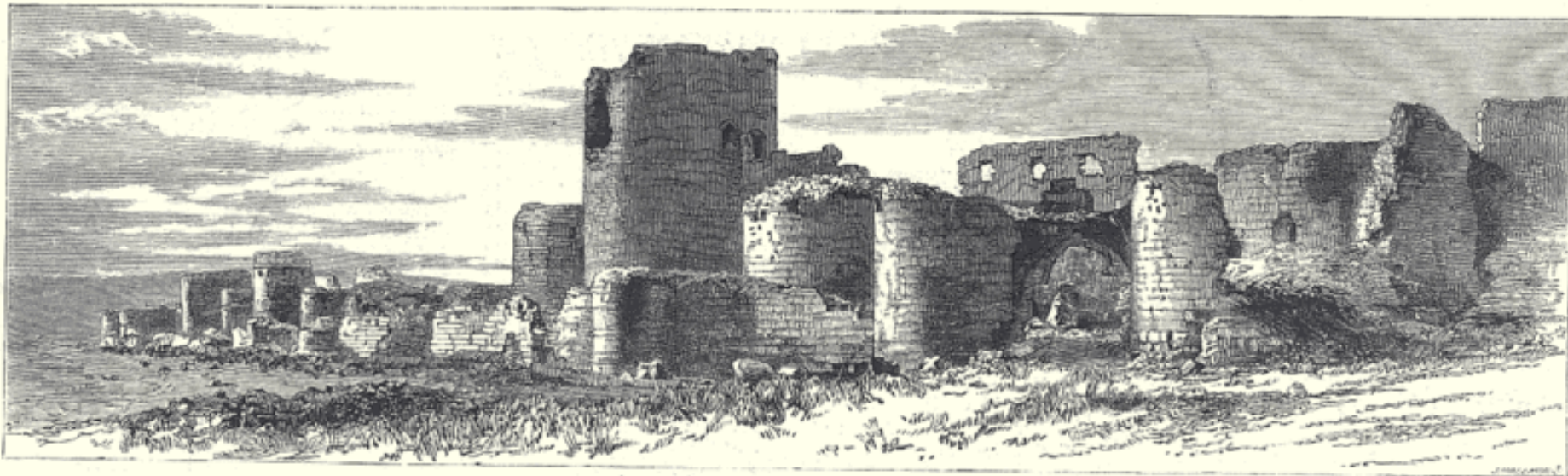


## The City of 1001 Churches



THE DOUBLE WALLS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE CITY

# City of Ani: Then



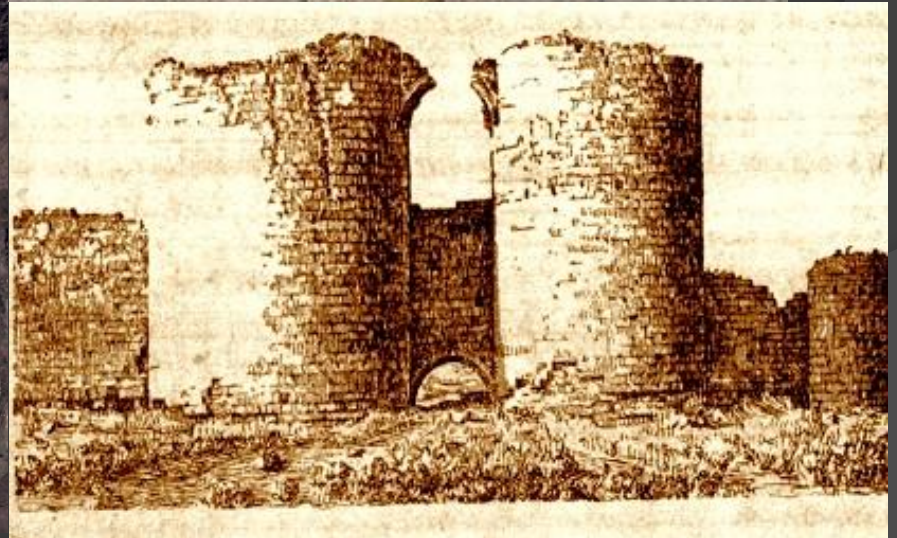
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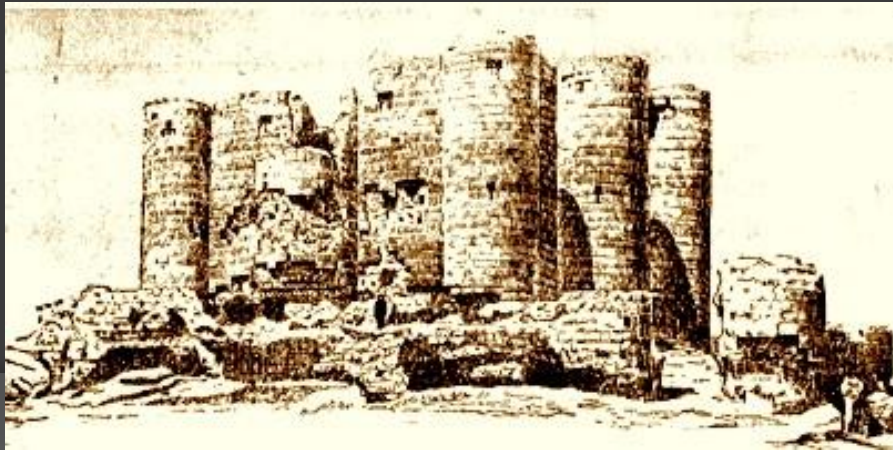
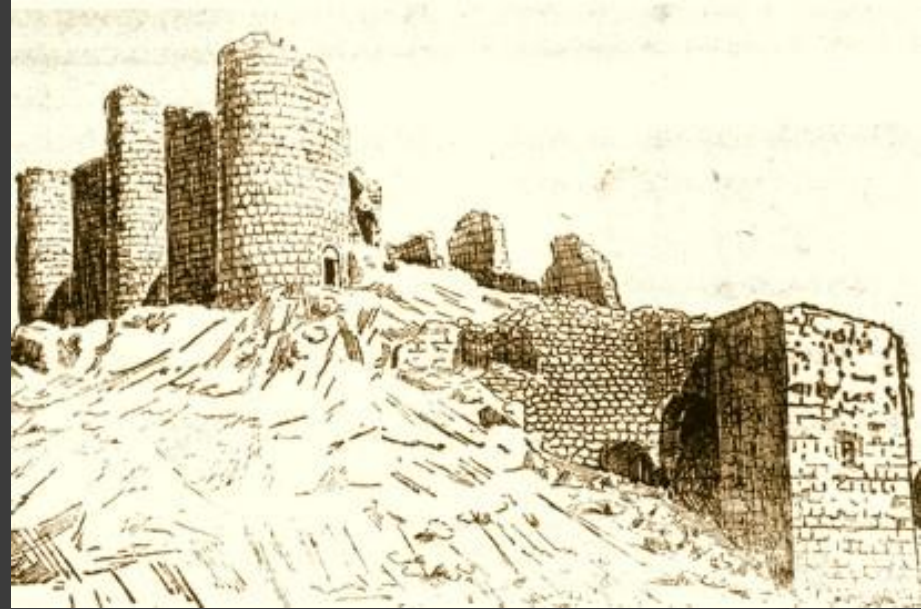
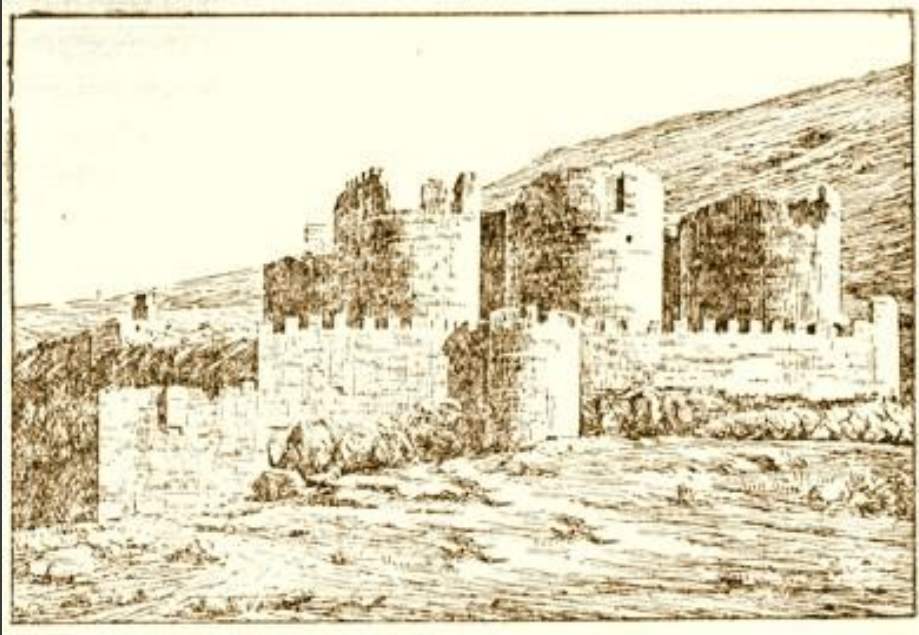
# An Armenian Capital

- ◎ 961-1045: Capital of Bagratid Dynasty
- ◎ The center of the Armenian Golden Age
- ◎ Became a trade route
- ◎ Armenian Catholicosate in 992
  - Sarkis I
  - Peter I

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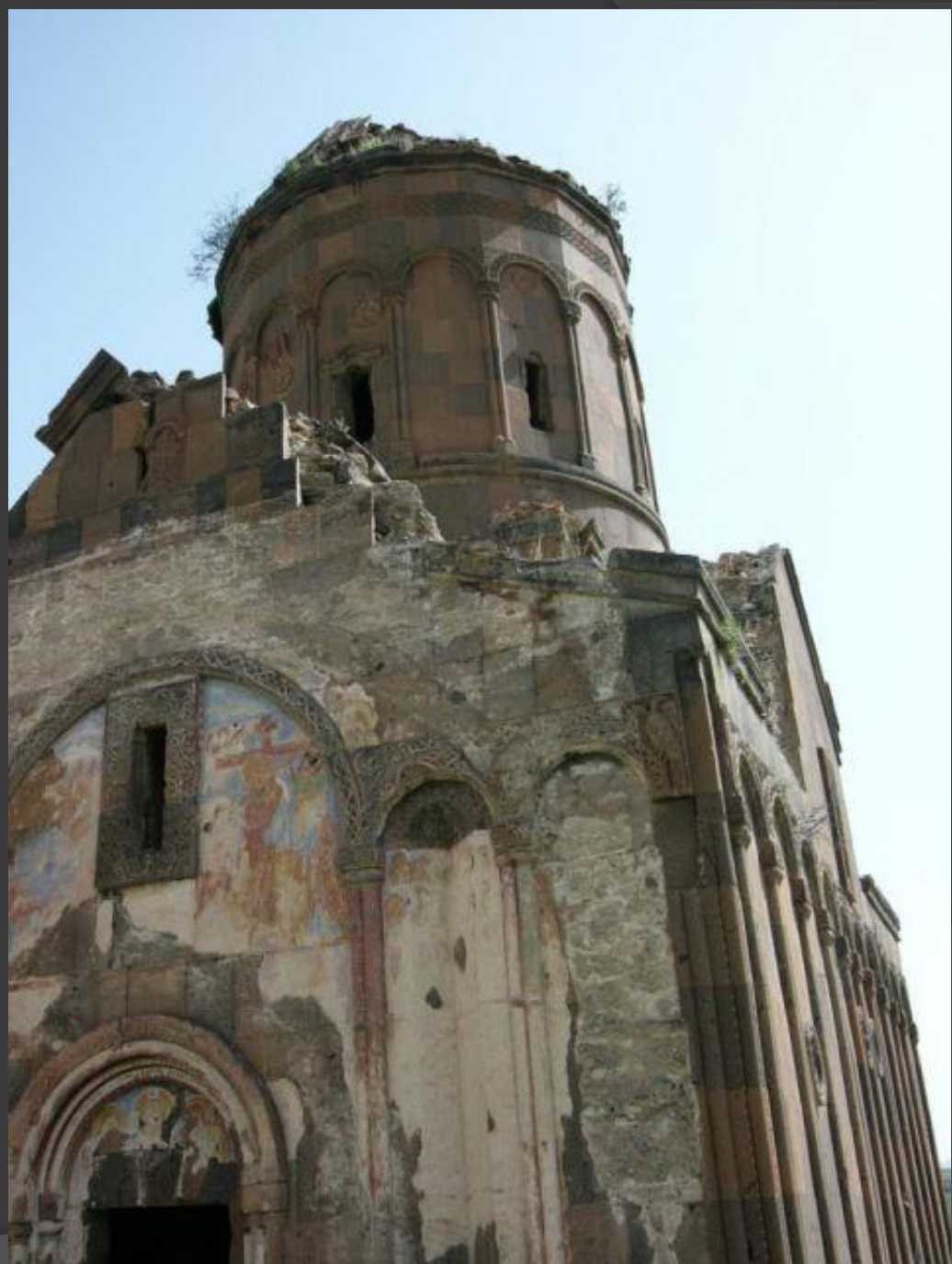
# Famous Sites

- The Cathedral of Ani “Soorp Asdvadzadzin”
- Started in 989, finished 1001
- Architect Tridat
- 1071 Mosque



# Famous Sites

- St Gregory of Tigran Honents (1215)
- Zakarid rule
- Wealthy merchant

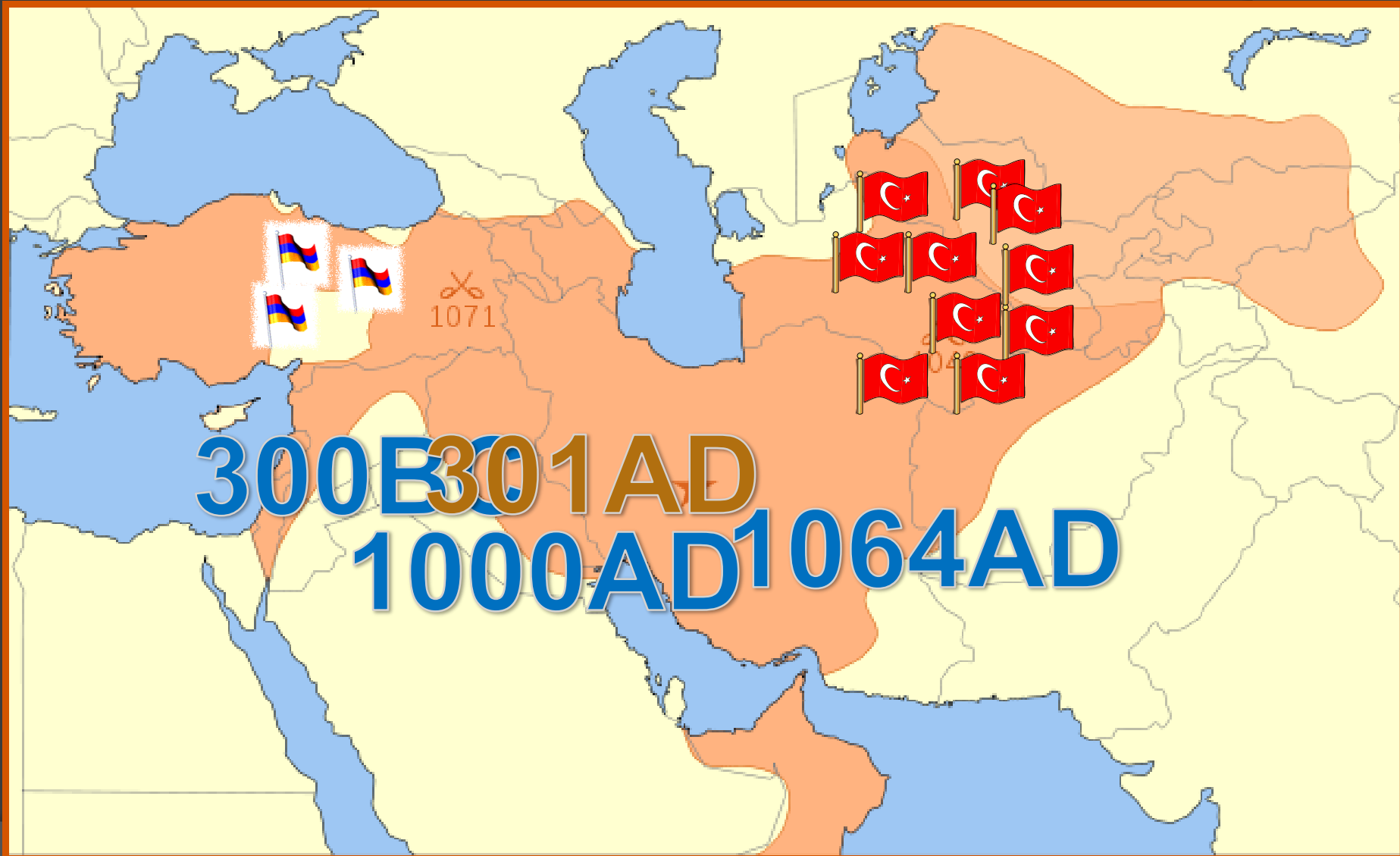


# Lost to Armenians

- King Gagik I
- Sons Hovhannes Smbat and Ashod IV quarreled
  - Byzantine emperor was named in control
- 1064: Alp Arslan Seljuk Turks
- Two Earthquakes: 1319 and 1832



# Seljuk Turk invasion



# During and after the Genocide

The First Armenian Republic, 1918-1920



# More videos and pictures

- ◎ [You tube slide show](#)
- ◎ [Henry's Trip:](#)



# Henry's Trip continued pt II



# Henry's Trip continued pt III

