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**CCWH # 14 Dark Ages**

1. What traits did Medieval Europe as compared with the Roman Empire during this era?

2. How were European countries governed?

3. What changes to the Muslim Empire occurred during the Umayyad Dynasty?

4. How did the Abbasids improve the Muslim Empire after taking control in 750 CE?

5. To what important cultural and scientific advancements do we owe the Arabian Empire?

6. What is significant about Islamic Cordoba?

7. To what can we attribute to the Tang Dynasty in China?

8. What is notable about the Chinese 11th Century?

**CCWH # 15 The Crusades**

1. What misconceptions about The Crusades does John dispel?
2. When and why did the First Crusade occur?
3. Why were the First Crusades more of a pilgrimage than a military operation?
4. Why, does John argue, were the Crusades NOT an early example of European colonization of the Middle East?
5. What early struggles and successes did the First Crusades encounter?
6. What were the reasons for the Third Crusade? Was it a success?
7. What was different and as John puts it, “crazy,” about the Fourth Crusade?
8. What were the lasting legacies of the crusades?

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**Chapter 16 Vocabulary**

1. Aegean Sea
2. Constantinople
3. Caesaropapism
4. Justinian
5. Theodora
6. Hagia Sophia
7. Corpus iuris civilis
8. Greek fire
9. Theme system
10. Odoacer
11. Franks
12. Carolingian dynasty
13. Charlemagne
14. Missi dominici
15. Louis the Pious
16. Magyars
17. Papacy
18. Pop Gregory I
19. Patriarchs
20. Iconoclasm
21. Monasticism
22. St Basil
23. St Benedict
24. St Scholastica
25. Schism