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[Southern & Central California Yokuts] The Southern and Central Yokuts

areas inhabited by non-Yokuts tribes or significant geographical divisions not strictly within Yokuts control.

Tribal locations are marked by symbols, presumably identifying the central villages or key areas of each tribe. The notation that "Alien Villages are given with their Yokuts names" suggests a comprehensive cultural mapping, acknowledging the presence and significance of neighboring groups within the Yokuts' geographic and social sphere.

This map serves as a scholarly resource, providing insight into the pre-colonial dynamics, settlements, and linguistic segmentation of the Yokuts. It paints a picture of a complex network of communities, each with its distinct identity yet sharing a common geographical and cultural landscape.

The Yokuts themselves were a diverse and multifaceted people, known for their intricate basketry, fishing and hunting skills, and rich oral traditions. Inhabiting the fertile San Joaquin Valley and the surrounding foothills and mountains, they developed a lifestyle intricately linked to the land's abundant natural resources. The map reflects the dispersion of the Yokuts across varied environments, from riverine systems to rugged hill zones, showcasing their adaptability and deep connection to their territory.

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