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| **OUTLINE**The Big Picture: Inspiring LoyaltyBarbur: Loyalty and Power*The Unreliable Bonds of Blood Kinship**Bending the Knee*Robes: A Language of Loyalty and ServiceBarbur: Loyalty in Bad Times and GoodThe Code of SaltBarbur in IndiaThe Decline of the Blood-Robes-Salt WorldThe 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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