

# MU COVER CROPS RESEARCH AND EXTENSION SYMPOSIUM

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1888; Dean Sanborn



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Erosion control  
Source of organic matter  
Source of N  
Pest control, especially nematodes  
Compaction reduction  
Water infiltration

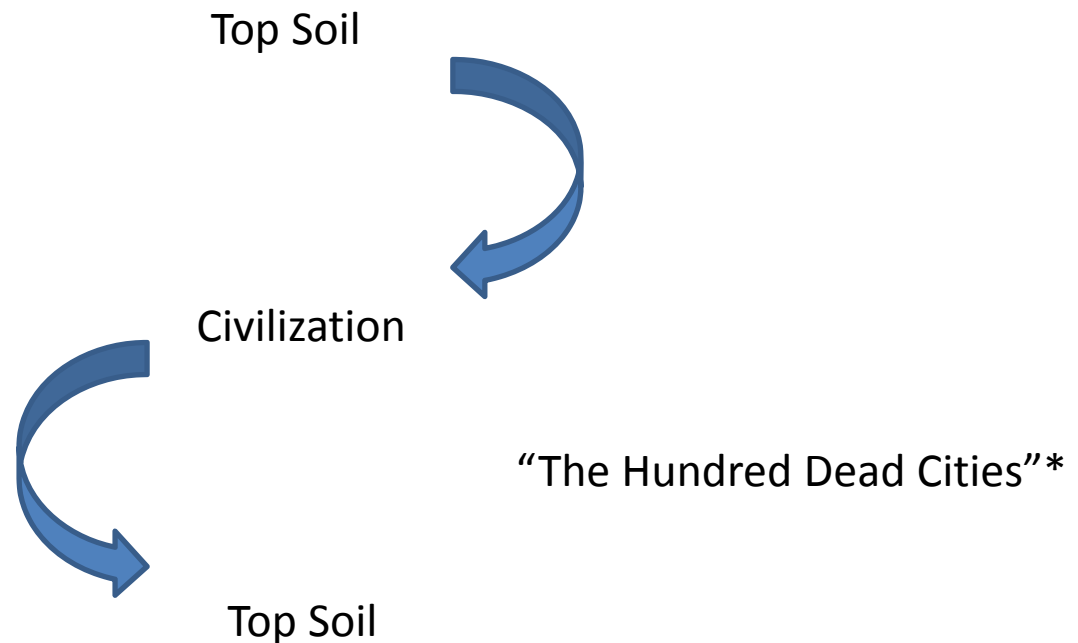


1917; M. F. Miller



Walt Wischmeier

## “The Hundred Dead Cities”\*



\* From the Report of Walter Lowdermilk (1938), a senior official in the Soil Conservation Service of the USDA traveled the world and studied how ancient civilizations dealt with soil erosion and conservation

