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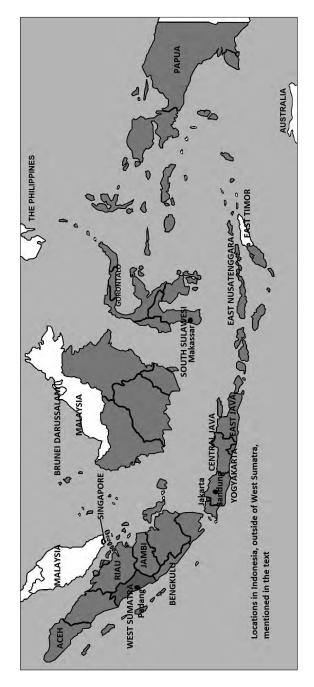
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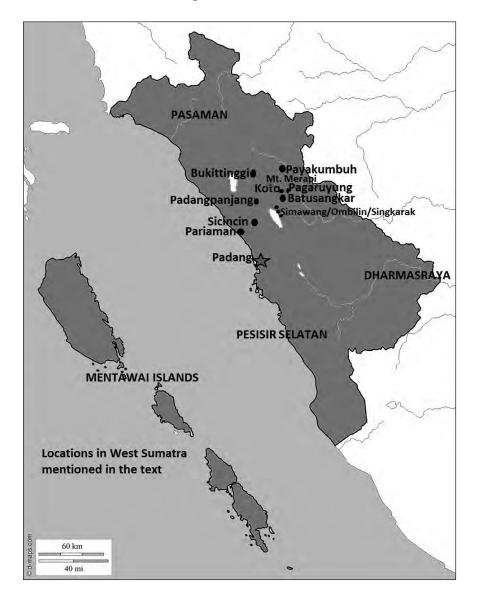
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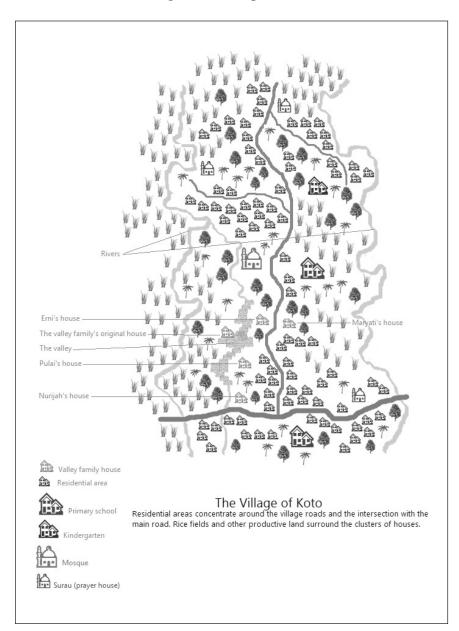
Map of Indonesia



Map of West Sumatra

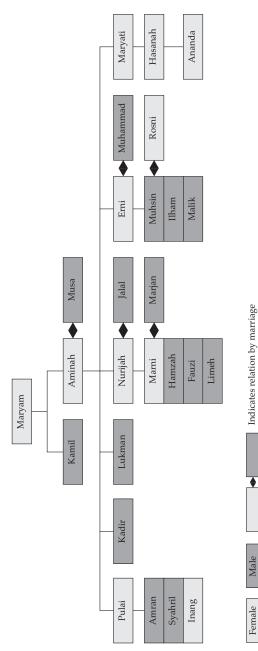


Map of the Village of Koto



Aminah's Family Tree

Members of Aminah's family who appear in the text and their spouses where relevant



It should be noted that children of the female members of the family will also be part of Aminah's line. Children of the male members, however, will be members of their mother's family.