

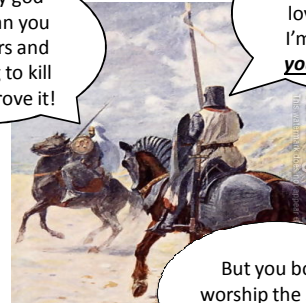
The Crusades



What is a Crusade?

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But you both
worship the same
god...



“The Crusades”

- Religious wars fought between Christians & Muslims over the **Holy Land** (Jerusalem)
- Took place between 1095-1291 C.E.



Jerusalem

- Holy city to world's three major religions (**WHY?**)



– Judaism → “Promised land”

– Christianity → _____



– Islam → _____



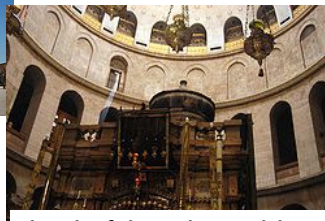
Holy...



The Dome of the Rock



The Temple Mount

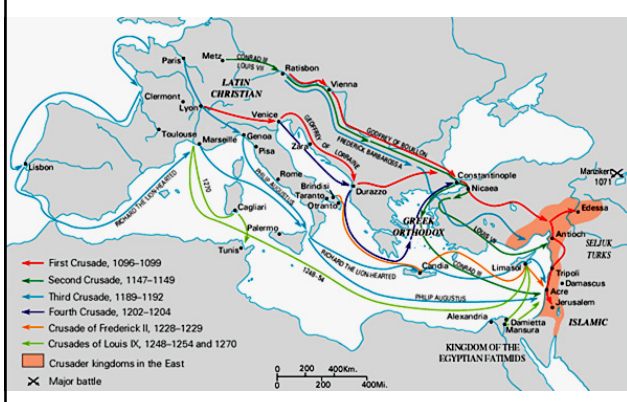


Church of the Holy Sepulchre

Background to First Crusade

- Muslim conquered Holy Land & persecute d Christians
- Byzantine Emperor asked Pope for help
- **Pope Urban II** issues call for a Crusade & offers indulgences to anyone who "takes up the Cross"
 - **Indulgences** were "get out of hell free" letters

Routes taken by the Crusaders



Compare & Contrast

Muslims



Crusaders



The Crusades video

- “DE – Crusades to the Middle East” (7:45)
- Write down 3-5 questions or details as you watch the video
- **Be prepared for me to call on you & share out your questions or comments.**

Results?



Think-Pair-Share:

How do you think these groups were affected by the Crusades? Why?



- Christians
- Muslims
- Jews
- Wealthy people
- Poor people

