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full-of-life  
diversity  
ecosystems  
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palm-oil  
shades  
south-america  
birds  
peaceful  
canopies  
ground  
tons  
tall-trees  
birds-of-paradise  
colorful  
humid  
huge  
flora  
biodiverse  
iguana  
rainy  
leaves  
sloths  
sunny  
water  
tall  
colombia  
oxygen  
frogs  
hot  
cats  
foliage  
home  
equator  
forest  
climate  
burning  
coconuts  
waterfalls  
conservation  
earthy  
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temperate carbon-dioxide  
bugs snakes  
leopards  
exotic natural  
vegetation  
humidity  
sticky heaven medicine  
plants africa  
wilderness  
wildlife america  
poison-dart-frogs  
economic-greed  
ecotourism  
greenery  
different  
poisonous-frogs  
populations  
palm-trees  
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photosynthesis  
global-significance  
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toucan  
insects  
braz  
blue  
timber  
marshy  
layers  
canopy  
sound  
predators  
frontier  
papayas  
fauna  
colors  
central  
underbrush  
amazon-river  
monkey  
habitat  
nature  
grass  
deforestation  
amazon



*Piper nigrum* (India)



*Myristica fragrans* (Indonesia)



*Zingiber officinale*  
(Southeast Asia)



*Cinnamomum verum*  
(Sri Lanka)





Pepper



Nutmeg



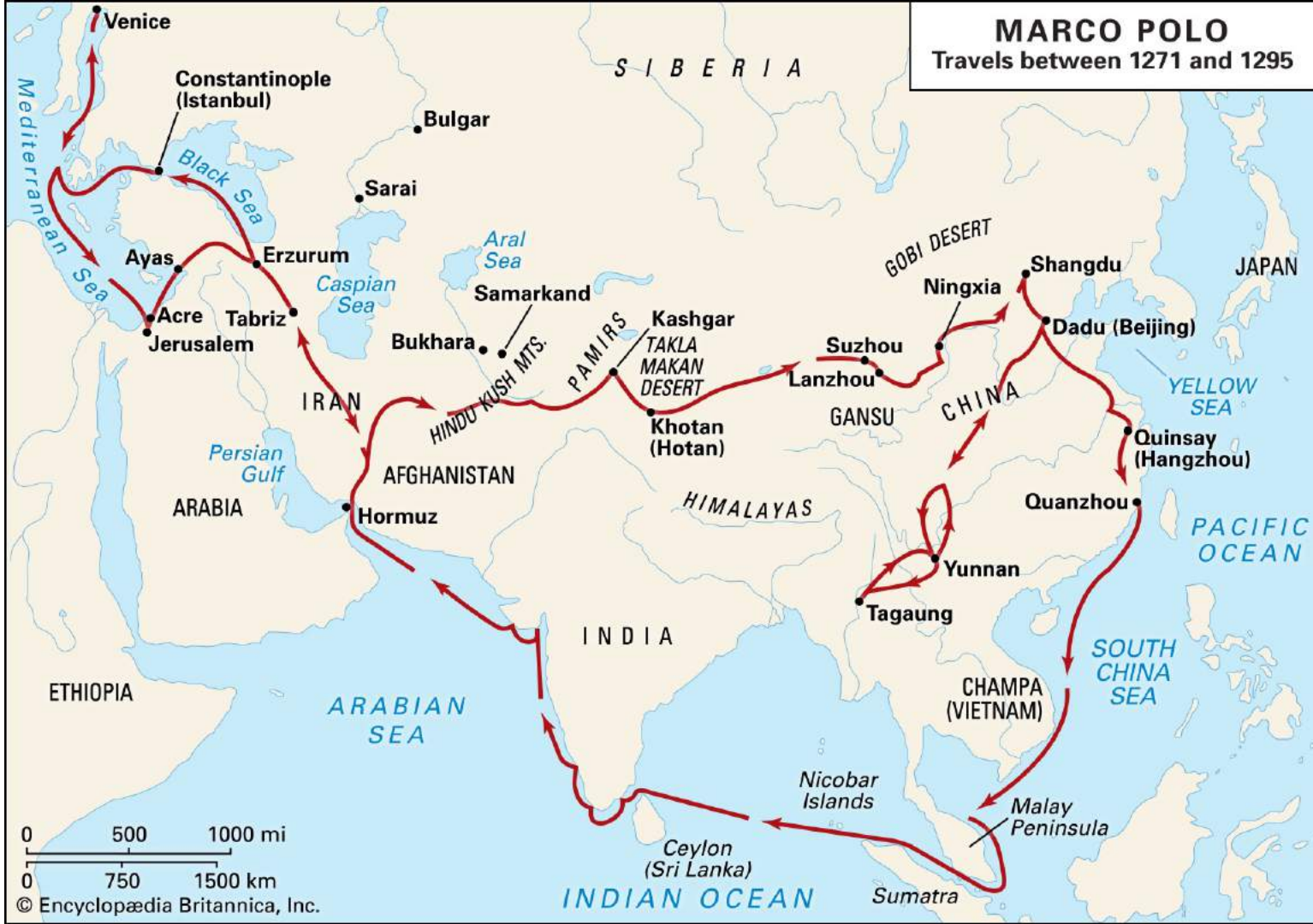
Ginger



Cinnamon

# MARCO POLO

Travels between 1271 and 1295







29th May 1453:  
Constantinople  
captured and sacked  
by Turkish troops  
under Mohammed II

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Desembarco de Colón  
Díscoro Teófilo Puebla Tolín, 1862



## The King James Bible (Revelations 21:1 & 22:1-2)



And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea.

And he showed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and of the Lamb. In the midst of the street of it, and on either side of the river, was there the tree of life, which bare twelve manner of fruits, and yielded her fruit every month, and the leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations.



# Garden of Eden



# Text Analysis

What major themes ( = take-home messages)  
emerge from these narratives about  
(1) Tropical Rain Forests and  
(2) the People that live there?

Put another way....



...Would you go there on vacation?



major themes

# major themes

PARADISE

EXPLOITABLE

HELL

# The Garden of Eden





# Pandora – The World of Avatar (Disney World)

