

**IMAGES OF ANCIENT IRAN**  
**Achaemenid Dynasty (550-330 BCE)**  
**PERSEPOLIS**  
**(Takht-e Jamshid)**

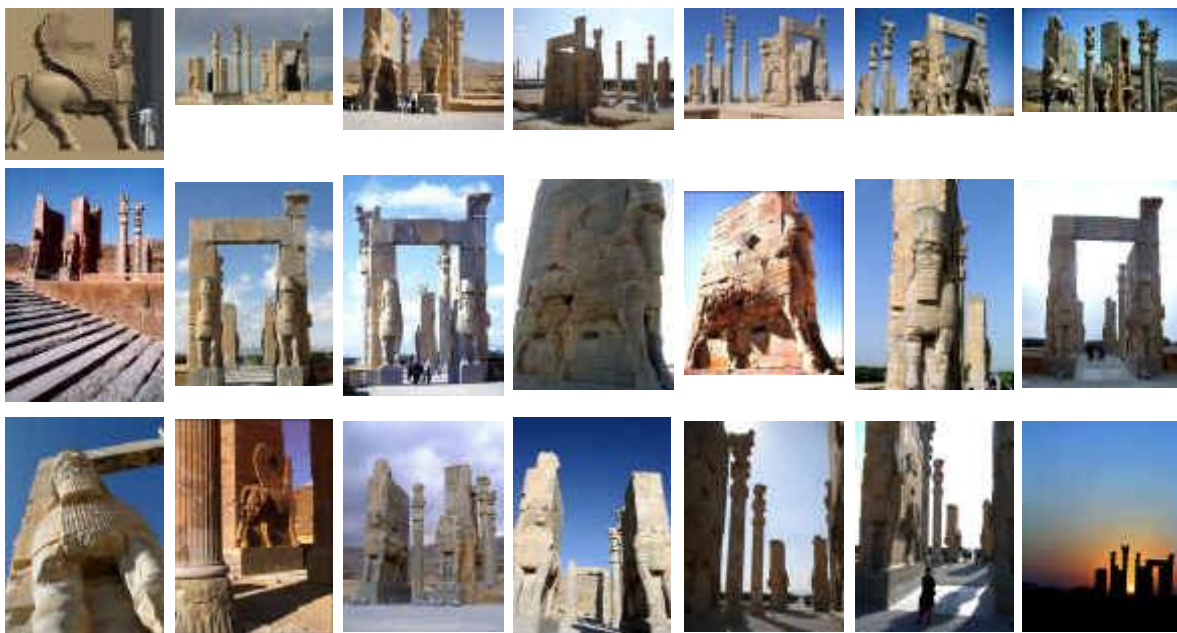
**The Terrace**



**The Main Staircase**

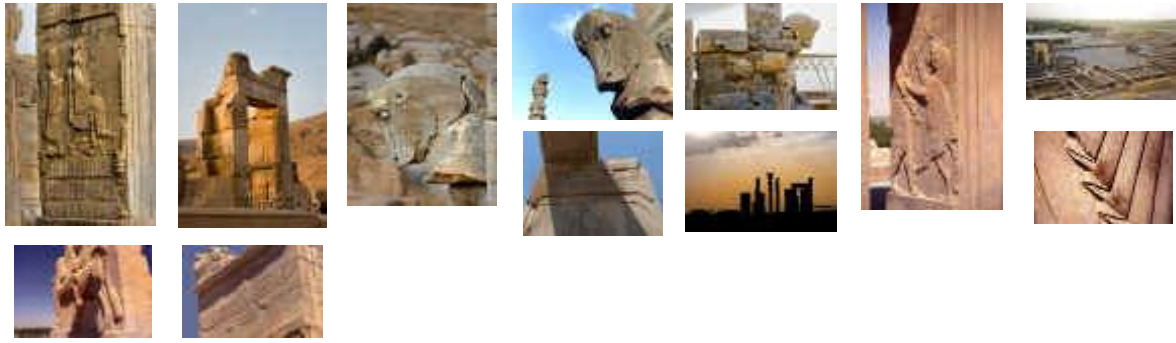


**The Gate of Nations**

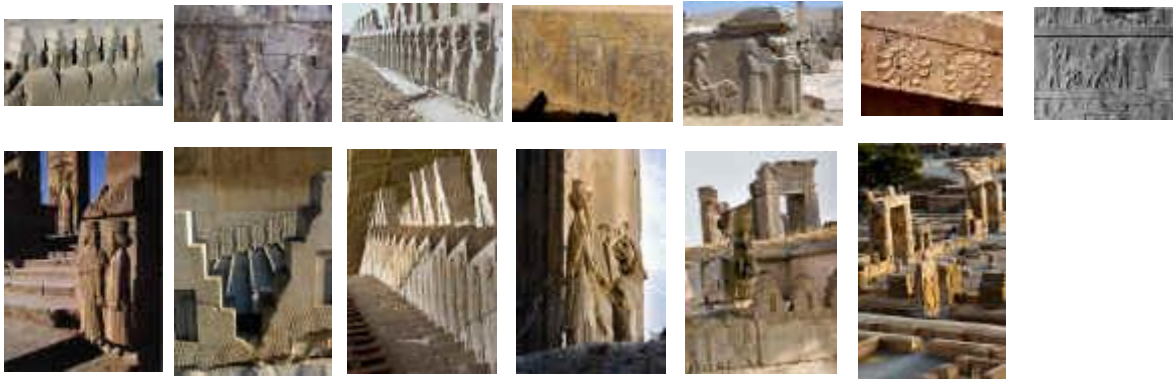




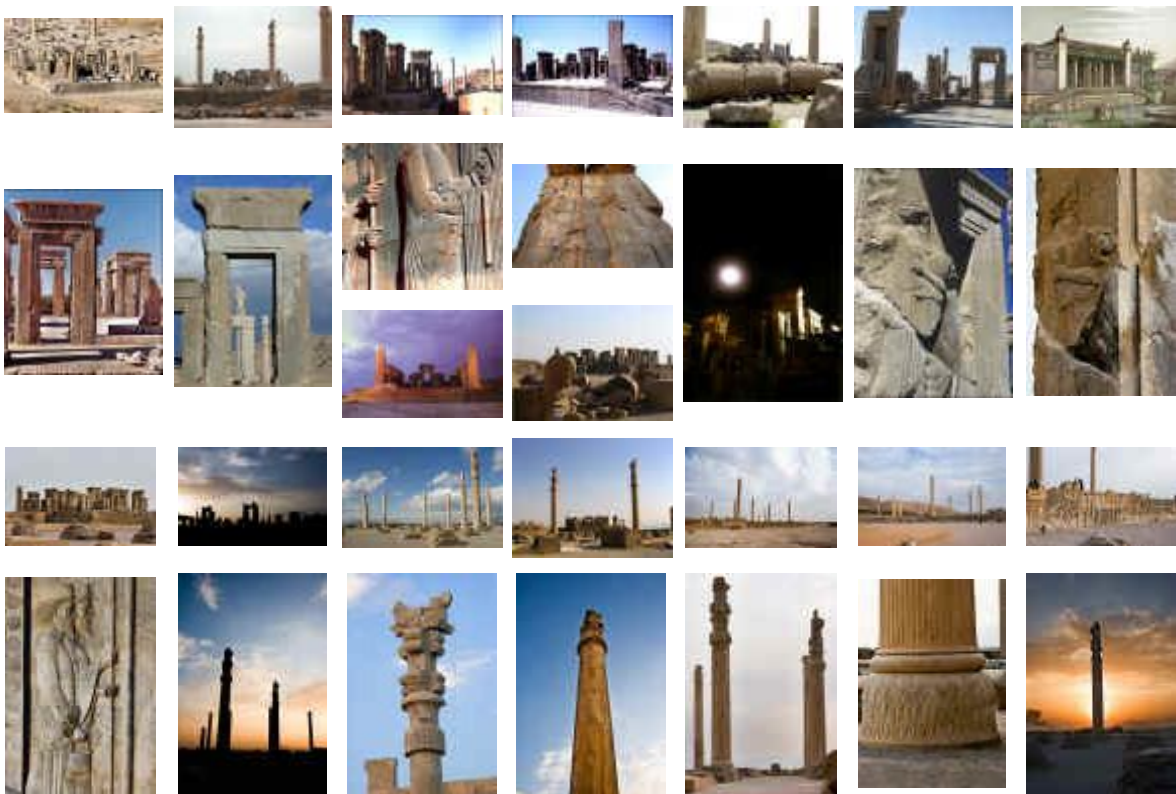


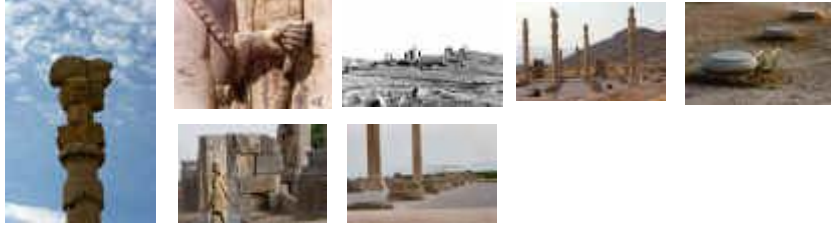


**The Hall of Three Gates**

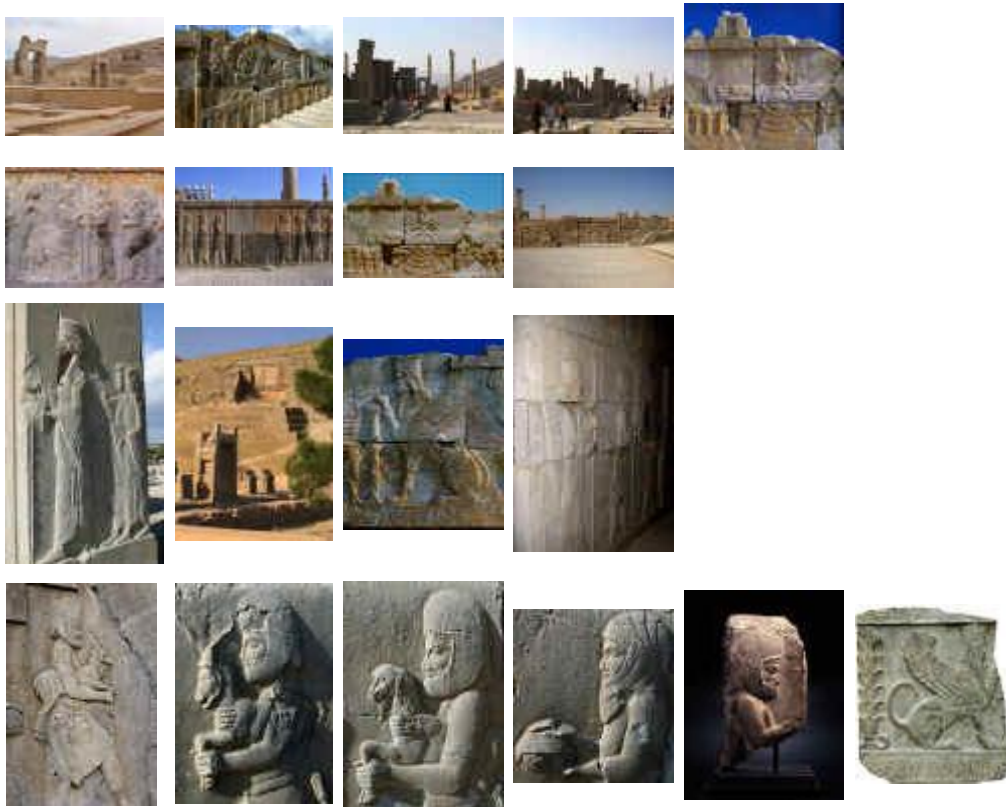


**Tachara Palace (or the Mirror Palace, the Palace of Darius)**

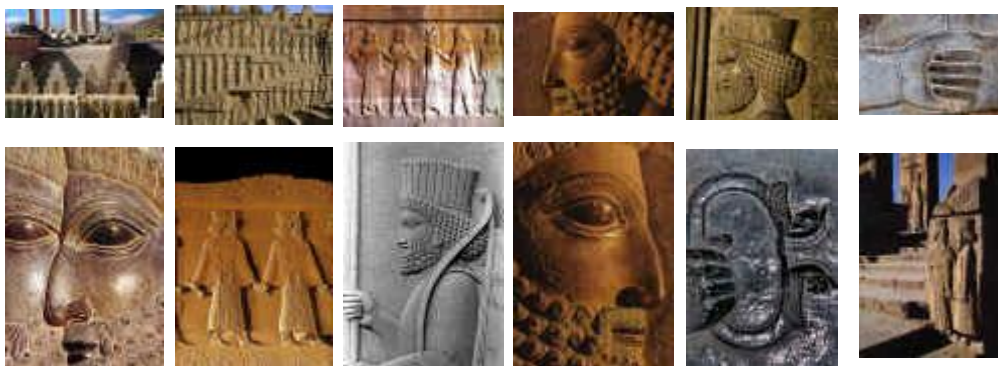




**Hadish Palace (The Palace of Xerxes)**



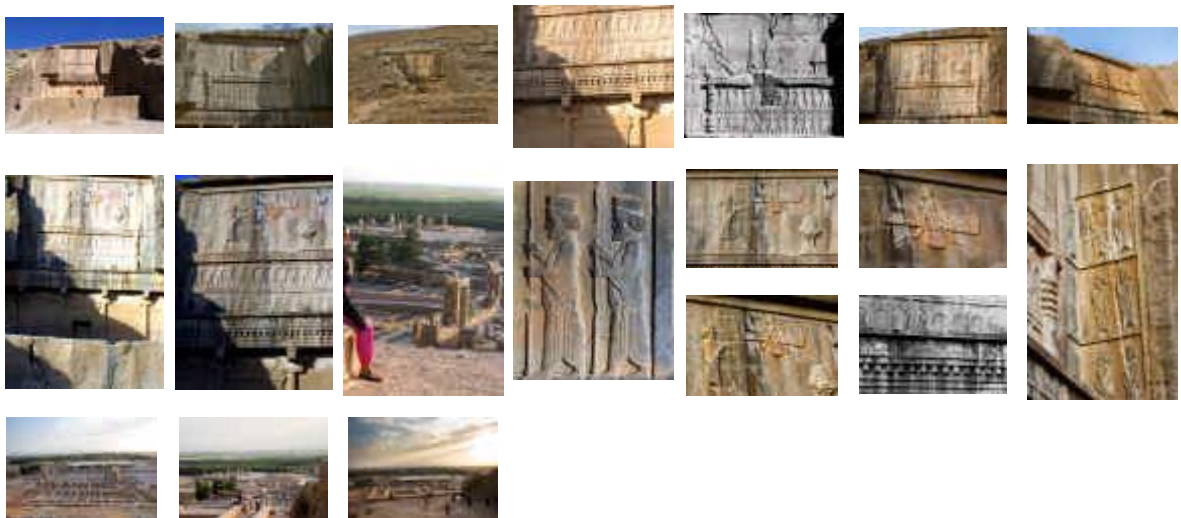
**Hall of Army**



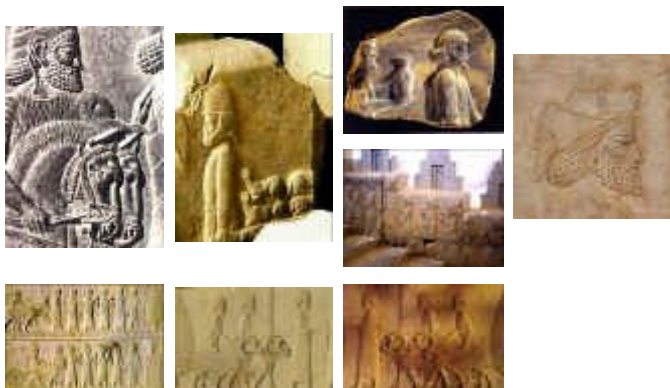
**The Imperial Treasury**



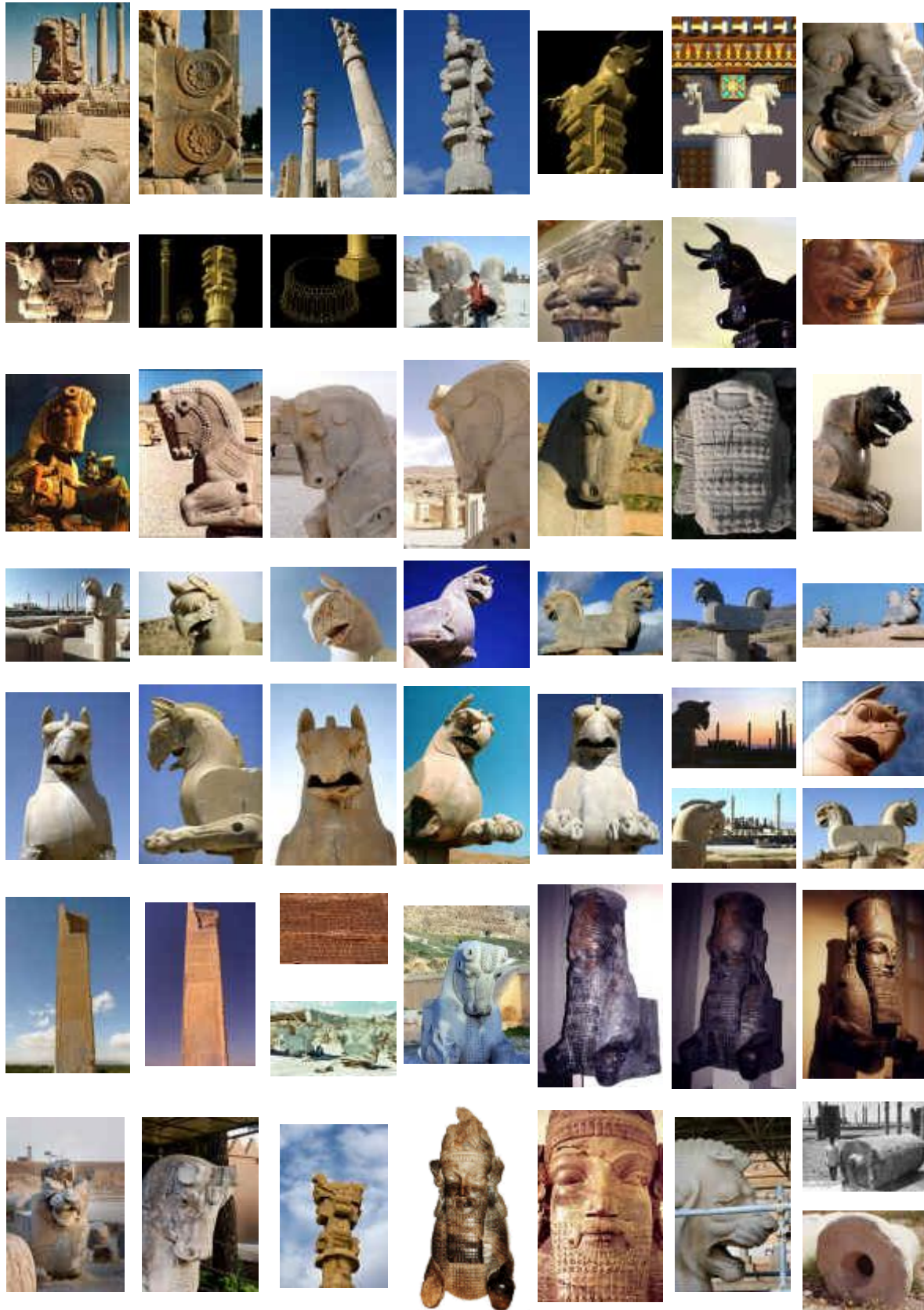
**Tomb of Artaxerxes II**



**Gift Bearers of the Subject Nations**

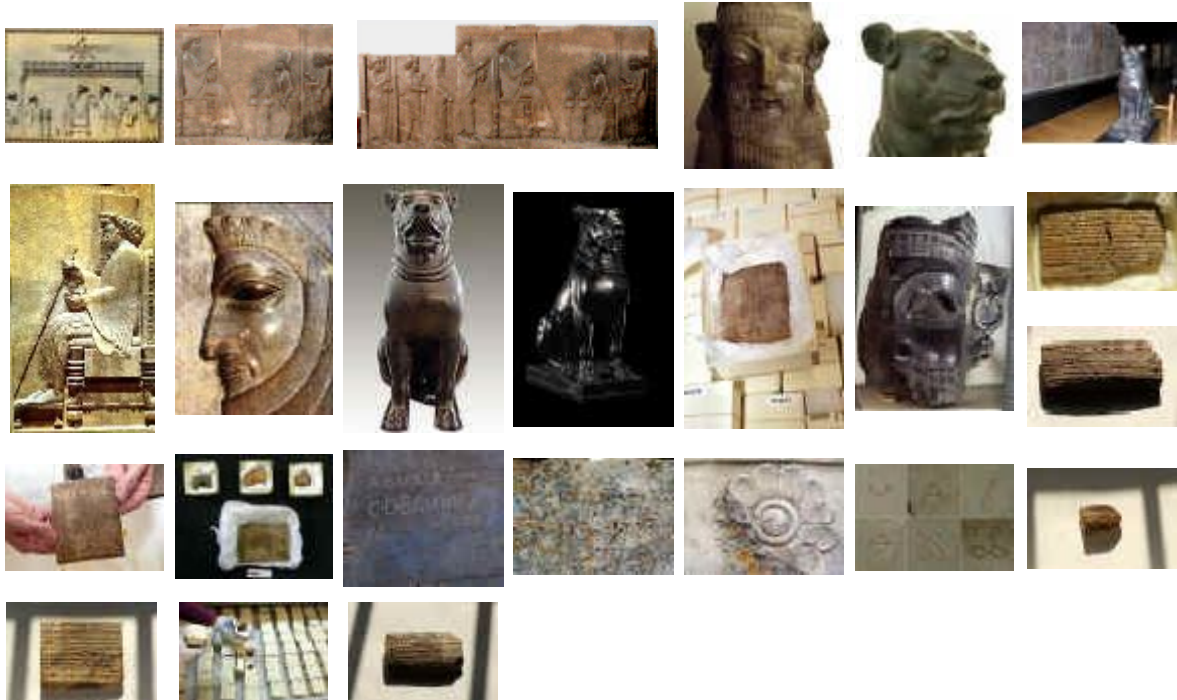


**Columns & Capitals**





**Statues, Reliefs and Relics**



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*Historical Site of Mirhadi Hoseini*

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