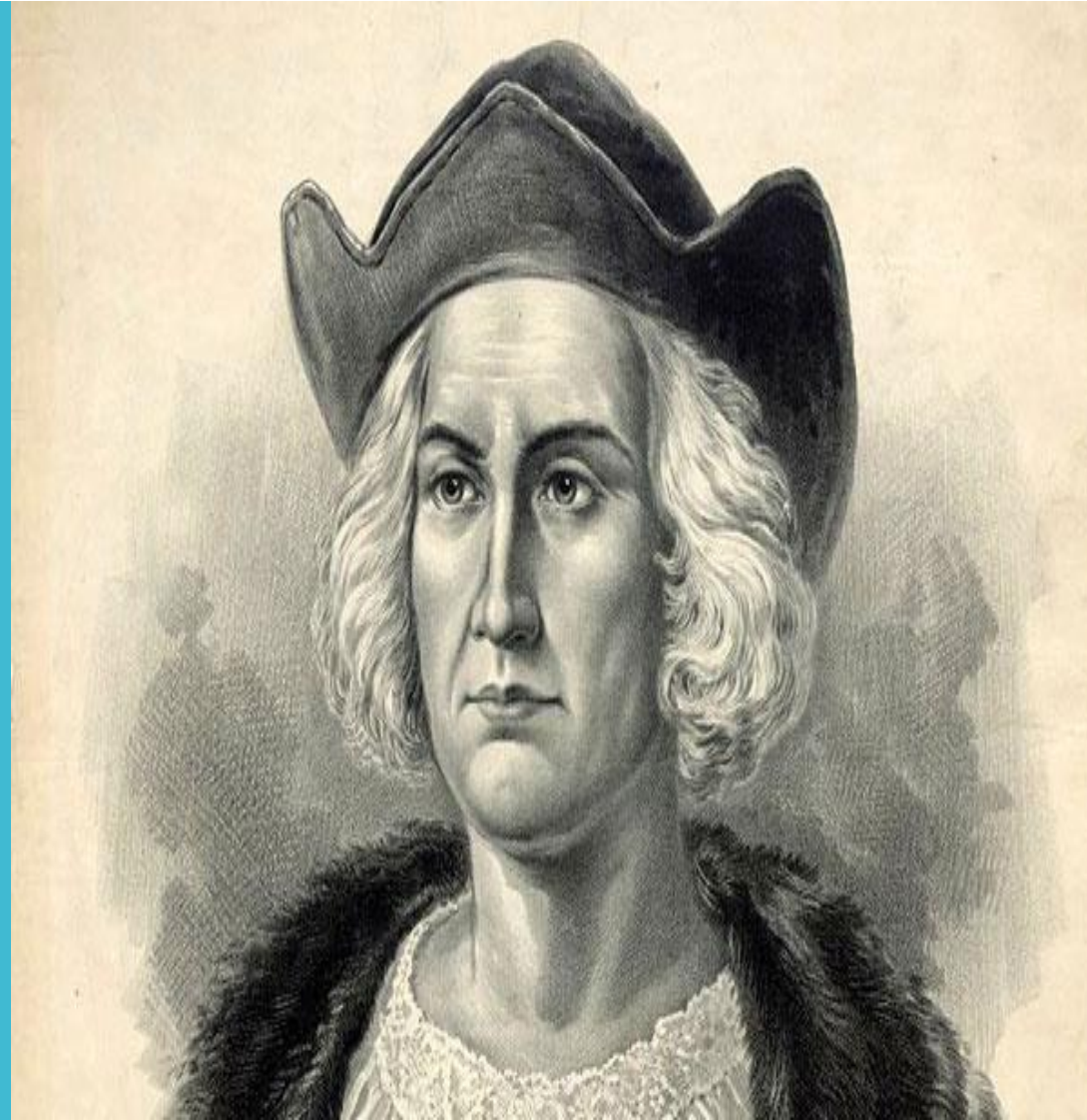


The Discovery of America

Christopher Columbus

1451–1506



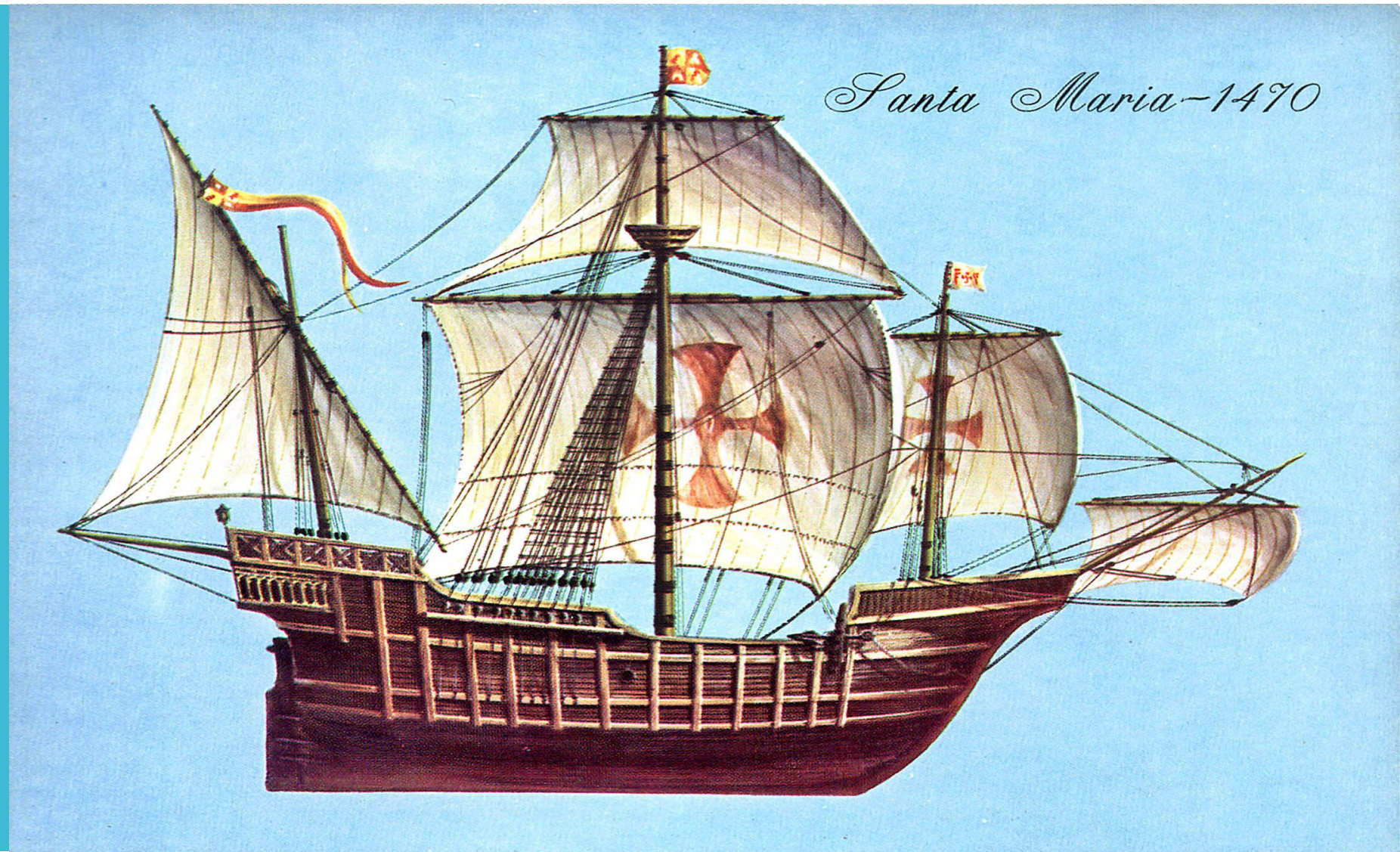
Christopher Columbus was born in Italy but lived in Spain for a long time. He was a seaman and made many sea voyages.



In 1492 the King and the Queen of Spain gave Christopher Columbus money and ships to go to India. But the voyage to India was very long and very difficult.

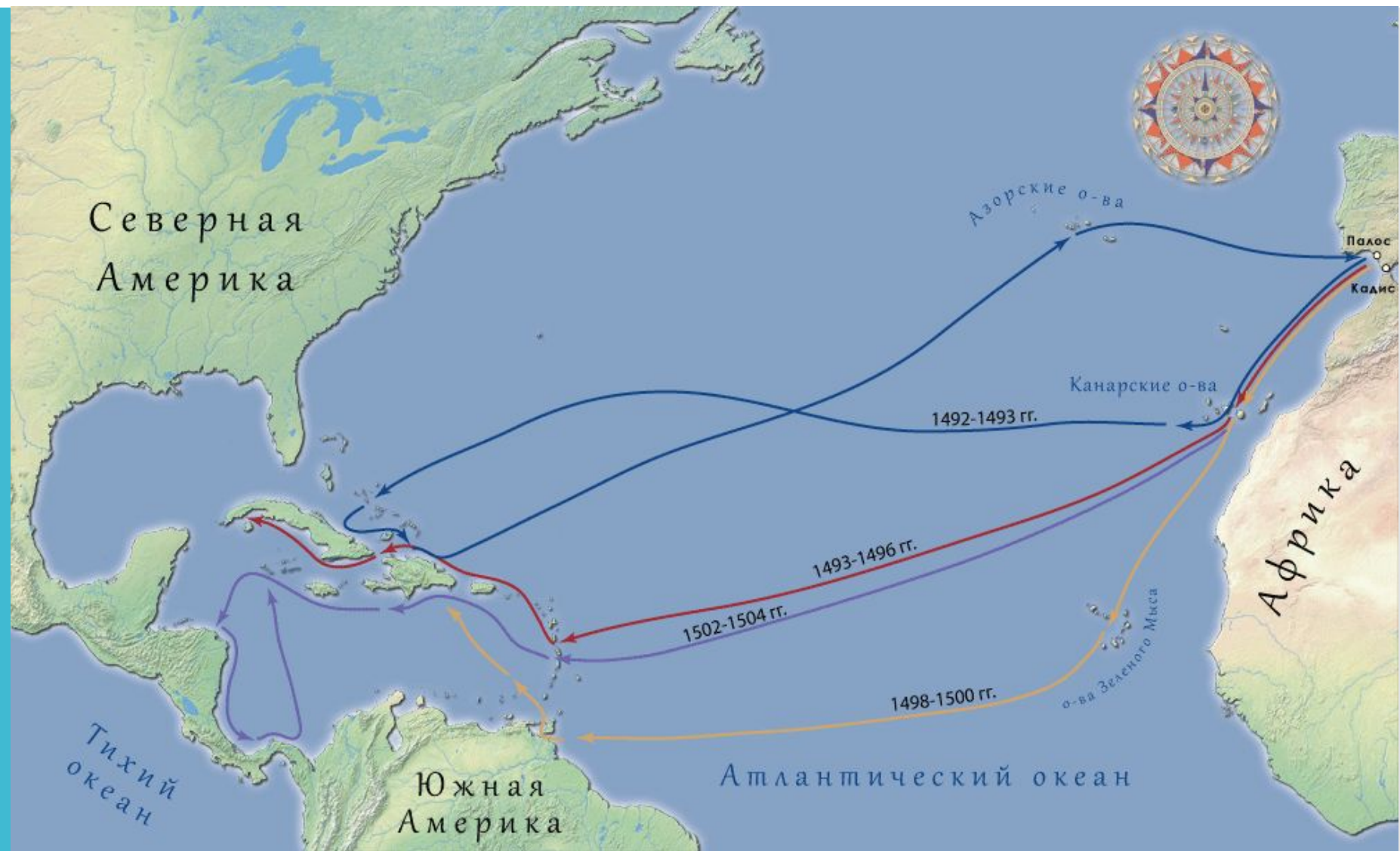


Six years later
Isabella gave
Columbus three
caravels:
the "Santa
Maria",
the "Nina", and
the "Pinta"





Christopher Columbus decided to reach India round the world. He believed that our Planet is round and he sailed west.



**After sailing
6400
kilometers his
ships reached
some land.
Columbus
thought it was
India.
But it was not.
It was a new
land.
A new
continent
people called
The New World.**



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