

Khorsabad

Iraq; c. 705 BCE; Assyrian; patron, Sargon II

Hanging Gardens of Babylon

Iraq; c. 600 BCE; Neo-Babylonian; patron, King Nebuchadnezzar

Workers' Housing

El Kahun, Egypt; c. 1880 BCE

Temple of Amon

Karnak, Egypt; current form, c. 1500 BCE

Garden scene from tomb of Rekhmire

Thebes, Egypt; c. 1440

Residential garden plan from tomb of Amenhotep III

Thebes, Egypt; c. 1400 BCE

Funerary Complex of Queen Hatshepsut

Dier el Bahari, Egypt; 1503-1482 BCE; architect Senmut

The "Labyrinth"

Knossos, Crete; from c. 2000 BCE to 1470 BCE.

Lion Gate

Mycenae, Greece; 13th c. BCE

Treasury of Atreus

Mycenae, Greece; 14th c. BCE.

Names and Terms:

the Tigris and the Euphrates; qanat; alluvial plane; shaduf; chthonic; Potnia and Postidas/Potidan; tholos, dromos, corbeling;