

SPIRITUAL WARFARE
THE SWORD
OF THE SPIRIT—
THE WORD OF GOD
Part 1

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860K hours of YouTube videos are uploaded EVERY DAY

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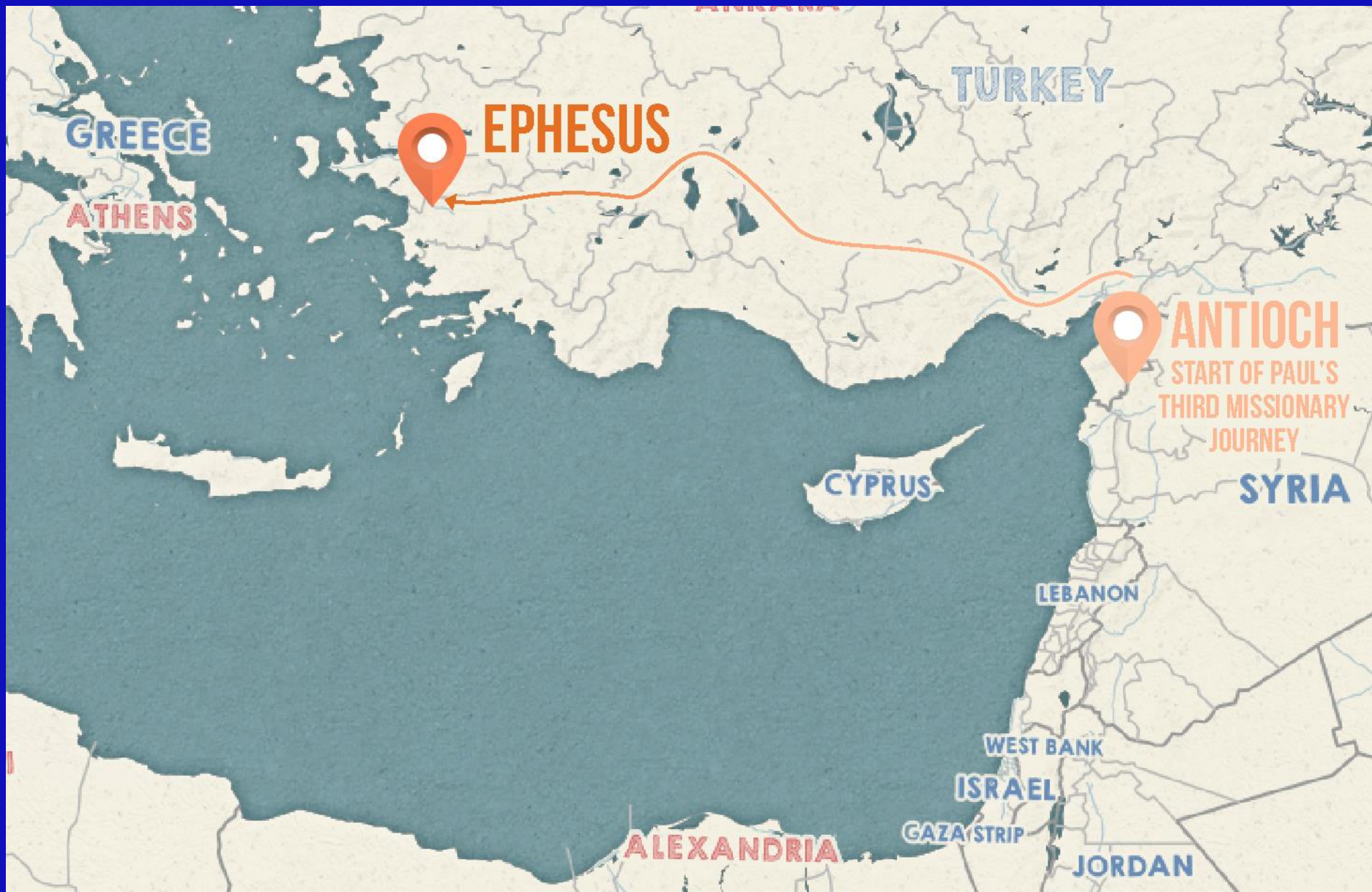
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- *81x more hours with media than time in church if attending church every week (800 hours)**



GREECE

ATHENS

EPHESUS

TURKEY

ANTIOCH

START OF PAUL'S
THIRD MISSIONARY
JOURNEY

SYRIA

CYPRUS

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WEST BANK

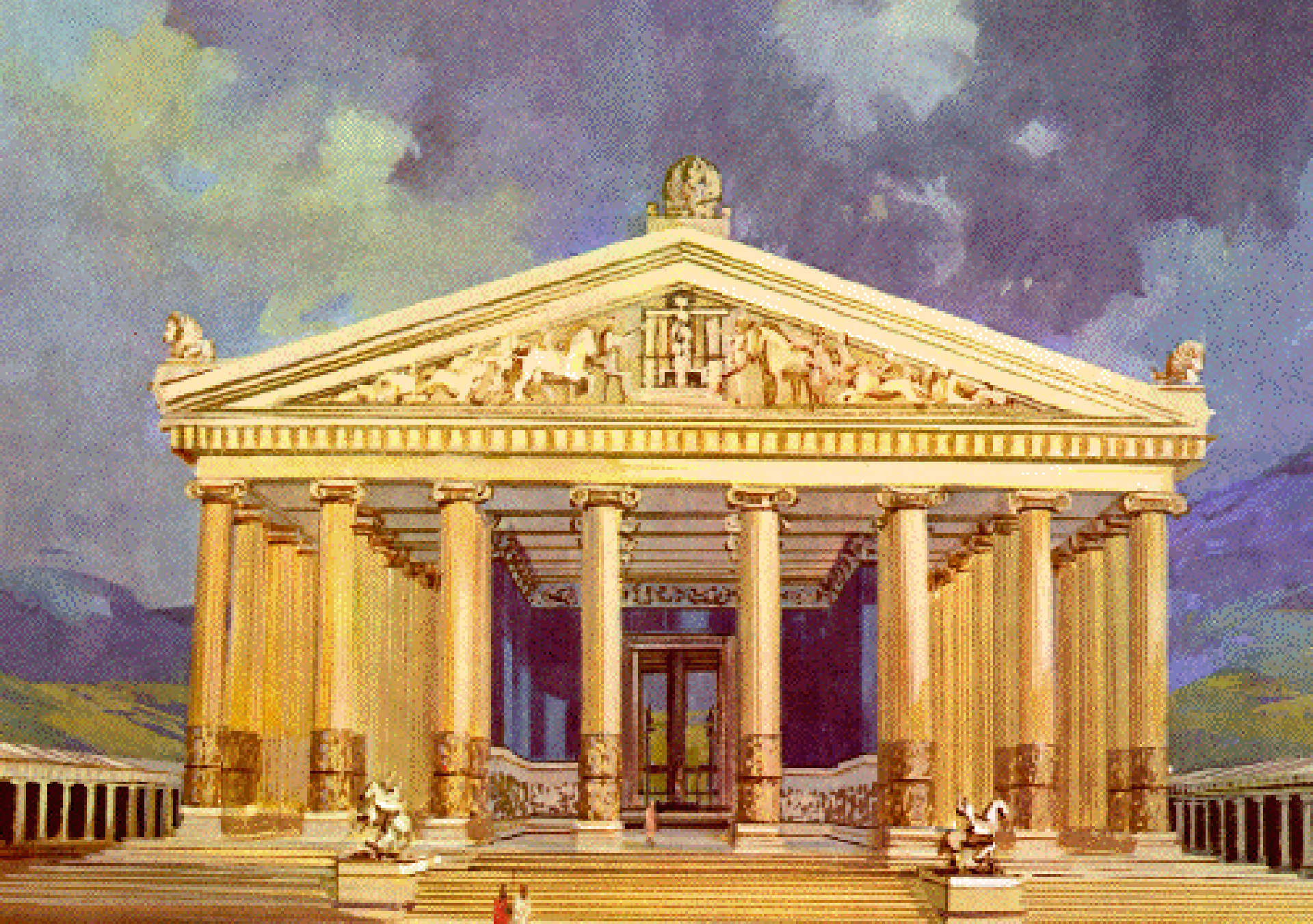
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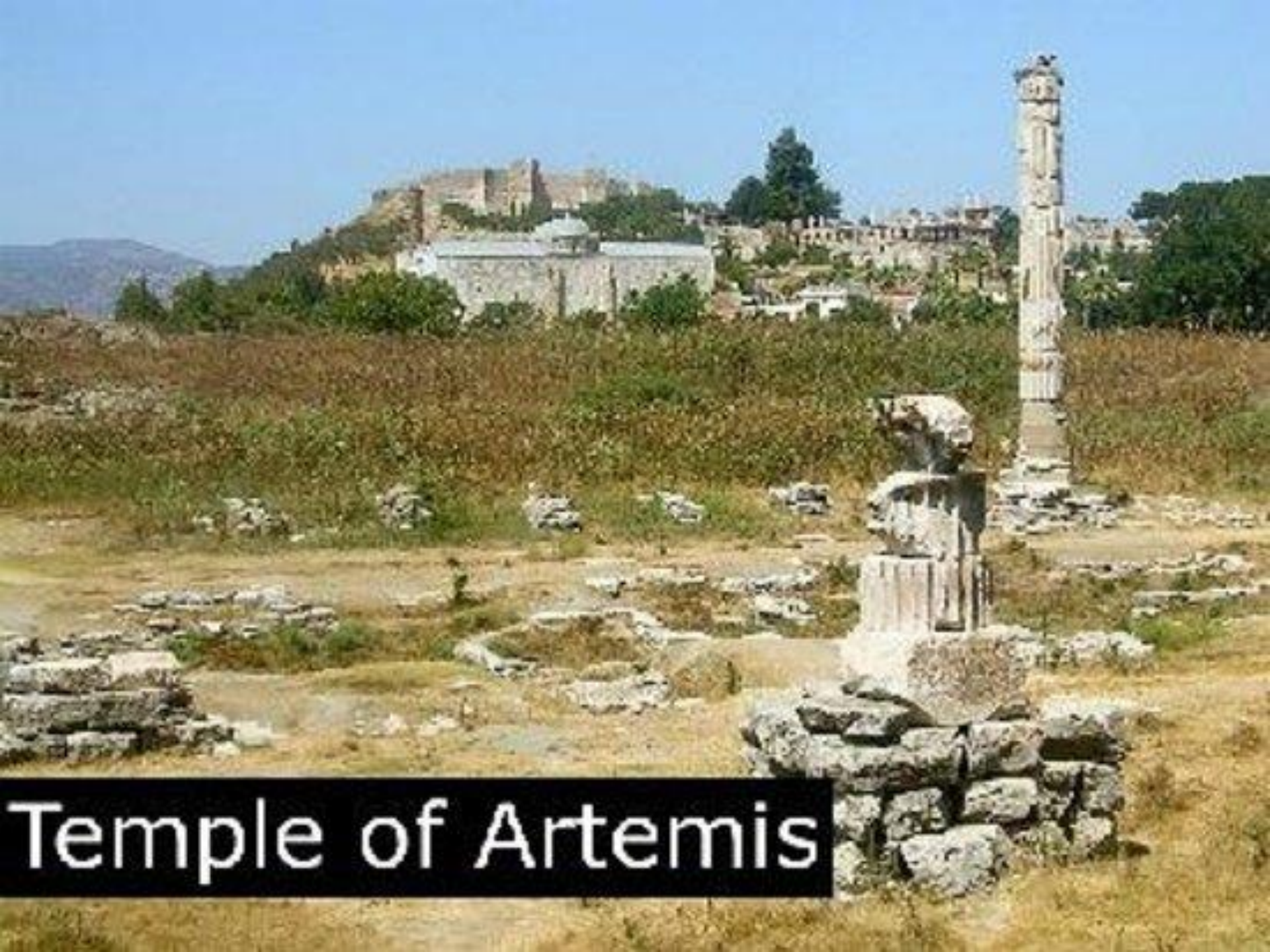
ALEXANDRIA

JORDAN





Temple of Diana at Ephesus



Temple of Artemis



I. PAUL TAUGHT THEM THE WORD.



We have ***POSITION*** in
CHRIST, and we need to let
that lead to our victorious
PRACTICE IN CHRIST

Ephesians 6:10-12 (NKJV)

.¹¹ Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil



Ephesians 6:13-18 (NKJV)

II. YOUR WEAPON OF OFFENSE IS THE WORD OF GOD



The Roman Gladius:
**“The sword that
conquered the world”**



**A Christian who doesn't love
his/her Bible is a *weak,*
defeated Christian who is *no*
*threat to the devil's kingdom.***

We wage warfare *FROM*
***victory FOR* victory.**