

# SILK ROAD TERMS AND NAMES

DIFFERENCE BETWEEN:

TURKESTAN AND TURKMENISTAN

MONGOLS AND MOGULS

TAKLAMAKAN, GOBI, KIZIL KUM, AND KARA KUM DESERTS

SUTRA (BUDDHIST) AND SURA (OR SARAH, SURAT)

AMU DARYA (OXUS), SYR DARYA, AND TARIM RIVERS

HSIUNG NU

UIGHUR (ALSO UYGUR, UIGUR, UIGHUIR, UIGUIR, WEIWUER)

LANZHOU

TIEN SHANS

DUN HUANG

PAMIRS

YUMEN GUAN

KARAKHORAMS

GAOCHANG AND JIAHOA

HINDU KUSH

TURPHAN (ALSO TURPAN)

SAMARKAND

URIMCHI

BOKHARA

FERGANA VALLEY

MASHHAD

PARTHIANS

SOGDIANA

KASHGAR

KUNJERAB PASS