

Ancient Armies of the Middle East
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Contents:

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Chronology

The Peoples ó Sumerians, Akkadians, Babylonians, Elamites, Egyptians, Libyans, Ethiopians, Nubians, Hyksos, Hittites, Sea Peoples, Arabs, Aramaeans, Israelites, Judeans, Assyrians.

Colour Plates:

Sumerian infantry

Egyptian infantry and archer 18th dynasty

Sumerian chariot

Egyptian chariot

Nubian archer

Philistine infantry

Sherden infantry

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Bedouin warrior

Libyan archer

Syrian archer

Hittite charioteer and archer

Assyrian infantry and archer

Elamite archer

Arab camel riders and Assyrian horse-archer

Comments:

An outstanding book ó a survey of biblical peoples and their armies. No details on battles, campaigns or costume. The book is split into sections on peoples, each with a brief overview of history, troop types and methods. There is no in-depth discussion on any army but this book is nevertheless a õmust-readö starting point for any reader interested in õbiblicalö warfare.

--Paul Le Long

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