

1. What was the region of Palestine referred to as? **Holy Land**
2. What group of people would gain control of the Holy Land after the Fatimid dynasty?  
**Seljuk Turks**
3. Where did these people come from? **Central Asia moved to Southwest Asia converted to Islam**
4. What sacred city did these people take from the Byzantines? **Jerusalem**
5. What were some of the things Palestine offered that the Europeans wanted? **Holy sites and key trade routes between Africa, Asia, and Europe**
6. Why did the pope agree to help the Byzantine emperor? **Pope Urban II hoped to weaken the Byzantine empire and control its wealthy trade routes**
7. Who gathered an army of common people before the First Crusade? **Peter the Hermit**
8. After the First Crusade, Christians set up how many kingdoms in Palestine? **4 kingdoms**
9. Who was the strong Muslim leader that rose to power and took back Jerusalem? **Saladin**
10. What were some of the things that the ships would bring back to the Holy Land? **With rugs, jewelry, glass, and spices**
11. Give the reasons for the Crusades beginning.
  1. **The Seljuk Turks took over the Holy Land in Palestine and turned pilgrims away. The Seljuk Turks even attacked and murdered the pilgrims**
  2. **Regain the Holy sites in Palestine and wanted to take control of the trade routes in the region between Africa, Asia, and Europe.**
12. Summarize the events of the First Crusade.
  - Pope Urban II gathered all the lords and their knights, Crusaders, to take back the Holy Land.**
  - Peter the Hermit gathered an army of common people to take back the Holy Land from the Seljuk Turks.**
  - The Byzantine emperor told Peter the Hermit and his army to wait for the European knights, Peter the Hermit's army refused and attacked the Turks and got badly defeated.**
  - The European knights got to Constantinople and treated the Byzantines badly killing and looting (taking all resources).**

**-The European knights and Peter the Hermit's army joined and captured the holy city of Jerusalem from the Seljuk Turks**

13. Explain what resulted from the Crusades.

**-Increased trade and made the use of money more common.**

**-Nobles raised money for the Crusades by letting individuals and even towns built on their lands to buy their freedom.**

**-Feudalism grew weaker**

**-Towns became more important**

**-As the use of money grew so did the banking industry, banks were set up in trading cities**