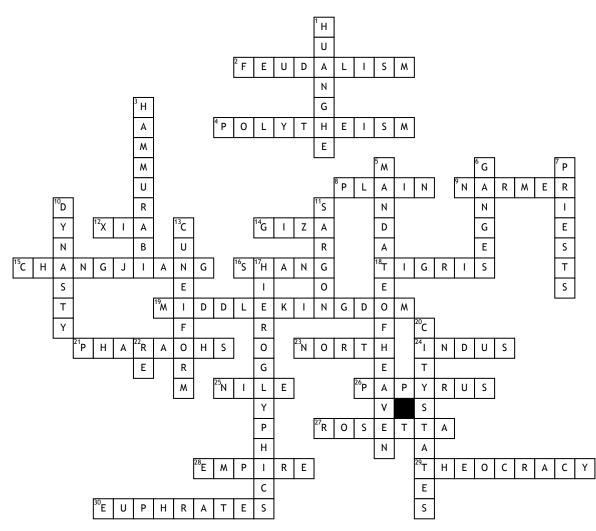
crossword puzzle



<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)