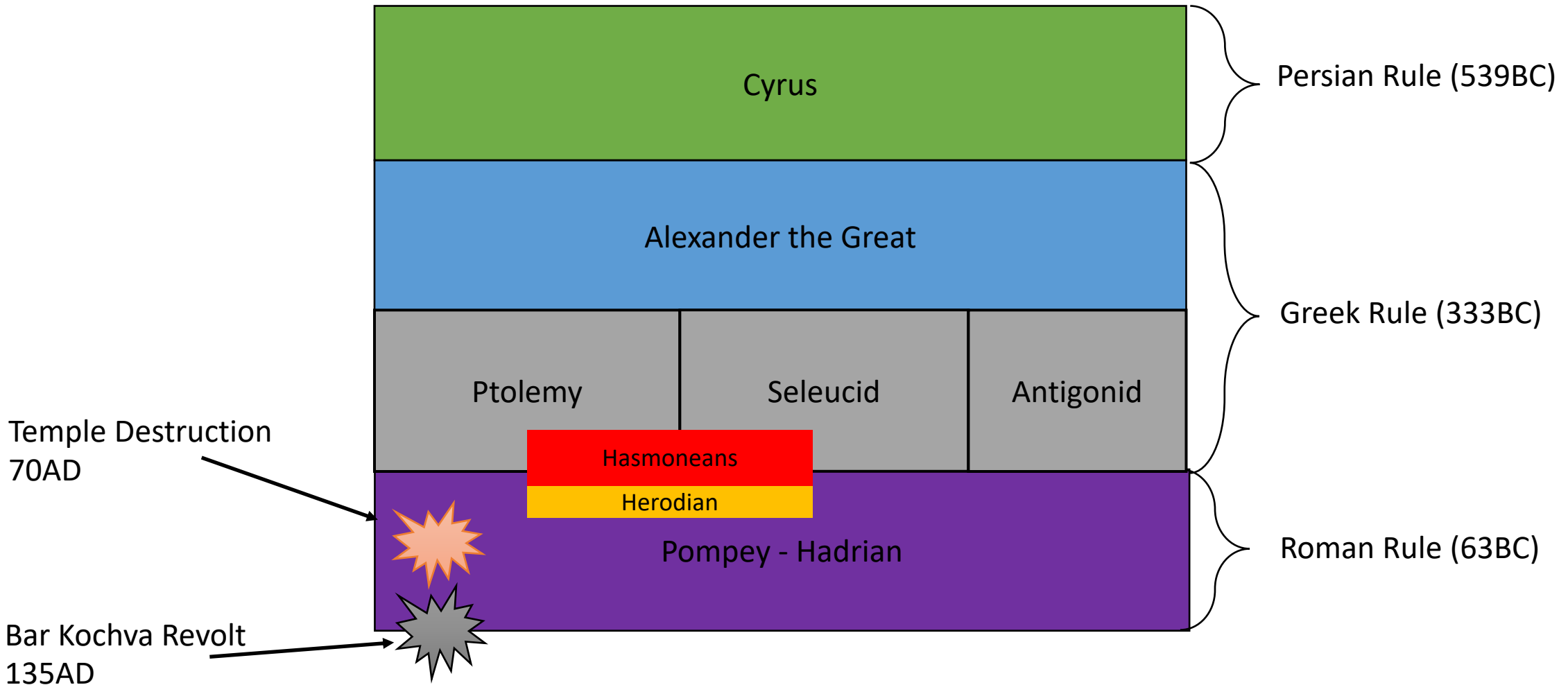


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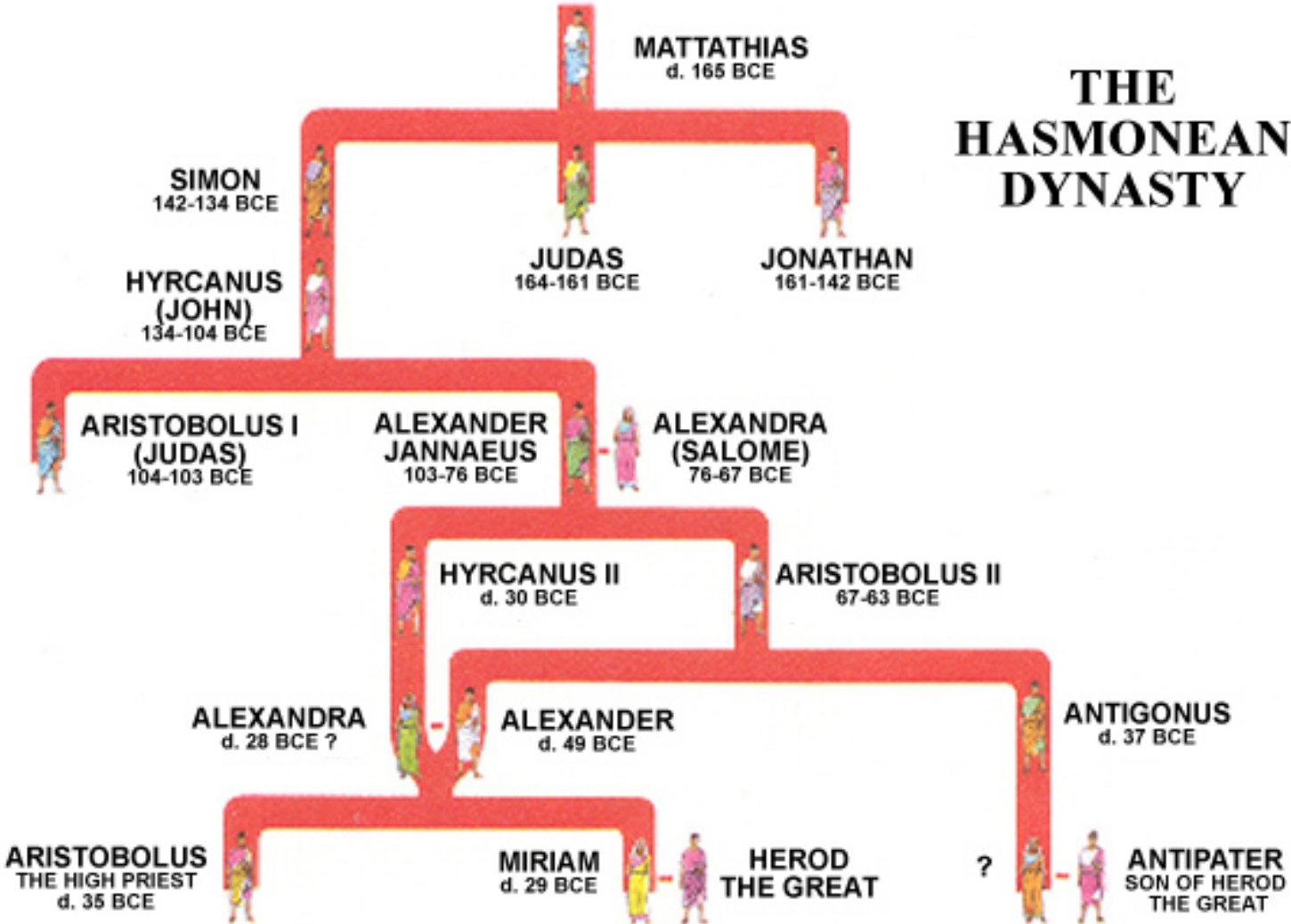
# Historical Overview



# Judah After the Return from Exile (according to Ezra & Nehemiah)



# THE HASMONEAN DYNASTY



Early Occupancy  
Pre-104

Aristobulus I Conquest  
104-63

Pompey Conquest and Reorganization  
64-37

Herodian Rule  
37-66

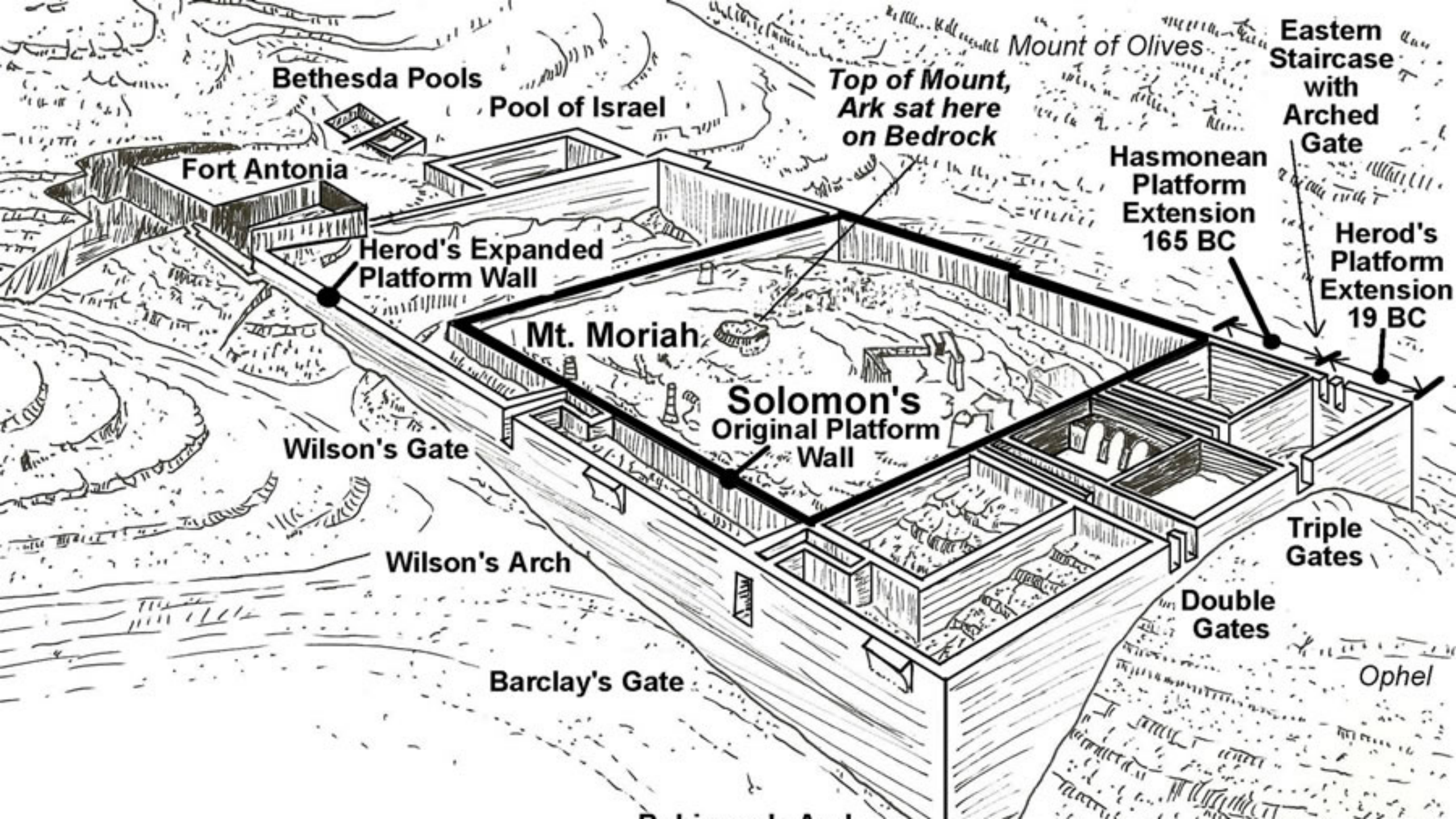
The War  
66-67

# Nazareth



Walls of  
Jerusalem





Bethesda Pools

Pool of Israel

Top of Mount,  
Ark sat here  
on Bedrock

Mount of Olives

Eastern  
Staircase  
with  
Arched  
Gate

Fort Antonia

Hasmonean  
Platform  
Extension  
165 BC

Herod's  
Platform  
Extension  
19 BC

Herod's Expanded  
Platform Wall

Mt. Moriah

Solomon's  
Original Platform  
Wall

Wilson's Gate

Triple  
Gates

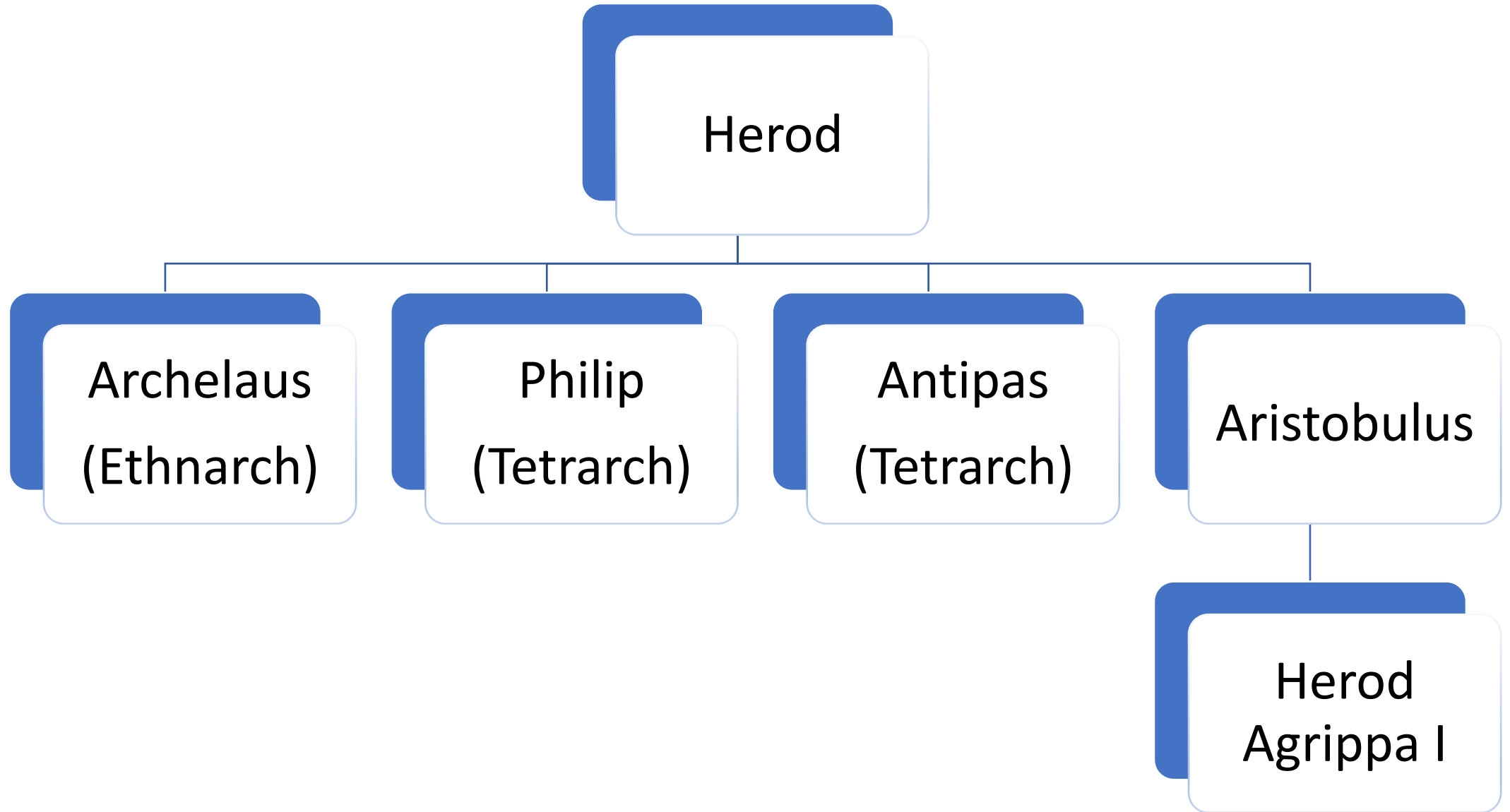
Wilson's Arch

Double  
Gates

Barclay's Gate

Ophel



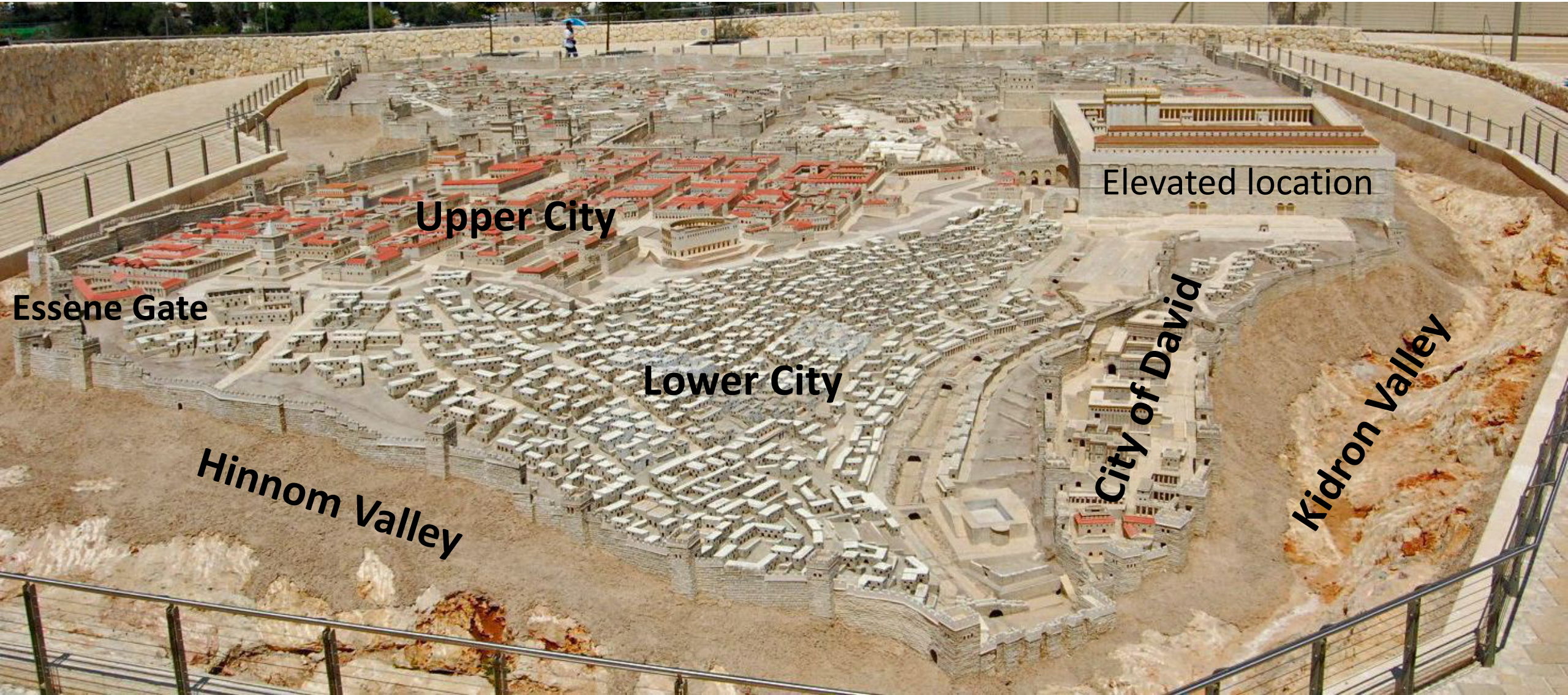


# Division of Herod's Kingdom

- Archelaus
- Herod Antipas
- Philip
- Salome
- Syrian Territory



Herod's  
Division of  
Land



**Upper City**

Elevated location

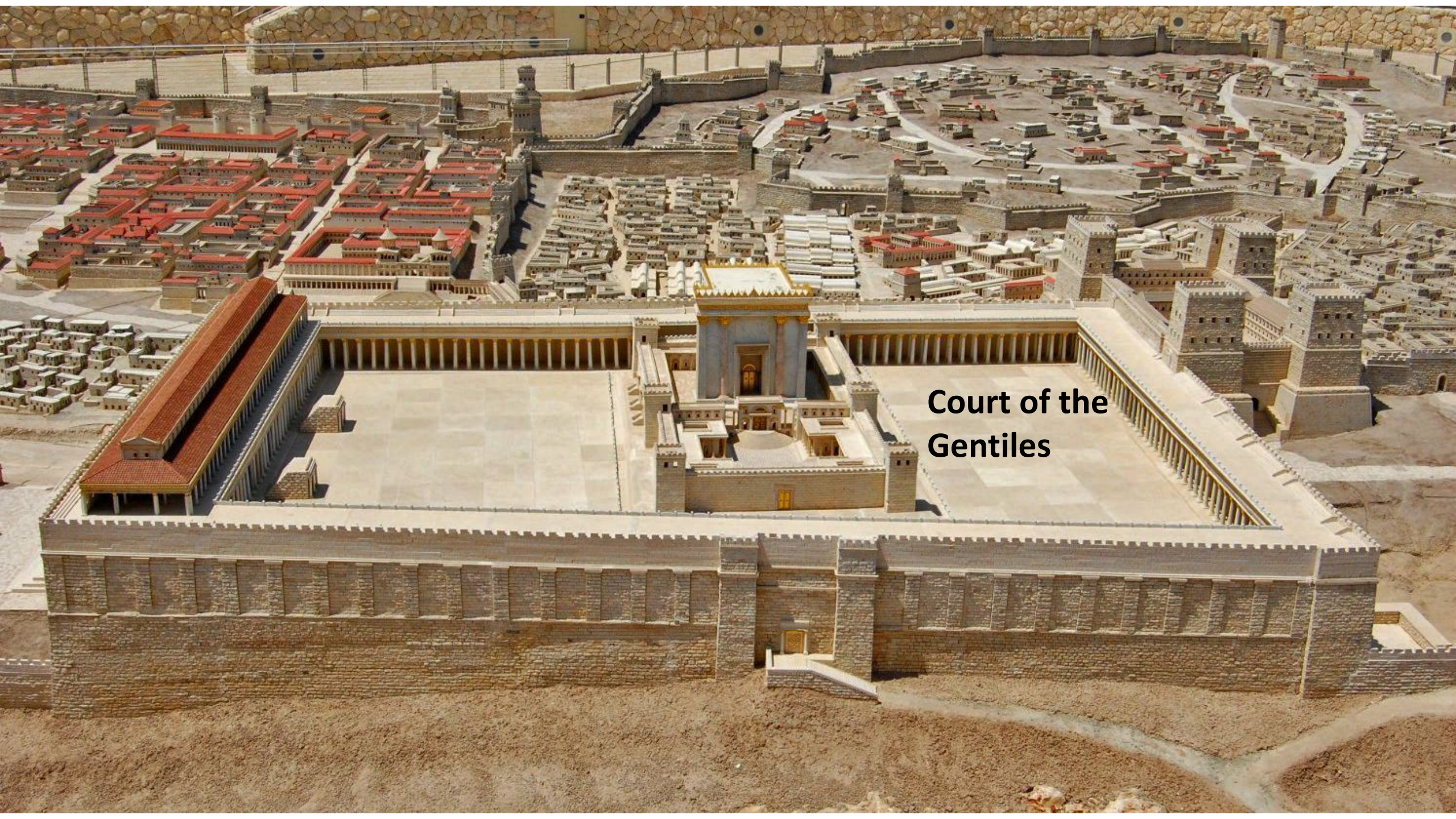
**Essene Gate**

**Lower City**

**City of David**

**Hinnom Valley**

**Kidron Valley**



**Court of the  
Gentiles**

