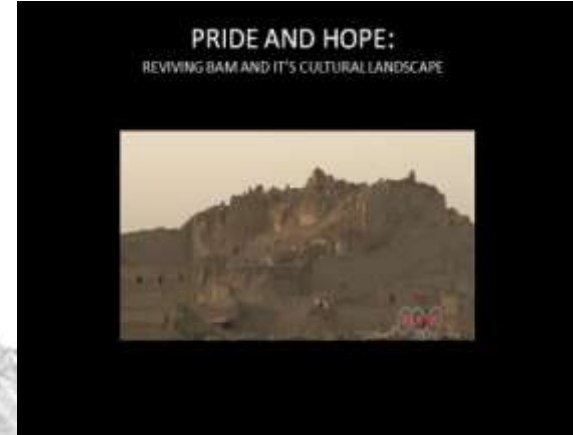


SASANIAN EMPIRE AND ARG-E-BAM



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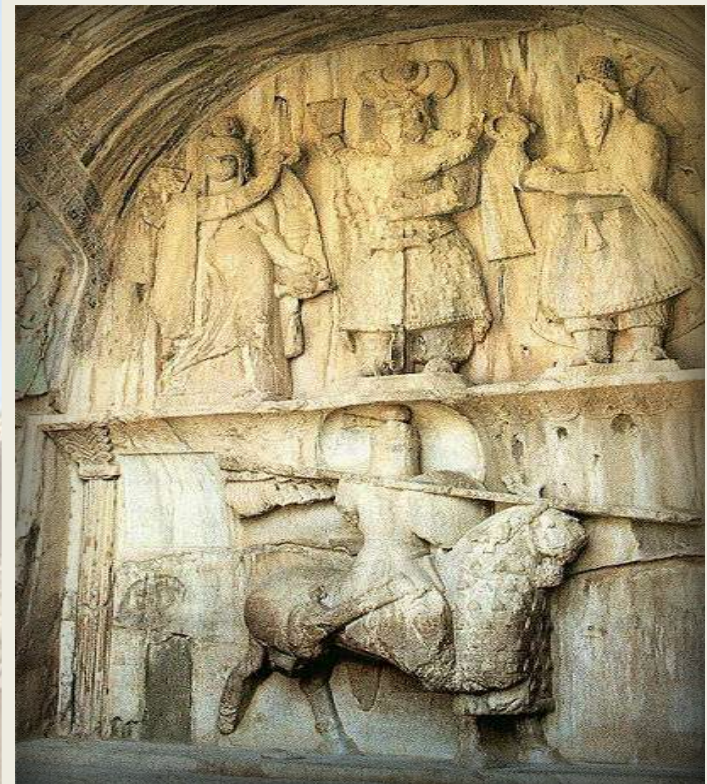
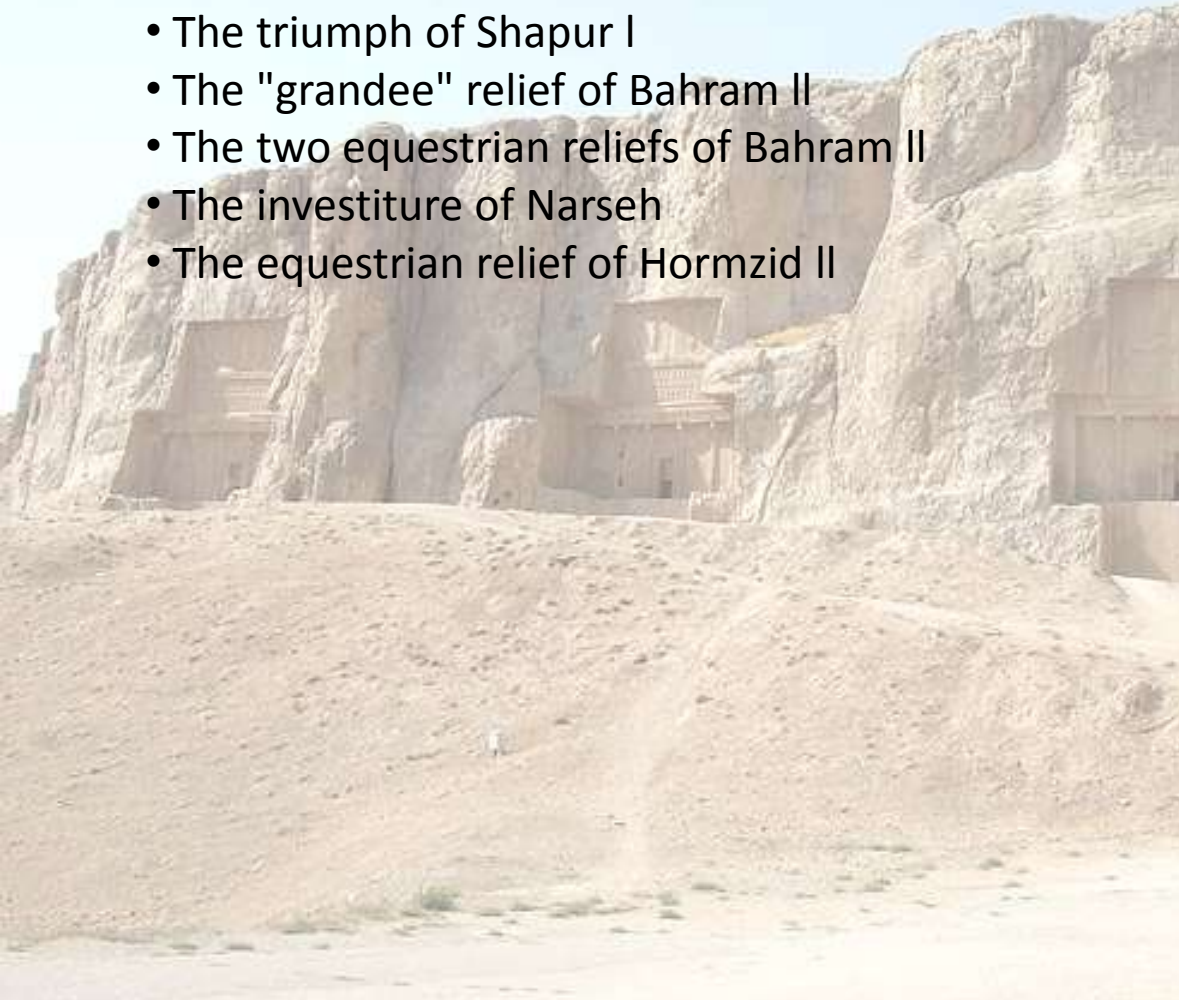
NAQSH-E-ROSTAM

- **STONE RELIEFS**
- **KA'BE ZARDOSHT**



STONE RELIEFS:

- Seven oversized rock reliefs
- The investiture relief of Ardeshir I
- The triumph of Shapur I
- The "grandee" relief of Bahram II
- The two equestrian reliefs of Bahram II
- The investiture of Narseh
- The equestrian relief of Hormzid II



KA'BA-E ZARDOSHT:



- Constructed on the 5th century
- North West of Persepolis
- Built by either:
Darius I, Artaxerxes II
or Artaxerxes III

- Earlier prediction:
Fire Altar
- More valid prediction:
Achaemenids' Royal Tomb



THE BAM CITADEL

- **GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION**
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GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION

BAM:

- Jebel Barez Mountains
- Lut Desert
- 200 Km SE of Kerman
- 120 Km NE of Jiroft



GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION

- Citadel Area (The Arg)
- Underground Water (Qanats)
- Open Water Course (Posht-e Rud)
 - North
- Palm groves - West and East
- Mountains on the West and
 - North-West



ARG-E-BAM

- Rectangular Area (430m X 540m)
- North-East Section is cut
- 38 Watchtowers
- Principal Entrance in the South
- 10m wide moat surrounds the defence wall



Fig. B



Fig. C



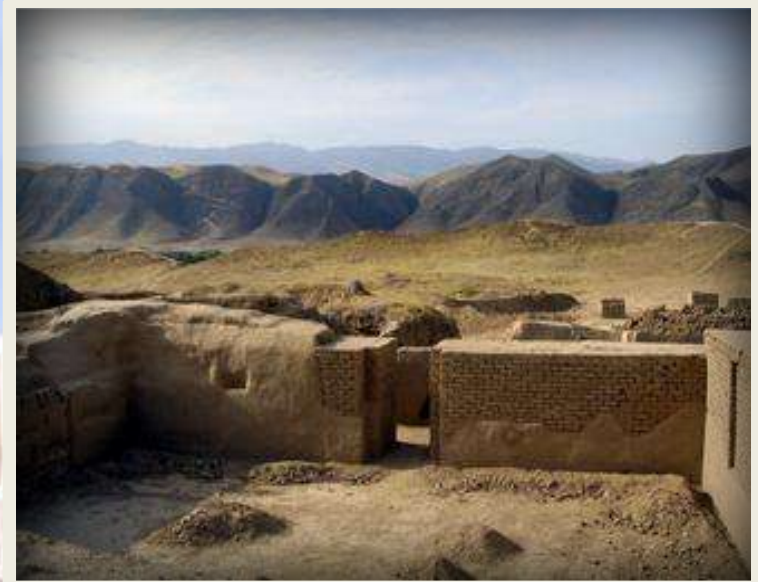
Fig. D

Fig. E



CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL

- Mud Layers (Chineh)
- Sun-dried mud Bricks (Khesht)
- New Structure was rebuilt after the previous one collapsed



LANDMARKS AND MONUMENTS

- South
 - Chaharfasl
 - Stables
 - Market
- North
 - Governor's Residence
- East
 - Mosque



Fig. The roofed Market built during the Safavies



Fig. The Barracks, Stables and the Quarter of the commanding generals



Fig. Inside the Mosque (built 1200 yrs ago)

LANDMARKS AND MONUMENTS

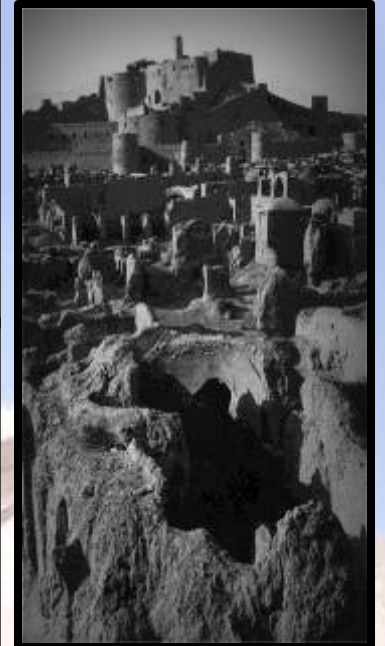
- Konari Quarter
- Icehouse
 - Large Dome
 - Shallow Pool
 - Large Tank
 - Restored as an auditorium for summer



Fig. Typical Icehouse, Kerman, IR



Fig. North-Western area – Residential Konari Quarter



PRIDE AND HOPE:

REVIVING BAM AND IT'S CULTURAL LANDSCAPE



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