

The Power of

ROMANS

The Gospel

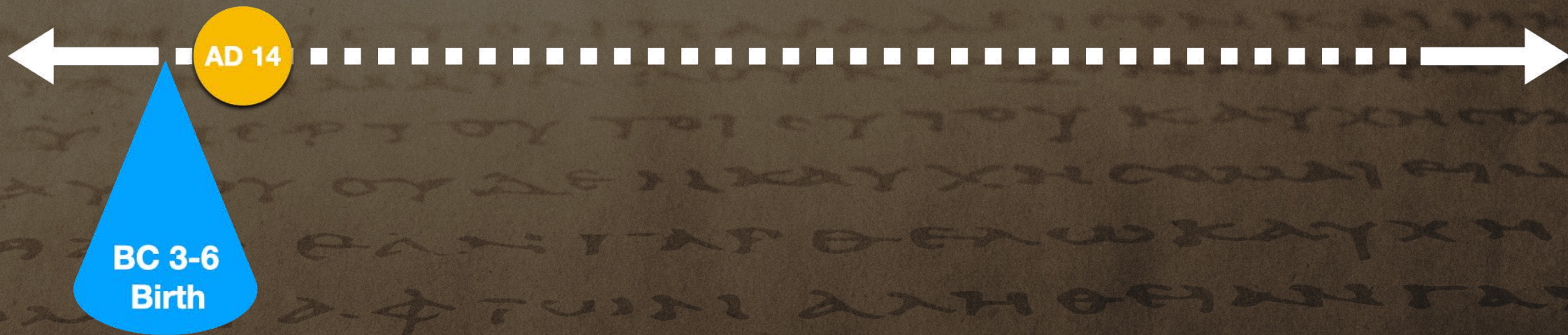


SCAN FOR
RESOURCES





BC 3-6
Birth



Imperial Cult Worship

Ministry
AD 27-29

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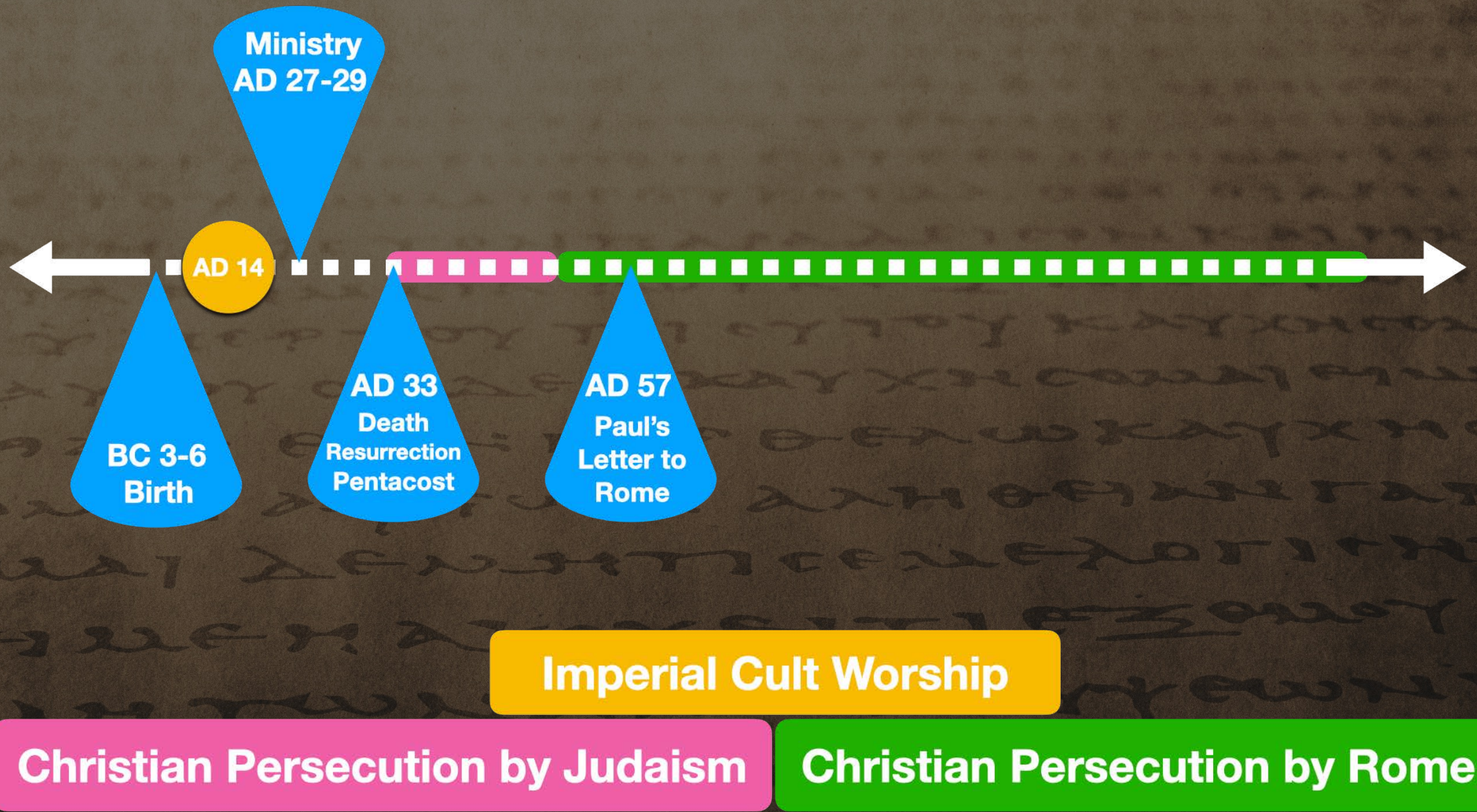
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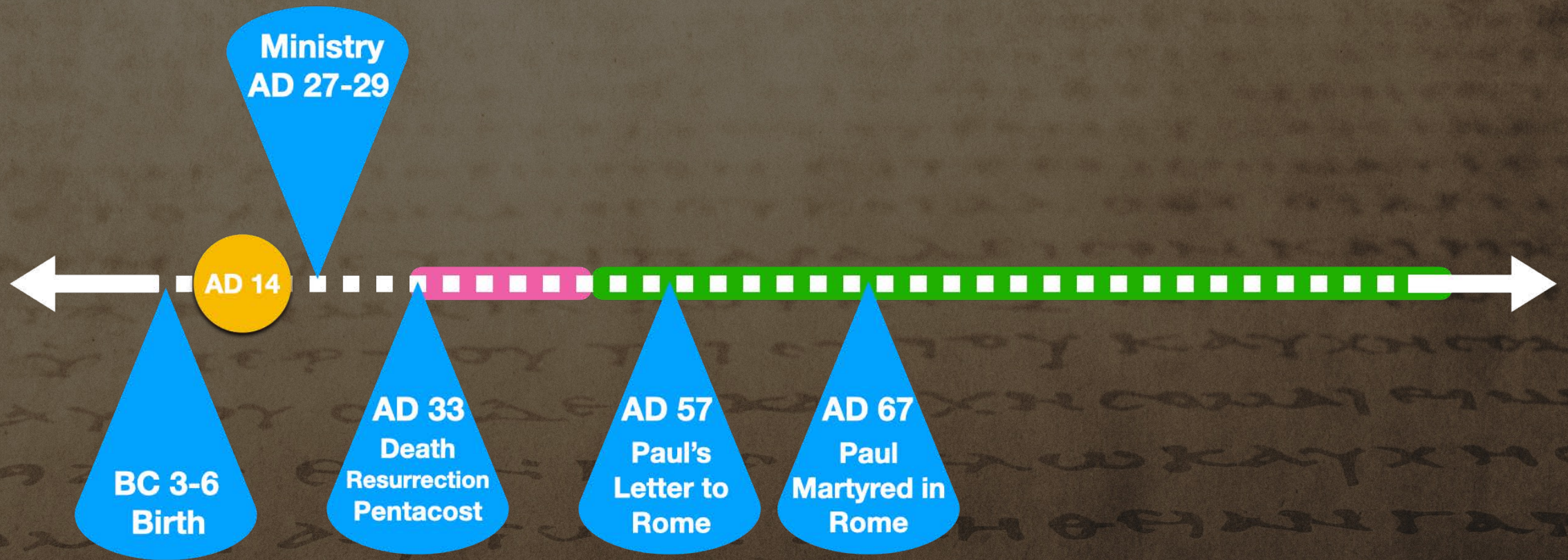
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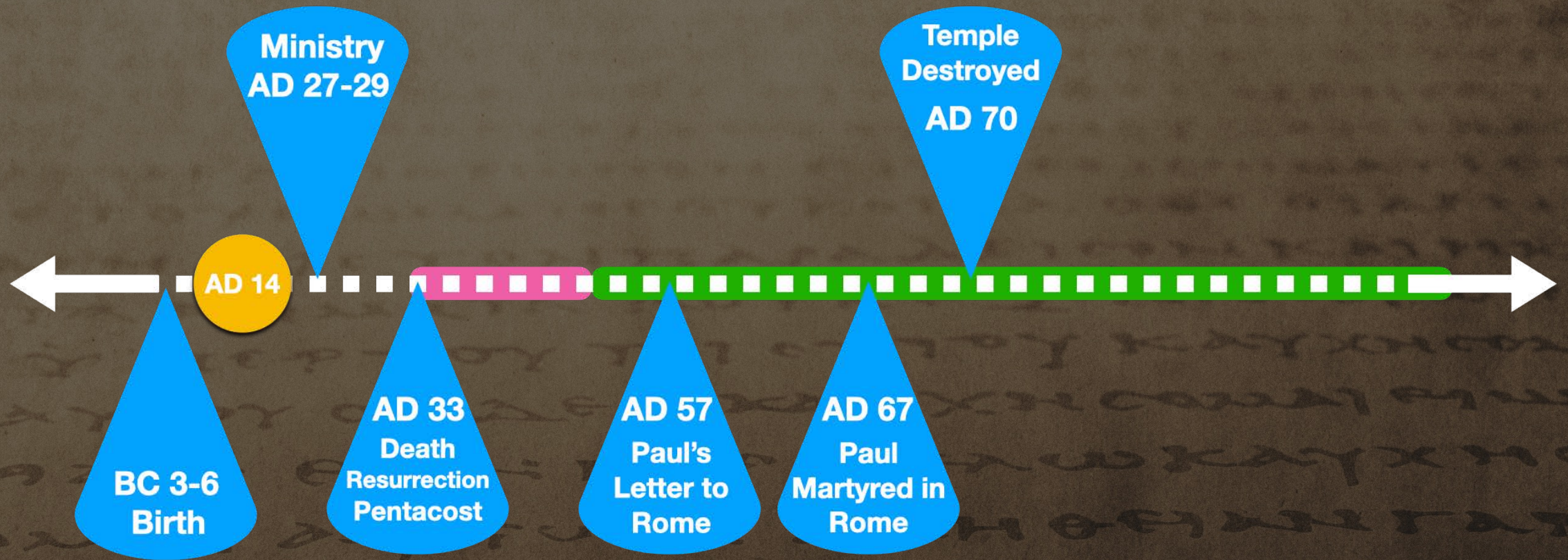




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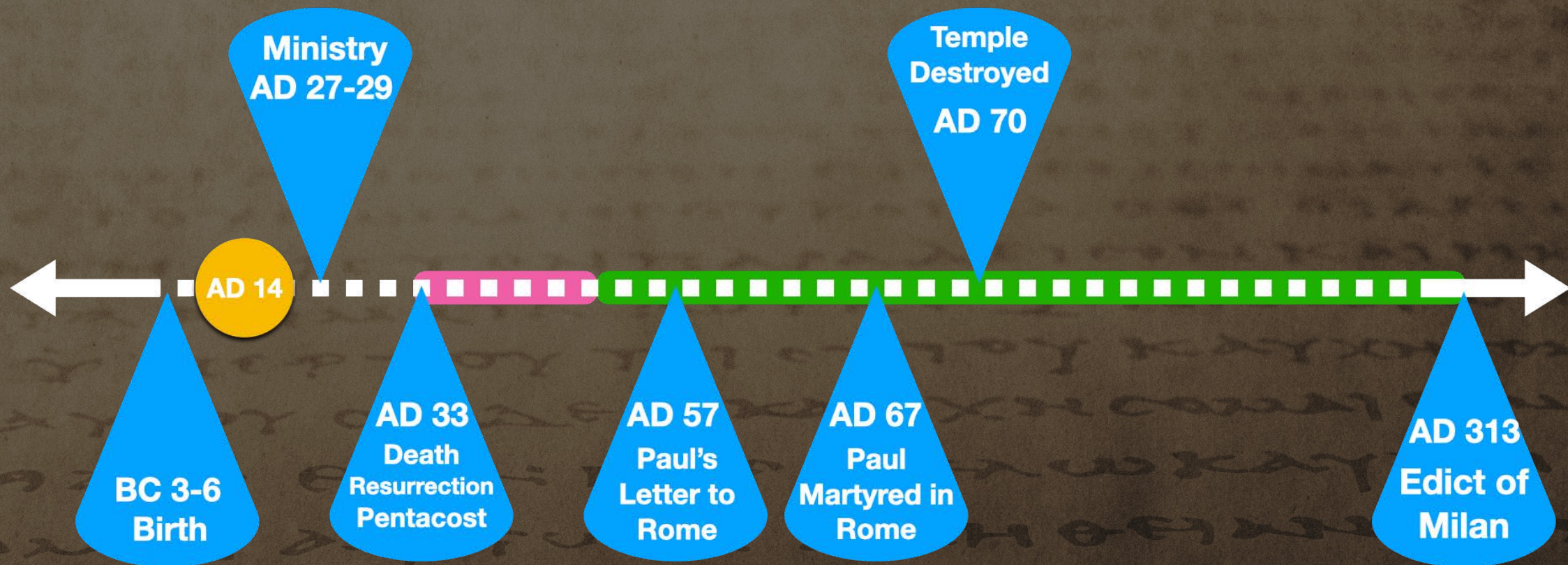
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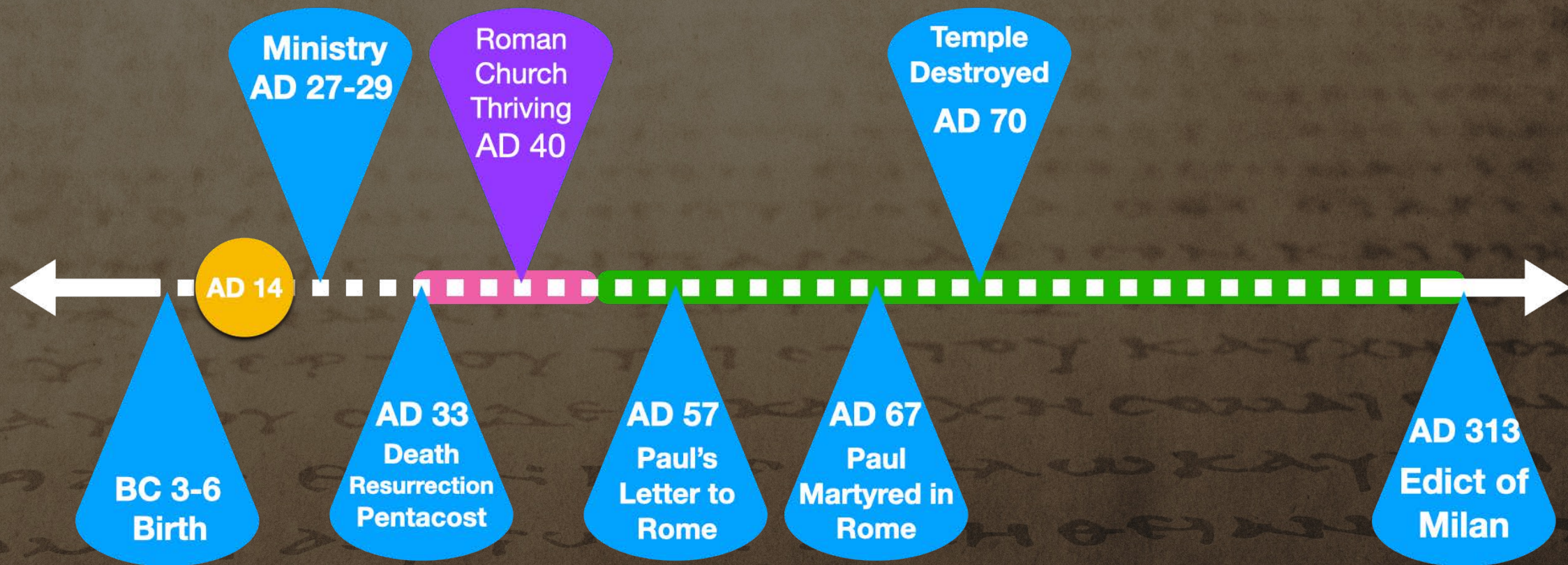
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Romans 1:8–15

⁸First, I thank my God through Jesus Christ for all of you because the news of your faith is being reported in all the world.

Rome when the letter arrives

- Pyramid Scheme – Economy

THE ROMAN EMPIRE

AT ITS GREATEST EXTENT

117 AD

MARE NOSTRVM - ORBIS TERRARVM - PAX ROMANA



THE EXPANSION OF ROME



509 BC 90 AD 200 AD 117 AD
Roman Republic Rule of the Emperors Greatest Extent Greatest Extent

SPQR

SENATVS POPVLVSQVE ROMANVS

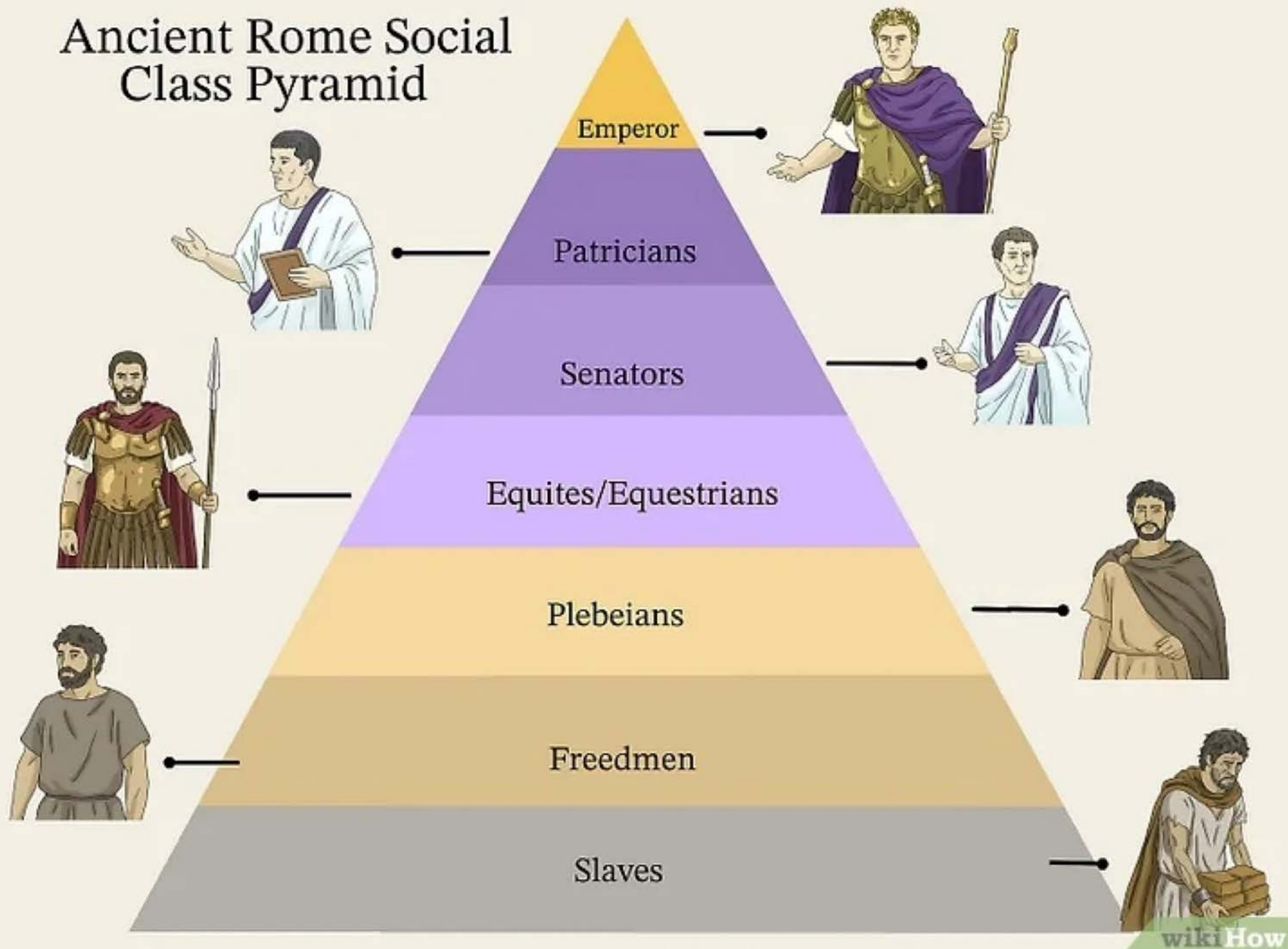
THE ROMAN ROAD NETWORK



Rome when the letter arrives

- Pyramid Scheme – Economy
- Pyramid Scheme – Social Class

Ancient Rome Social Class Pyramid



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- “Insula” Life

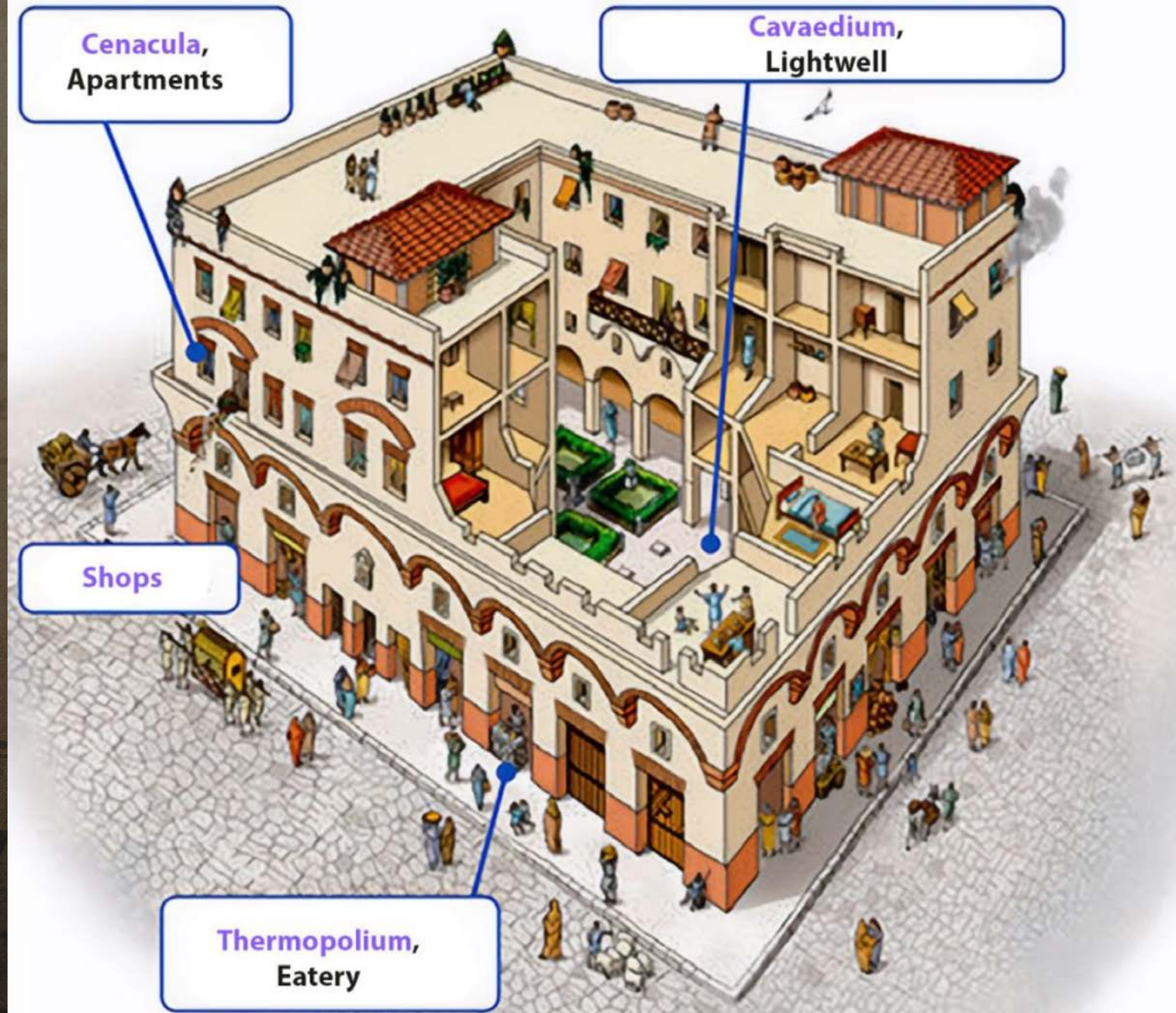
















Rome when the letter arrives

- Pyramid Scheme – Economy
- Pyramid Scheme – Social Class
- Population
- “Insula” Life
- Religion

Constant Prayers

⁹God is my witness, whom I serve with my spirit in telling the good news about his Son – that I constantly mention you, ¹⁰always asking in my prayers that if it is somehow in God's will, I may now at last succeed in coming to you.

Impart and Encourage

¹¹For I want very much to see you, so that I may impart to you some spiritual gift to strengthen you, ¹²that is, to be mutually encouraged by each other's faith, both yours and mine.

Frustration

¹³Now I don't want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that I often planned to come to you (but was prevented until now) . . .

Fruitful Ministry

...in order that I might have a fruitful ministry among you, just as I have had among the rest of the Gentiles.

Obligated

¹⁴I am obligated both to Greeks and barbarians,
both to the wise and the foolish. ¹⁵So I am eager
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