Maya Royal Dynasties

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Calakmul I

**YUKNOOM CH’EEN I** (?)
Glyphic spelling: yu[ku]-no-ma[CH’E:N?]-na

**K’ALTUUN HIX** (ca. AD 520-546?)
Glyphic spelling: TU:N-K’AB-HIX (‘Bound-Stone Jaguar’)  
Also known as: Cu Ix, Ku Ix  
Wife: Lady Ek’ Naah (‘Star House’)

**SKY WITNESS** (ca. AD 561-572)
Glyphic spelling: (u)-?-[-?]-CHAN

**YAX YOPAAT** (AD 572-579)
Glyphic spelling: YAX-YOPAAT?

**SCROLL SERPENT** (AD 579-611?)
Glyphic spelling: u-[?]CHAN (‘? of the Snake’)  
Also known as: Uneh Chan  
Accession: 2 September 579 (9.7.5.14.17 11 Kaban 10 Ch’en)  
Wife: Lady Scroll-in-hand?

**YUKNOOM TI’ CHAN** (ca. AD 619?)
Glyphic spelling: yu-ku-no-ma TI-CHAN-na  
Also known as: Yuknoom Chan

**TAJOOM UK’AB K’AHK’** (AD 622-630)
Glyphic spelling: ta-jo-ma u-K’AB-K’AHK’ (‘? Fiery Hand’)  
Also known as: Ta Batz’  
Accession: 28 March 622 (9.9.9.0.5 11 Chikchan 3 Wo)  
Death: 1 October 630 (9.9.17.11.14 13 Ix 12 Sak)

**YUKNOOM HEAD** (AD 630-636)
Glyphic spelling: yu[ku](noon)-?-IL  
Also known as: Cauac Head  
Monuments: Stelae 76 & 78
YUKNOOM THE GREAT (AD 363-686)
Glyphic spelling: yu-ku-no-ma CH'E:N?-na
Also known as: Ruler 3/4, Yuknom Ch'en
Birth: 11 September 600 (9.8.7.2.17 8 Kaban 5 Yax)
Accession: 28 April 636 (9.10.3.5.10 8 Ok 18 Sip)

YUKNOOM YICH'AAK K'AHK' (AD 686-695?)
 Glyphic spelling: yu[ku](noom)-[yi]ICH'A:K-ki-K'AHK' ('? Claw of Fire')
Also known as: Jaguar Paw Smoke, Jaguar Paw
Birth: 6 October 649 (9.10.16.16.19 3 Kawak 2 Keh)
Accession: 3 April 686 (9.12.13.17.7 6 Manik' 5 Sip)
Brother: Utzeh K'ab K'inich
Monuments: Stelae 104, 105?, 115 & 116

YUKNOOM TOOK’ K’AWIIL (ca. AD 702-731?)
Glyphic spelling: yu[ku]-?-?-li - TO :K'-K'AWI:L-li ('? Flint K'awiil')
Also known as: Ruler 5/6/7
Wife: Lady of Stela 54?
Monuments: Stelae 1, 7?, 8, 23, 24, 38, 39?, 40, 41?, 42?, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74 & 89

WAMAW K’AWIIL (ca. AD 736?)
Glyphic spelling: wa?-ma?-wi K’AWI:L

RULER Y (ca. AD 741?)
Glyphic spelling: ?-? ?-9-?
Also known as: Ruler 8, Bolon K’awiil I
Monuments: Stelae 25, 26, 27, 59 & 60

GREAT SERPENT (ca. AD 751?)
Glyphic spelling: YAX-CHIT-?-?-NA:H?-KA:N
Also known as: Ruler 8, Ruler Z
Monuments: Stelae 62 & 88

BOLON K’AWIIL (ca. AD 771-789?)
Glyphic spelling: 9-K’AWI:L ('Nine/Many K'awiils')
Also known as: Ruler 9, Bolon K’awiil II
Monuments: Stelae 57 & 58
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**CHAN PET** (ca. AD 849?)
Glyphic spelling: 4-PET-te

**AJ TOOK’** (ca. AD 909?)
Glyphic spelling: AJ-TO:K’-k’e? (‘He of Flint’)
Monument: Stela 61
Caracol I

**TE K’AB CHAAK** (AD 331-349?)
Glyphic spelling: TE-k’a[ba]-cha-ki ('Tree Branch Rain God')

**K’AHK’ UJOL K’INICH I** (ca. AD 470)
Glyphic spelling: K’AHK’-(u)-JOL K’INICH ('Fire-headed Sun God')
Also known as: Ruler I, Smoking Skull I
Wife: Lady Penis-head? of Xultun?
Son: Yajaw Te K’inich I?

**YAJAW TE K’INICH I** (AD 484-514?)
Glyphic spelling: ya-AJAW-TE K’INICH ('Lord of the Lineage? Sun God')
Accession: 12 April 484 (9.2.9.0.16 10 Kib 4 Pop)
Father: K’ahk’ Ujol K’inich I?
Mother: Lady Penis-head of Xultun
Son: K’an I
Monuments: Stelae 13; Altar 4

**K’AN I** (AD 531-534?)
Glyphic spelling: ?-O:L-K’INICH ('?-hearted Sun God')
Also known as: Ruler II, Lord Jaguar, Antenna Top I
Accession: 13 April 531 (9.4.16.13.3 4 Ak’bal 16 Pop)
Father: Yajaw Te K’inich I
Wife: Lady K’al K’inich
Son: Yajaw Te K’inich II
Monuments: Stelae 16; Altar 14

**YAJAW TE’ K’INICH II** (AD 553-593?)
Glyphic spelling: ya-AJAW-wa-TE-K’INICH[?] ('Lord of the Lineage? Sun God')
Also known as: Ruler III, Lord Water, Lord Muluc
Accession: 16 April 553 (9.5.19.1.2 9 Ik’ 5 Wo)
Father: K’an I
Mother: Lady K’al K’inich
Wives: Lady 1, Lady Batz’ Ek’
Brother: Chekaj K’inich?
Sons: Knot Ajaw, K’an II
Monuments: Stelae 1, 4? &14; Altars 1, 6, & 24
**KNOT AJAW** (AD 599-613?)
Glyphic spelling: ?-TI-HU:N?
Also known as: Ruler IV, Ahau Serpent, Flaming Ahau
Birth: 28 November 575 (9.7.2.0.3 2 Ak’bal 16 Mak)
Accession: 24 June 599 (9.8.5.16.12 5 Eb 5 Xul)
Father: Yajaw Te K’inich II
Mother: Lady 1
Brother: K’an II
Monuments: Stelae 5, 6 & 7?; Altars 11? & 15

**K’AN II** (AD 618-658)
Glyphic spelling: ?-O:L-K’INICH-SAK-WITZ[BA:H]-IL
(’?-hearted Sun God, White Hilly Gopher’)
Also known as: Ruler V, Lord Storm-water Moon, Antenna Top II
Birth: 18 April 588 (9.7.14.10.8 3 Lamat 16 Wo)
Accession: 6 March 618 (9.9.4.16.2 10 Ik’ 0 Pop)
Death: 21 July 658 (9.11.5.15.9 2 Muluk 7 Mol)
Father: Yajaw Te K’inich II
Mother: Lady Batz’ Ek’
Brother: Knot Ajaw
Monuments: Stelae 3 & 22; Altars 2, 7, 17, 19 & 21; Naranjo
Hieroglyphic Stairway; Naranjo Panel 1

**K’AHK’ UJOL K’INICH II** (AD 658-680?)
Glyphic spelling: K’AHK’-u-JOL[K’INICH ](’Fire-headed Sun God’)
Also known as: Ruler VI, Smoking Skull II
Accession: 22 June 658 (9.11.5.14.0 12 Ajaw 8 Xul)
Monuments: Stucco texts from Structure B16-sub and B18;
La Rejolla Stela 3

**RULER VII** (ca. AD 702?)
Monument: Stela 21

**TUM YOHL K’INICH** (ca. AD 793?)
Glyphic spelling: tu-mu-yo-O:L K’INICH (’?-hearted Sun God’)
Also known as: Ruler VIII
Caracol III

**K'INICH JOY K'AWIIL** (ca. AD 799-803)
Glyphic spelling: K'INICH-JOY[K'AWI:Li]-li ('Radiant Tied K'awiil')
Also known as: Ruler IX, Mahk'ina God K, K'inch Hok' K'awiil
Accession: 8 December 799 (9.18.9.5.9 6 Muluk 2 K'ayab)
Monuments: Stelae 9? & 11; Altar 3 & 23; Ballcourt Markers 3 & 4

**K'INICH TOOBIL YOPAAT** (ca. AD 810-830?)
Glyphic spelling: K'INICH-?-bi-li YOPAAT-ti
Also known as: Ruler X, Ruler XI, Lord Quincunx
Monuments: Stelae 8?, 18 & 19; Altars 12, 13, 16? & 22?; Mountain Cow Altar 2

**K'AN III** (ca. AD 835-849?)
Glyphic spelling: ?-na O:KiNICH ('?-hearted Sun God')
Also known as: Ruler XII, Lord Storm-water Maize
Monuments: Stela 17; Altar 10; Mountain Cow Altar 1

**RULER XIII** (ca. AD 859?)
Glyphic spelling: K'INICH-?-?-? ('Radiant ?')
Monument: Stela 10
Copan I

K’INICH YAX K’UK’ MO’ (AD 426-437?)
Glyphic spelling: K’INICH YAX-K’UK'[MO’]
(Radiant First Quetzal Macaw)
Also known as: K’uk’ Mo’
Son: K’inich Popol Hol
Burial: Temple 16 (Hunal)

K’INICH POPOL HOL (ca. AD 437?)
Glyphic spelling: K’INICH[?] (‘Radiant ?’)
Also known as: Popol Hol K’inich, Mat Head, Tok’
Father: K’inich Yax K’uk’ Mo’
Monuments: Stelae 18, 28 & 63; Motmot Capstone; Xukpi Stone

RULER 3 (ca. AD 455?)
Glyphic spelling: K’AHK’?-?-AJAW

K’ALTUUN HIX (ca. AD 465)
Glyphic spelling: K’ALTUUN HIX (‘Bound-Stone Jaguar’)
Also known as: Ruler 4, Cu lx, Ku lx
Monuments: Stela 34, Papagayo Step, CPN 584

RULER 5 (ca. AD 475)
Glyphic spelling: yu-?[ku?]-a

RULER 6 (ca. AD 485)
Glyphic spelling: MUYAL?-JOL?

BAHLAM NEHN (AD 524-532)
Glyphic spelling: BAHLAM-ne-na
Also known as: Waterlily Jaguar, Jaguar-Sun-God
Dynastic title: 7th Successor
Accession: 4 August 524 (9.4.9.17.0 5 Ajaw 8 Yaxk’in)
Monument: Stela 15; Altar Q'
**WI' YOHL K'INICH** (AD 532-551)
Glyphic spelling: wi-WI'[(Y)]O-L]-la-K'INICH-chi ('? is the heart of the Sun God')
Also known as: Ruler 8, Head-on-Earth
Accession: 22 November 532 (9.4.18.6.12 8 Eb 0 Mak)

**RULER 9** (AD 551-553)
Glyphic spelling: SAK-Iu
Accession: 28 December 551 (9.5.17.13.7 2 Manik' 0 Muwan)

**MOON JAGUAR** (AD 553-578)
Glyphic spelling: tzi?-BAHLAM-ma ('? Jaguar')
Also known as: Tzik Bahlam, Cleft-Moon Leaf-Jaguar
Accession: 24 May 553 (9.5.19.3.0 8 Ajaw 3 Mak)
Death: 24 October 578 (9.7.4.17.4 10 K'an 2 Keh)
Father: Bahlam Nehn
Monuments: Stela 9 & 17

**K'AHK' CHAN YOPAAT** (AD 578-628)
Glyphic spelling: K'AHK'-?-wa CHAN-na-YOPA:T
('Fire-drinking? Sky Lightning God')
Also known as: Ruler 11, Smoking Heavens
Accession: 17 November 578 (9.7.5.0.8 8 Lamat 6 Mak)
Death: 20 January 628 (9.9.14.16.9 3 Muluk 2 K'ayab)
Monuments: Stelae 7 & P; Altar Y? & X?

**K'AHK' 'UTI WITZ' K'AWIIL** (AD 628-695)
Glyphic spelling: K'AHK'-'u-TI WITZ'-?-K'AWI:L ('Fire-mouth Water-spray K'awiil')
Also known as: Smoke Imix, Smoke Imix God K, Smoke-Jaguar
Imix-Monster, Smoke Jaguar, K'ahk' Nab K'awiil
Dynastic title: 12th Successor
Birth: 11 November 604? (9.8.11.6.19? 9 Kawak 7 Mak)
Accession: 5 February 628 (9.9.14.17.5 6 Chikchan 18 K'ayab)
Death: 15 June 695 (9.13.3.5.7 12 Manik' 0 Yaxk'in)
Son: Waxaklajuun Ubaah K'awiil?
Monuments: Stelae 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 12, 13, 19, 23 & E;
Altars H', I', K & 5
Burial: Temple 26 (Chorcha), Burial XXXVII-4
Copan III

**WAXAKLAJUUN 'UBAAH K'AWIIL** (AD 695-738)
Glyphic spelling: 18-'u-ba-hi K'AWI:l-La ('18 images of K'awiil')
Also known as: 18 Rabbit, 18 JOG
Dynastic title: 13th Successor
Accession: 6 July 695 (9.13.3.6.8 7 Lamat 1 Mol)
Death: 29 April 738 (9.15.6.14.6 6 Kimi 4 Sek)
Father: K'ahk' 'Uti Witz' K'awiil?
Monuments: Stelae A, B, C, D, E, F, H, J & 4; Altar S,
Lower Hieroglyphic Stairway of Temple 26, Step of Temple 22,
Ballcourt Allb Markers, Ballcourt A-III Text & Markers

**K'AHK' JOPLAJ CHAN K'AWIIL** (AD 738-749)
Glyphic spelling: K'AHK'-jo-po la-ja-CHAN-na K'AWI:l ('K'awiil that Stokes the Sky with Fire')
Also known as: Smoke Monkey, Three Death
Dynastic title: 14th Successor
Accession: 7 June 738 (9.15.6.16.5 6 Chikchan 3 Yaxk'in)
Death: 31 January 749 (9.15.17.12.16 10 Kib 4 Wayeb)
Son: K'ahk' Yipyaj Chan K'awiil

**K'AHK' YIPYAJ CHAN K'AWIIL** (AD 749-761?)
Glyphic spelling: K'AHK'-yi-pi ya-ja-CHAN-na K'AWI :L-la ('K'awiil that Fills? the Sky with Fire')
Also known as: Smoke Shell, Smoking Squirrel, Smoke Squirrel
Dynastic title: 15th Successor
Accession: 14 February 749 (9.15.17.13.10 11 Ok 13 Pop)
Father: K'ahk' Joplaj Chan K'awiil
Monuments: Stelae M & N; Upper Hieroglyphic Stairway of
Temple 26, Temple 26 text
Burial: Temple 11?
**YAX PASAJ CHAN YOPAAT** (AD 763-810?)

Glyphic spelling: YAX-pa sa-ja-CHAN-na YOP-'a-AT-ta ('First Dawned Sky Lightning God')

Also known as: Yax Pac, Madrugada, Rising Sun, New Sun-at-Horizon, Yax Sun-at-Horizon, New Dawn

Dynastic title: 16th Successor

Accession: 28 June 763 (9.16.12.5.17 6 Kaban 10 Mol)

Mother: Lady Chak Nik Ye Xook of Palenque

Monuments: Stelae 8 & 29; Altars G1, G2, G3, Q, R, T, U, V, Z, B, C', D', F', G', W' & J?, 41; CPN 19119, CPN 19222, CPN 19469, CPN 23748, CPN 27948' CPN 2843; Temple 22a Stone, Temple 11 Wall Panels, Step & Reviewing Stand, Temple 18 Doorjamb and Wall Texts, Temple 21a Bench, 9N-82 Bench, Harvard Bench, Tegucigalpa Bench; CPN 157, 244, 26300; House Models from Strs. 29 & 33; Various incensarios

Burial: Temple 18?

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**'UKIT TOOK'** (AD 822)

Glyphic spelling: 'u-ki-ti to-TO:k' ('Patron? of Flint')

Accession: 6 February 822 (9.19.11.14.15 3 Chikchan 3 Wo)

Monument: Altar L; Stela 11