

Vocabulary Cards



Vocabulary Word

pharaoh

Definition

a ruler of ancient Egypt, seen as a kind of god



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pharaoh's will

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dynasty

Definition

a series of rulers who are from the same family

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delta

Definition

triangular stretch
of land near
some river mouths,
often very fertile



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hieroglyphics

Definition

a type of
picture-based
writing system

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papyrus

Definition

paper-like material
made from
the stems of reeds



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obelisk

Definition

monument in
the shape of a stone
pillar with a pointed,
pyramid-like tip

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pyramid

Definition

large tomb made of stone with a square base and triangular sides



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afterlife

Definition

a second life believed to begin after death

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Upper Egypt

Definition

southern portion
of Egypt, upstream
of the Nile

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Lower Egypt

Definition

northern portion
of Egypt, downstream
of the Nile

Vocabulary Word

unify

Definition

to join together,
such as two regions
into one