

The Akkadians

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Good afternoon professors and colleagues. I am Professor Alison Conner. I graduated from Stanford University. I live at Manhattan, New York and I'm 23 years old. For 5 years I've traveled to Greece, Rome, and Egypt to complete my research of

archaeology. Many people have been asking, "What is the best civilization?" The Babylonians, alright. The Assyrians? Perhaps, but the greatest are the Akkadians. Don't believe me well here's why.

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First of all the Akkadian civilization was the world's 1st one to have an empire. Led by Sargon. Sargon had a great mind. Skilled and well thought out ideas. One of them was that Sargon taught soldiers how to fight and defend. He used smart political strategies. Sargon destroyed the walls of cities to make it harder for people to rebel. He also made sure that everyone including the governors of city-states were loyal to him. Sargon's goal was to keep his empire for at least 1,000 years, but it only lasted for 56 years. The Akkadians ruled Sumer. So they figured they could take some of the ideas. The Akkadians even worshiped the same gods as Sumer except the Akkadians used different names. Akkadians used the idea of irrigation techniques. Akkadians used the Sumerians' cuneiform writing. Sargon



firmly established, he created a thriving society.

The Akkadian empire was also known beautiful, safe community. Life with the Akkadians were unique! Sargon even built up the city Agade with tributes, or money and goods, collected from people who conquered. Akkadians have another skill. Arts. Crafts people would carve three dimensional sculptures. There famous sculpture was the Victory Stele. A stele is a relief sculpture on stone. The Victory Stele was made to honor and remember the military victory by Sargon's son. After about 200 years, the Akkadian empire fell into the clutches of the invaders.

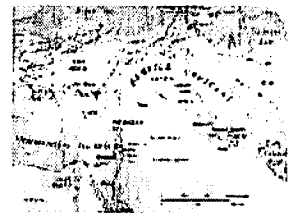
So some of you might be thinking, "Wow this girl just won't shut up about the Akkadians what about the Babylonians and the Assyrians?" Well

for one the Babylonians are murderers! If someone thinks that a random civilian might be a threat they will take 'em down.

Finally Babylonians free the slaves. No! Slaves should have been

released years ago! Oh and the Assyrians. There like looking at Bloody Mary in the mirror! Seriously women having only having 3 rights? Without women we wouldn't even exist! Oh yeah Neo Babylonians as in Neo Boriens! Now there leader decides to keep there city safe! The learder should have realized that years ago! Sorry that its so tough to come up with a name!

Surely the Babylonians, Assyrians, and the Neo Babylonians have some good



pointers, but mostly bad. To see if the Akkadians are better I would say !! Sadly Akkadians didn't even a step by step Empireship for Dummies. Akkadians are experienced, but if you want a clueless dumbo then go ahead. Well my moneys on the Akkadians. Thank you for your time.

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