

KING AKHENATEN

**The King's reign lasted from c.1353 B.C. to c.1335
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KING AKHENATEN'S FAMILY



- KING AKHENATEN HAD MANY WIVES.
- THE KING HAD 6 DAUGHTERS.
- HE HAD A DISEASE KNOWN AS MARFAN'S SYNDROME. ALL HIS KIDS HAD A 50% CHANCE OF GETTING THE DISEASE.
- SOME OF HIS MOTHER'S SIDE WAS JEWISH.

THE DOMESTIC POLICIES MADE BY KING AKHENATEN

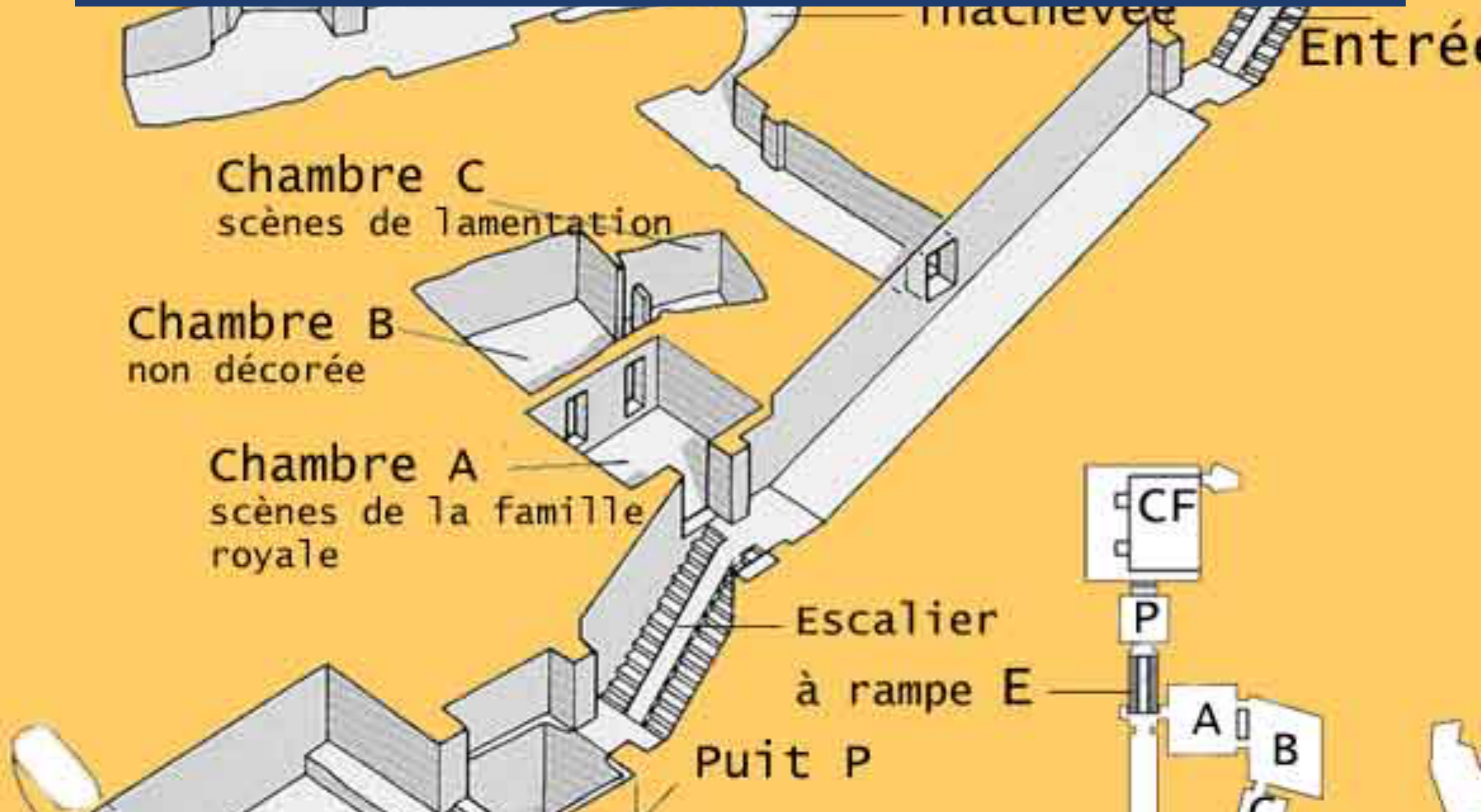


- HE CLOSED THE TEMPLES FOR ALL THE GODS EXCEPT FOR THE SUN GOD.
- AKHENATEN ONLY BELIEVED IN THE SUN GOD.
- HE MOVED THE CAPITAL OF THEBES TO A CITY NAMED AMARNA.
- AKHENATEN LET DIPLOMATS AND GOVERNMENT MAKE DECISIONS WITHOUT HIS APPROVAL.
- CONSTRUCTED CITY WITH HIS OWN NAME.

THE FOREIGN POLICIES MADE BY KING AKHENATEN

- HE DISCONTINUED ARMIES IN PALESTINE AND SYRIA.
- AKHENATEN ENDED TRADE WITH MANY TRADE PARTNERS.
- EGYPT NO LONGER TOOK PLACE IN WORLD EVENTS.
- AKHENATEN ENDED AN ALLIANCE WITH THE HITTITES.
- EGYPT IGNORED OTHER COUNTRIES.

WHAT KING AKHENATEN WAS FAMOUS FOR



- AKHENATEN WAS THE FIRST PHARAOH TO MAKE EGYPT MONOTHEISTIC.
- HE CHANGED HIS NAME FROM AMENTHOTEP THE FOURTH TO AKHENATEN.
- AKHENATEN HAD A DEFORMITY.
- HIS MOTHER WAS A DESCENDENT OF A JEWISH TRIBE.
- AKHENATEN COULD HAVE BEEN RELATED TO MOSES OR JOSEPH.

Thanks for watching!!!!!!!

