# The Mongol Khâns

Mongolian culture in most respects reflected the influence of China. For instance, there are <u>Mongolian</u> terms for the Chinese 60 year calendar cycle. On the other hand, significant other influences came into

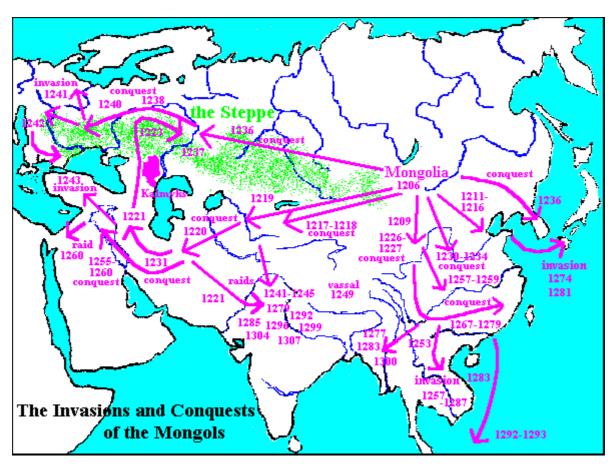
play. The writing system eventually adopted for Mongolian was the alphabet brought by Nestorian Christian missionaries into Central Asia, which was used to write other Altaic languages related to Mongolian, like Uighur and Manchu. This script is deficient in letters for vowels, which always made it an ambiguous way to write these languages. Under Soviet

influence, Mongolian now is mostly written in the Cyrillic alphabet. In religion, Mongolia also went its own way, adopting the Vajrayana Buddhism, or

Lamaism, of <u>Tibet</u>. This may have contributed to the military decline of Mongolia, since a large part of the population committed to monasticism does not make for anything like the nation of fierce warriors that stormed across Asia in the 13th century. Thus, <u>Manchu China</u> conquered Mongolia for the first time in its history in 1696. It remained part of China until 1911,



when the fall of the Manchus enabled the Mongols, like the Tibetans, to assert their independence. The Chinese, however, enforced their claim to Mongolia by an invasion in 1919. This was successful, but with Soviet help the Chinese were driven out in 1921. Mongolian independence, at least from China, was henceforth under the protection of the Soviet Union. But this also, naturally, made Mongolia subject to Russian experiments in Communism. Stalin's collectivization of agriculture was extended to Mongolia, with the forced settlement of nomads. Many of them, consequently, moved to Chinese Inner Mongolia to escape. Since 1990, Mongolia, like other post-Soviet states, has been struggling to develop a normal life and government free of police state measures and Russian domination.



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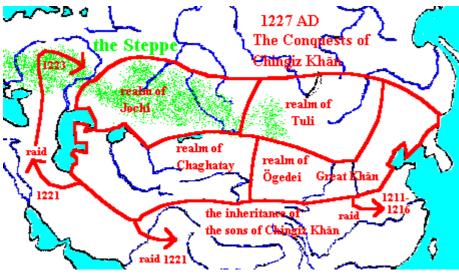
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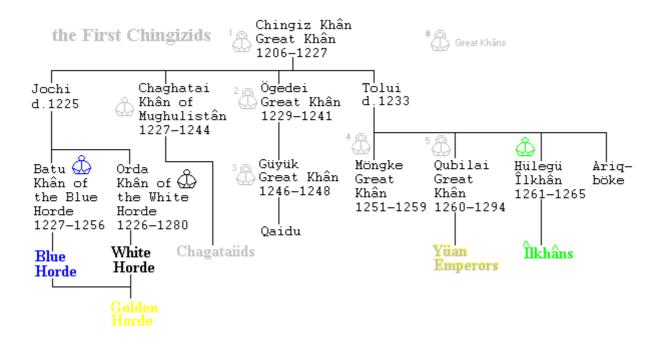
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greatest subsequent conquests, of the Middle East and China.

Map shows the conquests of Chingiz Khân as divided at his death among his four sons. Jochi, the eldest son had, however, already died; so his sector was actually divided between his own sons, Batu (the Blue Horde), Orda (the White Horde), and Shiban, later united into the Golden Horde, the most durable of the Mongol regimes. Tuli (Tolui), the youngest son, was given the homeland of Mongolia. And it was the sons of Tuli, after the conquest of Russia, who carried out the



The Great Khâns,

the Yüan Dynasty, JL,

yuán 5-1368

of China, 1206-1368

Temüjin	
Chingiz	1182-
Khân/Qaghan	Great Khân,
Genghis Khan	1206-1227
T'ai Tsu	

<u>Chin</u> Empire attacked, 1211-1216; <u>Qara-Khitaï</u> overthrown, 1217-1218;

Khawarizm Shâh thrown out of Transoxania, 1219-1222; <u>Hsi-Hsia</u> overthrown, 1226-1227

Ögedei Khân

1229-1241

## Khawarizm Shâh overthrown, 1231 Chin overthrown, 1230-1234

Töregene Khâtûn	regent, 1241-1246
Güyük Khân Ting Tsung	1246-1248
Oghul Ghaymish	regent, 1248-1251
Möngke Khân Hsien Tsung	1251-1259

Genghis Khan (Chingiz or Chinngis, Khân or Khagan) believed that he had been given the dominion of the whole world. Although the

Mongols, as far as we know, didn't have a tradition of believing such a thing, Genghis launched a campaign that came closer than any other such effort in history to realizing its goal. What Genghis accomplished himself was

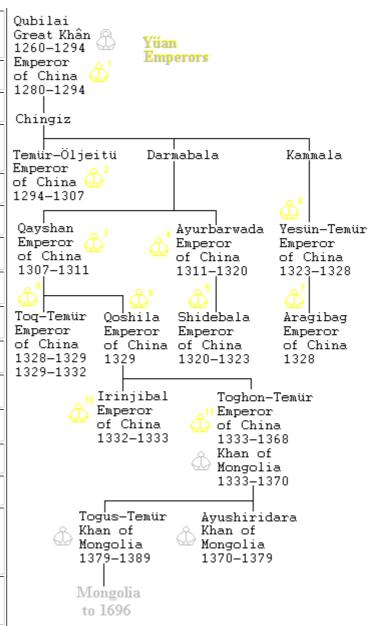


mostly to absorb kingdoms in Central Asia that most people would not have heard of anyway, but his sons and grandsons accomplished the conquests of China, Russia, Korea, Iran, and Iraq -- just to mention the most famous places. The abolition of the Islâmic Caliphate in Baghdad affected the whole subsequent history of Islâm. Devastating defeats were also inflicted on Poland, Hungary, and Turkey, but growing feuds between increasingly more estranged cousins began to divert energies from more distant permanent conquests. Sometimes, as in the invasions of Japan, extraordinary circumstances, in that case the "Divine Wind" (kami *kaze*) typhoons, foiled Mongol conquest. But the ultimate enemy of the Mongols was the Mongols themselves. Whereas the average length of a generation of European royalty from Charlemagne to Queen Elizabeth (about 40 generations) was nearly 30 years, the Mongol generations turned over in only about 20 years. The Chingizids tended to drink themselves to death; and once no longer centered on the steppe, they lost their military edge. Only the Golden Horde ("horde" from orda, "army") retained a steppe base and steppe culture, consequently lasting more than three centuries, rather than less than 90 years as with both the <u>Ilkhâns</u> in the Middle East or the Yüan Dynasty in China.

Southern Sung invaded, 1257-1259		
Qubilai Khân	1260-1294	
Shih Tsu	1280	
Southern Sung c 1267-12		
Temür Öljeytü Khân	1294-1307	
Ch'eng Tsung	1295	
Qayshan Gülük	1307-1311	
Hai-Shan Wu Tsung	1308	
Ayurparibhadra	1311-1320	
Ayurbarwada Jên Tsung	1312	
Suddhipala Gege'en	1320-1323	
Shidebala Ying Tsung	1321	
Yesün-Temür	1323-1328	
Tai-ting Ti	1324	
Arigaba Aragibag T'ien-shun Ti	1328	
Jijaghatu Toq-Temür	1328-1329 1329-1332	
Wen Tsung	1330	
Qoshila Qutuqtu	1329	
Ming Tsung	1329	
Rinchenpal Irinchibal Ning Tsung Toghan-Temür Uqaghatu Qaghan Hui Tsung, Shun Ti	1332-1333	
	1333-1370	
	1333	
Mongols expelled from China, 1368		

Northern Yüan, 北元, bèi yuán

Dynasty, Mongolia after the Yüan, 1368-1628



I had some problems with reconciling the Mongolian dates and names [The Mongols, David Morgan, Basil Blackwell, 1986, and The New Islamic Dynasties, Clifford Edmund Bosworth, Edinburgh University Press, 1996, which do not give Chinese names] with the Chinese list of Yüan emperors [Mathews' Chinese-English Dictionary, Harvard University Press, 1972, p. 1175, which does not give the Mongolian names]. This is now cleared up by Ann Paludan's *Chronicle of the Chinese Emperors* [Thames & Hudson, London, 1998, pp. 148-157]. Two Emperors did not reign long enough to be acknowledged by Chinese historians. Also, Chinese sources list Ming Tsung before Wen Tsung (or Wen Ti, in Mathews') because the second reign of the latter is counted. After Togus-Temür, I have only found a list of rulers for Mongolia in Bruce R. Gordon's Regnal Chronologies -- though Gordon actually doesn't list Togus-Temür, but only "Biliktu," with slightly different dates. Now I discover that "Biliktu" refers to the brother and predecessor of Togus-Temür, Ayushiridara, whose name I had not seen at all peviously but I now see attested in the Nihon Kodaishi Daijiten, or Dictionary of Ancient Japanese History, on CD-ROM [2006], which provides the genealogy, and at the Chinaknowledge website of Ulrich Theobald -- the word "Qaghan," proper

'Phags-pa Mongolian

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Ayushiridara Biliktü Qaghan Chao Tsung	1370-1379		
Togus-Temür Usaqal Qaghan	1379-1389		
Engke Soriktu	1389-1393		
Elbek	1393-1400		
Gun Timur	1400-1403		
Oljei Timur	1403-1411		
Delbeg	1411-1415		
Eseku	1415-1425		
Adai Qa'an	1425-1438		
Esen Toghan Tayisi	1438-1440		
Tayisung Qa'an	1440-1452		
Chinese Emperor captured at T'u-mu, 1449			
Esen Tayisi	1452-1455		
Molon Khan Togus	1452-1454		
Maqa Kurkis	1454-1463?		
Mandughuli	1463?-1467		
Bayan Mongke	1467-1470		
civil war, 147	0-c.1485		
Dayan Khan	1479-1543		
Altan Khan	1543-1583		
Devastating raids 1550; converted to the <u>Dalai Lar</u>	<b>Buddhism</b> by		
rebellion, Mongo	lia breaks up		
Kudeng Darayisun	1547-1557		
Tumen Jasaghtu	1557-1592		
Sechen Khan	1592-1604		
Ligdan Khan	1604-1634		
Tumed			
Senge Dugureng	1583-1587		

Mongolian for "Khân," is used in titles given by Theobald. Gordon's "Usaqal" then turns out to be Togus-Temür himself.

Altan Khan looks like the last vigorous and effective Mongolian ruler, striking blows against China that deeply discomfited the Ming government. Yet rebellions began early in Altan Khan's reign that he was never able to put down; and his direct successors rulled a state (Tumed) that simply shared in the breakup of the country. Mongolia would no longer be a threat to China, but Manchuria would soon conquer China (1644-1683) and Mongolia (1628-1732) as well. The most effective of the fragmented kingdoms seems to be that of Khalka. Since Mongol authority was asserted over Tibet in 1642, I assume that the Khans of Khalka were responsible. This gave the Manchus a pretext for claiming authority over Tibet after their conquest of Mongolia.

Mongolian As noted <u>above</u>, classical Mongolian was written in an alphabet ultimately derived from the <u>Syriac</u> alphabet brought by Nestorian missionaries, as transmitted by way

of Uighur and adopted under Genghis Khân.
This was actually a poor way to write
Mongolian, since such alphabets do not
represent vowels. As it happens, Qubilai Khân
requested that the Tibetan 'Phags-pa, a nephew
of the Mongol Regent of Tibet, develop an
alphabetic writing system for Mongolian. The
system he developed was made official and
compulsory in 1269. Despite the inadequacies
of the Uighur alphabet, the system of 'Phags-pa
did not catch on. Official documents using it
survive, but the older script survived and
returned to dominance until the Cyrillic
alphabet was adopted in Communist Mongolia.
With other post-Soviet states turning to

traditional alphabets or the Latin alphabet, it would be a nice touch for Mongolia to revive the 'Phags-pa system.

The situation in Mughulistân (Turkistan and Sinkiang, including the Tarim Basin, in Central Asia) seems confused. Other sources ascribe a reign to **Qaidu**, son of the Great Khân Güyük; and grandson of the Great Khân Ögedey, but he is not listed by Bosworth's New Islamic Dynasties. At the same time, Bosworth lists Qara Hülegü as the son of Mö'eüken, who is listed as an otherwise unknown, to me, son of Chingiz [p.248]. Similarly, other sources affirm that Jagatai-ids return to

The Chaghatayid or Jagataiïd Khâns of Mughulistân		
Chaghatay/Jagatai	1227-1244	
Qara Hülegü	1244-1246 1251-1252	
Yesü Möngke	1246-1251	
Orqina Khâtûn	1252-1260	
Alughu	1260-1266	
Mubârak Shâh	1266	
Baraq Ghiyâth adDîn	c.1266-1271	

Gartu	1587-?	power by 1309, but Bosworth's list takes no note	Negübey	1271-1272
Ombo Khan	?-1628	of this and simply continues	Buqa/Toqa Temür	1272-1282
Manchurian co	with descendants of Chaghatay and Mö'eüken.		Du'a, Duwa, <b>Tuva</b>	c.1282-1306
Khalka		This is perplexing. The answer appears to be that Qaidu	conquers domain of Qaidu, 1306	
Layiqur	1580?-1637	detached his own domain, to contest the Great Khânate, in	Könchek	1306-1308
Subadi Jasaghtu Khan	1637-1650	the Dzungaria (Junggar) Basin and through part of Mongolia	Taliqu	1308-1309
conquest of 1	<u>ibet</u> , 1642	to the north-east, ruling from 1260/64-1301/03. He was	Kebek	1309, c.1320-1326
Norbu Bishireltu Khan	1650-1657	succeeded by his son, <b>Chapar</b> , who briefly ruled	Esen Buqa	1309-1320
<u> </u>	1657 1662	1301/03-1306. Chapar was	Eljigedey	1326
Wangshugh	1657-1662	defeated by the proper Chaghatayid Khân, Du'a,	Du'a Temür	1326
? Chenggun	1662-1670	eliminating the division within Mughulistân.	Tarmashîrîn 'Alâ' adDîn	1326-1334
Shar-a	1686-1688	This event is of independent interest, since Du'a's name also appears as <b>Tuva</b> , a name that apparently <i>stuck</i> in a	Buzan	1334
Manchurian o			Changshi	1334-1338
		small mountainous area	Yesün Temür	c.1338-1342
Tshedbanskyabs 1691-1732		north-east of the Altai  Mountains. The Republic of	Muh.ammad	c.1342-1343
Manchurian co		Tuva (capital Kyzyl) was	Qazan	1343-1346
Complete Manchurian Conquest, c.1696 (1628-1732)		independent for a short period after the fall of the Russian Empire, before being public even issued stamps that	Danishmendji	1346-1358
conquered by the Bolsheviks. The Repu			Buyan Quli	1358
came to the attention	of the great phys	sicist, and youthful stamp a Autonomous Soviet Socialist c in the Soviet Union, claimed	Shâh Temür	1359
Republic, part of the	Russian Republic		Tughluq Temür	1359-1363
o contain the geographical center of the Continent of Asia, with a				

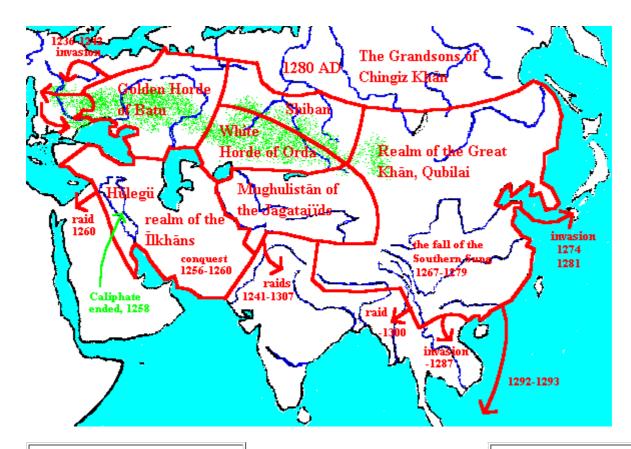
monument to mark the spot. It was also closed to foreigners. Nevertheless, Feynman spent the last few years of his life trying to arrange a trip there. Unfortunately, he died very shortly before permission for his visit arrived (1988). As with some other derivatives of Mongol states, we discover that the modern Tuvan language (Tuvinian) is actually more closely related to Turkish than to Mongolian.

The end of the Chaghatayids is as obscure as these other issues. Mughulistân is displaced from Transoxania by the <u>Timurids</u>, <u>Uzbeks</u>, and <u>Kazakhs</u>. In Sinkiang (Xinjiang), domains of the Turkic Uighurs took over until <u>Manchu</u> conquest in 1754-59.

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The Khâns of the Golden Horde		Josef Stalin said that his best generals were "January and February."	The Khâns of the White Horde	
The Khâns of th	he Blue Horde	Indeed, the great invasions of Russia	Orda	1226-1280
Batu	1227-1256	by <u>Napoleon</u> and <u>Hitler</u> came to grief in great measure because of the harsh	Köchü	1280-1302
Russia conquered, 1236-1239;		Russian winter. Napoleon lost much of his Grand Army in 1812 in a	Buyan	1302-1309
Europe invade Poles & Teuto		retreat from Moscow in the cold and	Sâsibuqa ?	1309-1315
defeated at Hungarians c		the snow. Hitler was aware of Napoleon's failure, but he expected	Ilbasan	c.1315-1320
River Sajó, A Hungary occup	April 1241;	to conquer Russia before winter set in. However, Hitler got delayed by a campaign against Yugoslavia and	Mubârak Khwâja	1320-1344
Sartaq	1256-1257	then launched forces, not only towards Moscow, but against	Chimtay	1344-1374
Ulaghchi	1257	Leningrad and the Ukraine also.		1374-1376
Berke	1257-1267	Thus, as the snow began to fall in 1941, the Germans had barely come	Urus	Blue Horde,
Möngke Temür	1267-1280	within sight of Moscow. They weren't		1364-1375
Töde Möngke	1280-1287	even prepared for winter. The men did not have winter clothing and the	Toqtaqiya	1376-1377
Töle Buqa	1287-1291	summer oil in the tanks actually froze.	Temür Malik	1377
Toqta	1291-1313		Toqtamïsh	1377-1395
Muh.ammad	1313-1341	In light of these events, it is chilling (as it were) to remember that the	Toqtamisii	1378-1395
Özbeg	1313-1341	Mongols conquered Russia during the winter. The Mongols liked	/	f White Horde
Tînî Beg	1341-1342	winter. Frozen rivers and marshes		rde into the 1 Horde
Jânî Beg	1342-1357	meant that they could ride right over barriers that in the spring or summer w	ould have slowe	ed them down.

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	Horde		
	Orda	1226-1280	
1	Köchü	1280-1302	
	Buyan	1302-1309	
	Sâsibuqa ?	1309-1315	
	Ilbasan	c.1315-1320	
	Mubârak Khwâja	1320-1344	
	Chimtay	1344-1374	
		1374-1376	
t	Urus	Blue Horde, 1364-1375	
	Toqtaqiya	1376-1377	
	Temür Malik	1377	
Т	Togtamich	1377-1395	
	Toqtamïsh	1378-1395	
1378, union of White Horde & Blue Horde into the Golden Horde			

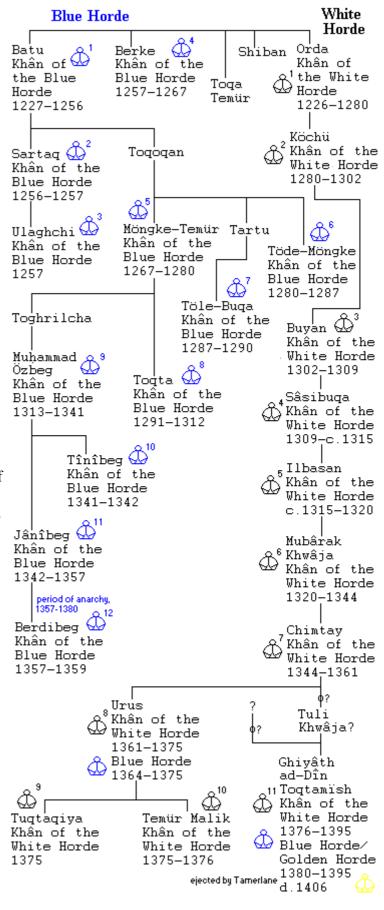
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Berdi Beg	1357-1359		
Period of anarchy, 1357-1380; union with White Horde, 1378			
The Khâns of the Golden Horde			
Toqtamïsh	1377-1395, d. 1406		
1378/1380, union of White Horde & Blue Horde into the Golden Horde; sacks Novgorod & <u>Moscow</u> , 1382; expelled from Saray by Tamerlane, 1395			
Edigü	Vizir, 1395-1419		
Temür Qutlugh	1395-1401		
Shâdî Beg	1401-1407		
Pûlâd Khân	1407-1410		
Temür	1410-1412		
Jalâl adDîn	1412		
Karîm Berdi	1412-1414		
Kebek	1414-1417		
Yeremferden?	1417-1419		
Ulugh Muh.ammad	1419-1420, 1427-1433 Khân		
	of Kazan, 1437-1445		
Dawlat Berdi	1420-1422		
	1422-1427		
Baraq	<u>Kazakhs,</u> 1422-1428		
Sayyid Ah.mad I	c.1433-1435		
Küchük Muh.ammad	c.1435-1465		
Ah.mad	c.1465-1481		

Their tough Central Asian ponies knew how to dig down through the snow to eat the frozen grass beneath. This all made for a terror unknown to the Russians before or since. What the Russians then called their Mongol conquers was the "Tartars" -- invaders come from **Tartarus**, the deepest part of **Hell**. However, this was a deliberate modification of the Persian word *tâtâr*, which just meant a kind of Turk, though the Mongols, of course, were not Turks. But then, as the Mongols appeared out of nowhere from the Steppe, arriving from origins far beyond the knowledge of Russians or Persians, no one really knew who they were or where they were from. To Europeans, they seemed like the Scourge of God.

1480, <u>Ivan III</u> refuses tribute; independence of Russia		
Shaykh Ah.mad	1481-1498, 1499-1502	
Murtad.â	1481-1499	
Defeated and annexed by the Khâns of the <u>Crimea</u> , 1502		

Eventually, the Golden Horde weakened and broke up into the Khânates of Astrakhan, Kazan, and Crimea. Remnants of the Golden Horde passed in 1502 to the Crimea, which, as a vassal of the Ottoman Empire (as of 1475), held out the longest against Russian power. Thus, independent Hordes survived in Russia for three centuries, and the Crimea for more than two more. This original durability, far beyond the other Mongol Khânates, may be due to the fact that only the Golden Horde remained centered on the steppe. For so long as nomadic military tactics held an advantage, the Golden Horde benefited from it. The day of the nomad had to pass before the Russians gained the upper hand. Crimea survived thanks to the very non-nomadic power of the Ottomans. Russian expansion east would then not be through the steppe but in the **Taiga**, the dense forestland.



The map at right shows the situation in 1483. Moscow has just ceased paying tribute to the Golden Horde (1480). The successor Khanates to the Horde are already in

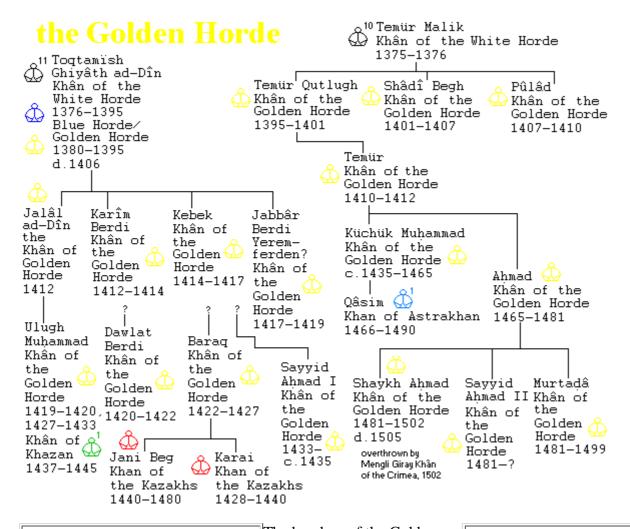


place. As noted, the Crimea is already a vassal of the Ottomans. Although it would be the Crimean Khâns who finally overthrew the Horde, Astrakhan would acquire the lion's share of the remaining lands of the Horde. Timurids and the White Sheep (Aq Qoyunlu) Turks dominate the Middle East and Central Asia.



Note that Shiban, as a son of Jochi, originally had his own division of the Horde (an *ulus*, "patrimony"), as seen in the map <u>above</u>. When Toqtamïsh moved west to unify the Golden Horde, the Shibanids expanded south and grew into the Khânate of the Özbegs or Uzbeks, perhaps named after the Khân of the Blue Horde, Muh.ammad Özbeg (1313-1341). Thus, on the map of 1483, the Uzbeks have become conspicuous. Their line is given <u>below</u>, as their realm (and the <u>Kazakhs</u>) succeeded to most of Central Asia until the coming of the <u>Russians</u>. There was also another son of Jochi, Toqa Temür, who had descendants from who some later Khâns may have descended. This may have included the founder of the Golden Horde proper, Toqtamïsh, whose parentage is uncertain.

For a long time I displayed nothing here on the descent of the White Horde or the Golden Horde. Now, however, this has been provided by a correspondent in the Netherlands, who organized information from a French genealogy site, with some reference to RootsWeb, where there is a discussion of the descent of Toqtamish. I have revised some of this information, especially for the Golden Horde proper, on the basis of *The New Islamic Dynasties*, by Clifford Edmund Bosworth [Edinburgh University Press, 1996, p.252-254]. The Blue Horde and White Horde are shown together above at right, ending with Toqtamish who unites them. Below are the Khâns of the Golden Horde. Some small differences of dates and names remain between the the genealogical diagrams and the tables of rulers above. I allow these to remain to indicate the certainties with the history -- one uncertainty is exactly when the Blue Horde was absorbed by Toqtamish, variously given as 1378 and 1380. It is noteworthy that, according to Bosworth, the founders of the Khânates of Kazan and Astrakhan were rival cousins in the two Golden Horde lines descended from the Khâns of the White Horde. The Golden Horde itself, however, was ended by the unrelated Giray Khâns of the Crimea.



The Khâns of the Crimea		
H.âjjî Giray I	1449-1456 1456-1466	
H.aydar Giray	1456	
Nûr Dawlat Giray	1466-1467, 1474-1475 1476-1478	
Mengli Giray	1467-1474, 1475-1476 1478-1514	
Vassals of the Ottoman Empire, 1475; conquest of Golden Horde, 1502		
<u>Horde</u> , 150	)2	
Horde, 150 Muh.ammad Giray I	1514-1523	
Horde, 150 Muh.ammad Giray I Ghâzî Giray I	1514-1523 1523-1524	

The breakup of the Golden Horde resulted in a number of uccessor states, most mportantly the Khânates of Kazan, the Crimea, and Astrakhan. The remnant lomain of the Golden Horde vas itself annexed by the Crimea in 1502. Otherwise, all vould be faced with, and lltimately fall to, the growing ower of Russia. The fall of Kazan and Astrakhan notivated Ivan IV to proclaim imself "Tsar of all the Russias." The Crimea would endure longer, becoming ndeed the last of any of the Mongol Khânates. Its lurability, however, was only lue to the protection of the Ottomans. Before Russia ould take the Crimea, it vould have to defeat the Turks. That would not come intil the 18th Century. Catherine the Great, not Ivan

The Khâns of Kazan		
Ulugh Muh.ammad	1437-1445	
Mah.mûd	1445-1462	
Khalîl	1462-1467	
Ibrâhîm	1467-1479	
'Alî	1479-1484 1485-1487	
Muh.ammad Amîn	1484-1485 1487-1495 1502-1518	
Mamûq Siberian Khân	1495-1496	
'Abd alLat.îf	1496-1502	
Shâh 'Alî Khân of Qâsimov	1519-1521, 1551-1552	
S.âh.îb Giray	1521-1524 1546	

Dawlat Giray I	1551-1577	the Terrible, would finish off the last of the Mongols.	S.afâ' Giray	1524-1531, 1533-1546,	
Muh.ammad Giray II	1577-1584	These lists are derived entirely	S.ara Giray	1533-1546	
Islâm Giray II	1584-1588	from <i>The New Islamic</i> Dynasties, by Clifford  Edmund Bosworth [Edinburgh University Press, 1996,	Jân 'Alî	1531-1533	
Ghâzî Giray II	1588-1596, 1596-1608		Ötemish	1549-1551	
Fath. Giray I	1596	pp.252-260].	Yâdigâr Muh.amm	ad   1552	
Toqtamïsh Giray	1608		1552, Russian conquest by <u>Ivan IV</u>		
Salâmat Giray I	1608-1610		L		
Muh.ammad Giray III	1610, 1623-1624,	The connection of the Crimea to Turkey led to a significant	The Khâns o	f Astrakhan	
	1624-1627	moment in linguistic history. The Imperial Ambassador to	Qâsim	1466-1490	
Jânî Beg Giray	1610-1623, 1624	Constantinople, Bubecq	'Abd alKarîm	1490-1504	
Jain Beg Ghay	1627-1635	(1560-1562), took down sixty words in an unusual language	Qasay	1504-1532	
'Inâyat Giray	1635-1637	spoken by informants from the Crimea. The language turned	Aq Köbek	1532-1534 1541-1544	
Bahâdur Giray I	1637-1641	out to be Gothic. Goths had been in the Crimea since the 3r	d 'Abd alRah.mân	1534-1538	
Muh.ammad Giray IV	1641-1644, 1654-1666	Century AD. It is fortunate tha Bubecq was curious about the		1538-1541	
Islâm Giray III	1644-1654	language, because there is otherwise no surviving evidence	Yaghmurchi	1544-1554	
'Âdil Giray	1666-1671	of it, and there are no Crimean Goths left now.			
Salîm Giray I	1671-1678, 1684-1691, 1692-1699, 1702-1704	There <i>are</i> surviving Crimean Tartars. Stalin became suspicious that they had	Darwîsh 'Alî	Russian vassal 1554-1557	
Murâd Giray	1678-1683	collaborated with the Germans in World War II, so he deported a of them to Siberia. They are back now, but still rather out of place the area. They are thus as much living fossils of history as the 16 century Gothic speakers.			
H.âjjî Giray II	1683-1684				
Sa'âdat Giray II	1691	century double speakers.			
S.afâ' Giray	1691-1692				
Dawlat Giray II	1699-1702, 1708-1713	The amount of harm that the Mongol conquest did to the Middle East cannot be calculated. It was bad enough	The II Khâns		
Ghâzî Giray III	1704-1707		Hülegü/Hülägü Middle East	1256-1265 invaded,	
Qaplan Giray I	1707-1708, 1713-1716, 1730-1736	for Islâm that the <u>Caliphate</u> in Baghdad was destroyed, in Baghdad was destroyed, defeat by Mar		255-1260; killed, 1258; <mark>amlûks</mark> ,	
Dawlat Giray III	1716-1717	continued in Coire The	Abaqa	1265-1282	
		monysical damage and neglect		11	

1783, Russian annexation by Catharine II the Great		
Bahâdur II Giray	1782-1783	
Shâhîn Giray	1777-1782, Russian vassal, 1783-1787	
S.âh.îb Giray II	1772-1775	
Qaplan Giray II	1769-1770	
Dawlat Giray IV	1769, 1775-1777	
Maqs.ûd Giray	1767-1768, 1771-1772	
Salîm Giray III	1764-1767, 1770-1771	
Qïrïm Giray	1758-1764, 1768-1769	
H.alîm Giray	1756-1758	
Arslan Giray	1748-1756, 1767	
Salîm Giray II	1743-1748	
Salâmat Giray II	1740-1743	
Fath. Giray II	1736-1737	
Mengli Giray II	1724-1730, 1737-1740	

civilization and prosperity that went back to the Sumerians. The capital of the Îlkhâns became Tabrîz. Iraq would never again be a center of great power, influence, or culture. Until the Fall of Constantinople, Cairo became the center of Islâm.

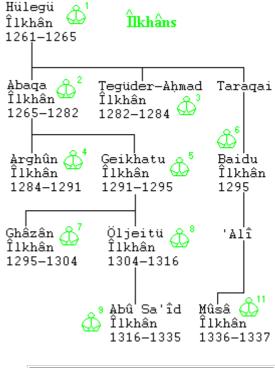
It may be that a serious effort to conquer Egypt was never launched by the Îlkhâns because the military resources of Mongolia, which had in part been directed at Europe under the Great Khân Ögedei and at the Middle East under Möngke (Hülegü's brother), were entirely drawn off by Qubilai (Hülegü's other brother)

for the conquest of China. Certainly, the kind of sustained and punishing campaign that the <u>Song</u> had to face in China was never directed against the Mamlûks.

The Jalâyirids		
Shaykh H.asan-i Buzurg Tâj ad-Dîn	1340-1356	
Shaykh Uways	1356-1374	
H.usayn I Jalâl ad-Dîn	1374-1382	
Sult.ân Ah.mad Ghiyâth ad-Dîn	1382-1410	
Shâh Walad	1410-1411	

When the great traveller **Ibn Battuta** (d.1368/69) visited the Ilkhânate in 1326-1327, its power seemed well founded and unassailable. When he returned from China, between 1346 and 1349, the Khânate had already collapsed! This abrupt and astonishing revolution left a number of successor states.

1338-1353, period of several rival successor states, like the <u>Jalâyirids</u> , followed by the <u>Timurids</u>	
Muh.ammad	1337-1338
Mûsâ	1336-1337
Arpa Ke'ün	1335-1336
Abû Sa'îd 'Alâ' adDunyâ wa dDîn	1316-1335
Muh.ammad Khudâbanda Öljeytü	1304-1316
Mah.mûd Ghâzân	1295-1304
Baydu	1295
Gaykhatu	1291-1295
Arghûn	1284-1291



The Qara Qoyunlu, or Black Sheep Turks		
Bayram Khôja	Vassal of Jalayirids, 1351-1380	
Qara Muh.ammad	1380-1389	
Independent, 1382		

Mah.mûd	1411, 1421-1425	The Jalâyirid Sult.âns held Tabrîz, western Irân and lower Mesopotamia. The
Uways II	1411-1421	Black Sheep (Qara Qoyunlu) Turks lay just to
Muh.ammad	1421	the west, in Armenia and
H.usayn II	1425-1532	upper Mesopotamia. In between their domain and
Conquest by Qara Qoyunlu, 1432		Trebizond were the White Sheep (Aq Qoyunlu) Turks
All wars awant over but r		1 \ 1 \ 7

All were swept over, but not eliminated, by Tamerlane. As the Timurid hegemony receded, the Black Sheep Turks overthrew the Jalâyirids. It wasn't much longer, however, before the White Sheep Turks became the ultimate winner, assembling a state that stretched even into eastern Irân, the most successful of the Ilkhân successors. When they fell, it would be to an altogether new force, the Safavids, who, although Turks themselves, ushered in an Irânian, and a Shi'ite, revival.

Qara Yûsuf	c.1390-1400, 1406-1420	
Occupation by <u>Tîmûr</u> , 1400-1406		
Iskandar	1420-1438	
Jahân Shâh	1439-1467	
Timurid Vassal until 1449		
H.asan 'Alî	1467-1469	
Abû Yûsuf	1469	
Conquest by Aq Qoyunlu, 1469		

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one. But he tended longol puppet cheads and did creat
st serious nomadic e. A devoted Mosle
inquests and massac nevertheless almost ly directed against
w Moslems. Poor litt gia had to bear most rath against Christia
te what must seem to fluous slaughter and less terror of rlane's campaigns, he he only historic emp lly founded on the
n of Transoxania and like Samarkand and ara. This brought a d of higher culture a
ecture to the area. To architecture, d, passed to the
auls. The splendor of aj Mahâl thus owes than a little to the
ious Tamerlane.
egion of Farghâna led a small Timurid pality. The Özbeg
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The Aq Qoyunlu, or White Sheep Turks	
Qutlugh Fakhr ad-Dîn	c.1360-1389
Ah.mad	1389-1403
Qara Yoluq 'Uthmân Fakhr ad-Dîn	1403-1435
'Alî Jalâl ad-Dîn	1435-1438
H.amza Nûr ad-Dîn	1438-1444
Jahângîr Mu'izz ad-Dîn	1444-1457
Uzun H.asan	1457-1478
Sult.ân Khalîl	1478
Ya'qûb	1478-1490
Baysonqur	1490-1493
Rustam	1493-1497
Ah.mad Gövde	1497
Alwand	Diyâr Bakr & Azerbaijan, 1497-1502, d.1504
Muh.ammad	Iraq & Persia, 1497-1500

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(1501) sent the heir, Bâbur,

Badî' al-Zamân  Özbeg/Uzbek of Khorasâ		
Özbeg conquest of Transoxania & Farghâna, 1501		
'Alî	1498-1500 in Transoxania	
Bâbur II, the <u>Great</u> <u>Moghul</u>	1498-1500, 1500-1501 in Transoxania, d.1530	
Baysonqur Mas'ûd	1495-1497 in Transoxania	
Mah.mûd	1494-1495 in Transoxania	
Sult.ân Ah.mad	1469-1494 in Transoxania	
H.usayn Bâyqarâ	1469-1506 in Khorasân	
Abû Sa'îd	1459-1469 in Khorasân	
Mah.mûd	1457-1459 in Khorasân	

heading for Kabul (1514) and India (1526), where he founded the Moghul Empire.

f the Timurids had been nore Turkish than Mongol, hey were succeeded by ulers who were at least of Mongol patrimony, the Shibânid Khâns of the Özbegs or Uzbeks --Turkish tribes, but perhaps amed after the Khân of the Blue Horde, Muh.ammad Özbeg (1313-1341). Moving first south into the ands of the old White Horde, they then displaced he Timurids in Transoxania nd northern Afghanistan, n part under the pressure of he Kazakhs. Although often fragemented, the Khânate and its successors, vith the Kazakhs, dominate Central Asia until the rrival of the Russian Empire. **Uzbekistan**, of course, is one of the

1	The Khâns of the Kazakhs
	are curiously missing from
	Bosworth's <i>The New</i>
	Islamic Dynasties. There
	seems to be much
i	obscurity in their history,
	and the details here are

from the German Wikipedia website. While the Kazakhs seem to originate as vassals of the Özbegs, their Khâns are initially derived from the Golden Horde. When the Özbeg Abu'l-Khayr kills the Golden Khân Boraq, his sons, after an exile in Mughulistân (Sinkiang), return to avenge themselves. This shatters the Özbegs (1468), from which the Kazakhs emerge as an independent Khânate. The dating is unclear, but the Özbegs are pushed south to the Oxus (Amu Dar'ya) valley and the mountains to the south-east, and the Kazakhs come to dominate the steppe, the valley of the Jaxartes (Syr Dar'ya), and the mountains to the south-east of there.

 Sult.ân Murâd
 Persia, 1500-1508, d.1514

 Zayn al-'Âbidîn
 Diyâr Bakr, 1504-1508

 S.afawid conquest, 1508

Shibânid Özbegs/Uzbeks	
Abu'l-Khayr	1438-1468
killed by <u>Kazakhs</u> , disintegration, 1468-1500	
Muh.ammad Shibâni Shah Beg Özbeg	1500-1512
Köchkunju Muh.ammad	1512-1531
Abû Sa'îd Muz.affar ad-Dîn	1531-1534
'Ubaydallâh Abû'l-Ghâzî	1534-1539
'Abdallâh I	1539-1540
'Abd al-Lat.îf	1540-1552
Nawrûz Ah.mad, Baraq	1552-1556
Pîr Muh.ammad I	1556-1561
Iskandar	1561-1583
'Abdallâh II	1583-1598
'Abd al-Mu'min	1598
Pîr Muh.ammad II	1598-1599

succession of Toqay Temürids

successor Republics to the Soviet Union.

Kaza	ıkhs
Koirijaq Oglun	c.1394-1422
Borrak/Boraq	1422-1428
	Golden Horde, 1422-1427
killed by Abu' <u>Uzb</u>	•
Girai/Karai	c.1428-1440
Jani Beg	1440-1480
independent of	f <u>Uzbeks</u> , 1456
Muryndyk	1480/88-1509/11

1509/11-1518
1518-1523
1523-1530/33
East, 1526/38
South, 1526/38
North, 1526/35
unites horde, 1538-1575/80
1575/80-1582
1575/86-1598; 1586, all Kazakhs
1598-1628
1628-1652
1628-36; d.c.1650

This is reflected in the modern map of the region, with an independent Kazakhstan north of Uzbekistan. The modern caital, Alma Ata, is far to the south-east, near the border of Kirghizia. One complication of Kazakh history seems to be that the Horde periodically, and then permanently, splits into Lesser (west), Middle (north, east), and Elder (south) Hordes -- and evidently the Kirgiz also. These were all, of course, Turkish peoples, with initially the Mongol derived rulers. Today the Turks of the region are distinguished, with the modern states, into Kazakhs, Uzbeks, Kirgiz (in Kirghizia), and Turkmen (in Turkmenistan, south of the Oxus, an



Kazakhstan



Kyrgyzstan



Turkmenistan

Toqay Temürids, Jânids

area that is mostly desert, though with the historic city of Merv, now Mary). The whole area, of course, has been characterized with the geographical expression **Turkistan**. In the 18th century, the Lesser and Middle Horde came under <u>Russian</u> influence. They were conquered by 1824. The Elder Horde and Kirgiz were conquered in 1854.

vacant, 1652-1680	
Tawke	1680-1715/18
Kaip	1715-1718
Bulat	1698-1731
Abu-i-Hayr	1717/28-1748

The Toqay Temürids or Jânids (from Jânî Muh.ammad) were actually from the house of Astrakhan and so, again, were more Mongol than Turkish. They simply displace the Uzbek Shibânids. The domain,

again, is sometimes fragmented, especially with a "lesser" Khân in Balkh (in Afghanistan). In the end, Jânids were figureheads for the Mangits.

Mangïts of Bukhara		
Muh.ammad Rah.îm Atalïq	1747-1758	
Dâniyâl Biy Atalïq	1758-1785	
Shâh Murâd Amîr-i- Ma's.ûm	1785-1800	
Sayyid H.aydar Tora	1800-1826	
Sayyid H.usayn	1826-1827	
'Umar	1827	
Nas.r Allâh	1827-1860	

The Mangits were from an Uzbek tribe who became chief ministers, *Ataliqs*, to the Jânids. Like many other such arrangements, the power of the ministers overwhelmed and then overthrew that of their masters. The domain became the Khânate of Bukhara (Bokhara). The arrival of the Russians reduced the power and the domain of the Khâns, but

Toquy Temurius, sumus		
Jânî Muh.ammad	1599-1603	
Bâqî Muh.ammad	1603-1605	
Walî Muh.ammad	1605-1611	
Imâm Qulî	1611-1641	
Nadhr Muh.ammad	1641-1645	
	Balkh only, 1645-1651	
'Abd al-'Azîz	1645-1681	
S.ubh.ân Qulî	1681-1702	
'Ubaydallâh	1702-1711	
Abu'l-Fayd.	1711-1747	
figureheads of Mangïts, 1747		
'Abd al-Mu'min	1747-c.1750	
'Ubaydallâh	1751-1752	
Abu'l-Ghâzî	c.1758-1789	
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their rule, or misrule, actually continued. Nothing fundamentally changed until the Russian Revolution. A "People's Republic of Bukhara" overthrew the Khân, who went into exile in Afghanistan.

Muz.affar ad-Dîn	1860-1886	Rather than tolerating local self-determing Bolsheviks forcibly reconstituted as much	nation, of course, the h of the Russian Empire as
Russian conquest		possible. Today, however, Bukhara	<b>(</b> .:::
'Abd al-Ah.ad		finds itself in an independent <b>Uzbekistan</b> (whose capital is Tashkent).	
Sayyid 'Âlim Khân	1910-1920	Two other Uzbek Khântes, Khiva and Khoqand (around Tashkent), shared	TO SEE HISTORY
overthown by Boshev	1133. 1740	space with Bokhara, until similarly attached to Russia. Khoqand was	Uzbekistan

abolished in 1876, while Khiva survived, like Bukhara, until 1920.

These lists (except for the Kazakh Khâns) are derived from *The New Islamic Dynasties*, by Clifford Edmund Bosworth [Edinburgh University Press, 1996] and the *Oxford Dynasties of the World*, by John E. Morby [Oxford University Press, 1898, 2002, pp.270-276 & pp.288-292].

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## 4. the Oghullar of Rûm



The many successors of the Seljuks in Anatolia are often called the العنقار.

**oghullar**, or "sons." In modern Turkish, "son" is  $o \not g ul$ , with a breve on the g, which means that the o is lengthened and the gu lost. Lar is the regular plural suffix. In the Turkish grammatical construction, we get the name of the domain or dynasty and

then اینگری, **Oghullarï**, "its sons." In the map above, for the year

Arabic 1361, based on *The New Penguin Atlas of Medieval History* [Colin McEvedy, 1992, p.93], we have a unique political fragmentation of both the Balkans and Anatolia. This is about the only time since the <u>Hellenistic Age</u>, and the last time thereafter, that Anatolia has consisted of such a small number of states, mostly Turkish but with Greeks, Armenians, and Crusaders holding on in a few

Aydin Oghullari Sarukhân Oghullari Menteshe Oghullari Germiyân Oghullari H.amîd Oghullari Tekke Oghullari Jândâr Oghullari Qaramân Oghullari Eretna Oghullari Dulghadir Oghullari Osmanli Oghullari

places. Every single realm on the map, except for Epirus, is covered by a separate treatment here. Thus we have Romania under the Palaeologi, Bulgaria under the Terters, Serbia, Wallachia & Moldavia, Trebizond, Hungary, the Golden Horde, Georgia, the Jalayirids, the White Sheep Turks, the Black Sheep Turks, the Mamlûks, Lesser Armenia, Cyprus, Rhodes under the Hospitallers, Achaea & the Cyclades and Naples under the Anjevians, Athens under Sicily, Crete and other places under Venice, and Chios and other places under Genoa. Epirus had recently existed under its own Despots, been attached to Romania, and then drifted out of control under local Albanian princes. It would not be strongly unified until George Castriota, or Skanderbeg, temporarily drove the Turks out between 1443 and 1463. Note that the city of Philadelphia (modern Alashehir) is an isolated possession of Romania within the Beylik of Germiyân. It held out until falling to the Ottomans in 1390.

These lists are all from Clifford Edmund Bosworth's *The New Islamic Dynasties* [Edinburgh University Press, 1996, pp.220-238]. McEvedy may have overlooked one small state of *oghullar*, and when I figure out how the map would need to be modifed, it may be added.

Aydïn Oghullarï BEGS (BEYS) OF I.ZMI.R/SMYRNA

Family of Aydïn Oghlu Muh.ammad Beg

The **Aydin Oghullari** ("Sons of Aydin") are noteworthy because their seizure of Ephesus and Smyrna allowed for the development of a very troublesome degree of sea power, provoking two leagues of western powers to help Romania suppress it. The second league succeeded in recapturing the harbor and part of the city of Smyrna, though this only temporarily hampered the Begs. A noteworthy

Captures Epl	nesus, 1304	complication at the time was John V Palaeologus and John			
Muh.ammad Beg,	1200 1224	cultivated Turkish allies, incl	uding the Ottoman	Amîr Orkhân a	
Mubâriz ad-Dîn Ghâzî	1308-1334	·	a disastrous error, since Ottoman troops were thus  S.arukhân Oghu BEGS (BEYS) MANISA/MAGN		EYS) OF
Umur I Beg, Bahâ' ad-Dîn	1334-1348	introduced into Europe. They stayed. The Beys of	S.arukhân Beg	c.1313-c.1348	
Ghâzî		Aydïn also illustrate the			
Captures Smyrna defeat at Adran		temporary setback suffered by the Ottomans. The	Ilyâs Fakhr ad-Dîn	c.1348-1357	
naval defeat b Romania, loss	y Venice & of harbor of	defeat of Bâyezîd I by Tamerlane led to the brief reëtablishment (1402-1426) of the Aydïn Oghullarï.  The S.arukhân Oghullarï ruled immediately north of Aydïn, in what had been Greek Magnesia. They shared the fate of Aydïn in Ottoman conquest  Ish.âq Chelebi Muz.affar ad-Dî Khid.r Shâh  Conquest by Orkhan  restoration by	Tamerlane led to the brief  Isn.aq Cheleb  Muz affar ad-	Ish.âq Chelebi Muz.affar ad-Dîn	1357-c.1388
Smyrna Khid.r	1348-c.1360		Khid.r Shâh	1388-1390, 1404-1410	
				<u> </u>	
'Îsâ	c.1360-1390		Conquest by <u>Bâyezîd I</u> , 1390		
Annexation by B	<u>Sâyezîd I</u> , 1390		Orkhan	1402-1404	
Mûsa	1402-1403		restoration by T		
Restoration by	<u>Tîmûr</u> , 1402	restoration, and conquest	annexation by <u>N</u>		
Umur II	1402-1405	again. This pattern continues	with most of the O	ghullar below.	
Junayd	1405-1426				
Annexation by N	<u> 1426 II, 1426 </u>				

S.arukhân Oghullarï **BEGS (BEYS) OF** MANISA/MAGNESIA S.arukhân Beg c.1313-c.1348 Ilyâs Fakhr c.1348-1357 ad-Dîn Ish.âq Chelebi 1357-c.1388 Muz.affar ad-Dîn 1388-1390, Khid.r Shâh 1404-1410 Conquest by **Bâyezîd I**, 1390 Orkhan 1402-1404 restoration by Tamerlane, 1402; annexation by Meh.med I, 1410

**BEGS (BEYS) OF** The **Menteshe Oghullar**ï, **MILAS/MILETUS** c.1280-Menteshe Beg c.1296 c.1396-Mas'ûd c.1319 c.1319-Orkhan Shujâ'ud-Dîn c.1344 c.1344-Ibrâhîm c.1360 Musa c.1360-1375 Muhammad, & Tâj c.1360-1391 ud-Dîn Ah.mad Conquest by **Bâyezîd I**, 1391

1402-1421

Ilyâs Muz.affar ad-Dîn or

Shujâ'ud-Dîn

Menteshe Oghullarï

in Classical Caria and around Miletus, were immediately to the south of Aydïn. Up behind all the coastal states were the Germiyân Oghullarï, in the Classical Lydia and Phrygia. As with many of the Ohgullar, the Germinyân were originally a Turkish or Turkomen tribe in service to the Seljuks. Settled in the west as vassals of the Seljuks, the independent Beylik and first controlled the coast, but then was pushed back as separate states developed there.

Germiyân Oghullarï BEGS (BEYS) OF PHRYGIA		
Ya'qûb 'Alî Shîr	c.1299-c.1327	
Muh.ammad Chakhshadân	c.1327-c.1363	
Sulaymân Shâh	c.1363-1387	
Ya'qûb II Chelebi	1387-1390, 1402-1411, 1413-1428	
Conquest by <u>Bâyezîd I</u> , 1390; restoration by <u>Tamerlane</u> , 1402; occupation by <u>Qaramânids</u> , 1411-1413; annexation by <u>Murâd II</u> , 1428		

restoration by <u>Tamerlane</u> , 1402	
Layth and Ah.mad	1421-1424
annexation by Murâd II, 1424	

The **H.amîd Oghullarï** began with a Seljuk vassal, Ilyâs ibn H.amîd. With the Seljuk collapse his two sons established adjacen

Tekke Oghullarï BEGS (BEYS) OF PAMPHYLIA	
1-?	
1324	
7-c.1372	
72-c.1378	
91, 2-1423	

Beyliks, inland in Classical Pisidia, and allong the coast in Classical Pamphylia and Lycia -- starting the **Tekke**Oghullari. Both states were taken by Bâyezîd, and only one was temporarily restored by Tamerlane.

H.amîd Oghullarï BEGS (BEYS) OF PISIDIA		
Dündâr Beg Falak ad-Dîn	c.1301-1324	
Occupation by <u>Il Khâns</u> , 1324-1327		
Khid.r Beg	1327-1328	
Ish.âq Najm ad-Dîn	1328-1344	
Mus.t.afâ Muaz.affar ad-Dîn	c.1344-?	
Ilyâs H.usâm ad-Dîn	?-c.1374	
H.usayn Kamâl ad-Dîn	c.1374-1391	
Conquest by <u>Bâye</u>	<u>zîd I</u> , 1391	

The domain of the **Jândâr Oghullarï** was along the Black Sea coast, Classical Paphlagonia. They were at first vassals of the Il Khâns but became independent with their collapse. Although

•	n Oghullarï ) OF GALATIA
Qaramân Nûr ad-Dîn or Nûra S.ûfî	c.1256-1261
Muh.ammad I Shams ad-Dîn	1261-1278
Güneri Beg	1278-1300
Mah.mud Badr ad-Dîn	1300-1307
Yakhshï	1307-c.1317
Ibrâhim I Badr ad-Dîn	c.1317-1344/49
Ah.mad Kakhr ad-Dîn	1344/49-1349
Shams ad-Dîn	1349-1352
Sylaymân	1352-1361
'Alâ'ud-Dîn	1361-1398
Conquest by	<u>Bâyezîd I,</u> 1398
Muh.ammad II	1402-1419, 1441-1423
Restoration by	Tamerlane, 1402
'Alî	1419-1421, 1423-1424
Ibrâhîm II Tâj ad-Dîn	1424-1464

falling to the Ottomans, the Jândâr family nevertheless became successful serving them.

The **Qaramân Oghullarï** were a vigorous state and tood a good chance of ecoming the dominant successors of the Seljuks. They even became the heirs of the Seljuk capital of Konya (Iconium). However, hey were still no match for he the Ottomans. They lost Ankara (Angora), the incient capital of Galatia, in 354, and fell altogether to Bâyezîd in 1398. Restored y Tamerlane, they had to through the experience ll over again.

Of all the Oghullar, the **Dulghadïr Oghullarï**, sharing the Taurus with Lesser Armenia, held out the longest against the Ottomans, with help as vassals of the White Sheep Turks and the Mamlüks. Even after conquering the Mamlûks and pushing into Mesopotamia, Selim the Grim seems to have tolerated them, though they didn't last long into the reign of Süleymân the

Finally, we come to the **Eretna Oghullari**, who in 1361 controlled a large area

Jândâr Oghullarï BEGS (BEYS) OF SINOPE & PAPHLAGONIA				
Yaman Jâdâr Shams ad-Dîn	1292-c.1308			
Sulaymân I Shujâ'ud-Dîn	c.1308-c.1340			
Ibrâhîm Ghiyâth ad-Dîn	c.1340-1345			
'Âdil	1345-c.1361			
Bâyazîd Kötörüm Jalâl ad-Dîn	c.1361-1384			
Sulaymân II Shâh	1384-1385			
Isfandiyâr Mubâriz ad-Dîn	1385-1393, 1402-1440			
Conquest by <u>Bâyezîd I</u> , 1393; restoration by <u>Tamerlane</u> , 1402				
Ibrâhîm Tâj ad-Dîn	1440-1443			
Ismâ'îl Kamâl ad-Dîn	1443-1461			
Qïzïl Ah.mad	1461-1462			

Dulghadïr Oghullarï BEGS (BEYS) OF TAURUS				
Qaraja ibn Dulghadïr al-Malik az-Z.âhir Zayn ad-Dîn	1337-1353			
Khalîl Ghars ad-Dîn	1353-1386			
Sha'bân Sûlî	1386-1398			
Muh.ammad Nâs.ir ad-Dîn	1398-1442			
Sulaymân	1442-1454			
Malid Arslan	1454-1465			
Shâh Budaq	1465-1466, 1472-1479			

annexation by Meh.med II, 1462

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Eretna Oghullarï BEGS (BEYS) OF SIVAS/CAPPADOCIA

annexation by Meh.med II, 1475

1464-1465

1464-1475

Eretna 'Alâ'ud-Dîn	1336-1352	in the north-east of the old domain of Rüm. This actually overlapped Classical Galatia, Cappadocia, Paphlagonia, and Helenopontus and put	Shâh Suwâr	1466-1472		
Muh.ammad I Ghiyâth ad-Dîn	1352-1366		Bozqurd 'Alâ'ud-Dawla	1479-1515		
'Alî 'Alâ'ud-Dîn	1366-1380		'Alî	1515-1521		
Muh.ammad II Chelebi	1380	them adjacent to the II Khân heirs, the white Sheep Turks. Their local capital wa	annexation by <u>Süleymân I</u> , 1521 s Sivas (Sebastea) and then Kayseri			
Succession of Qâd.î Burhân ad-Dîn Oghullarï, 1380		(Caesarea, in Cappadocia).  The Eretna Begs were succeeded by their own Vizir, Qâd.î Burhân				
Ah.mad Qâd.î Burhân ad-Dîn	1380-1398	ad-Dîn, who founds his own, short-lived Oghullar. Killed fighting the White Sheep Turks, he was briefly followed by his son before his commanders surrendered the domain the Ottomans.				
killed by White Sheep	<u>Turks</u> , 1398	- ins commanders surrendered	the domain the Ottom	alis.		
'Alî Zayn ad-'Âbidîn 'Alâ' ad-Dîn	1398	There were other Oghullar states that briefly followed the ones given here, and some earlier Seljuk domains that were for a time rivals of Rûm, but the representatives of the year 1361 certainly				
amicaanon by Dayczau 1, 1370		convey the idea of the complexity of the period, before a uniformity of Ottoman government was imposed that continues, in agmentation of the Ochullar is reminiscent of the period of the				

effect, down to the present day. The fragmentation of the Oghullar is reminiscent of the period of the Reyes de Taifas (*mulûk at.-T.awâ'if*) in Spain. However, none of the Spanish states was ever able to predominate, and Islamic Spain only survived against the *Reconquista* as long as outside power, the Almoravids and Almohads, contributed their strength. Without them, Islamic Spain collapsed. With the Oghullar, however, not only did one of them, the Ottomans, predominate, but they grew into one of the great empires of history, surviving into the 20th century.

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