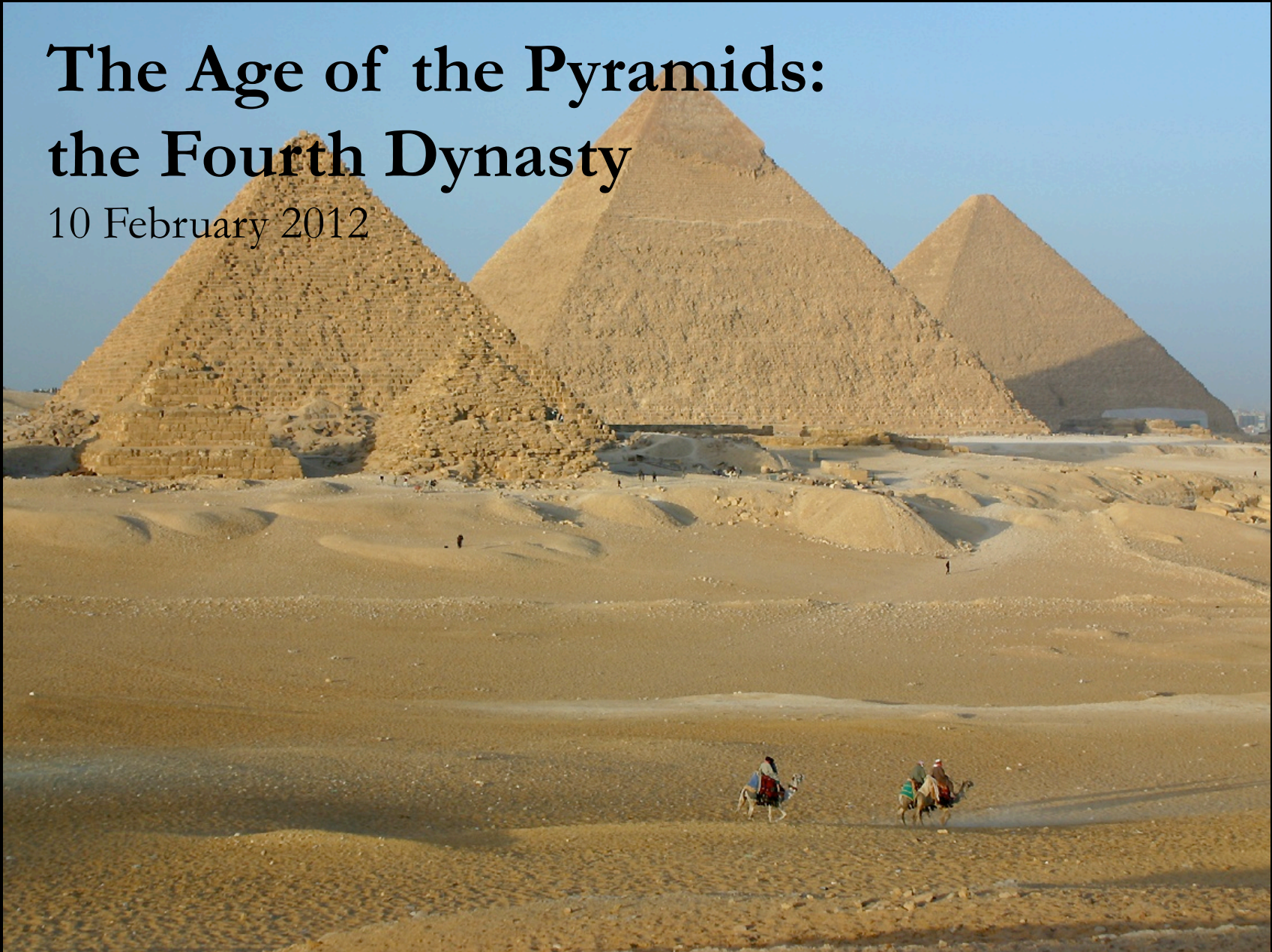


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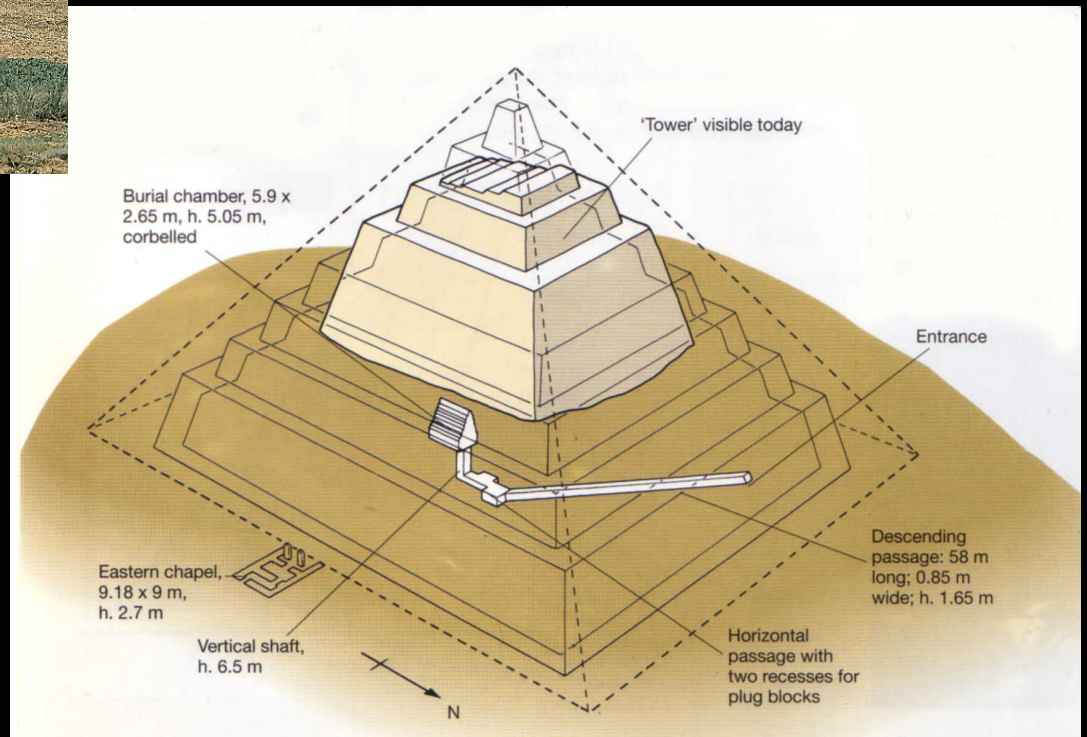


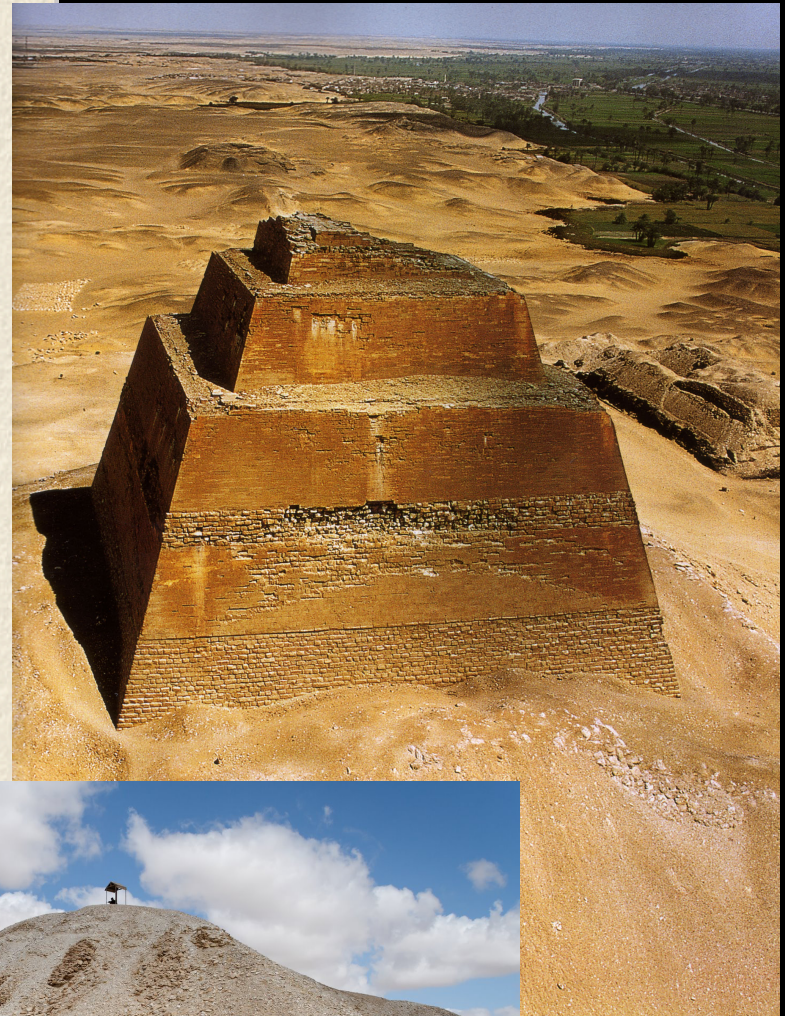
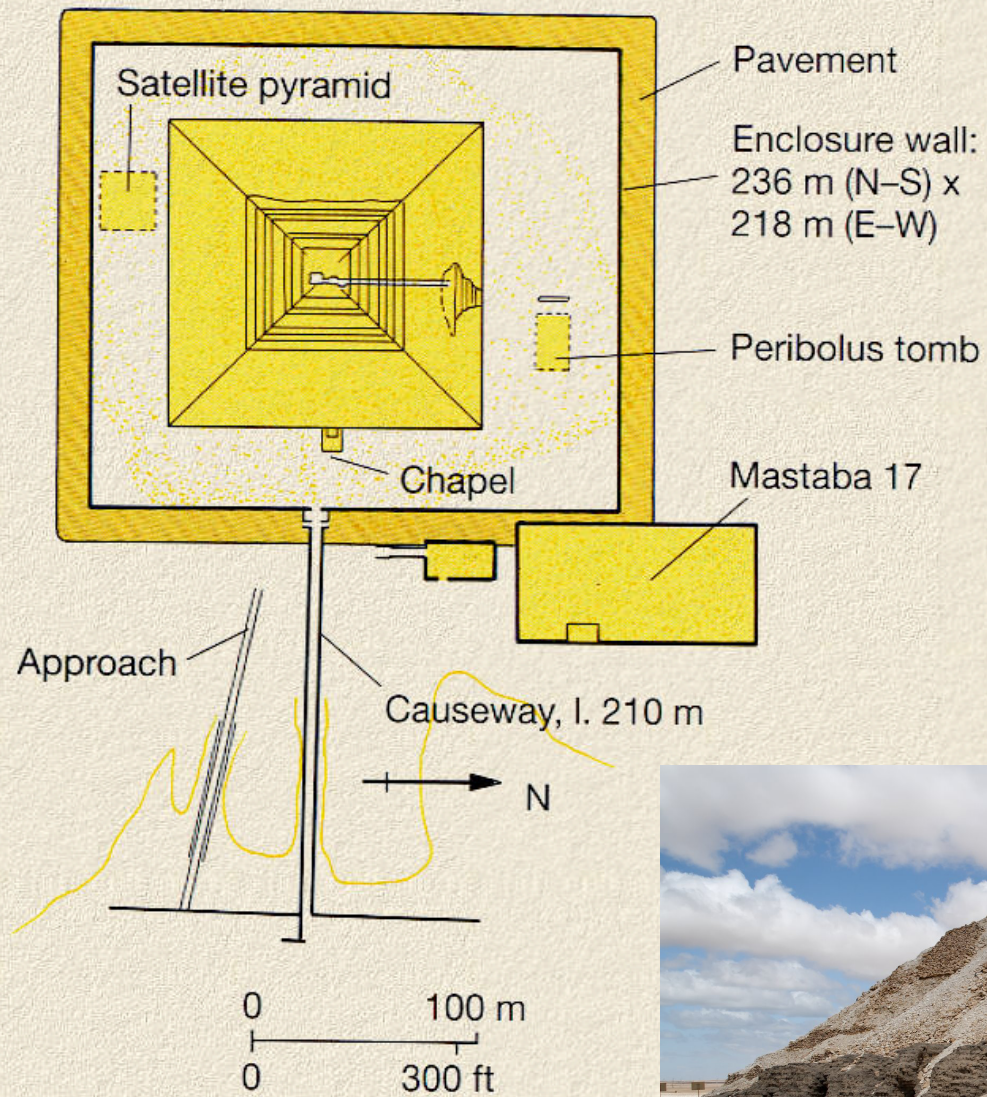
Snefru relief
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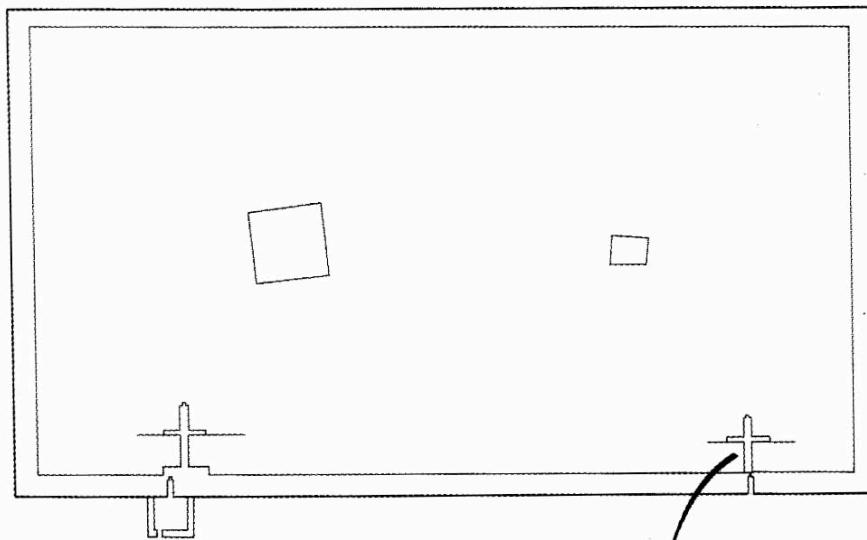


Snefru's pyramid at Meidum: the first "true" pyramid

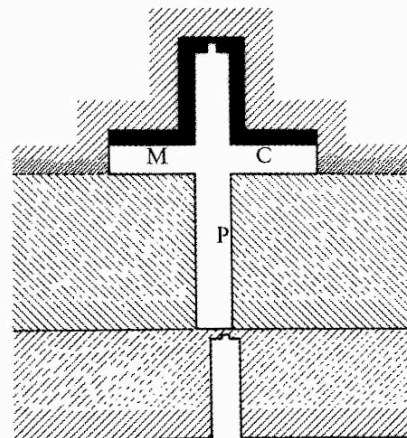




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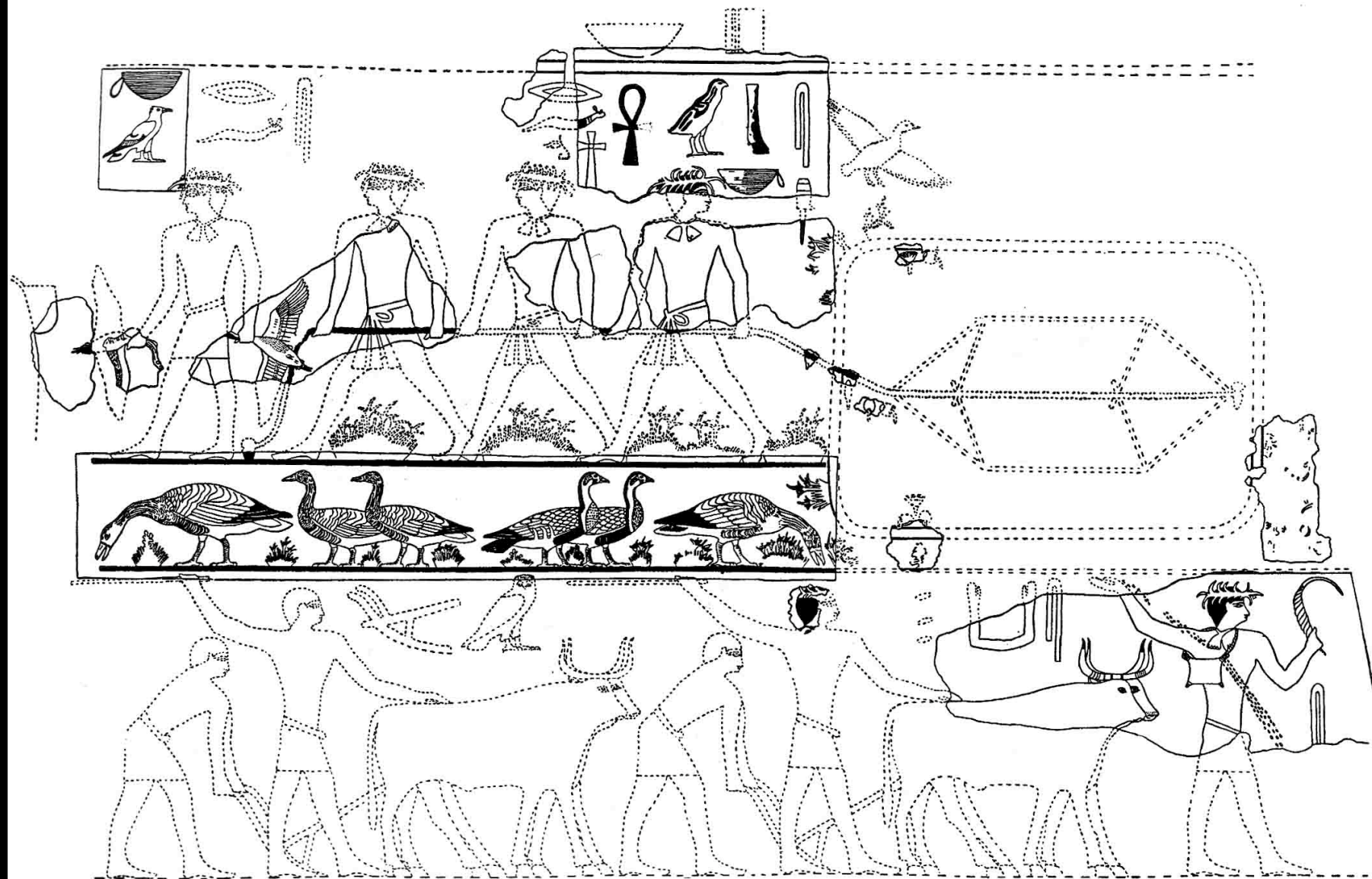
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Meidum mastaba of
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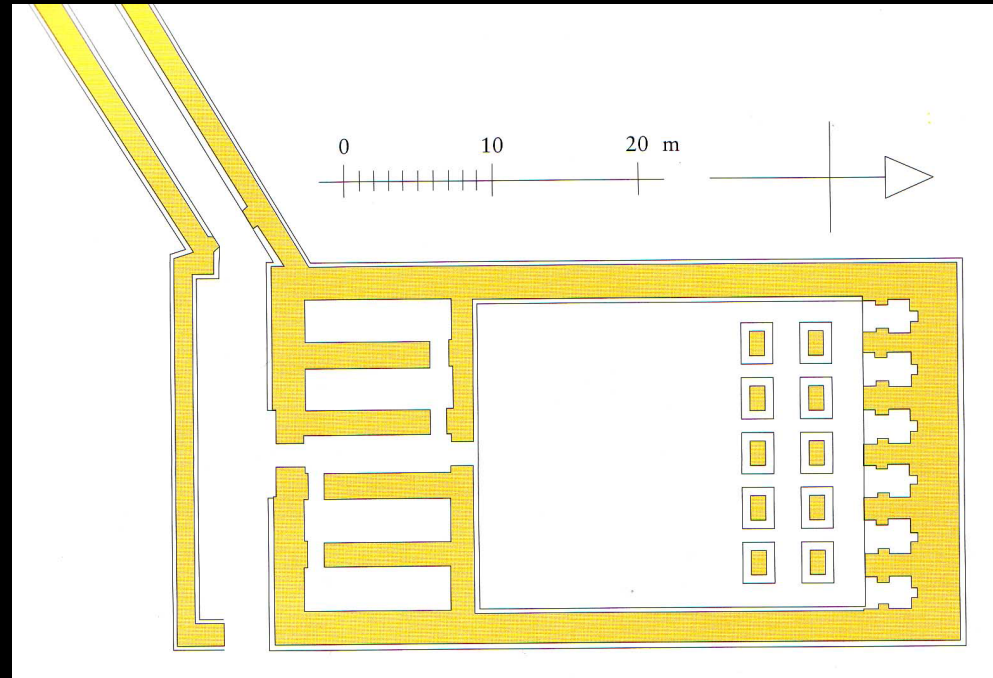


Meidum, statues of Rahotep and Nofret





Snefru's Bent Pyramid at Dahshur



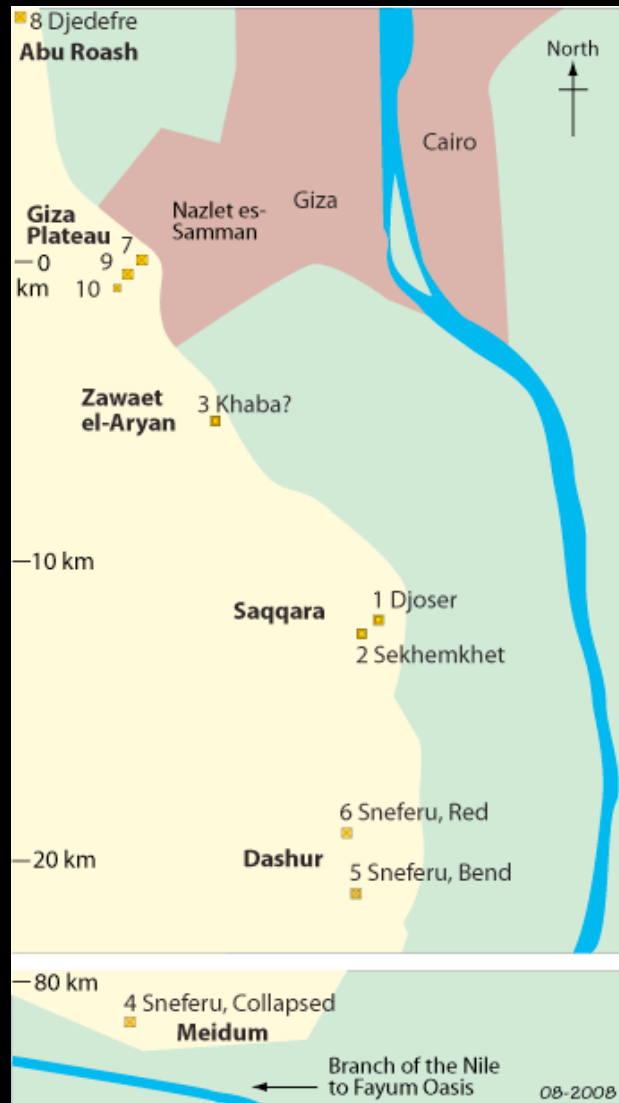
Snefru's Valley Temple at
Dahshur:
Perpetual offerings to the king



Snefru's Red Pyramid



The move to Giza



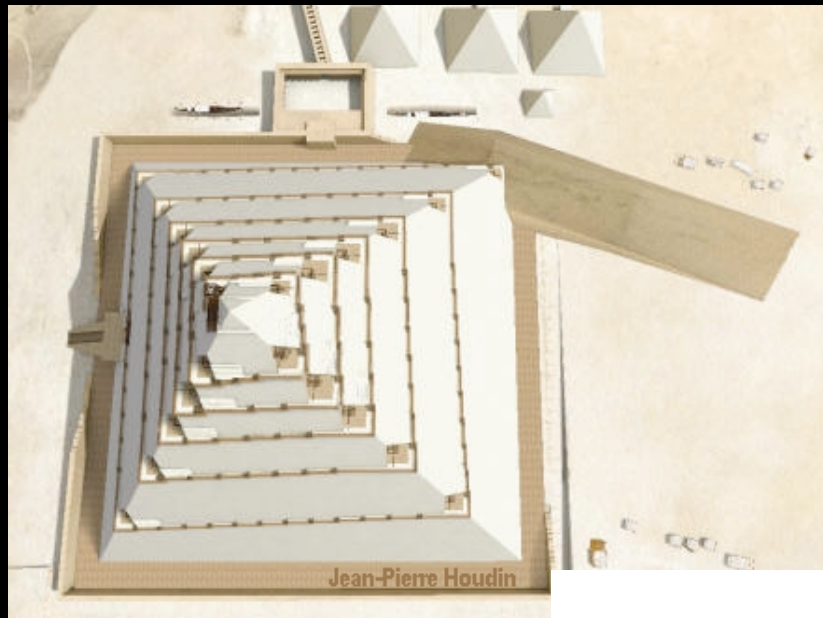
- 1 Djoser, Step Pyramid, Saqqara
- Nebka - no burial site found
- 2 Sekhemkhet, layer pyramid, Saqqara
- 3 Khaba?, layer pyramid, Zawaet el-Aryan
- Huni - no burial site found
- 4 Sneferu, Collapsed Pyramid, Meidum
- 5 Sneferu, Bend Pyramid, Dashur south
- 6 Sneferu, Red Pyramid, Dashur north
- 7 Khufu, Great Pyramid, Giza
- 8 Djedefre, Pyramid, Abu Roash
- 9 Khafra, Pyramid, Giza
- 10 Menkaura, Pyramid, Giza

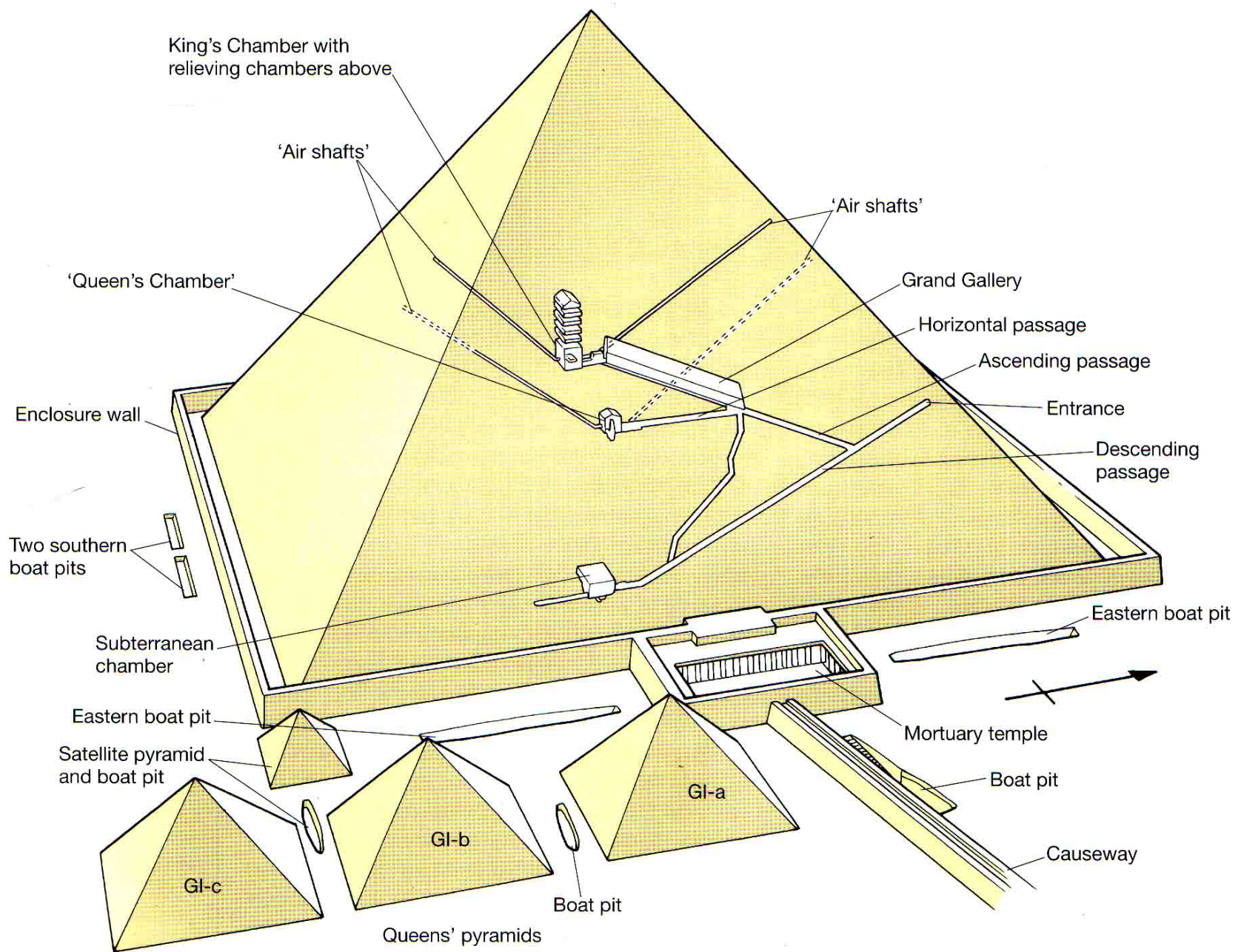
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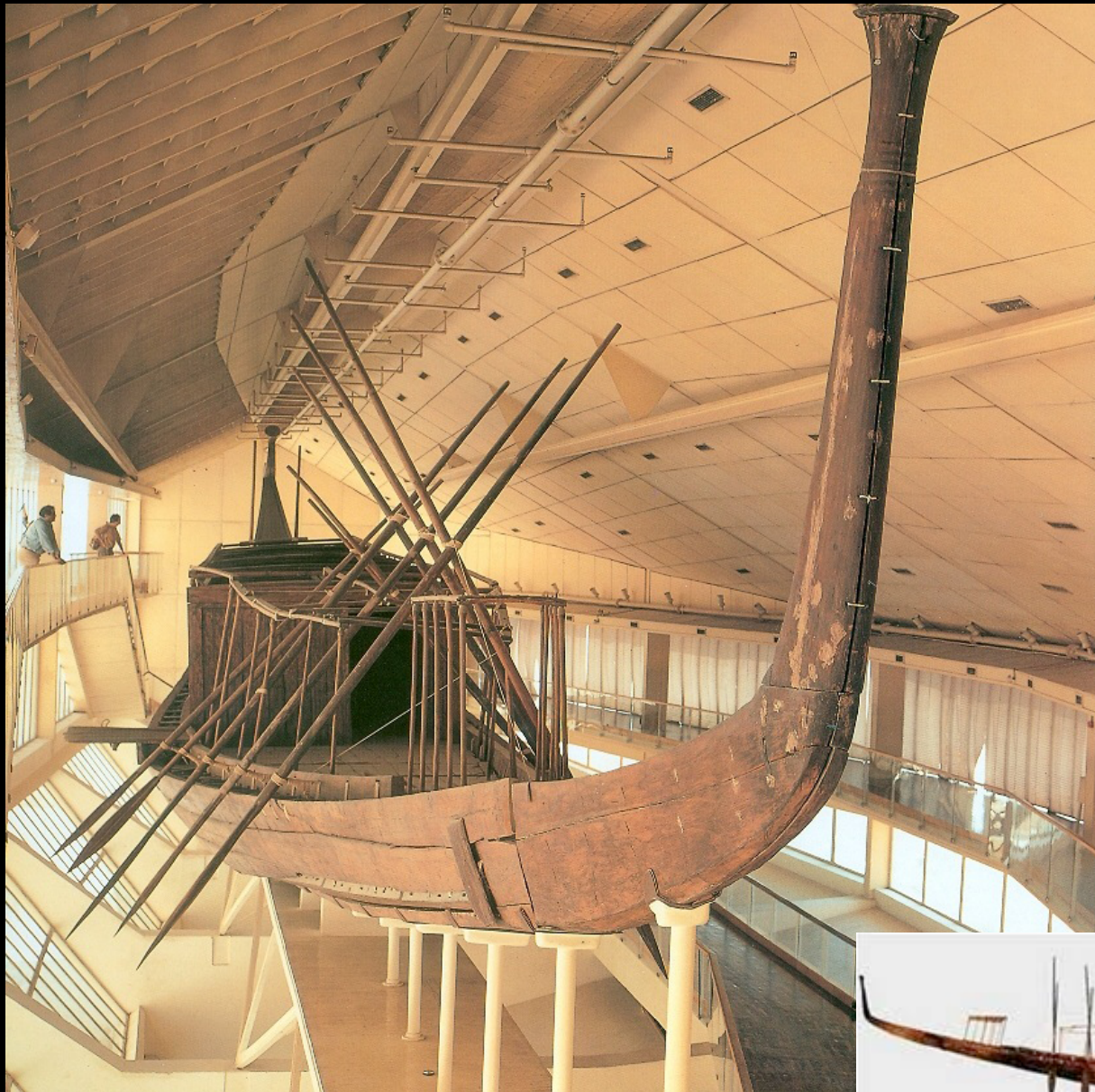


Khufu's Great Pyramid



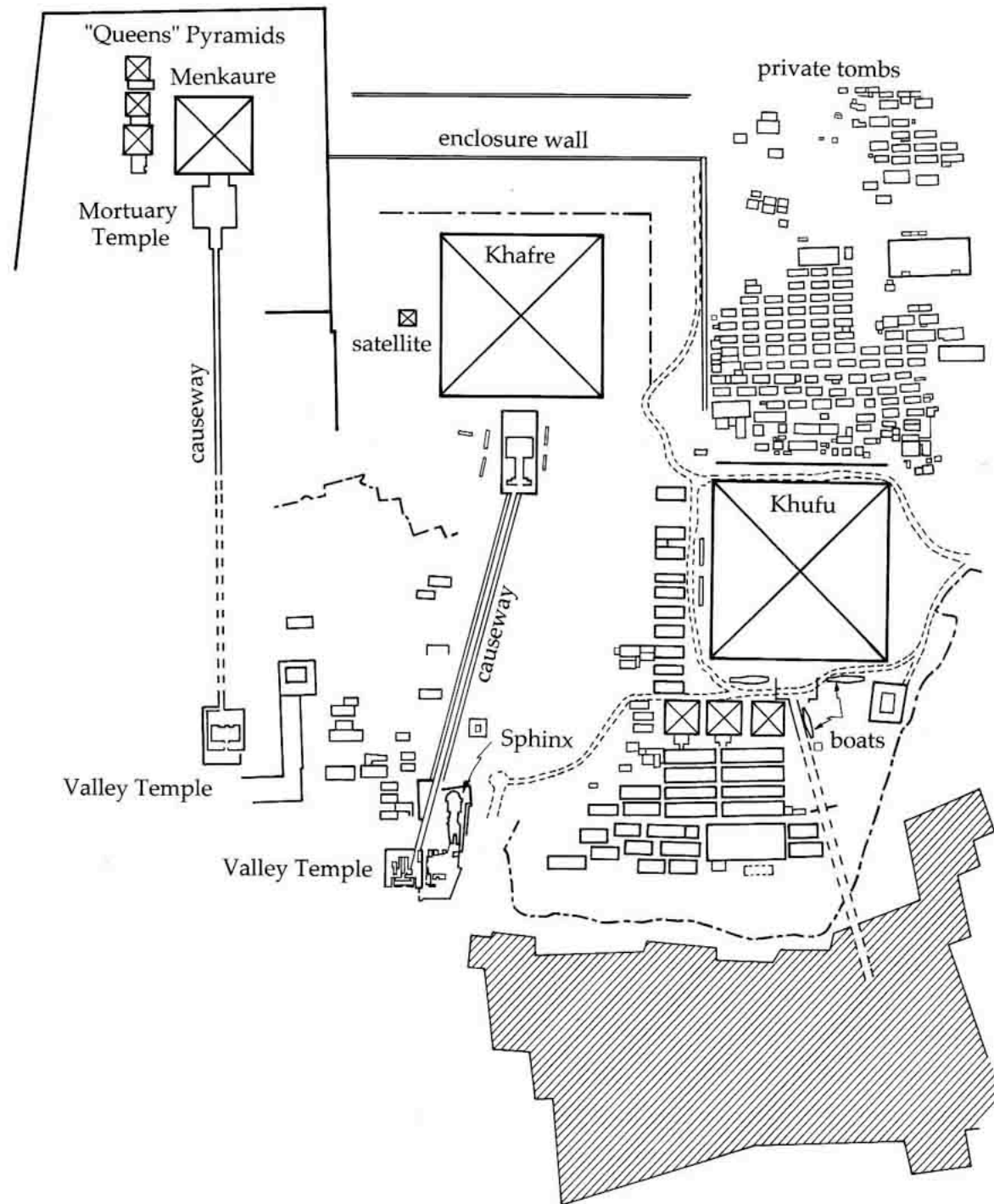






Khufu's boat

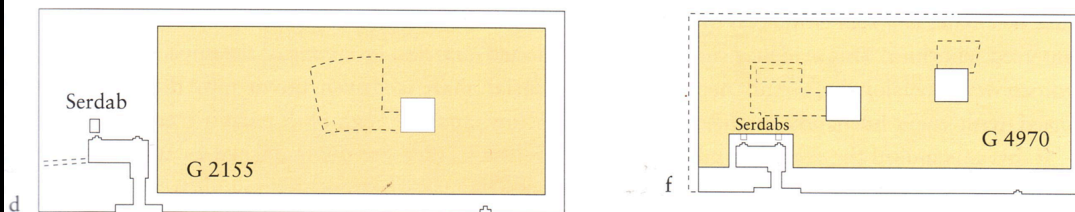
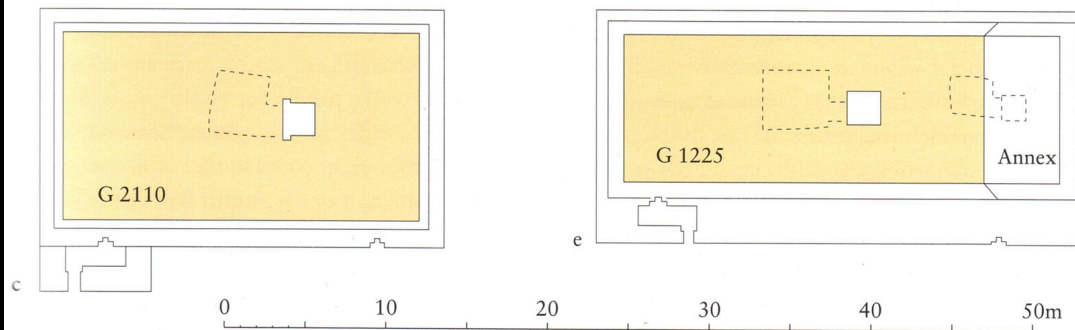
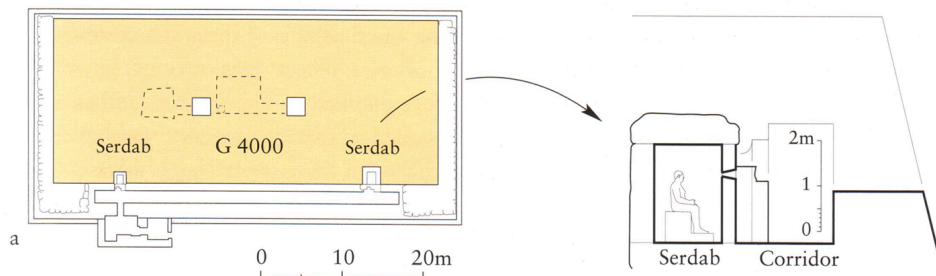




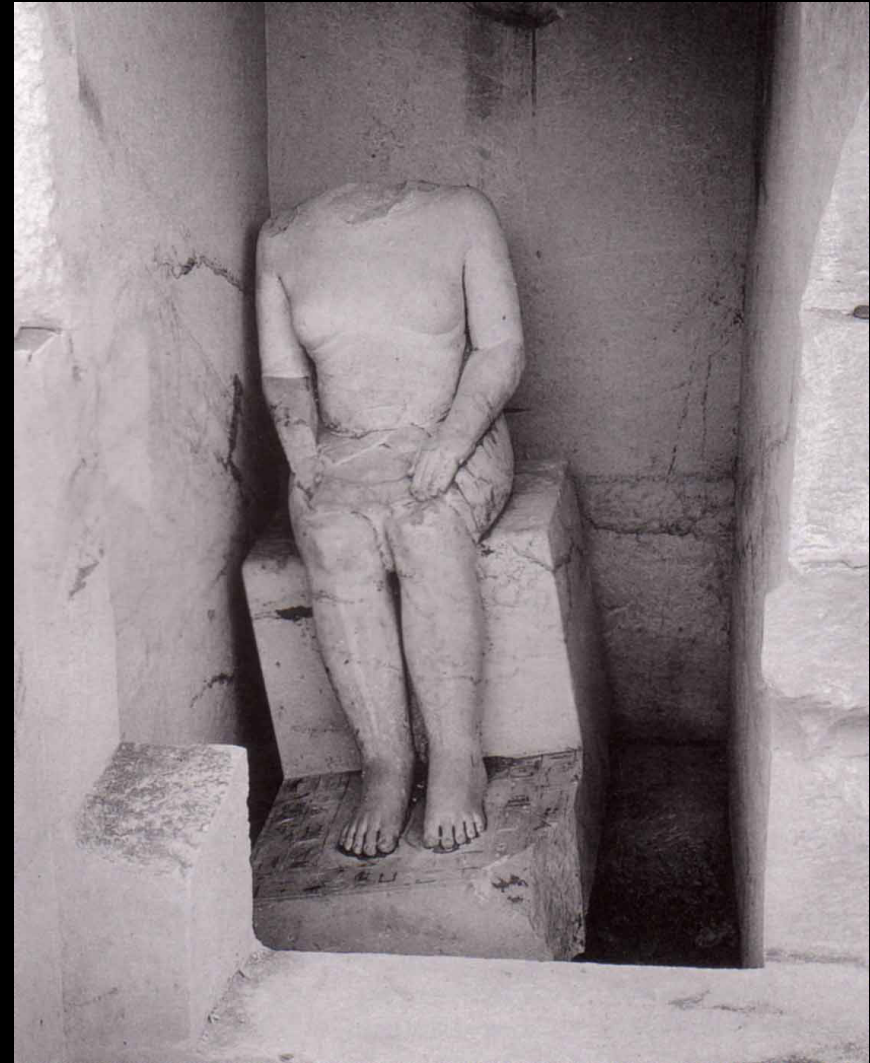




Mastabas at Giza



- a, b) G 4000 Hemiunu d) G 2155 Ka-ni-nisut I f) G 4970 Nesut-nefer
 c) G 2100 Nefer e) G 1225 Nefret-iabet Initial core mastaba



Hemiunu, grandson of Snefru, Overseer of Works for Khufu

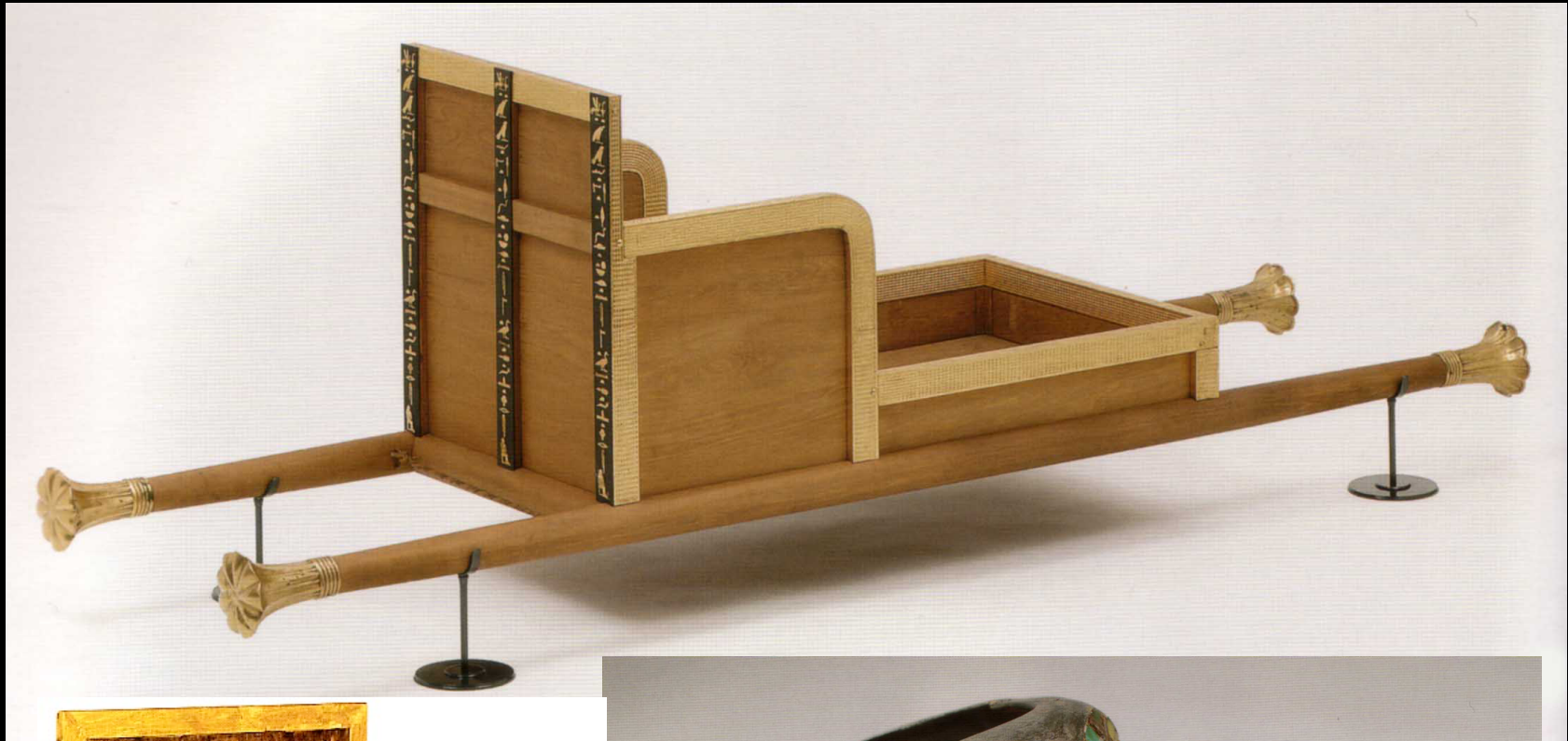


Bust of Ankhhaf, son of
Snefru (half brother of
Khufu)

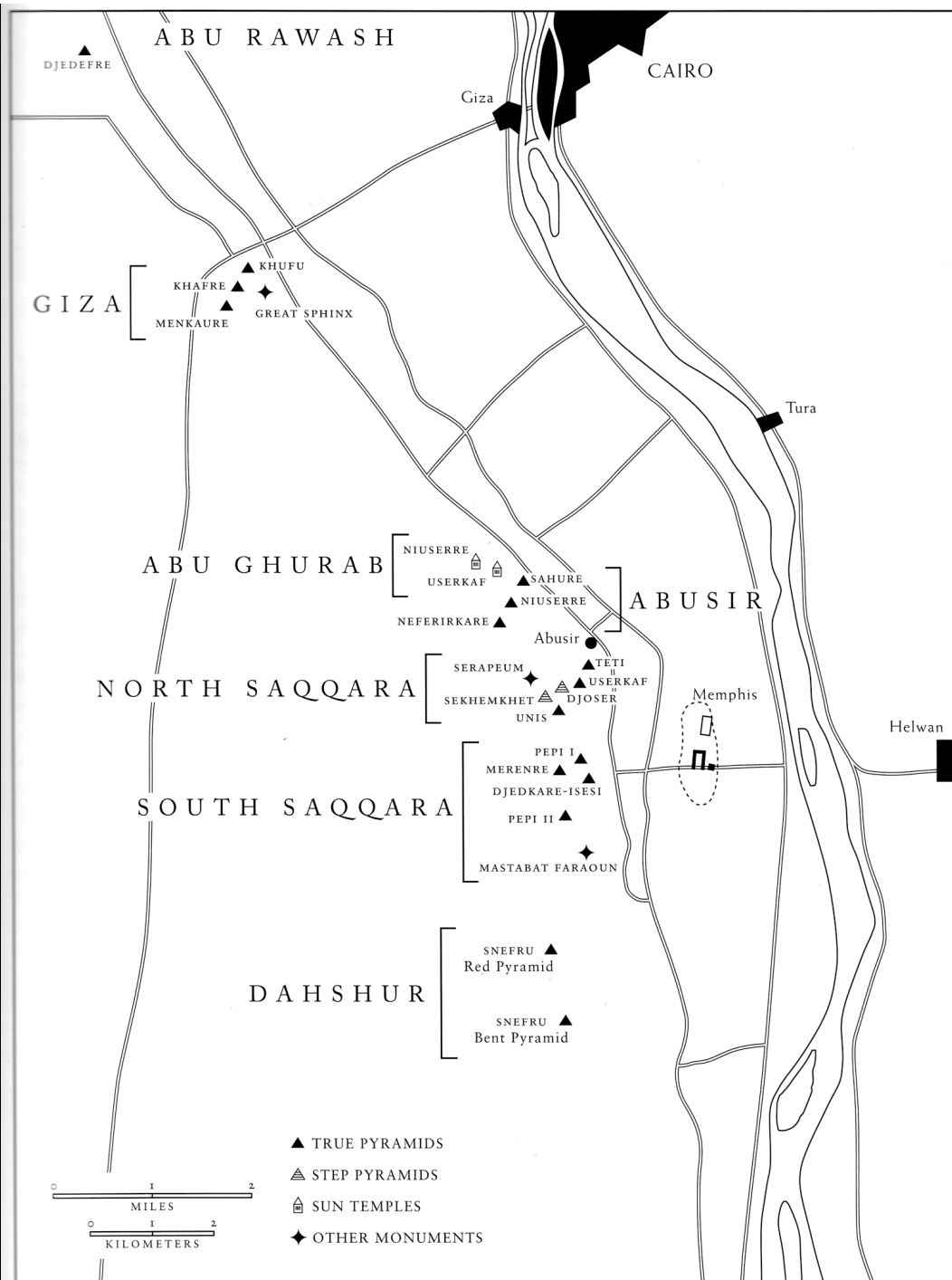


Tomb of Hetepheres,
mother of Khufu





Burial equipment of Hetepheres

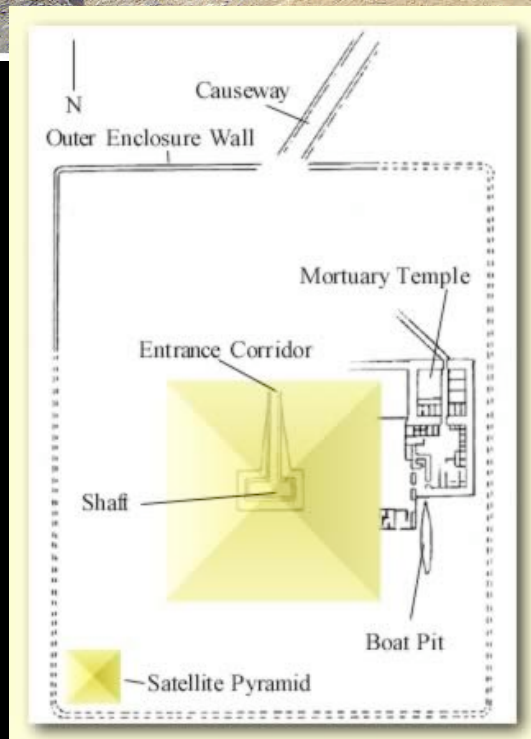




Djedefre at Abu Rowash

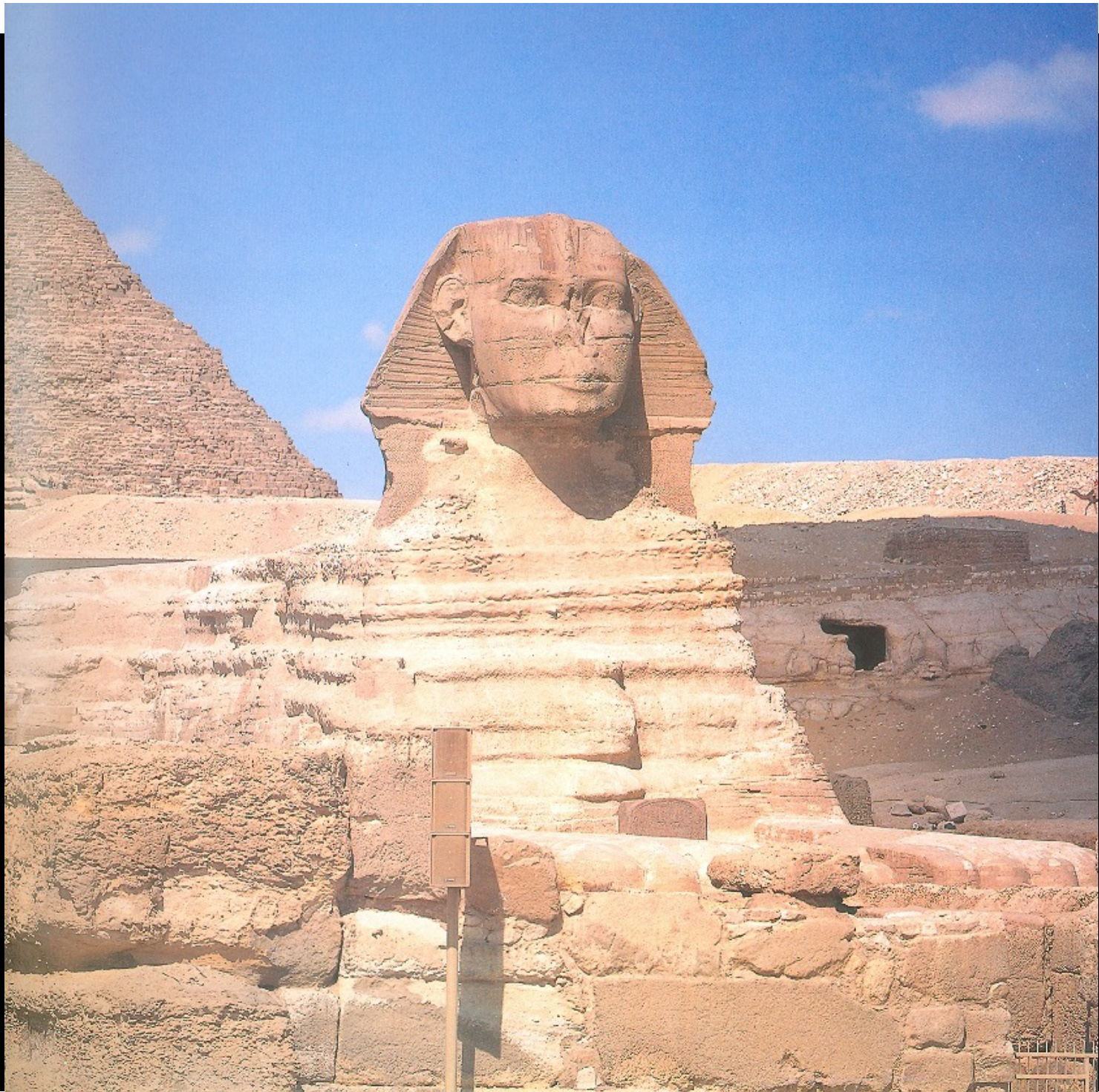


the king in a nemes headdress with a uraeus

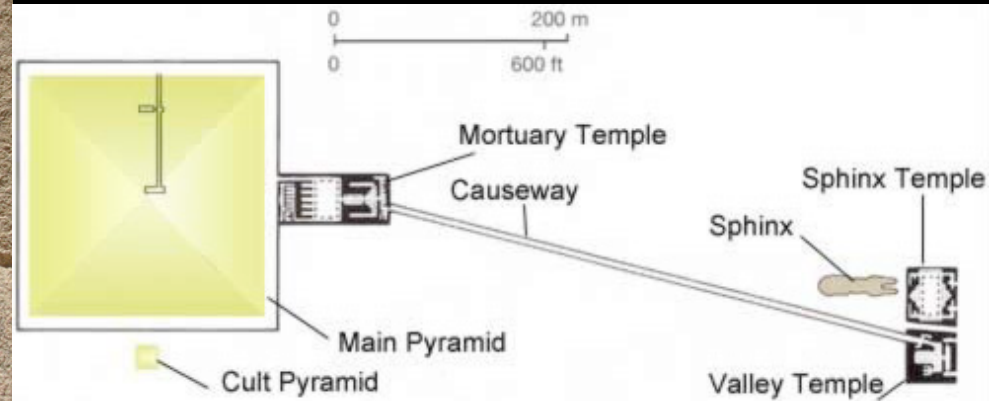
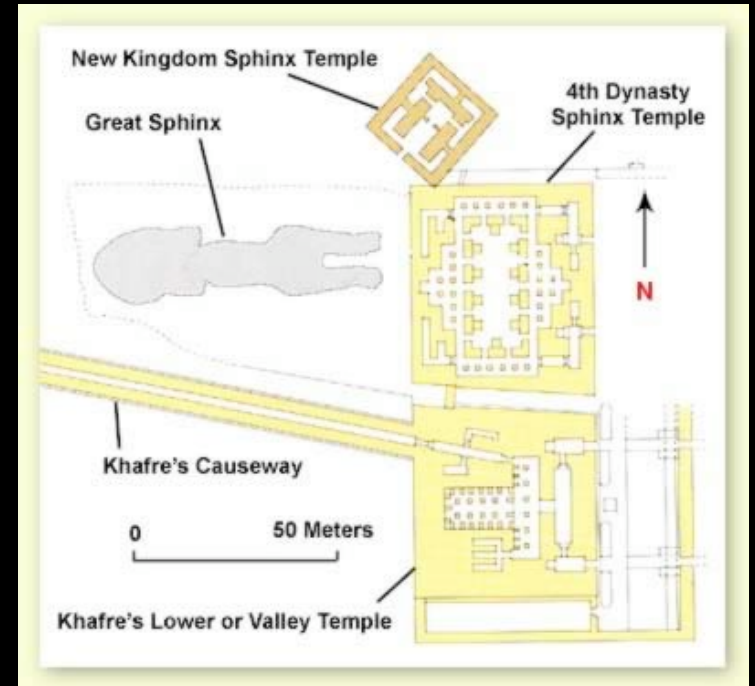
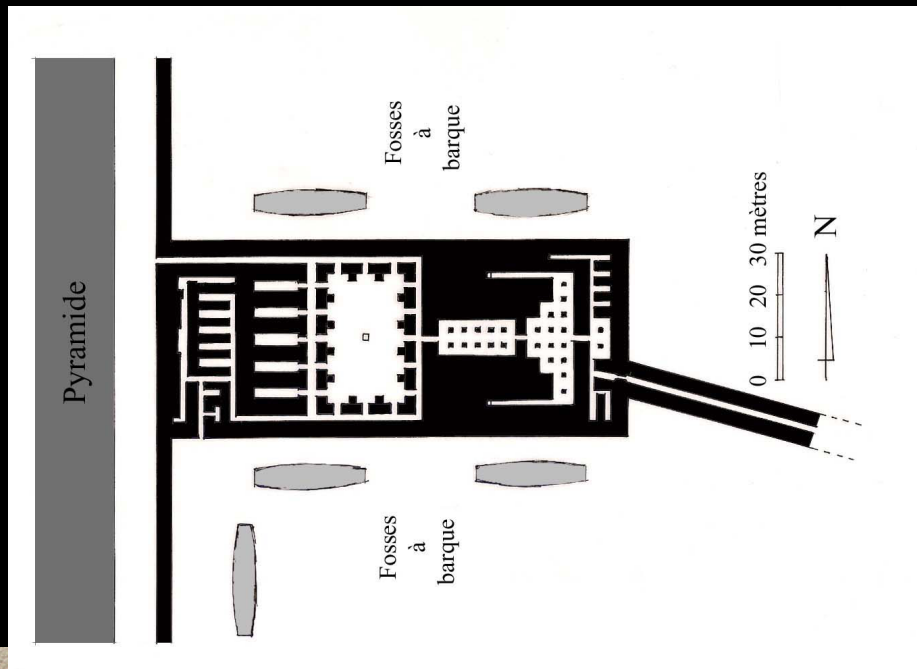




Khafre at Giza



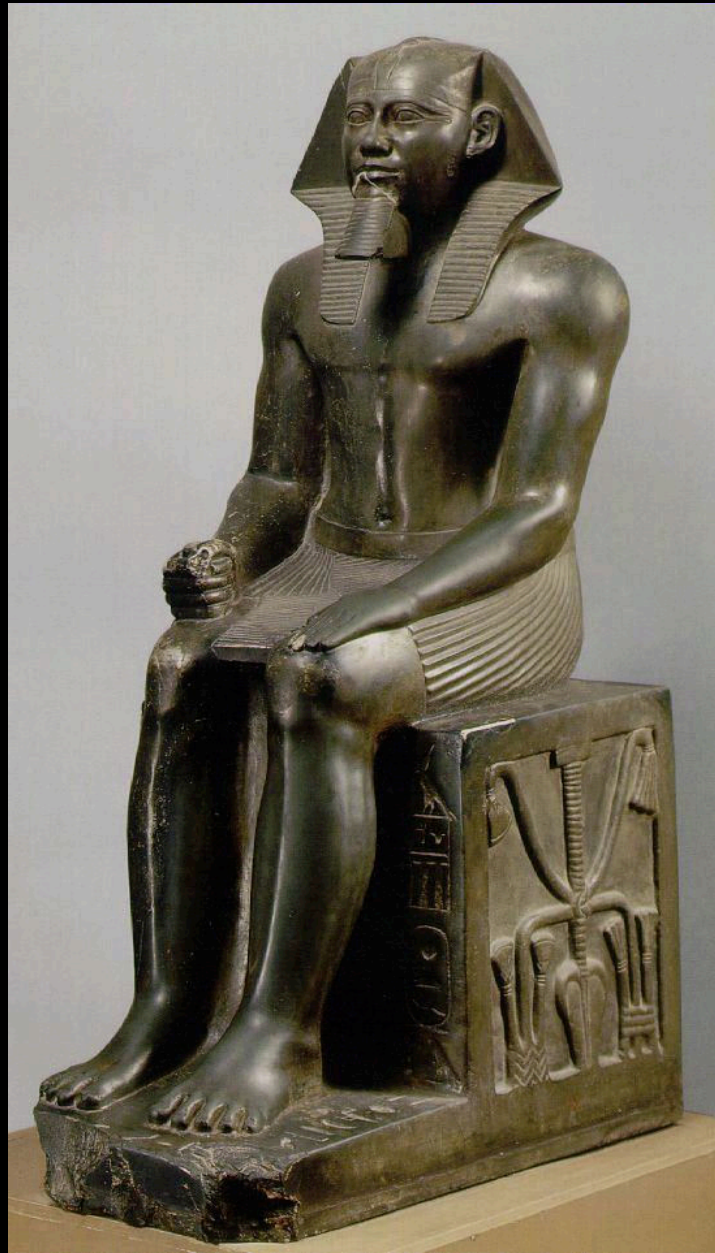
Khafre Pyramid Temples





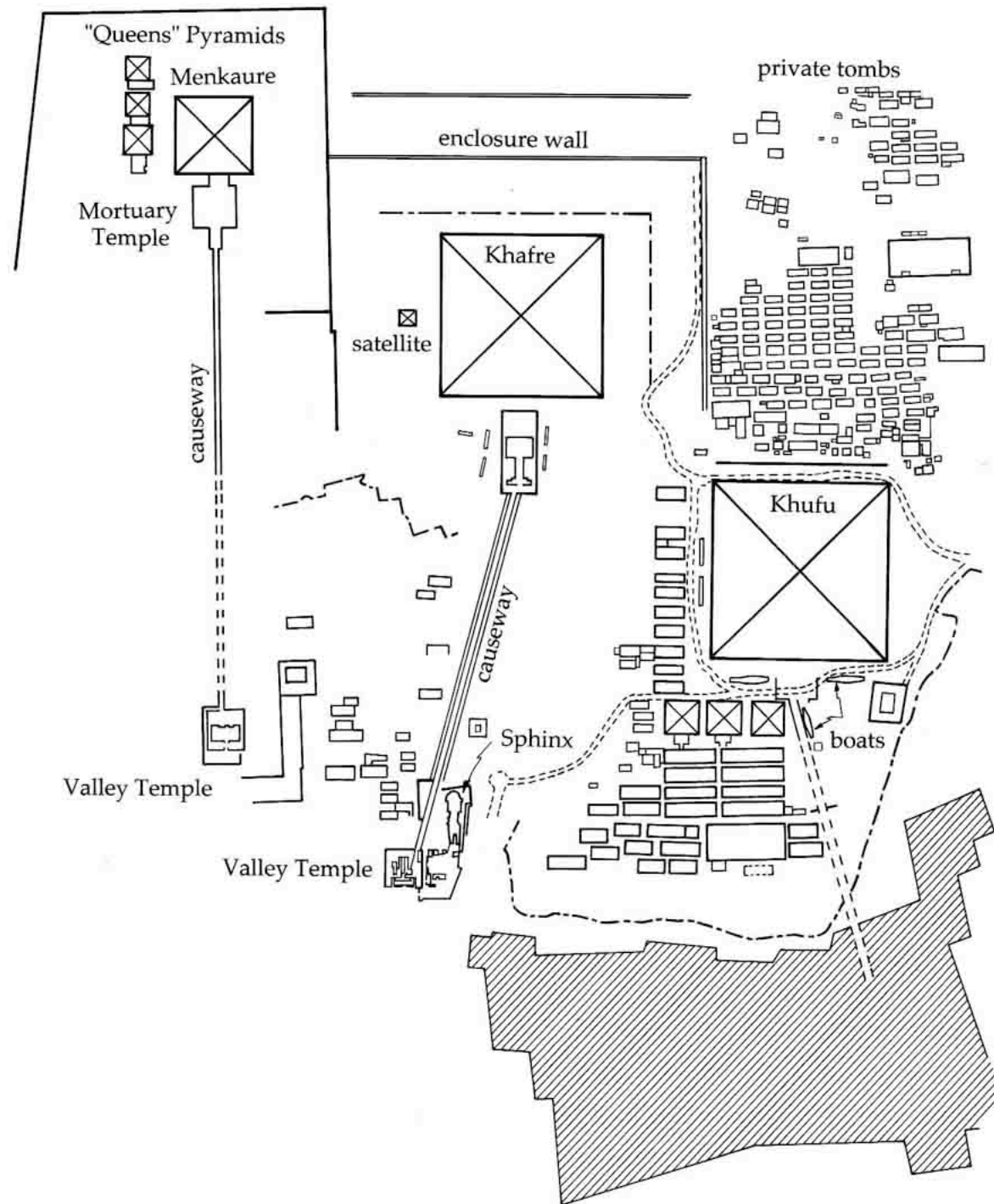
Sculpture of Khafre





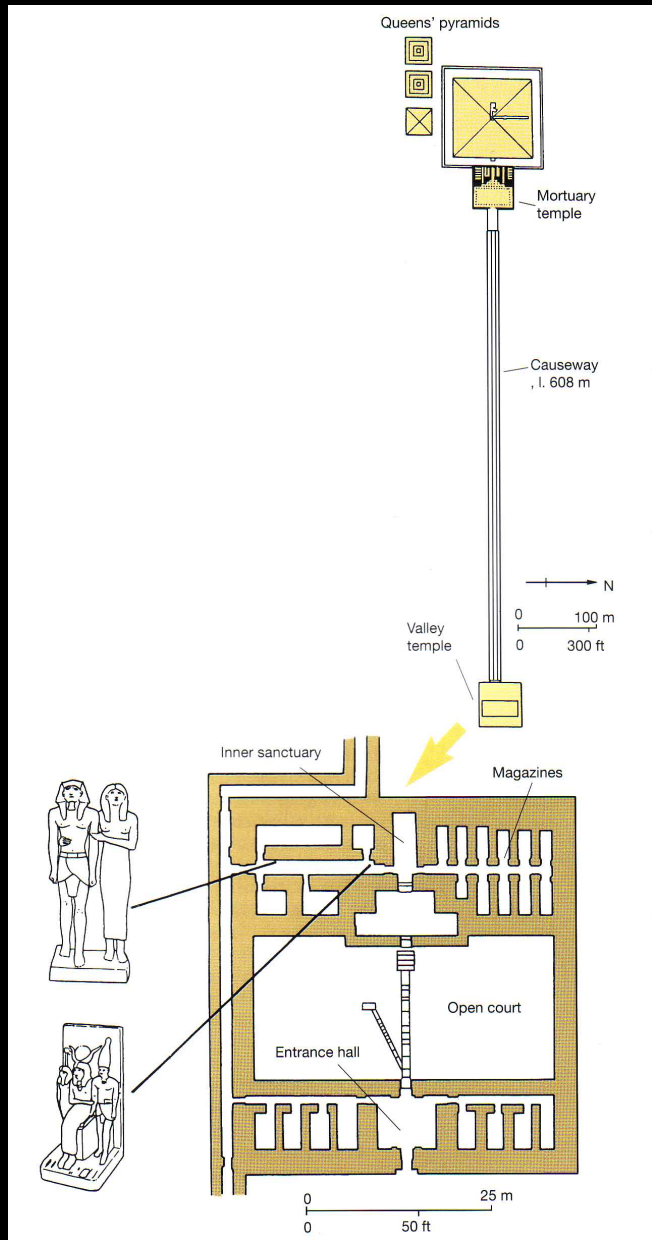
...more Khafre
sculpture, including
the sema-tawy
image...







Menkaure at Giza



Sculpture in Menkaure's Valley Temple



