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| **OUTLINE**  The Big Picture: Inspiring Loyalty  Barbur: Loyalty and Power  *The Unreliable Bonds of Blood Kinship*  *Bending the Knee*  Robes: A Language of Loyalty and Service  Barbur: Loyalty in Bad Times and Good  The Code of Salt  Barbur in India  The Decline of the Blood-Robes-Salt World  The Bigger Picture: Loyalty cross Time and Place | **THINKING ABOUT THE BIG PICTURE**   1. Compare how the author defines “loyalty” in pre-agricultural hunters and gatherers with “loyalty” after the development of agriculture. 2. In what ways did rulers create and maintain non-familial loyalties? 3. Using evidence from the life of Babur, discuss the key themes of blood, robes, and salt as they relate to honor and loyalty. 4. Compare pre-modern systems of loyalty with those of modern nation-states. |
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