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Eurasian History Homework: The Egyptian and Nubian Empires

Directions: Please read Chapter IV, section I (pages 89-94) and respond to the following prompts. Please do your own work.

Rationale: The empires of the Nile River basin forged commercial, cultural, and political connections that are still influential today.

1: How did the New Kingdom use military power to re-establish the Egyptian empire?

2: Describe the roles of Hatshepsut and Thutmose III in bringing about a strong and prosperous New Kingdom.

3: What was Ramses II's most significant accomplishment?

4: What role did geography play in Egypt's rise and fall?

5: What cultural aspects of Egyptian civilization did the Kushites adopt?

6: Why was Kush able to thrive after losing Egypt to the Assyrians?