

## Hyksos

*Hyksos* (**hik**-sohs) means foreign chieftains or shepherd kings. These people came from Asia after drifting across the desert and began controlling much of the Delta. They had more advanced weapons than the Egyptians. They ruled over Egypt for more than a hundred years.

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