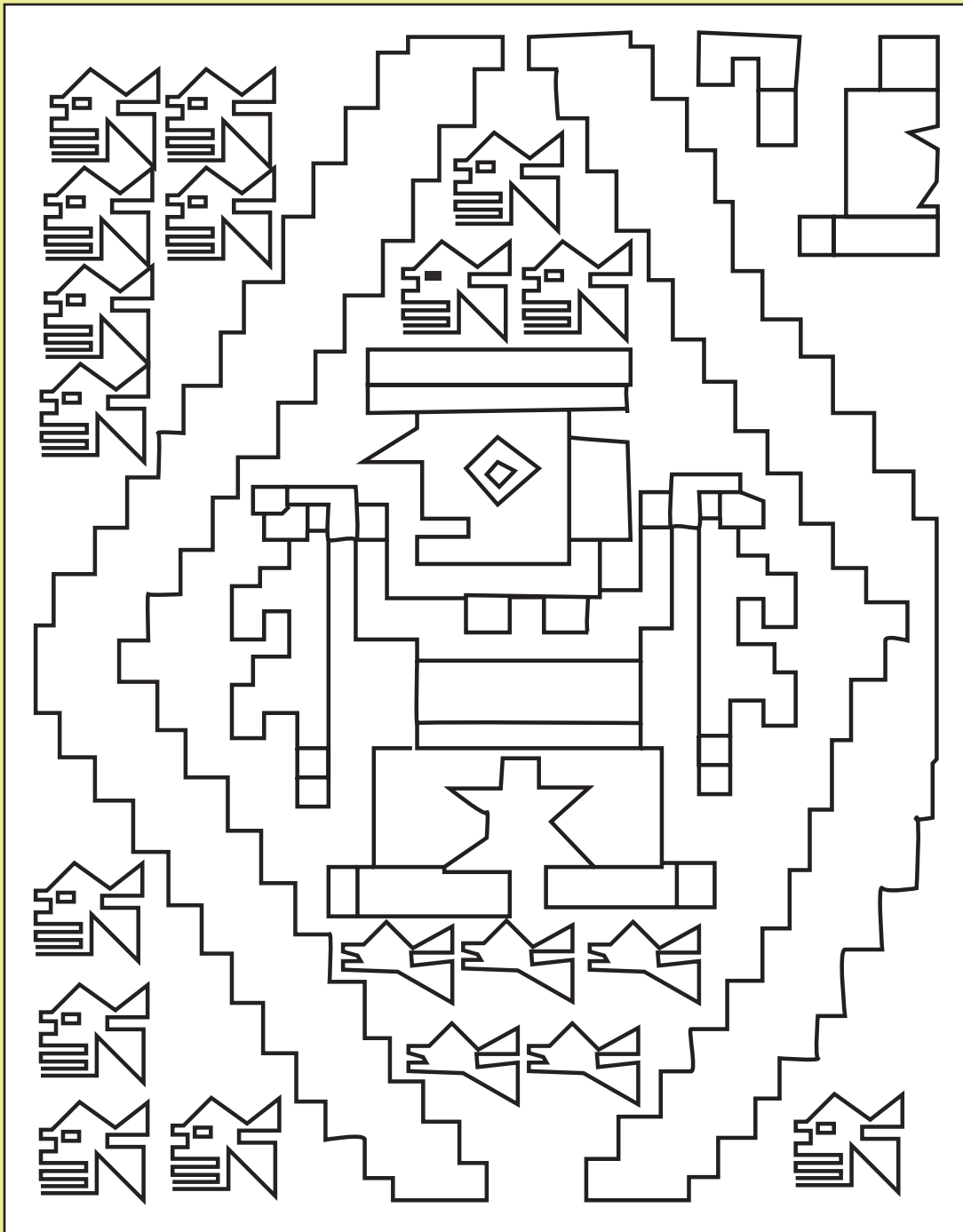


# INCAN TEXTILES

The Incan empire existed in South America, near what is now Peru, 800 years ago. They were a large civilization with highly developed artwork. Some of the art they are most famous for was their textiles. Often stories were drawn in the fabric with pictures of animals and people. The pictures were usually based on shapes, like the rectangle, and can be drawn on a grid. Below, in a drawing based on an ancient Incan blanket, we can see a person and fish. Try and draw your own designs on the next page.



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