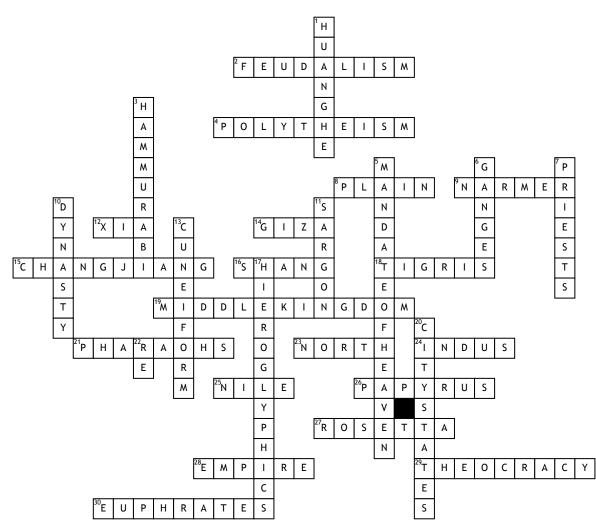
## crossword puzzle



## <u>Across</u>

**2.** kings give land to nobles in exchange for tribute

- 4. the belief in one god
- **8.** a plain in north china

between huang he and chang jiang

9. a king that united egypt

12. first Chinese dynasty

14. sight of the three pyramids built during the old kingdom

15. Yangtze River

**16.** first dynasty to leave written records

**18.** river located in southwest asia

- 19. viewed outsiders as inferior
- **21.** viewed as god-kings

23. direction the nile flows

**24.** flows southwest

25. river that flows northward26. paperlike sheet made out of plant

**27.** a stone in which was used as a code breaker

**28.** large area under the control of one ruler

**29.** government rule based on religious authority

**30.** river located in southwest asia

## <u>Down</u>

1. yellow river

**3.** 282 laws

**5.** just a ruler had divine approval

- 6. flows eastward
- 7. first leaders in mesopotamia
- 10. family within rulers
- 11. creator of first empire
- 13. system of writing
- 17. sacred carving
- 20. independent political unit
- 22. sun god (main creator)