

Riddles

Ancient Civilisations

Set 2

1. Who are we?

There's too many of us to count, it would take all day
We loyally guard our leader where he lay
Each of us has a face of our own
If you look closely, no one here has a clone!

2 What am I?

Open me, since I know you want to
Just like Eve wanted the apple of taboo
I'm a mixed surprise of good and bad
Though I warn you, the gods will get very mad

3 Who am I?

My father's a great king, the second of his name
I'm technically Macedonian but Greek all the same
Some call me lover, some conqueror and others warrior
When I took Egypt and blazed my way to Persia, they all cowered in terror

4 Who am I?

Worship only the sun god, I said
Yet they wanted the pantheon,
rejoiced when they learned I was dead
My son too had a sorry fate
Left to fix my mess,
when he turned 19 it was too late

5 What am I?

Looking for a new way of life? Try our beautiful state, ___!

Enjoy:

A moderate, warm Mediterranean climate

A disciplined, organised lifestyle with clear rules and low crime rates

Rewarding retirement packages and land after 25 years in a guaranteed 'state expansion' role

State-sponsored education, including a boarding school (weapons essential) for boys starting at age 7

Free (and required) self-defense classes for women, both young and old

6 What am I?

Missing! An Important Relic

Last Seen: 13th century English legends

Looks Like: A vessel or a woman, either

Witnesses: Joseph of Arimathea (apparently)

7 Who am I?

One thing I always do is question your view,

Whether it's old, controversial or new

Come and have a friendly talk with me

Roaming the streets of Athens for everyone to see

8 Who am I?

I may or may not be my father's son

My mother and I, we tried to run

Cornered, she gave in to the snake

My father, killed for Rome's sake

9 Who are we?

Looking for: Willing souls!

Want to absolve yourself of all sin and gain lots of gold?

Then come and join our expedition!

Want to be powerful and influential for decades?

Want to be hunted down and burnt at the stake by an insecure king?

Sign up for the ___ today!

10 Who are we?

Looking for adventurers for ____, apply now!

Must:

- Have a heroic ability or at least godly musical skills

- Have experience with the sea

- Have undying trust in a mortal, inexperienced captain

- Like very flashy blankets