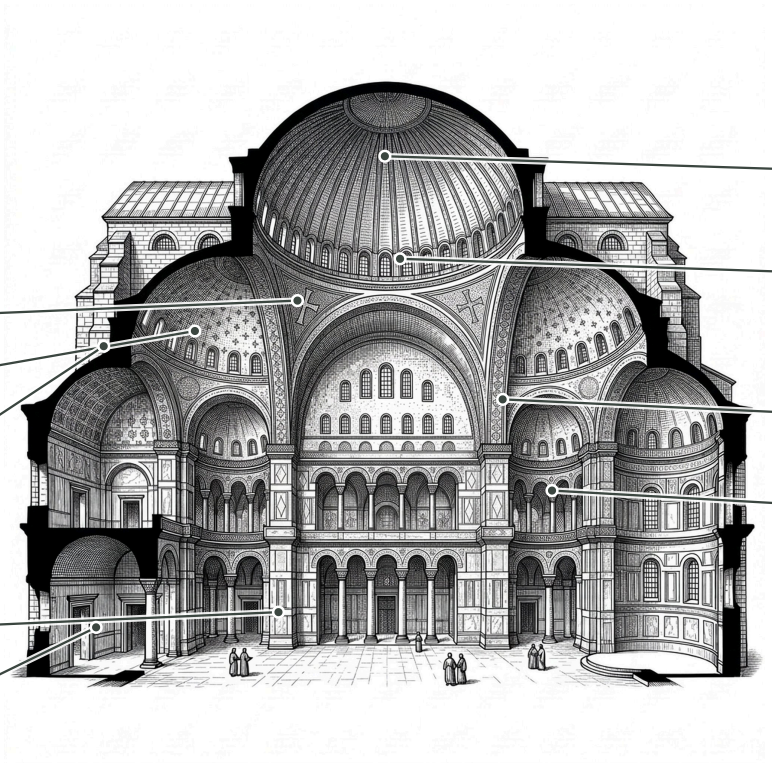
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LABEL THE HAGIA SOPHIA

Write the name of each part on its numbered line. Use the word bank.



WORD BANK

Half-domes	Pendentives	Piers
Gold mosaics	Narthex	Windows
Dome	Galleries	Buttresses

1. **Find the ring of windows at the base of the dome. How do they make the dome seem to float?**

2. **What happened to the first dome in 558, and what did the builders change?**

3. **The dome is round, but the space under it is square. What do the pendentives do?**

4. **Find the half-domes and the buttresses. How do they help keep the huge dome standing?**

5. **After 1453, what did the Ottomans add to Hagia Sophia, and why is it not in this picture?**