AIM: WHY IS JERUSALEM CALLED THE HOLY LAND?

DO NOW: Why is religion a point of conflict for people in the world?

HOLY LAND

the land of Israel or the Promised Land.





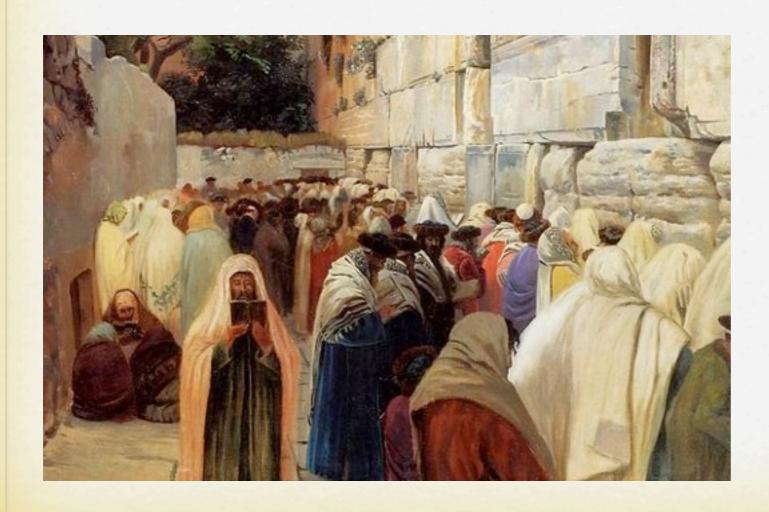
JERUSALEM

A city in the Holy Land. Holiest city to Jews and Christians, highly regarded for Muslims.



SIGNIFICANCE TO JEWISH PEOPLE

- * Land promised to Hebrews by God.
- * Location of Ancient Kingdom of Hebrews.







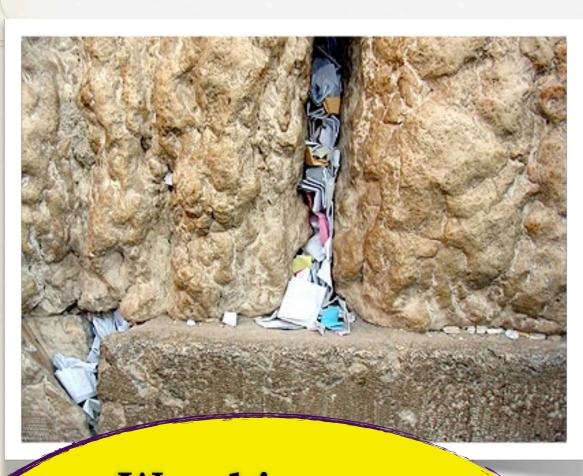
RELIGION: JUDAISM



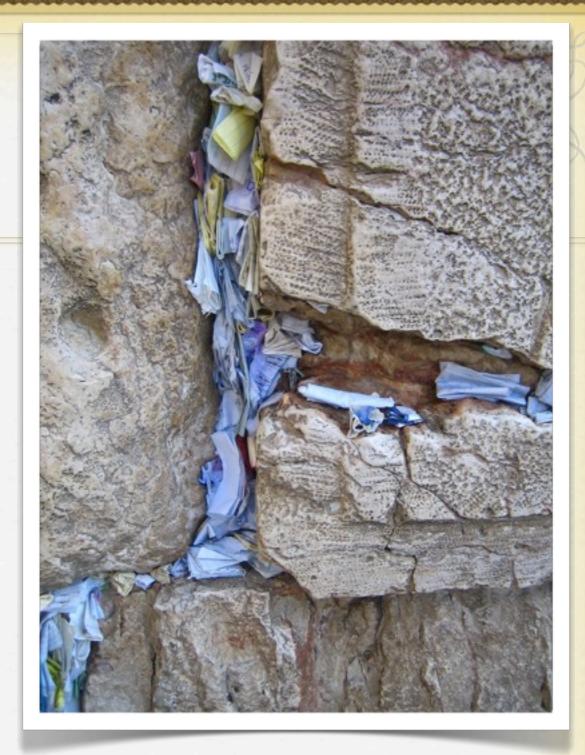
SIGNIFICANCE

- Site of Abrahams sacrifice, 1st and 2nd
 Temples of Solomon were built there, future site of 3rd Temple.
- The Western Wall is all that remains of the 2nd temple.





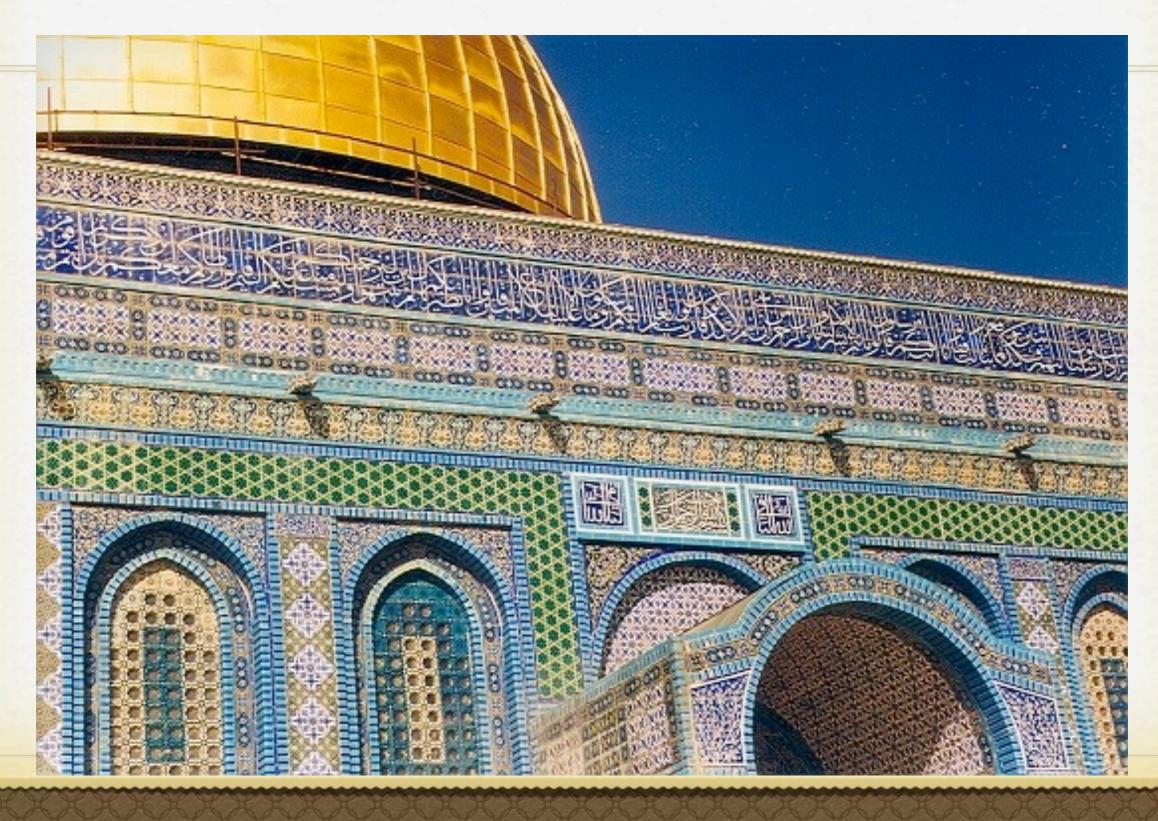
Worshippers
leave prayer notes in the
Western Wall when
they visit.



DOME OF THE ROCK

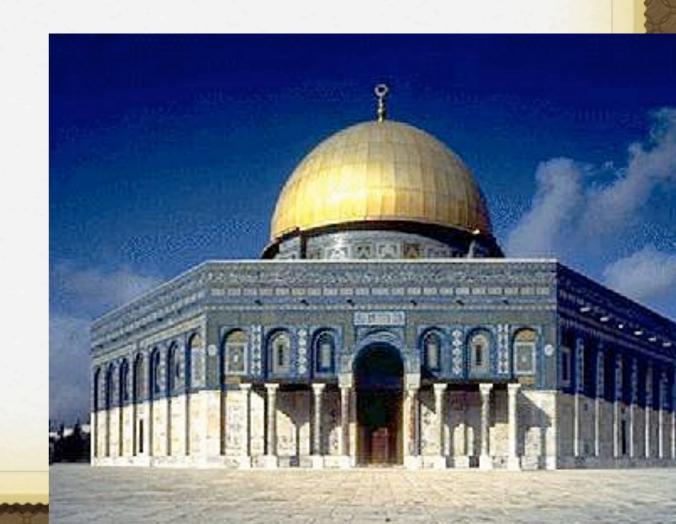


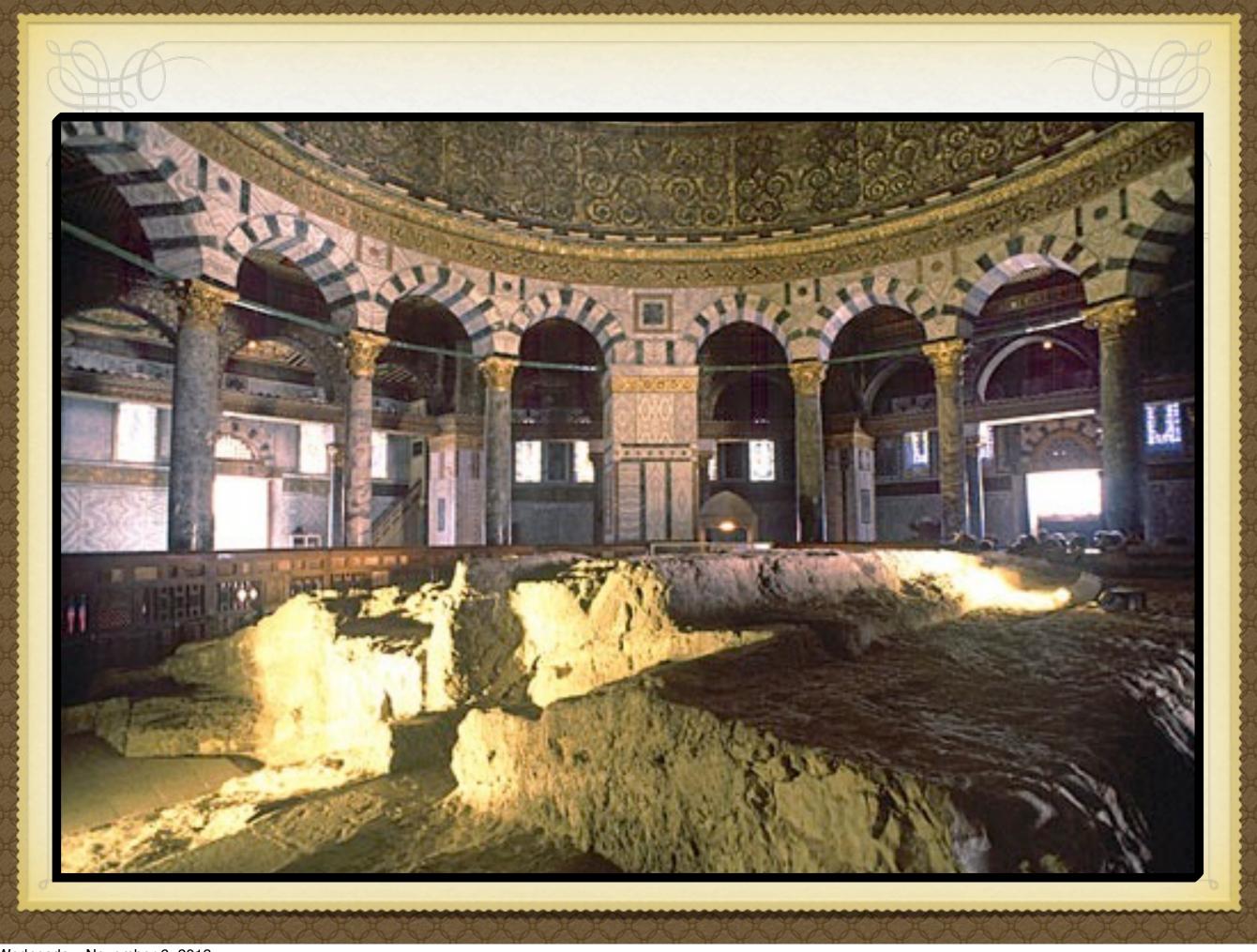
RELIGION: ISLAM



SIGNIFICANCE

** Holiest place for Islam in Jerusalem. A Muslim shrine, believed to be where Muhammad ascended into heaven.





HOLY SEPULCHRE



RELIGION: CHRISTIANITY



SIGNIFICANCE

* The church was constructed over the site where Jesus Christ was crucified and the tomb he was buried in is located in the church.





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the route followed by Christ from the place of his condemnation to Calvary for his

crucifixion.



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