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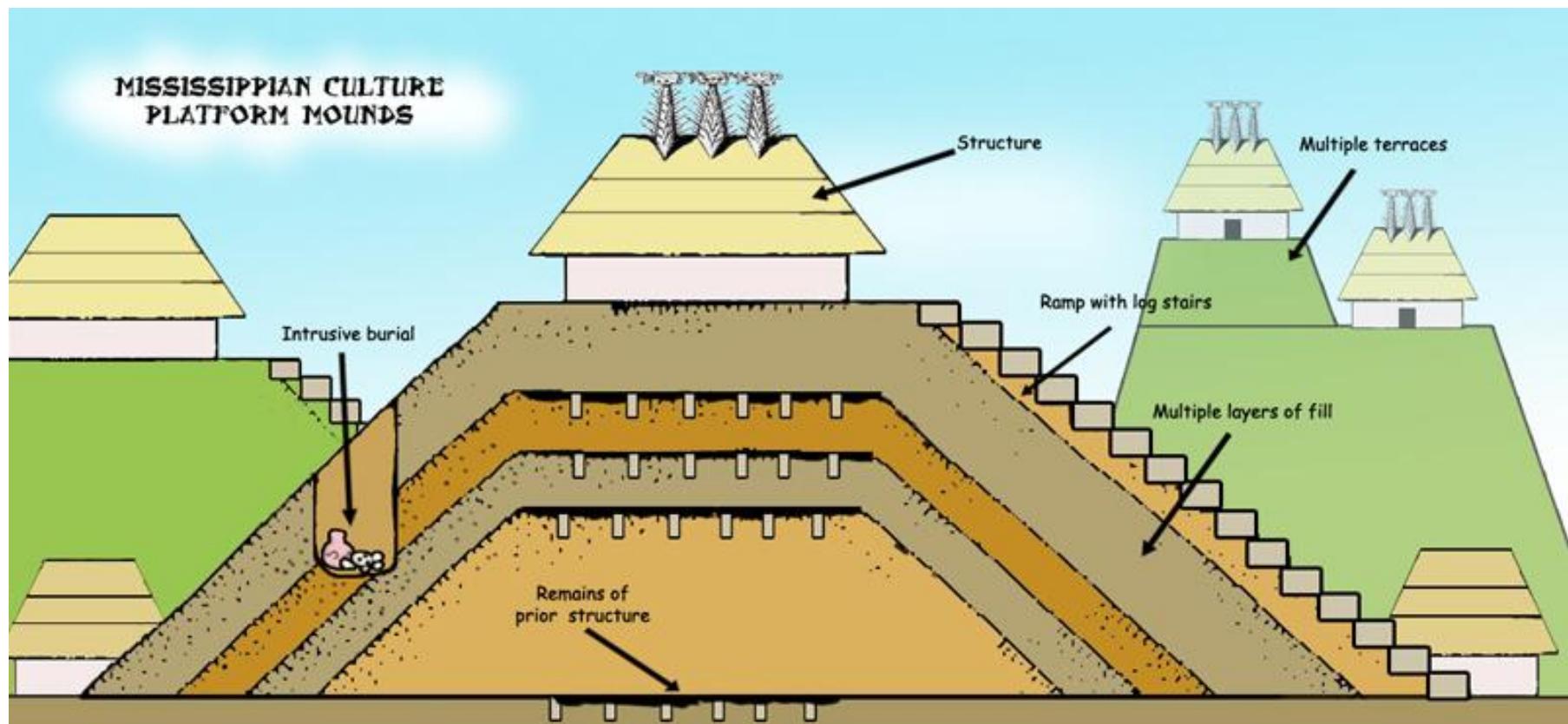
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Part I

Monks Mound



Mound Components

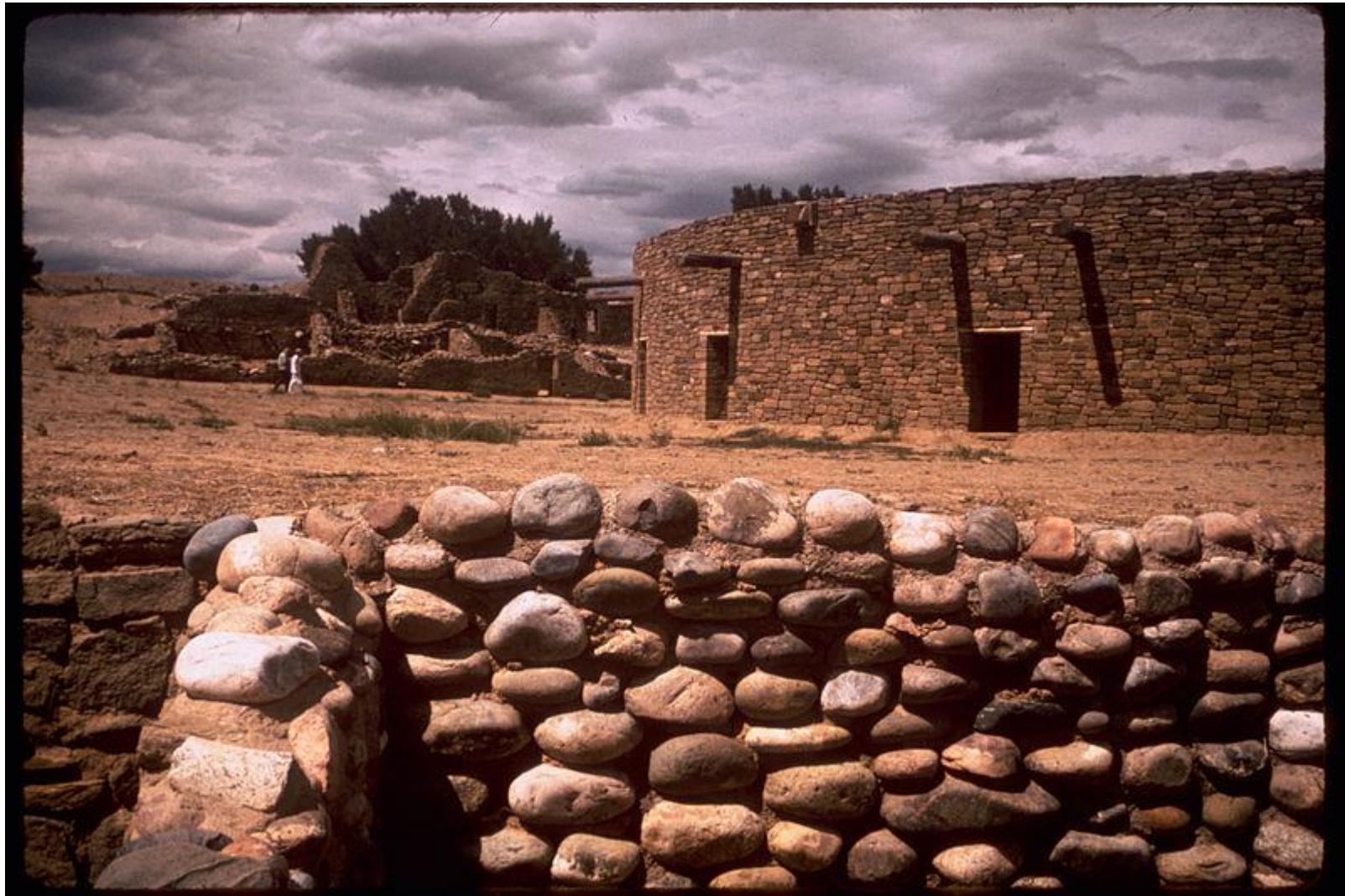


Historic buildings and structures

Pyramids

- Built by many pre-Columbian Native American societies of ancient North America
- Large pyramidal earth structures known as platform mounds
- The largest and best-known is Monks Mound, completed around 1100 CE
- They are believed to have played a central role in the religious life

Aztec Ruins National Monument

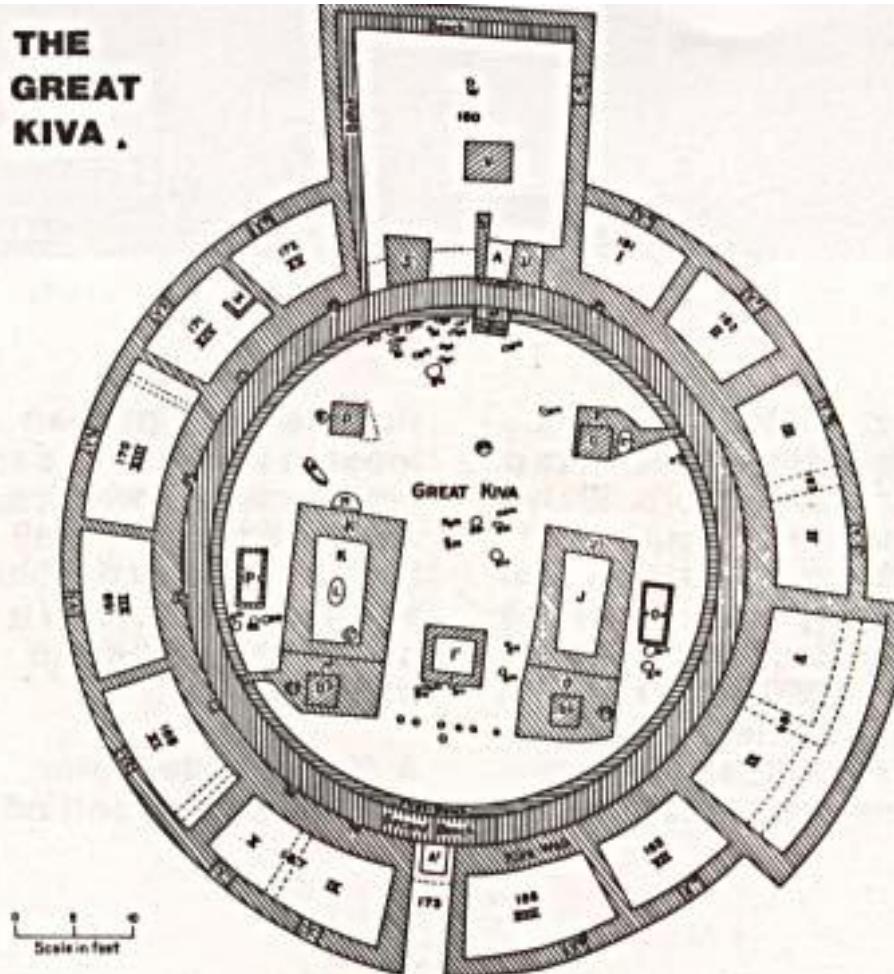


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Aztec Ruins National Monument

- Set of ancestral Puebloan ruins rather than anything built by the Aztecs
- The remains of a great house which once had some 500 rooms
- There would also have been a "kiva" or ceremonial building
- Is part of the "Chaco Culture" UNESCO World Heritage site

THE GREAT KIVA .

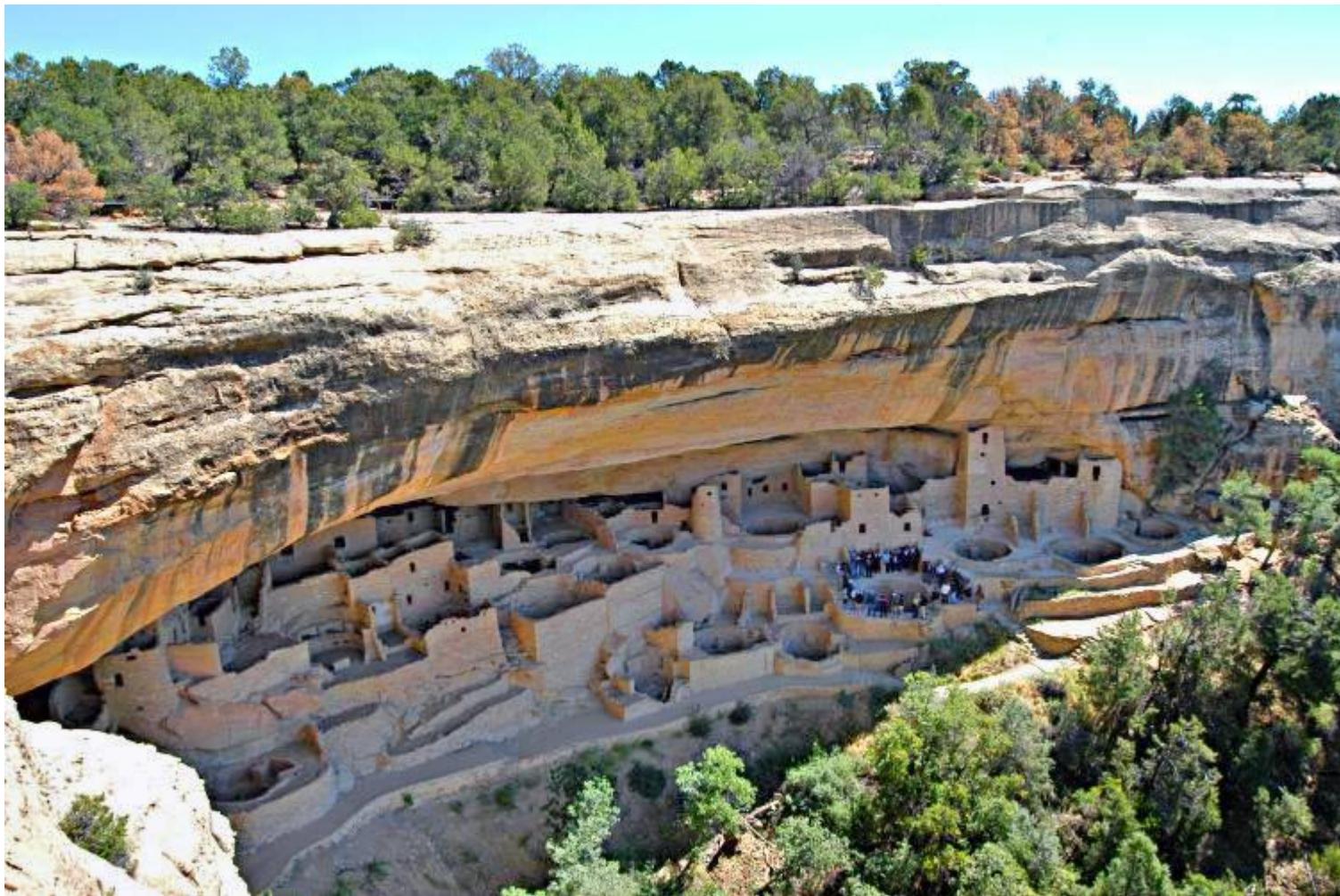


This kiva was built by the Chacoans and later remodeled by the Mesa Verdeans. Excavated by Morris in 1921 and

rebuilt by him in 1934, it is the only reconstructed great kiva in the Southwest.

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Mesa Verde National Park



Historic buildings and structures

Mesa Verde National Park

- Was once the home of the Pueblos, a Native American people
- Dotted with over 4,000 archaeological treasures
- Includes 600 exceptionally well preserved cliff dwellings dating back to 600 AD

Historic buildings and structures

The Cherokee Strip Regional Heritage Center

- Tells the story of the area and the people who lived there including the Native Americans and the pioneers
- This land was given to the Cherokee nation in the 19th century before it was sold back to the government

The Cherokee Strip Regional Heritage Center – Statue of Pioneer Family



The Golden Gate Bridge

San Francisco



Alcatraz Island



Cities

San Francisco

- **The Golden Gate Bridge**
 - A suspension bridge completed in 1937
 - Has become an internationally recognized symbol of San Francisco and California
 - The famous red-orange color of the bridge was specifically chosen to make the bridge more easily visible through the thick fog that frequently shrouds the bridge
- **Alcatraz Island**
 - Used to house Civil War prisoners as early as 1861
 - Isolated from the outside by the cold, strong, hazardous currents of the waters of San Francisco Bay

Universal Studios Hollywood



Cities

Los Angeles

- Often known by its initials **L.A.**
- Nicknamed the *City of Angels*
- The most populous city in California and the second most populous in the US
- **Universal Studios Hollywood**
 - Is one of the oldest and most famous Hollywood movie studios still in use
 - The Hollywood Sign
 - almost 90 years old
 - The letters are 45ft tall
 - the characters are outlined by 4,000 light bulbs
 - It measures about 140 meters long and 14 meters tall
- The **Walt Disney Concert Hall**
 - it seats 2,265 people
 - serves (among other purposes) as the home of the L.A. Philharmonic orchestra

The Hollywood Sign



Las Vegas



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Cities

Las Vegas

- Situated in the Nevada desert
- The gambling mecca of the world
- Features giant mega-casino hotels, decorated to create a fantasy-like atmosphere
- The casinos often have names and themes that evoke romance, mystery, and far-away destination
- When viewed from space the city is the brightest spot on Earth

Miami Beach, Port of Miami



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Miami

- Miami was named for the Mayaimis, a tribe who lived there
- Located on the Atlantic coast in southeastern Florida
- Nicknamed the "Capital of Latin America"
- **Port of Miami**
 - known as the "Cruise Capital of the World"
 - the number one cruise passenger port in the world
- **Miami Beach**
 - recognized as American Riviera
 - a man-made island that was once a coconut plantation
 - home to the world's largest collection of Art Deco architecture