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**an update volume to the four-volume set
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Lod: mosaic floor, Late Roman period

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Sepphoris: menorah and other Jewish symbols from synagogue mosaic



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Sha'ar ha-Golan: female figurine

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