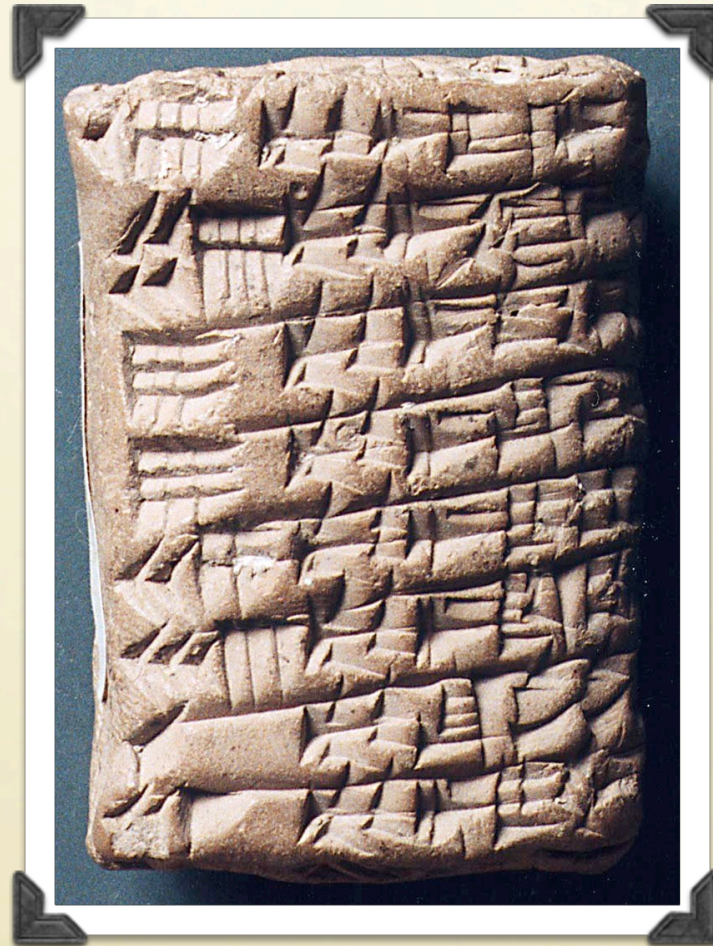
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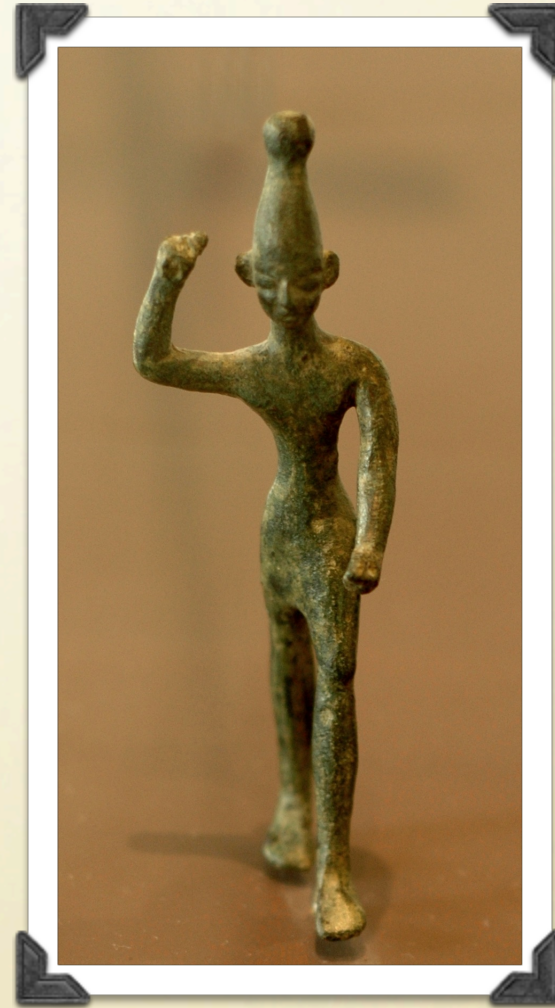
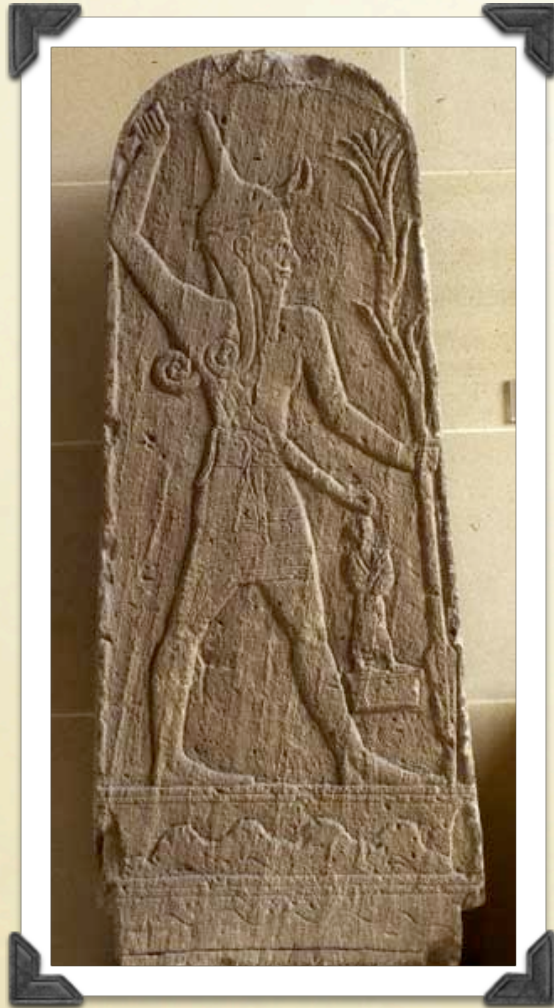
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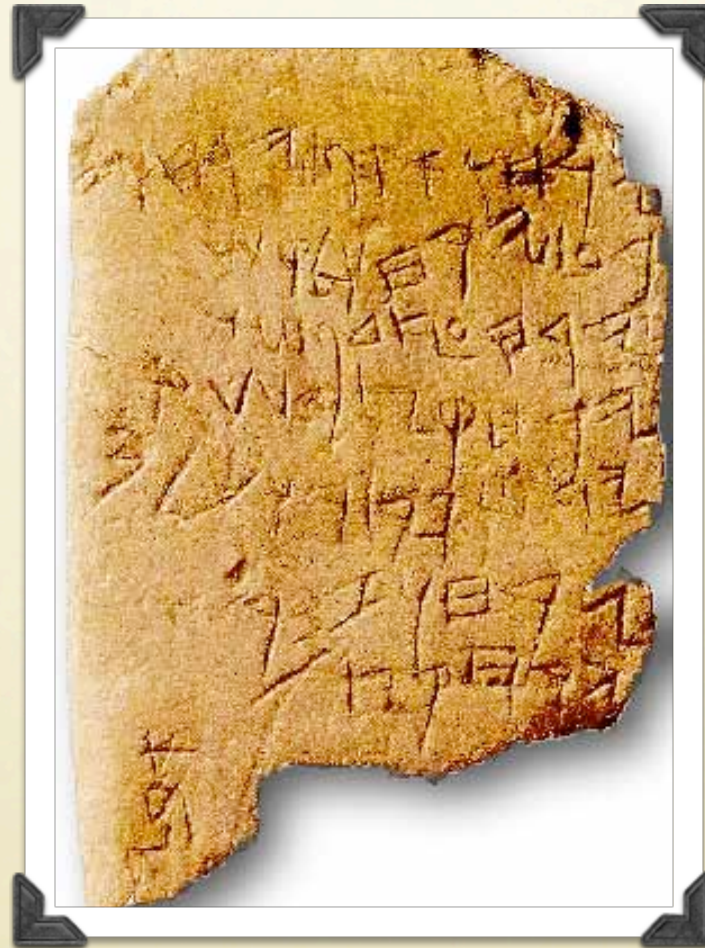
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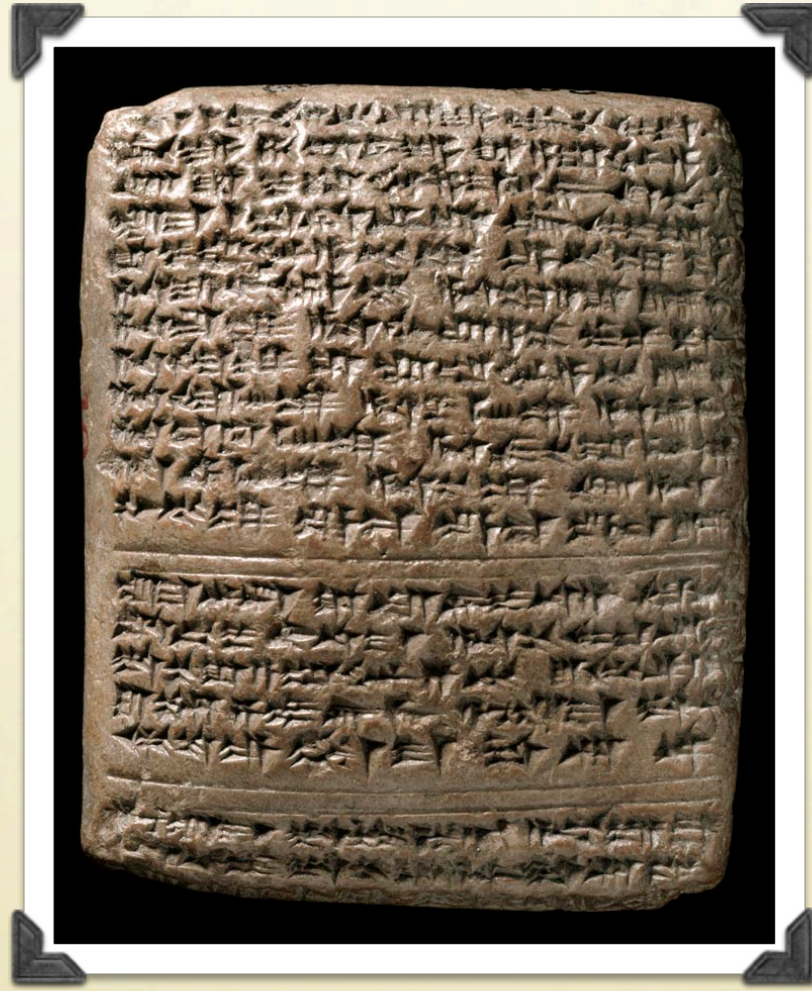
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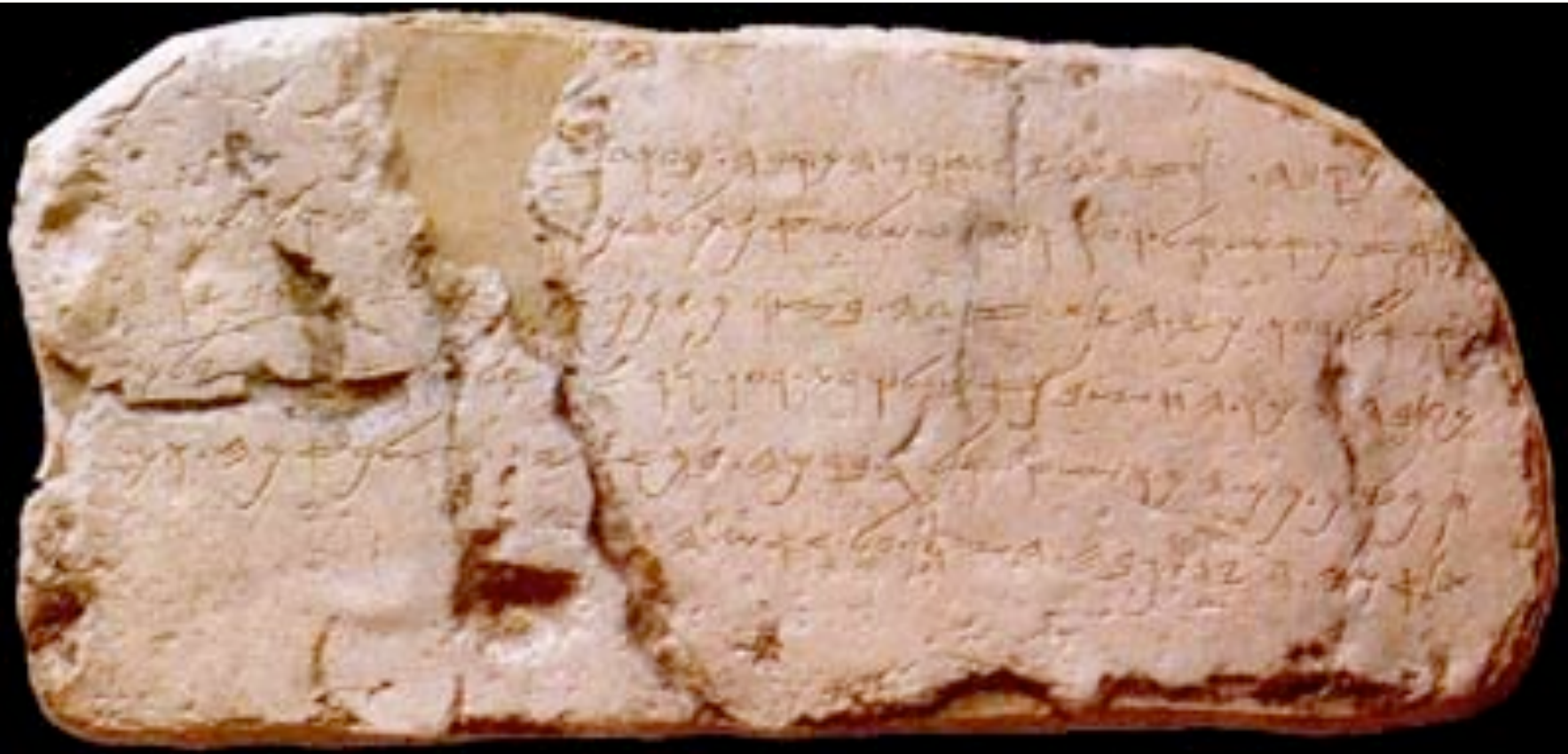
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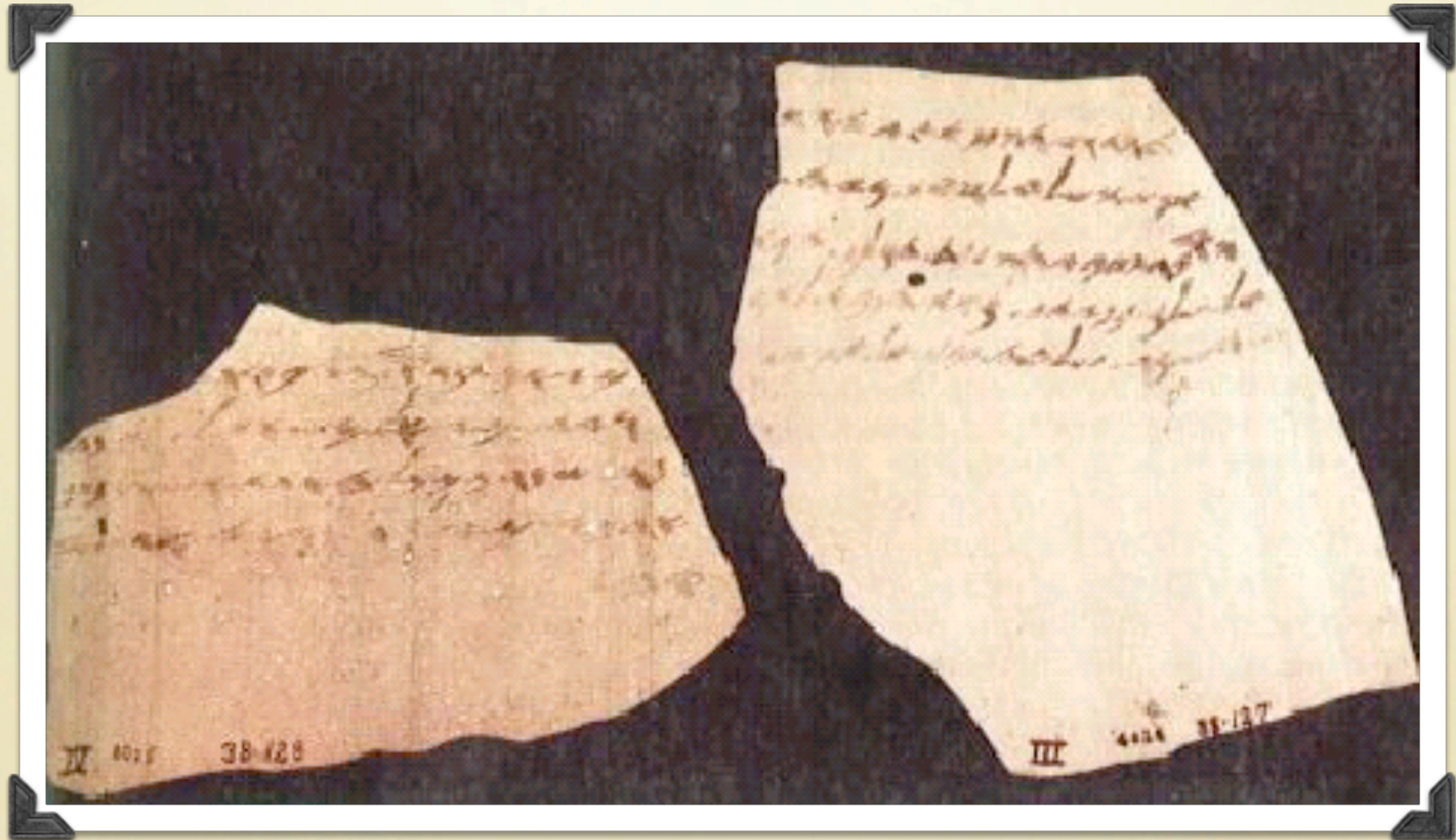
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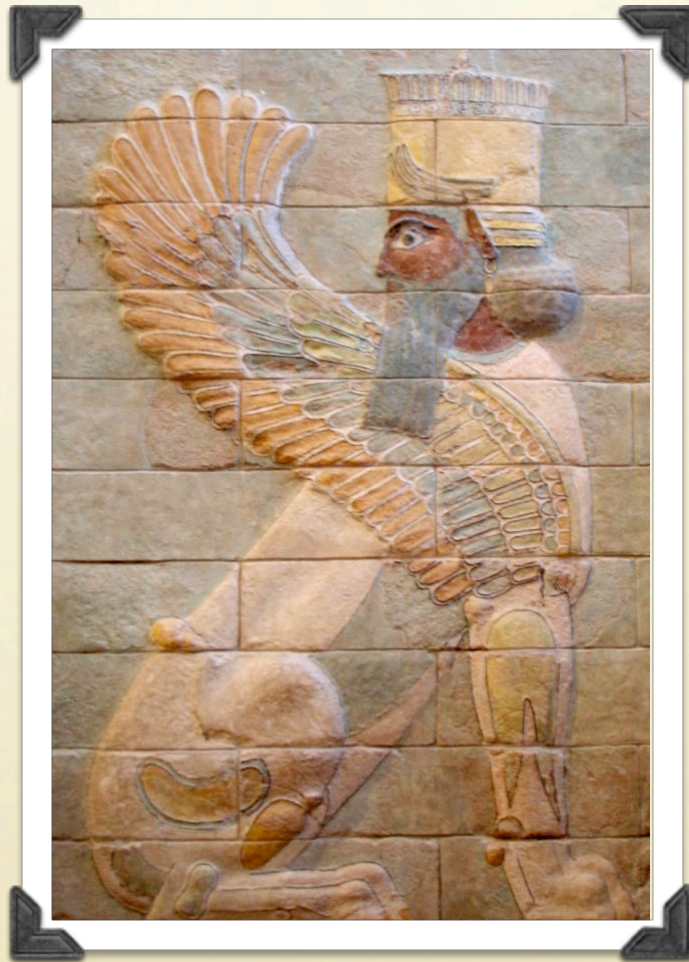
Ishtar Dragon



Susa



Sphinx at Susa



Elephantine Island



Elephantine Papyrus



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