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Timbuktu

Mali





Shrine of Cheikh Alpha Moya



2012



Shrine of Sidi Amar Ben Amar



2012



Sacred door of Sidi
Yahia Mosque



2012



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Archaeological Remains of the Bamiyan Valley

Afghanistan





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Old Bridge Area of the Old City of Mostar

Bosnia and Herzegovina



1980



1993



1998



2009



1980



1993



1998



2009



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Temple of Preah Vihear

Cambodia



2011



2011



2011



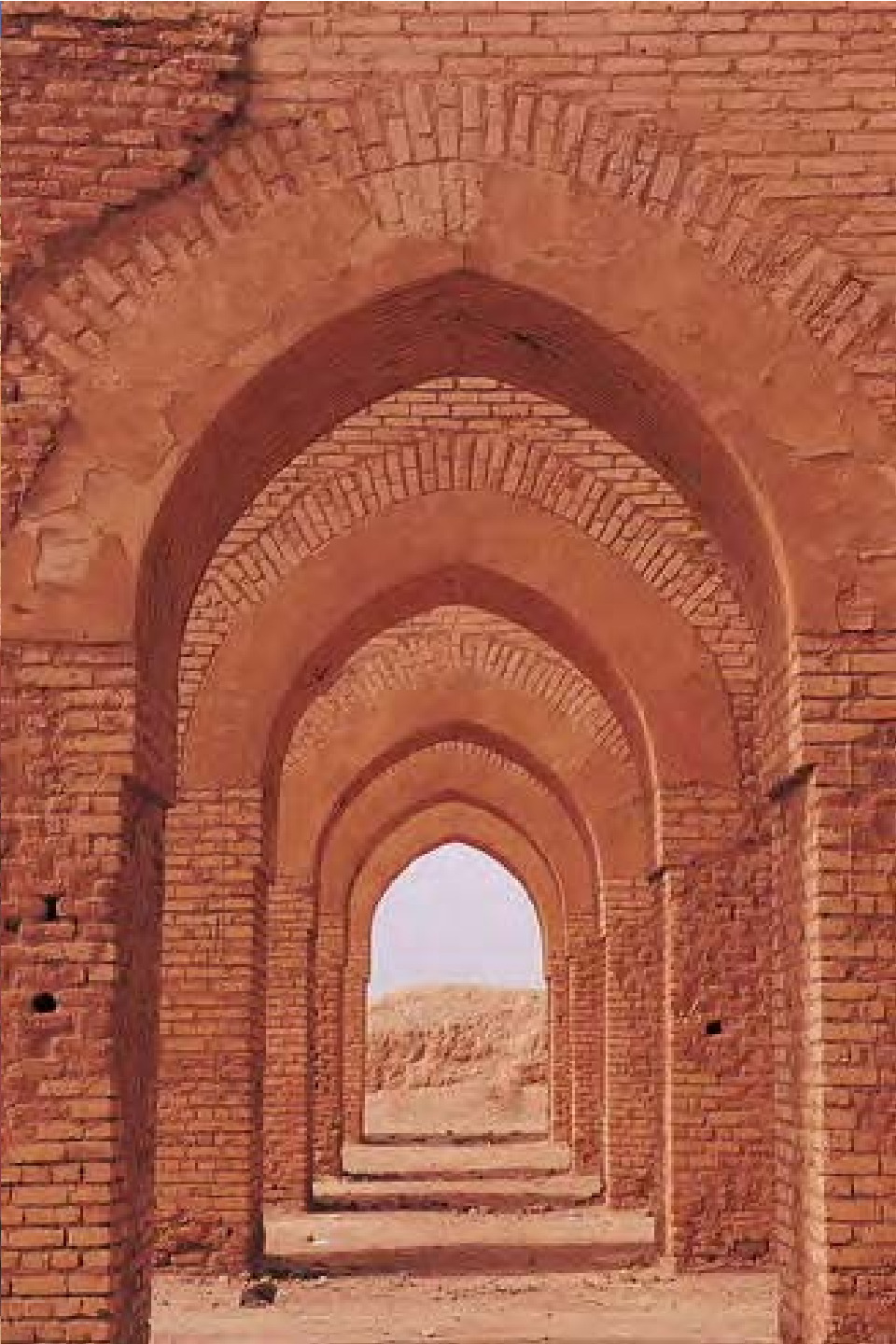
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Samarra Archaeological City

Iraq







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Al Askari mosque in Samarra

Iraq



Before destruction



2008



2008



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2008





2009



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Shrine of Al-Shaab Al- Dahmani in Tripoli

Libya



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Ancient city of Aleppo

Syria









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Crac des Chevaliers and Qal'at Salah El-Din

Syria









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