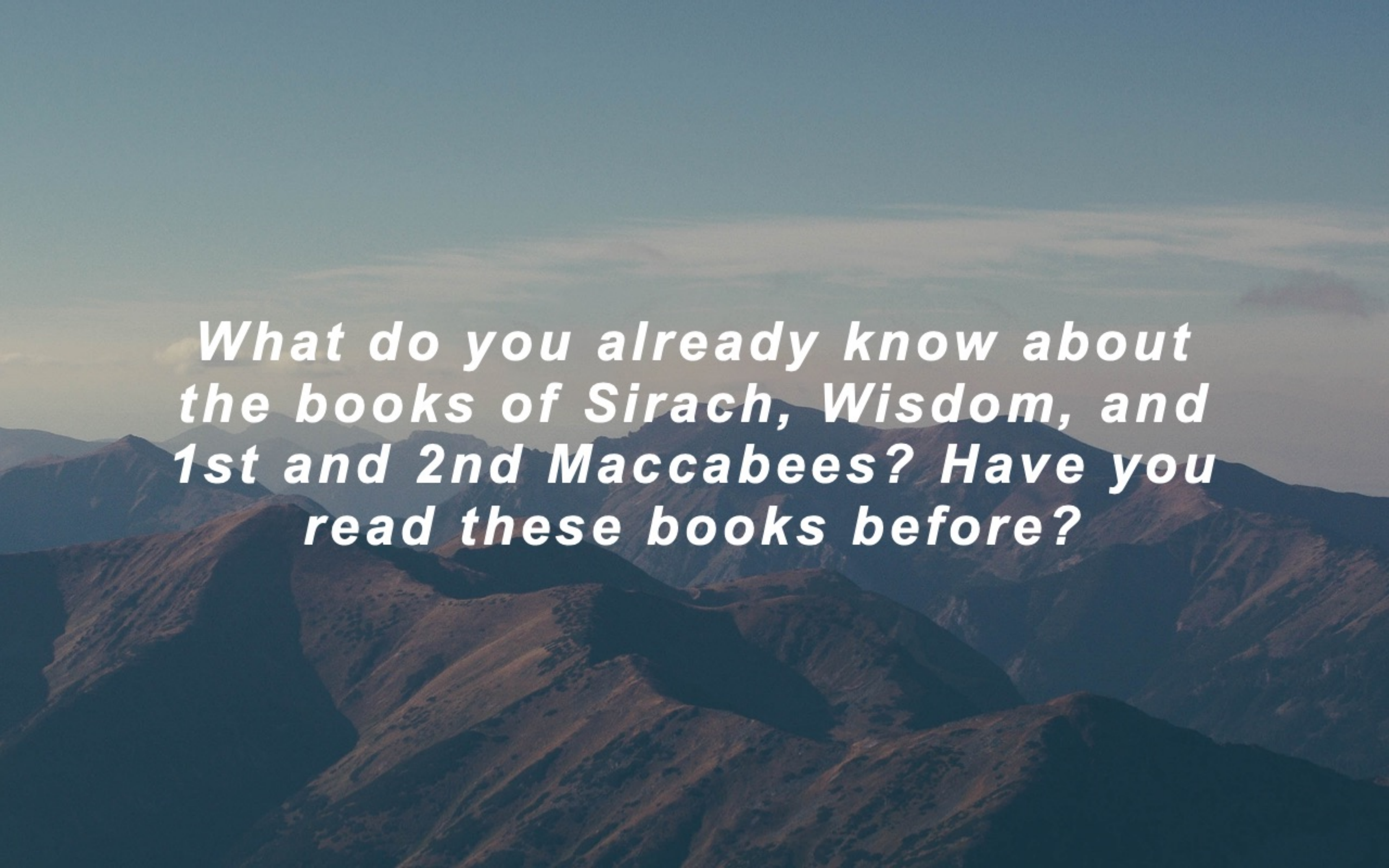


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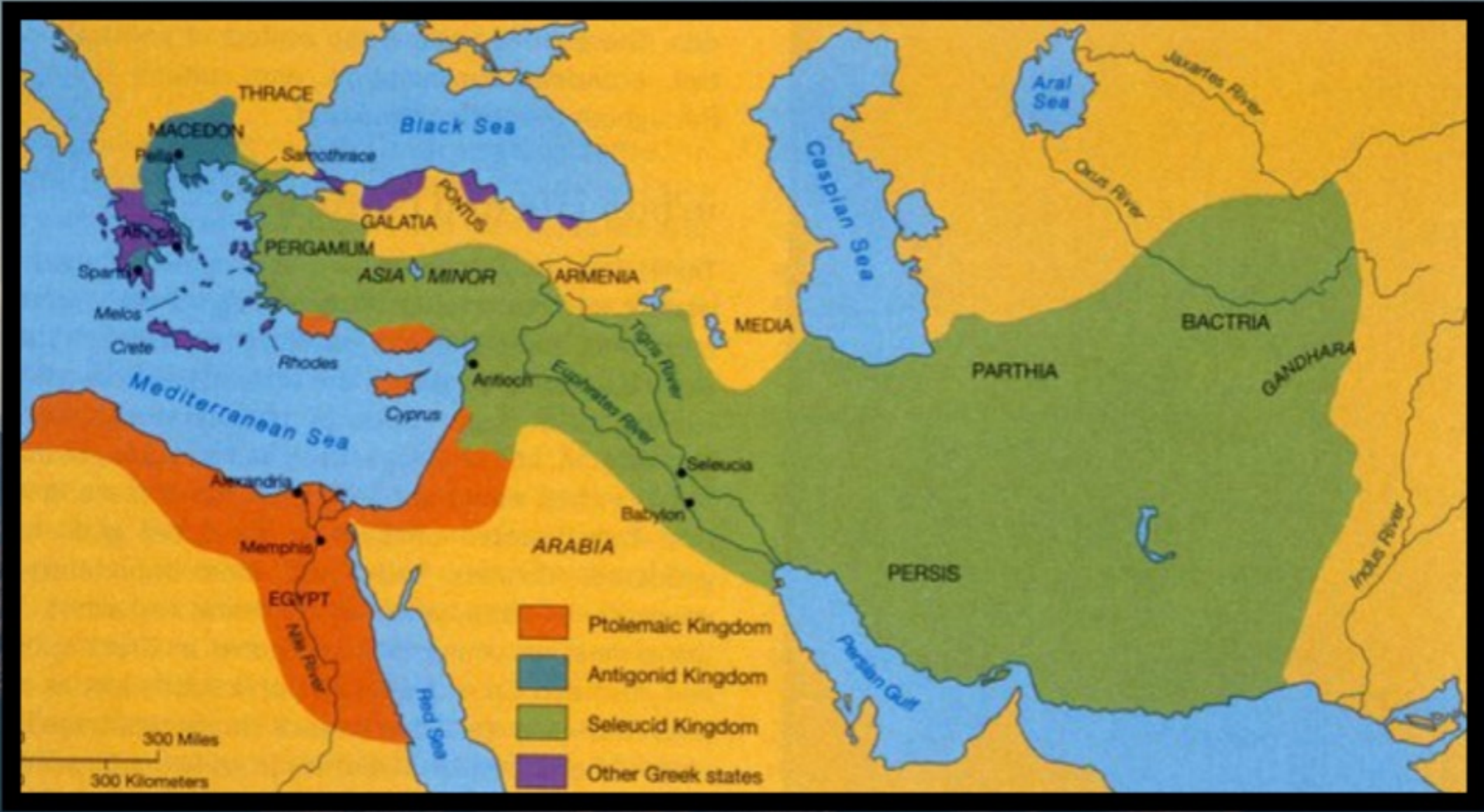
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M A C C A B E A N

MCKENZIE MONA



What do you already know about the books of Sirach, Wisdom, and 1st and 2nd Maccabees? Have you read these books before?



A landscape of rolling mountains under a clear sky. The mountains are in shades of brown and tan, with some green patches. The sky is a pale blue with some light clouds. The text is centered over the middle of the image.

***Who is someone in your life who
inspires you to live according to
God's law?***



SALAMIS

ALEPPO

BYBLOS

SIDON

TYRE

DAMASCUS

SAMARIA

MODI

GAZA



MATTATHIAS

JUDAH

SIMEON

JONATHAN

JOHANAN

ELEAZAR

HASMONEAN REVOLT

A wide-angle photograph of a mountain range. The mountains are layered, with the closest ones in the foreground and more distant ones fading into a hazy blue sky. The lighting is soft, suggesting either dawn or dusk. The overall color palette is muted, with various shades of blue, brown, and grey.

***What is a battle you are fighting
right now?***





Theological Contributions of 2nd Maccabees:

- ***The resurrection of the just on the last day***
(7:9, 11, 14, 23; 14:46)
- ***The intercession of saints in heaven***
(15:11-16)
- ***The power of the living to offer prayers and sacrifices for the dead, purgatory***
(12:39-46)
- ***God created all out of nothing***
(7:29)

A wide-angle photograph of a mountain range. The mountains are layered, with the closest peaks in the foreground and more distant, hazy peaks in the background. The sky is a pale, clear blue. The overall tone is serene and expansive.

***What is one thing you are taking
away from tonight's talk?***