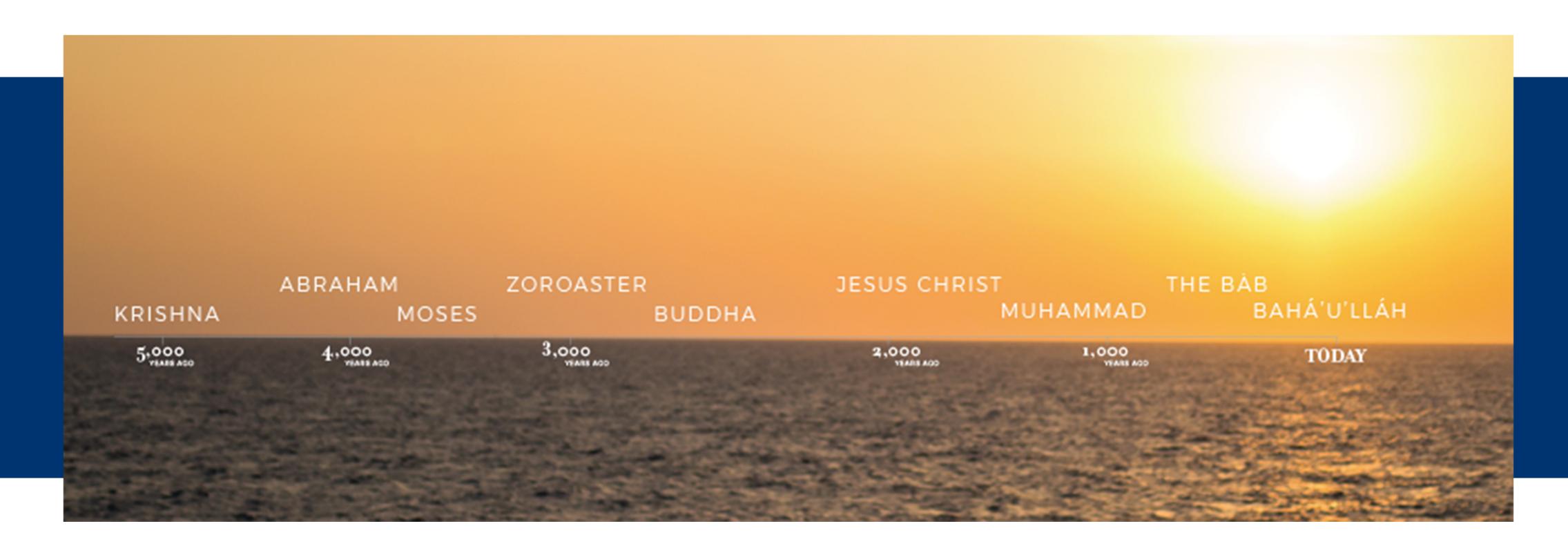
## Bahá'u'lláh The Divine Educator



The teachings of the Founders of the world's religions have inspired breath-taking achievements in the arts and sciences. These uniquely endowed individuals are referred to as "Manifestations of God" in the Bahá'í writings, and include (among others) Krishna, Abraham, Moses, Zoroaster, Buddha, Jesus Christ, Muhammad, the Báb, and Bahá'u'lláh. History provides countless examples of how these Figures have awakened in whole populations capacities to love, to forgive, to create, and to overcome prejudice. These achievements can be recognized as the common spiritual heritage of the human race.



Childhood home of Baha'u'llah

Bahá'u'lláh—as the latest in the series of divinely inspired moral educators who have guided humanity from age to age—was born in 1817 in Tehran, Iran. From a young age, He was renowned for His extraordinary wisdom, compassion, generosity and commitment to justice. As the son of a nobleman, He was offered a prestigious position in the court of the king but declined it in favor of a life dedicated to serving the poor, the vulnerable, and the oppressed.