ANCIENT CARTHAGE and UNITED STATES: PARALLELS

As you point out in a video, there are amazing parallels between the USA and Ancient Rome.

There are also parallels with Carthage. Here are a few similarities between the USA and Ancient Carthage:

1) An island-city (Tyre) founded Carthage. / An island-nation (Britain) founded the 13 original colonies.

2) The Phoenicians founded the "New Town" (Carthage). This city became the Mediterranean's great commercial port.
   The Dutch founded "New Amsterdam." Later renamed "New York." This city became the Atlantic's great commercial port.

3) Carthage became more powerful than Phoenicia. / The USA became more powerful than Britain.

4) During its early period, men of Phoenician-stock dominated Carthage. / During its early period, men of British-stock dominated the USA.

5) Both Carthage and the USA were primarily commercial powers, not military ones. They were famous for their wealth.

6) In the Carthaginian Government, there was a separation of power between two judges and the council of elders. With respect to military matters, there was also a special council of 104.

In the USA, there is a separation of power between Congress, President, and Supreme Court. Also: A separation between federal and state governments.

7) Both Carthage and the USA became great naval powers.

8) Carthage had a terrible Eurasian enemy (Rome). / The USA has been plagued by terrible Eurasian enemies (Nazi Germany, the Japanese Empire, the USSR, Communist China).

9) In the First Punic War, Carthage got into a conflict with a Eurasian power (Rome) over the island of Sicily.

   The USA has gotten into many conflicts with Eurasian powers over islands. In 1942, it got into a conflict with the Japanese Empire over Hawaii and the Philippines. During the Cold War, it got into a conflict with the USSR over Cuba. It now has a conflict with Communist China over Taiwan.

10) Carthage had a dark spot: Murder of babies. They were offered to various gods.

   The USA has a dark spot: Murder of babies. Close to one million aborted every year.

   ALSO: School children forced to receive dozens of neurotoxic shots.

NOTE: Concerning Sections 8 and 9, some might argue that Japan is not a Eurasian power. That it is based on islands, mainly Honshu.

But during the 2nd World War, the Japanese controlled much of Asia – i.e., Manchuria, Indochina, and eastern China. In March 1944, they even reached the outskirts of Imphal, in northeastern India. Thus, at the time, they were a Eurasian power.