

## Building Pyramids:

Around 10.000 years ago, there were 5-8 million foragers and they existed for many years. Nevertheless, by the first century A.D there were only 1-2 million foragers and they were outnumbered by the 250 million farmers.

Farmers started to create an attachment to their house. Because they hardly ever had to move, they could accumulate more stuff in their houses, in particular things that weren't transportable. As time went on, people found it difficult to leave their artificial island called home and that changed how they were. In this time on history is when the idea of private property raised and created a much more self-centered creature.

Another important change of that time is the foundation of large-scale political and social systems. With the appearance of empires, the kings had to appear to. Although there were leaders within foragers groups, the scale was quite different and they are not comparable. Rulers were in charge of taxing out the citizens so they could finance politic, war, art, and philosophy.

How made leaders to make citizens cooperate and pay taxes? They had to invent stories about greats gods or a way of justify the social order. For example, Hammurabi's cooperative code is a set of rules that had to be accepted and obeyed. They said that there were 3 types of people: superiors, commoners, and slaves. If everyone accepted the rules, everybody'll live safer.

It's not difficult to realize today that there isn't any real evidence showing that there are 3 categories of people and that creation was a figment. However, it is also false that we are all equals and human's rights doesn't exist; They are only human's myths. It's interest that the myths create big part of our reality. Because of that, many people try to create their own. But, it's no easy to make others believe in something and through history many tried using force as a staple tool. That wasn't good enough tool, though.

How do you cause people to believe in an imaginary order? Firsts, you never admit that it isn't true. You must say that is the only possible or correct way. We can see plenty examples such as any religious doctrines or totalitarian states. Second, from the moment people are born, you have to constantly remind them of the principles of the imagined order.

Personally, I think nowadays media uses it to shape our point of view about what happens within the nation and we have to be very careful on how much we can trust them.