

The Crusades, c. 1095-1149: Key vocabulary

As we go through the course write one sentence definitions for these key words.

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Key term	Definition
Middle Ages	
Pilgrimage	
holy war	
Byzantine Empire	
Holy Roman Empire	
The Papal Indulgence	
Investiture Contest	
the 'soldier-monk'	
clergy	
layman	
Muslim	
Islam	
Judaism	
anti-Semitism	
First Crusade	
Emperor Henry III	
Synod of Sutri	
simony	
Bishop	
reformers	
Monarch	

The Cluniacs	
Seljuk Turks	
Christendom	
Treaty of Melfi	
Emperor Henry IV	
Pope Gregory VII	
excommunication	
Dictatus Papae	
depose	
penitence	
Urban II	
Council of Clermont	
Manzikert	
Alexius Comnenus	
militant	
Jerusalem	
Holy Sepulchre	
primogeniture	
Peter the Hermit	
People's Crusade	
Constantinople	
Godfrey of Bouillon	
Robert Duke of Normandy	
The Bosphorus	
Nicea	

Dorylaeum	
'scorched earth' policy	
Edessa	
Antioch	
Kerbogha of Mosul	
Outremer	
Haifa and Acre and Tyre	
Venice and Genoa and Pisa	
Second Crusade	
Knights Templar	
Knights Hospitaller	
Zengi Emir of Mosul	
Pope Eugenius III	
Papal Bull, Quantum Praedecessores	
Bernard of Clairvaux	
Speech at Vezelay	
King Conrad III	
Raymond of Poitiers	
Council of Acre 1148	
Order of the Knights of St John	
Krak de Chevaliers	
round towers	
Saladin	
feudalism	