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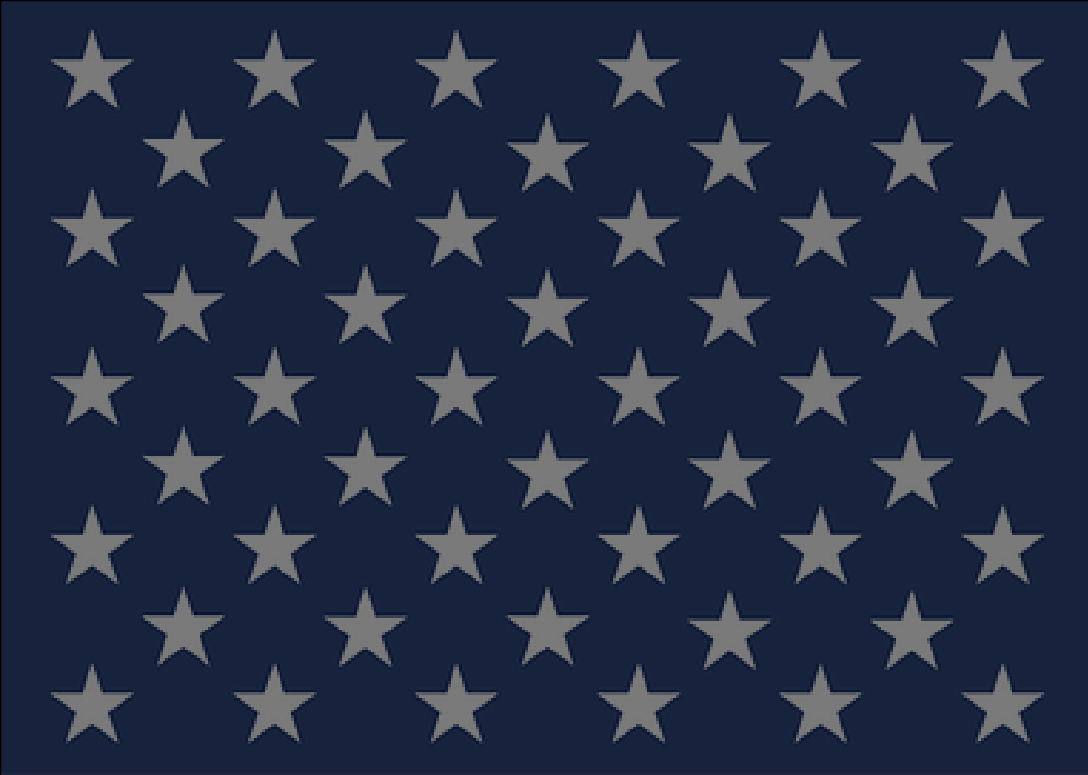


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Valentine's
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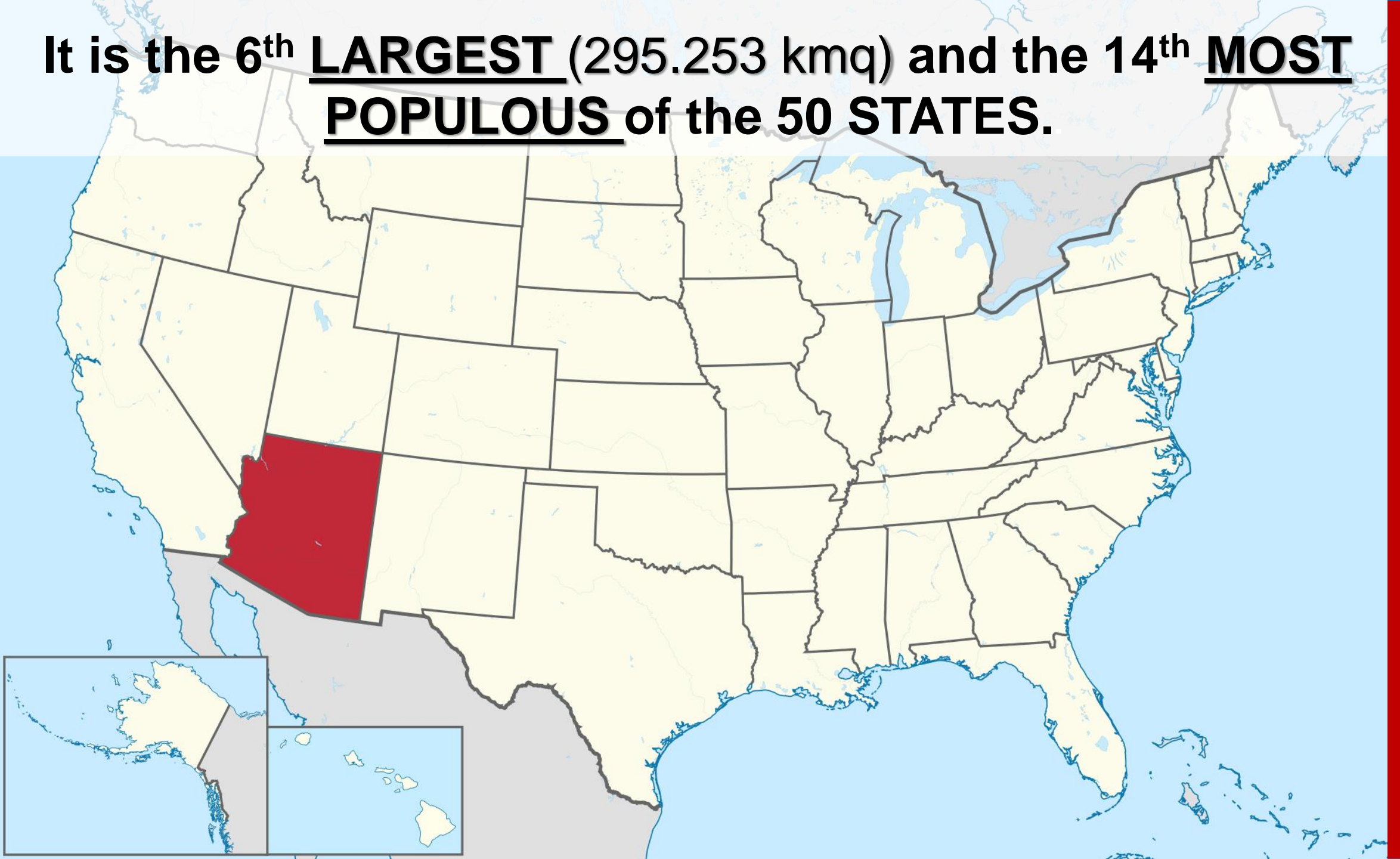
ARIZONA'S NICKNAME

is GRAND CANYON STATE, also used beautiful car license plates, but BABY STATE is also quite common, as it is the youngest state in the continental USA and SWEETHEART STATE in realization when it enters the USA on Valentine's Day.



It is a **STATE** in the
SOUTH-WEST of **THE**
USA. It is also part of
the **WESTERN** and
the **MOUNTAIN**
STATES.

It is the 6th **LARGEST** (295.253 kmq) and the 14th **MOST POPULOUS** of the 50 STATES.



It's **CAPITAL** and **LARGEST**
CITY is **PHOENIX.**



PHOENIX

is in South-Central of
Arizona.

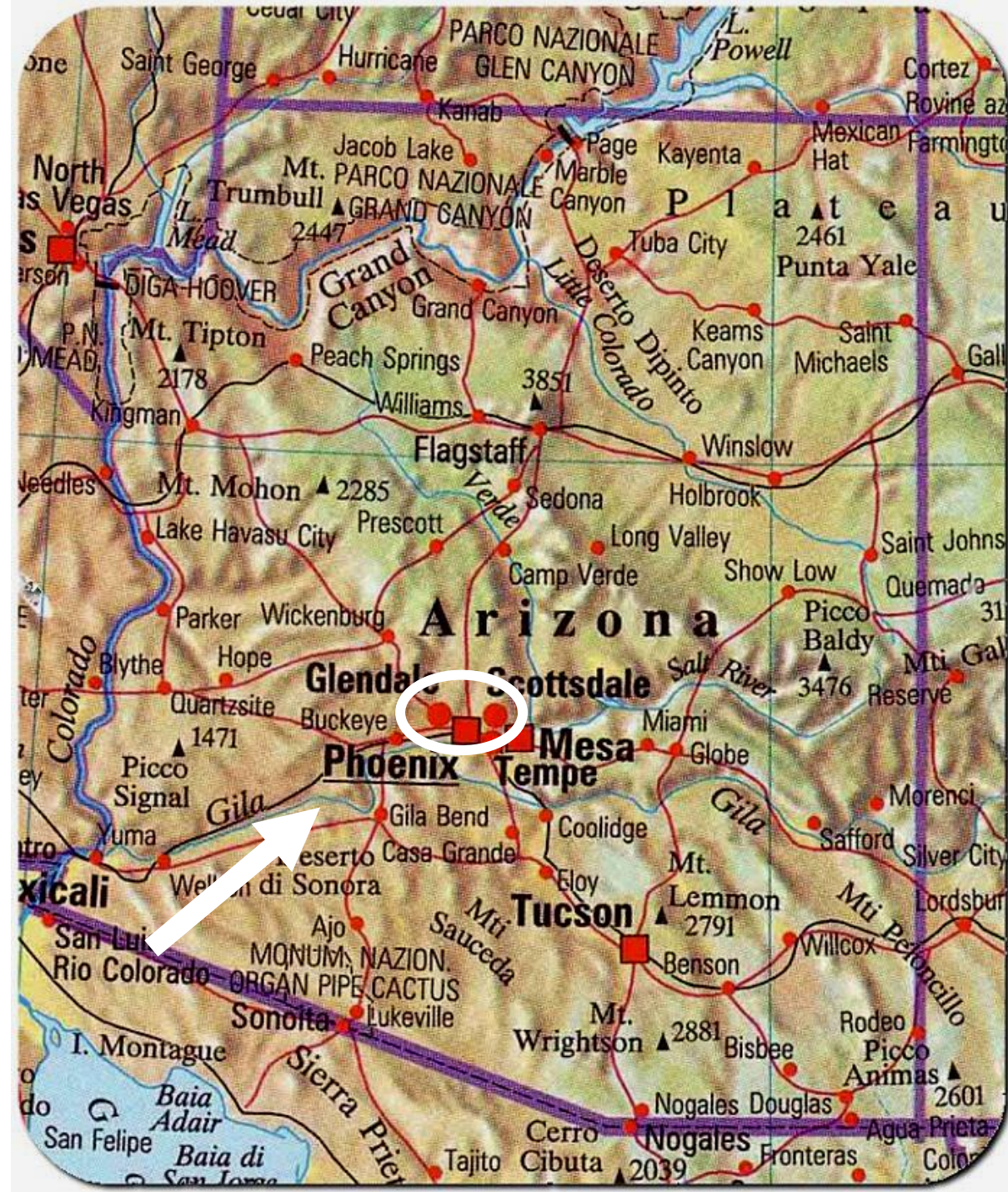
The city is in

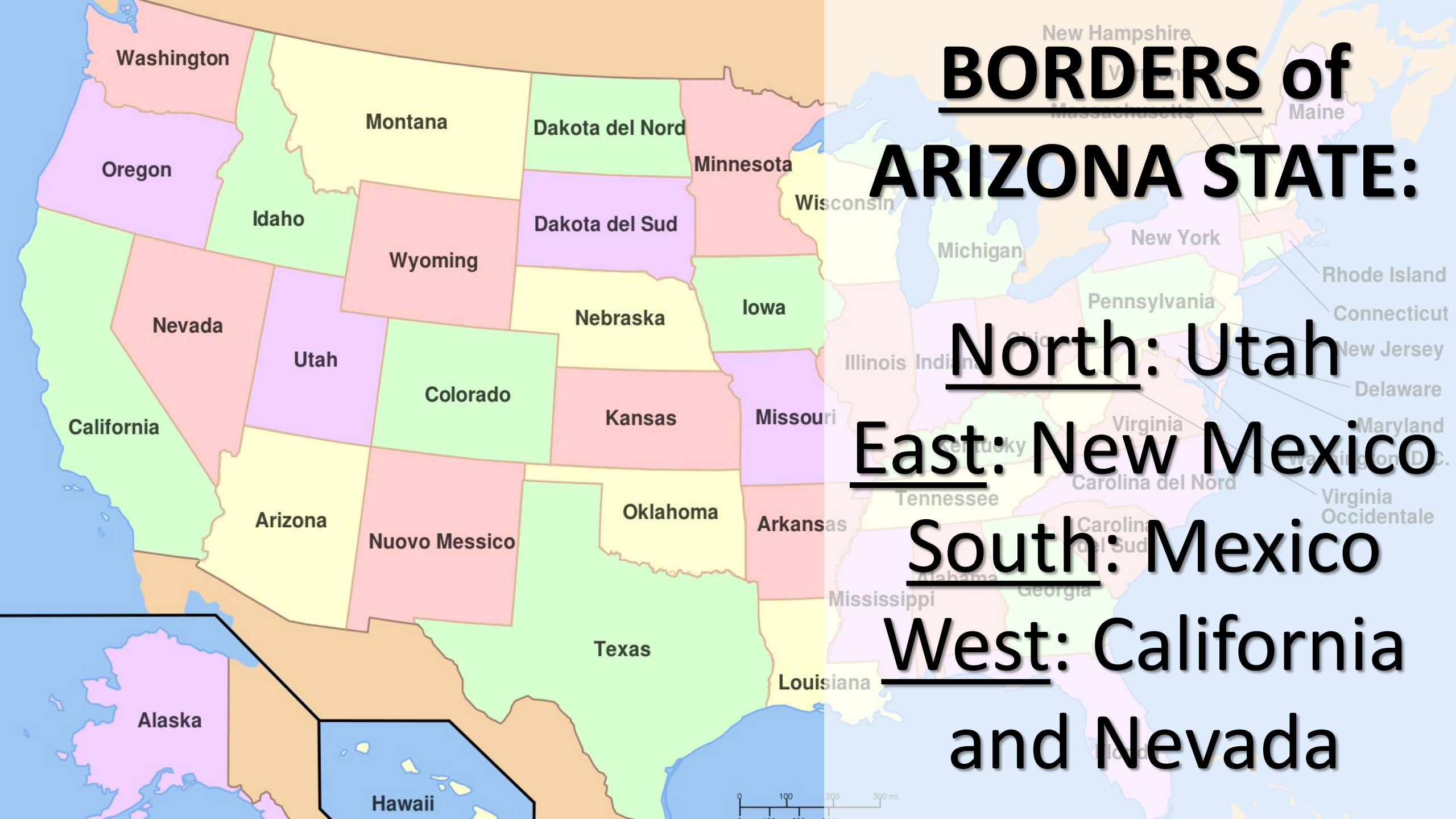
MARICOPA COUNTY

and the area is called

the

“VALLEY OF THE SUN”.





BORDERS of

ARIZONA STATE:

North: Utah

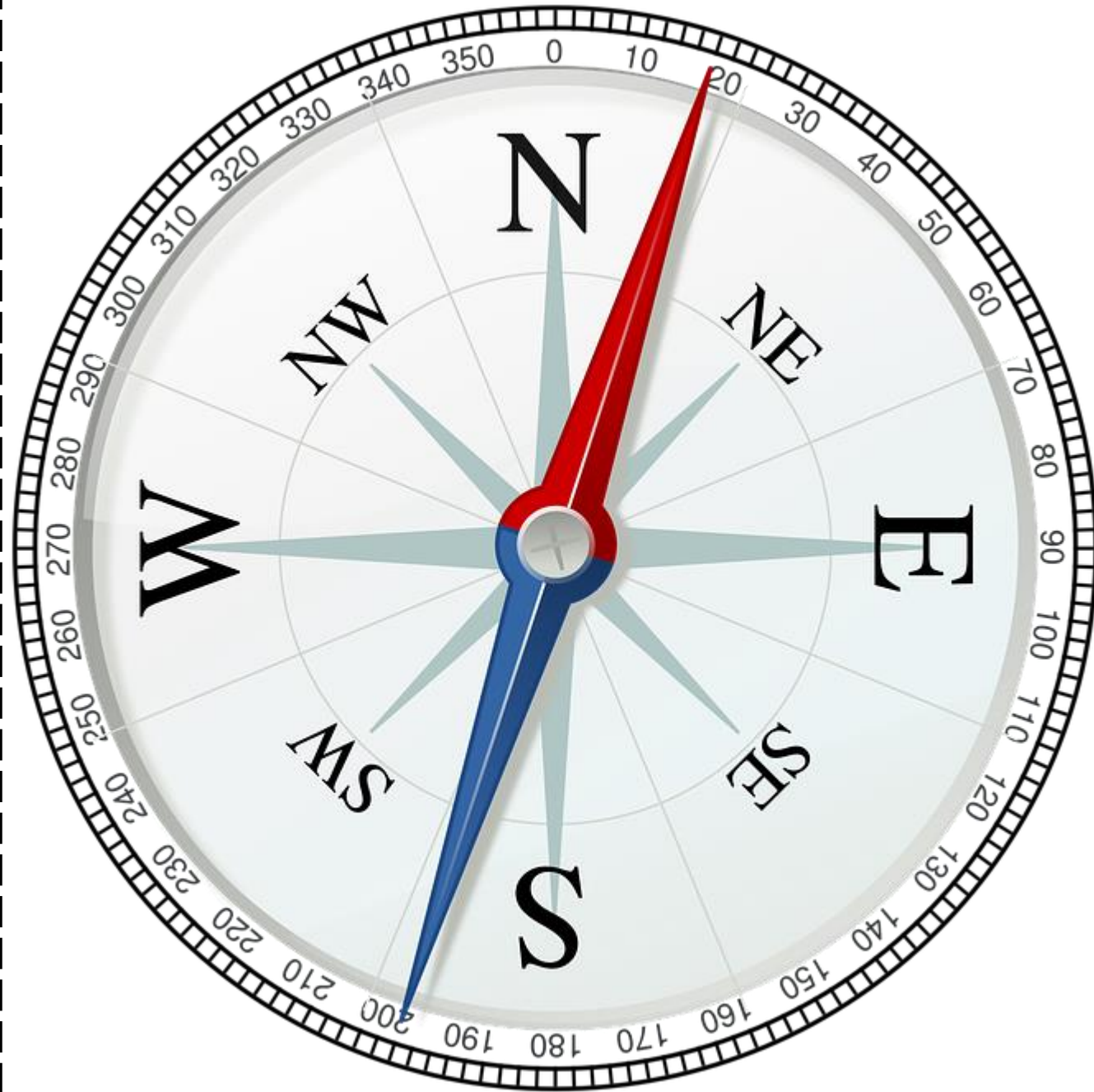
East: New Mexico

South: Mexico

West: California
and Nevada

THERE ARE THREE PHYSICOL REGIONS:

1. The **SONORA DESERT** (in the South-West)
2. The **COLORADO PLATEAU** (with Gran Canyon, Painted Desert and Petrified Forest in the North)
3. The **MEXICAN PLATEAU** (in the Central and Sutheaster part of the State)



In ARIZONA LANDSCAPES are very DIFFERENT.
In the South-Western part it is FLAT and DESERT;
In the South-East it is MOUNTAINOUS; the other areas is occupied by the COLORADO PLATEAU with mountains very high and beautiful CANYONS.

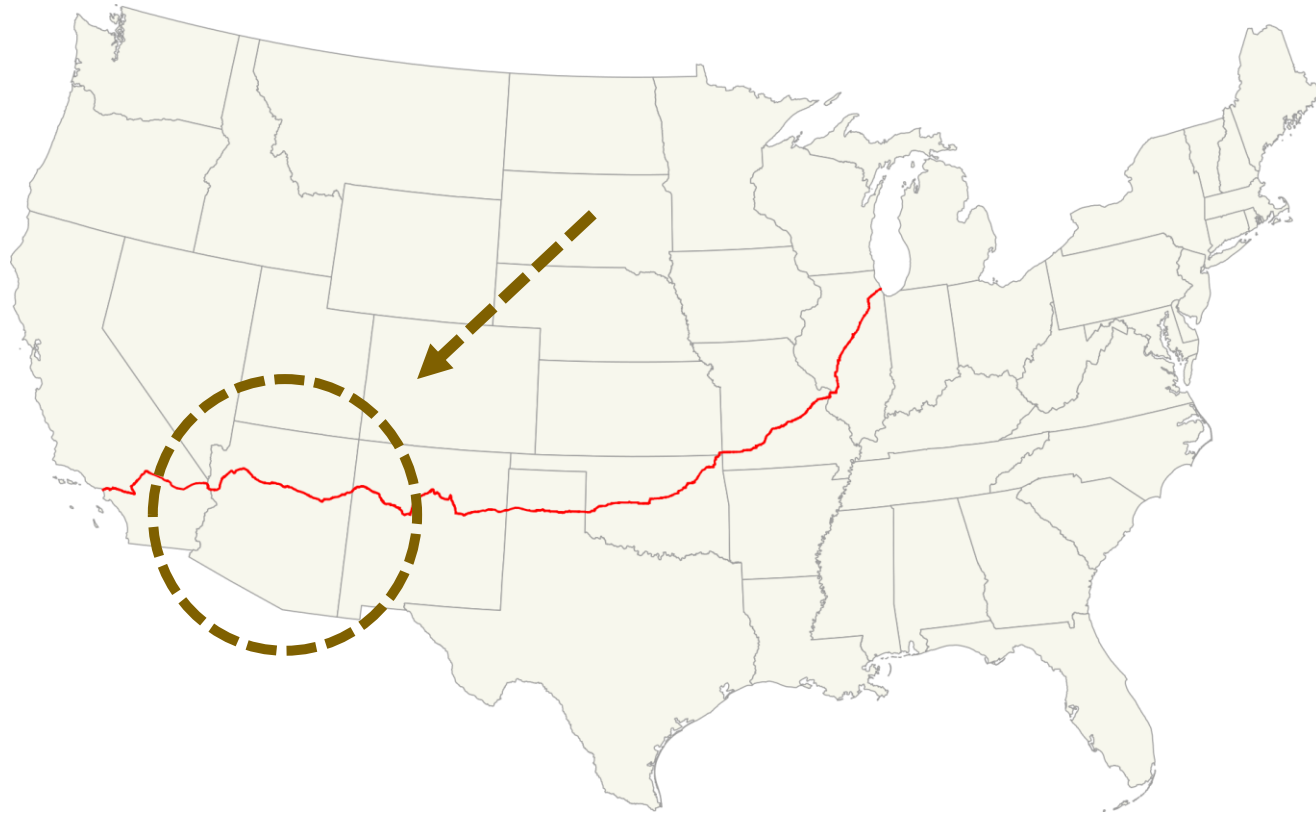




Located in the Northern Arizona, the **GRAND CANYON** is a spectacular landscape, created by the **Colorado River**. The canyon is one of the **SEVEN NATURAL WONDERS OF THE WORLD** and it is in the **GRAND CANYON NATIONAL PARK** (one of the First National parks in the United States). The President **THEODORE ROOSEVELT** was a major fan of area because he loved the scenery and the location.



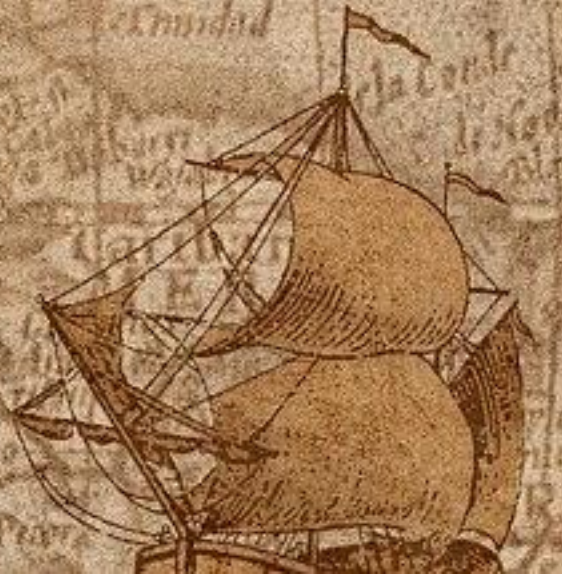
In the Northern Arizona there are **FORESTS OF PINES**. They are less famous than Gran Canyon area. There is the largest presens of PONDEROSA PINES in all the USA. In the Forest there are DESERTS, YELLOW PINES, PLAINS, MESA, ALPINE TUNDRA and ANCIENT VOLCANIC PEAKS.



Arizona is crossed by **ROUTE 66**. It inaugurated on 11th of November 1926. It connected Chicago to Santa Monica beach. It is long 3.755 km. Today it is the dream of every motorcyclist...

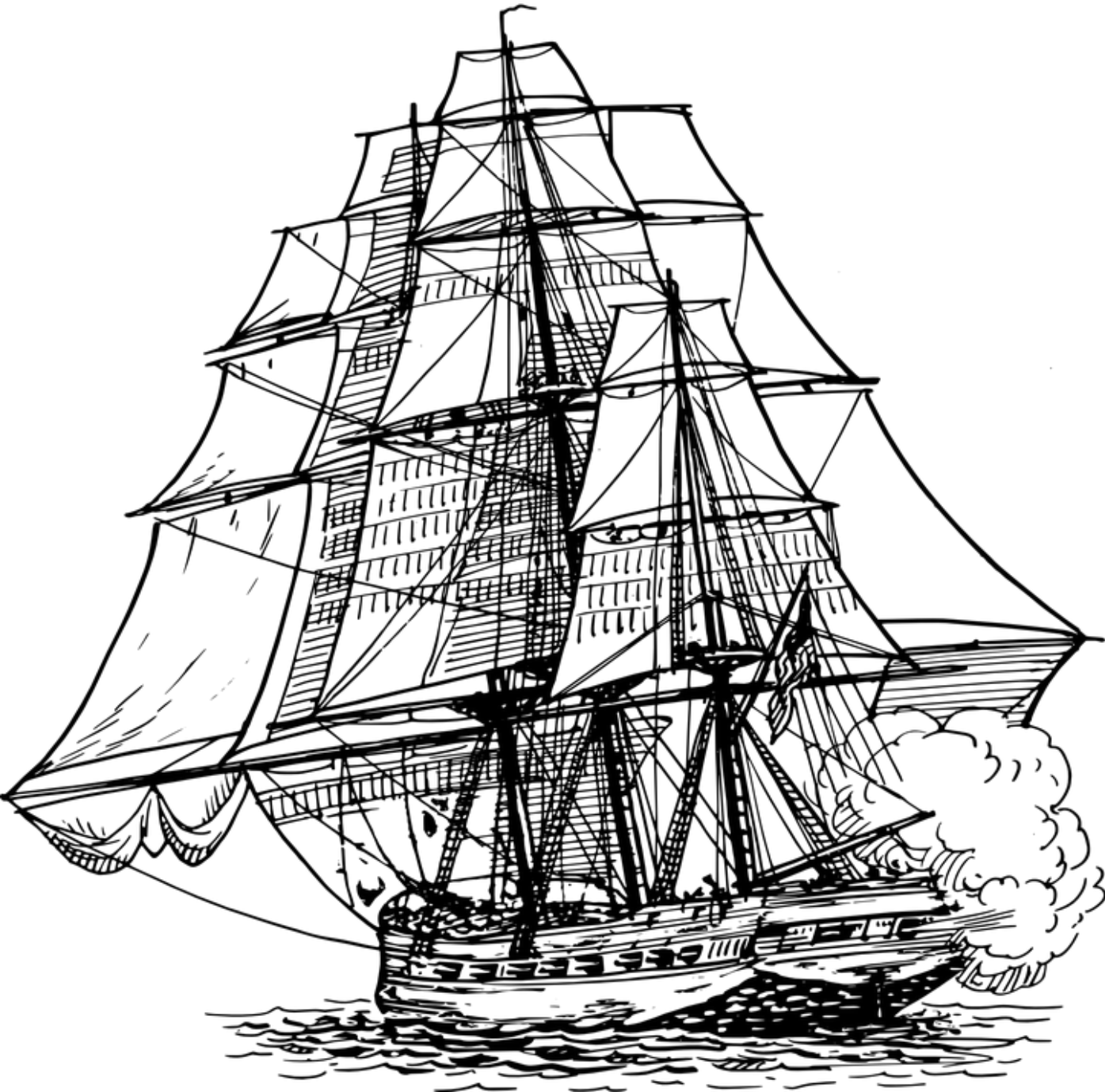


SPANISH COLONISTS
were the first people to
explore Arizona.
They decided to
aggregate Arizona with
the **VICEROYALTY OF**
NEW SPAIN.





After Spanish colonists came **ENGLISH COLONIZERS**. They started a **WAR** against the **APACHE INDIANS** and in **1810** they fought against the **Mexican revolution**.



In **1848**, the **USA** won the war against Mexico and they conquered the New Mexico Territory. It included Arizona.

In 1863 the **State of Arizona** became independent, but it only in **1866**, there was **peace with the Indians**.





**Arizona wasn't until 1912
admitted officially to The
FEDERATION of THE UNITED
STATES OF AMERICA**

The DESTINY of the State of Arizona EXCHANGE
with two important invention:

The AIR CONDITIONING and the DYKES.

They

allowed to live in desert areas and to grow.

THE MOST IMPORTANT CITIES ARE:

- **Phoenix** (1,66 milioni ab. 2018)
- **Tucson** (545.975 ab. 2018)
- **Mesa** (508.958 ab. 2018)

In **PHOENIX** there is
the «**Chase Tower**».

It is the tallest
skyscraper in Arizona.
It Built in **1972**. It drew
by **Welton Becket**, the
famous architect of Los
Angeles.





The skyscraper was built of glass and steel. It is 147,22 meters height and it has got 40 floors. It is built with a three-leaf clover section. It was built for a bank. Today it renovate.

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In **TUCSONS** there is the **Saint Augustin Cathedral**. It is the mother church of the Diocese of Tucson with two symmetrical bell towers highlighting. In the refined facade in stone, there is Pius XI, pontiff at the time of the construction of this Catholic Cathedral. On the outside you can see two statues depicting the Immaculate Conception and the Sacred Heart of Jesus.





Inside the Cathedral, there is a **VERY BEAUTIFUL VAULTED CEILING**. We admire the **WINDOWS** with ornate glass and a large **CRUCIFIX** of the 12th-13th century carved in Pamplona in Spain and placed in the choir. The floor is slightly tilted in such a way as to allow everyone to see the altar. This beautiful Cathedral belongs Our Lady Chapel, the chapel dedicated to Our Lady.



In **MESA**, Arizona, there is the “**ORGAN STOP PIZZA**”. It is a famous restaurant. It is one of the main attractions of this city because inside there is the **largest organ in the world**. The organ is powered by three turbine blowers and has got more than 5000 tubes. It was originally built for the Denver Theatre in 1927.

This restaurant had a great
adventure.

The first “**Organ Stop Pizza**”
inaugurated in **1927** in **Phoenix**.

The restaurant in **1984** the
owners sold the restaurant to a
real estate that it **closed**. In
1955 this restaurant **opened**
the **official headquarters** of the
“**Organ Stop Pizza**” in **Mesa**.

RESTAURANT HOURS:
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday — 11:00 A.M. — 11:30 P.M.
Friday and Saturday — 11:00 A.M. — 1:00 A.M.
Sunday — Noon — 10:30 P.M.

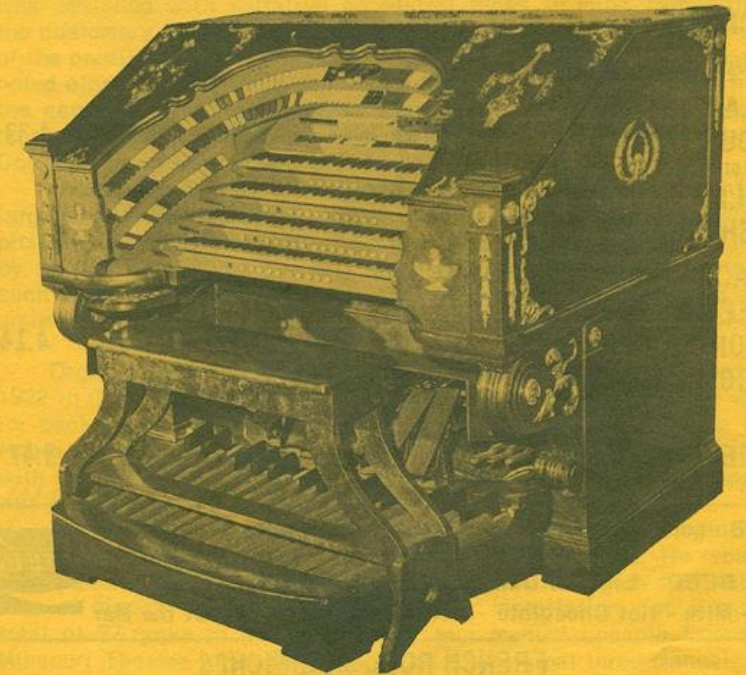
ORGAN STOP PIZZA

5330 North Seventh St.

Phoenix

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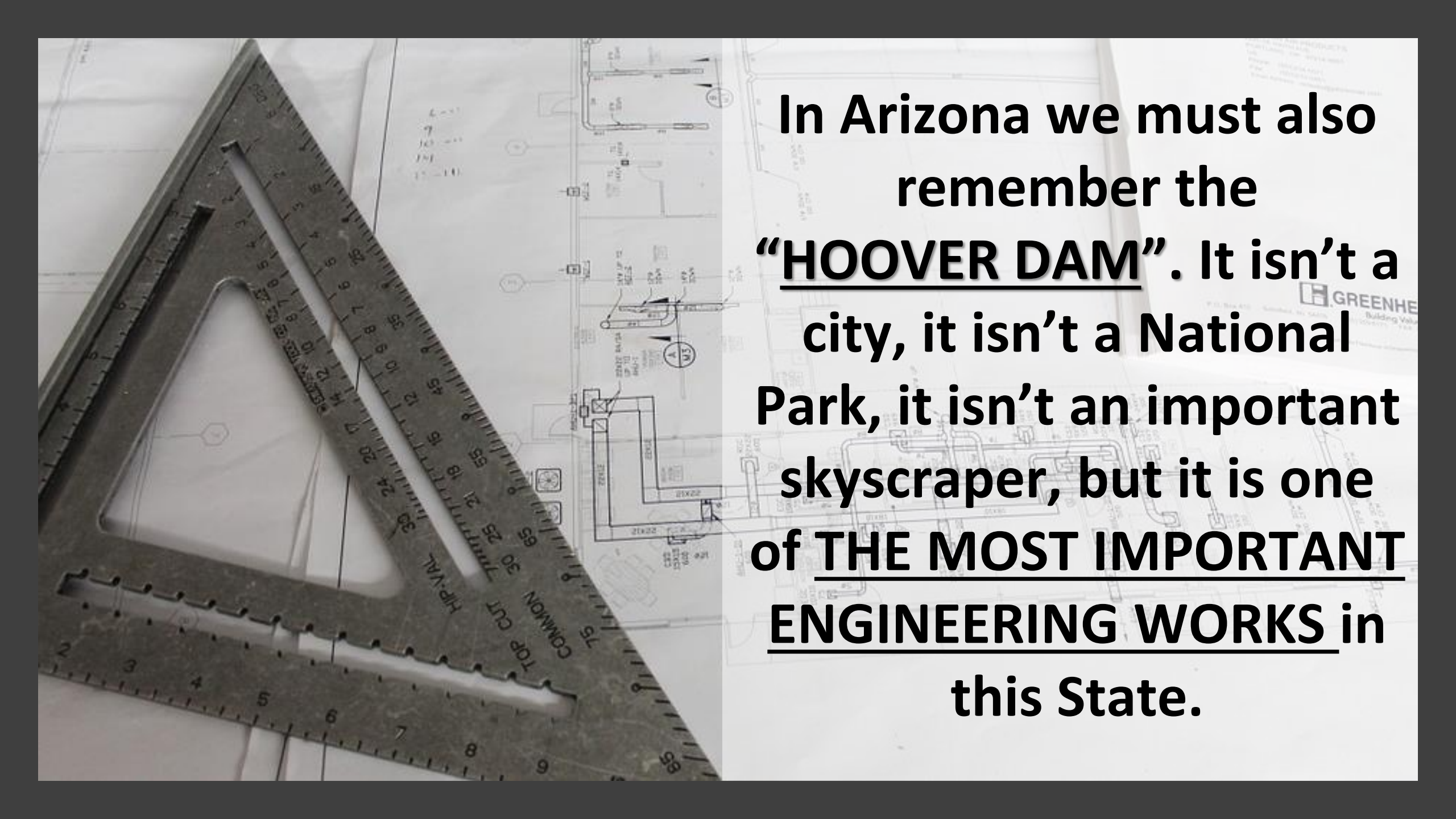


The Mighty Wurlitzer Theatre Pipe Organ

NEW HOURS

PLAYING: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday — 6:30 P.M. — 11:30 P.M.
Friday and Saturday — 6:30 P.M. — 12:30 A.M.
Sunday — 12:30 P.M. — 3:00 P.M.; 5:30 P.M. — 10:30 P.M.

PRESENTING: MR. LYN LARSEN, *Featured Organist*
MR. RON RHODE, *Associate Organist*

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In Arizona we must also remember the “HOOVER DAM”. It isn’t a city, it isn’t a National Park, it isn’t an important skyscraper, but it is one of THE MOST IMPORTANT ENGINEERING WORKS in this State.

The HOOVER DAM built between **1931** and **1935**. It is a reinforced concrete arch-gravity dam. It is in the **Black Canyon** along the **Colorado River**. It is on the border between the state of Arizona and the state of Nevada.





It was built with 3,400,000 cubic meters of concrete. The dam is **221 METERS HIGH** and at the base is **201 METERS LONG**. In 1935 it was the largest construction in the USA and it was the largest hydroelectric power plant in the USA. It was inaugurated by President **Franklin D. Roosevelt**.



The dam created an **ARTIFICIAL LAKE**. The lake is called "LAKE MEAD".
The dam caused a huge environmental impact and many Colorado River's fish went extinct.

The dam has two spillways (sfioratori) on both sides of the dam to lower the water level in the event of a flood.



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