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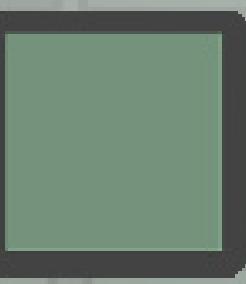
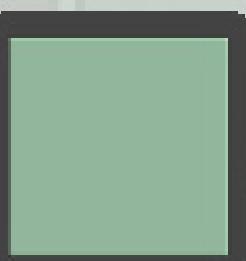
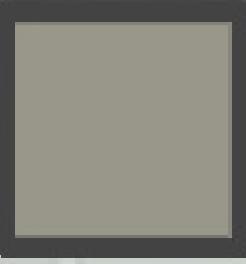
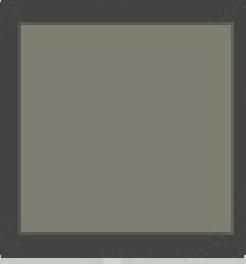
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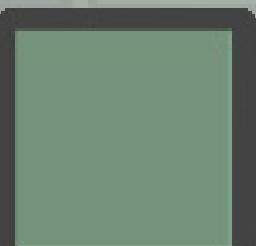
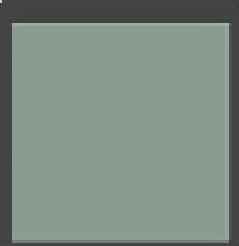
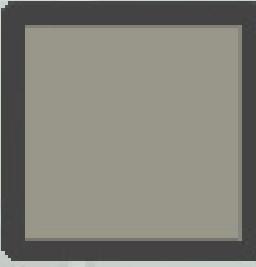
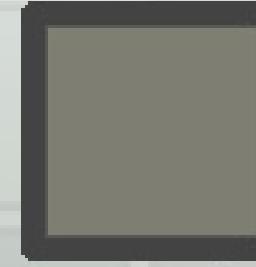
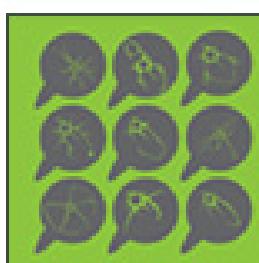
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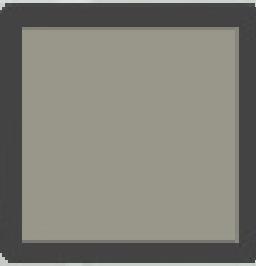
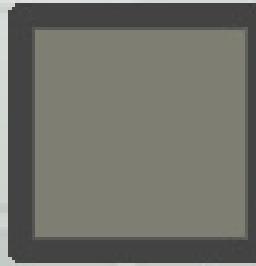
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MEXICO-TENOCHTITLAN, AXIS - 13

The great temple known as the Temple Mayor of Tenochtitlan symbolizes the axis mundi, the Aztec center of the world, where the sky, the earth, and the underworld met. According to Aztec worldview, the universe consisted of three layers. The middle layer was the earthly one, inhabited by humans. Above that world, the Aztecs imagined thirteen levels or heavens, Ometeotl, the "place of duality," being the uppermost. Below the earthly layer, there were the nine levels of the underworld. The lowest of these was the realm of Mictlanecuhtli, the Lord of the Land of the Dead. Each of the four cardinal directions radiated out from the Templo Mayor and was associated with a deity, a bird, a color, and a glyph. The dual temple rose above all other buildings in the Sacred Precinct. The southern half was dedicated to Huitzilopochtli, war and war god, while the northern half was dedicated to Tláloc, the god of rain, water, and the earth's fertility. Together Tláloc and Huitzilopochtli, encompass the natural and social universe of the Aztec empire. While Tláloc was a god of earth and rain, Huitzilopochtli presided for the sun and the sky. Tláloc marked the time of rains, Huitzilopochtli scorched the earth, with sun and war, in the dry months. Tláloc and Huitzilopochtli together represent the cycle of life and fertility, and mark the geographic, ritual, and symbolic heart of the universe, uniting old and new, center and periphery, in the sacred artificial mountain looming over the Aztec capital.

FRAGMENT OF AN ANTHROPOMORPHIC BRAZIER
The Aztecs were known not only for their sculptures, but also for their expressive and sensitive poetry. The sculpture and poems below provide a glimpse into ways that the cycles of life were portrayed. Look carefully at the sculpture. The three faces represent the cycle of life. In the middle we can see the face of a young man, with all his teeth and wearing an ornate bracelet on his nose and upper lip. On either side are two halves of the face of an old, toothless man; these two faces are flanked by the symmetrically divided face of a corpse with its eyes closed. The thirteen decorative rings (four on the young man's head, nine on the corpse's) represent the parts of a calendar cycle. Nezahualcoyotl, the poet-king of Texcoco

writes: I, Nezahualcoyotl, ask this: Is it true one really lives on the earth? Not forever on earth, only a little while here. Though it be Judas if falls apart, though it be gold it wears away. Not forever on earth, only a little while here. Michael D. Coe, Mexico:

its surrounding fertile land, and, in 1325, founded a city they named Tenochtitlan, "the place of the stone-cactus." They built a temple in the center of the city island called the Temple Mayor, or Great Temple, by the Spanish, which they dedicated to Huitzil-



From the Olmecs to the Aztecs, (New York: Thames and Hudson, 2002), 6th edition, p. 223. Discussion Questions

- After reading the poem, describe its meaning in your own words.
- What similarities can you find in the poem and the sculpture? What differences? Further Exploration:
- The artist who made the Mask with Three Faces chose to represent the life cycle in three stages. How would you choose to portray the cycle of life? What phases of life would you include? Why? Aztecs arrived at a lake, called Laker Texcoco, in Mexico's central highland basin. In the middle of the lake was an island, and on this island they saw the strange sight that Huitzilopochtli had predicted. Having arrived at their promised land, the Aztecs claimed the island and
- Huitzilopochtli, their patron god. In time, Tenochtitlan would grow to become a beautiful and prosperous city of about 250,000 inhabitants, the heart of a vast Aztec empire. When the Spanish arrived to conquer the Aztecs in 1519, they were awestruck by the great pyramids towering over the sacred center, the dazzling palaces and colorful markets. With such wonderful sights to gaze on we did not know what to say, or if this was real that we saw before our eyes. Hernan Diaz, a 26-year-old conquistador (Spanish conqueror), who fought in Cortes's army, The Conquest of New Spain, 1580s, selling a bewildering variety of food and luxuries. Fearless warriors and pragmatic builders, the Aztecs created The Conquest of New Spain, 1580s, selling a bewildering variety of food and luxuries. Fearless warriors and pragmatic builders,

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