## Holy Sites Analysis AP Human Geography

You are going to be analyzing various "Holy Site Coordinates" using Google Maps. Follow the instructions below to complete this assignment.

- 1. Go to Google Maps by clicking on this link: <a href="https://www.google.com/maps/">https://www.google.com/maps/</a>
- 2. In the search bar (shown) type in the coordinates of each holy site:



3. Be sure to click on the "earth" icon for each site to "explore" your site



- 4. ANALYSIS- For EACH holy site, answer these questions on a SEPARATE SHEET of PAPER.
  - a. ~ What is the name of the site?
  - b. ~ What religion is associated with this site?
  - c. ~ Describe the holy site/place itself and the surrounding area
    (i.e. How is it organized? What do you see? Architecture/building styles? Colors?
    Symbols? Signs? People?)
  - d. ~Why is this holy site is located where it is? (i.e. Significance, importance, connection to historical/religious event- use evidence from textbook when possible!)
- 5. **REFLECTION** Once you have analyzed all 6 sites, write 1-2 paragraph reflection overall, describing any major similarities/differences you noticed between the places visited!

**Site #1:** 21.422 N, 39.826 E

**Site #2:** 31.778 N, 35.235 E

**Site #3:** 41.903 N, 12.453 E

**Site #4:** 40.770 N, 111.891 W

**Site #5:** 55.752 N, 37.623 E

Site #6: 27.469 N, 83.275 E