

**UNDERSTANDING THE LESSON****14****Recalling Facts****LESSON 2 CONTENT MASTER**

\* Read each statement below. Write **True** if the statement is true and **False** if it is false. If the statement is false, cross out the part that is incorrect and write the correct words above it.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Under the caliphs, the Muslims conquered a large empire.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Bitter disputes began to divide the far-flung Muslim empire.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. During this time, the Seljuk Turks migrated from India into the Middle East and conquered the eastern Muslim lands.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. After the Seljuk conquest of Anatolia, Pope Urban II sent out a call for a holy war against the Christians.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. This crusade, begun in 1095, was the first attempt by Christians to win back the Holy Land.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. The official army of the First Crusade was defeated outside Jerusalem in 1099.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. The crusaders captured a strip of land along the Mediterranean and established colonies there.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. The crusaders were defeated in 1187 by the Muslim leader Saladin.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. The Ottoman Turks replaced the Seljuks as rulers of the Muslims and built an empire that lasted until 1650.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. In 1453, the Muslim Ottomans captured Constantinople.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. When national unity among the Armenians began to grow in the 1890s, the Ottoman sultan let them set up their own country.

**Think and Write:** Think of an example of people who went to war for their religious beliefs. Write a paragraph explaining whether that war was justified. You may use the back of the sheet.

## THE CRUSADES

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- Read about the Crusades below. Then answer the questions.

**1095–1099: First Crusade**—Crusaders capture Jerusalem and form four states in Holy Land.

**1147–1148: Second Crusade**—Crusaders, led by the kings of Germany and France, are defeated by Muslims.

**1189–1192: Third Crusade**—After Saladin and the Muslims recapture Jerusalem, the Third Crusade forms. It fails, but Richard I of England persuades Saladin to let Christian pilgrims enter Jerusalem.

**1201–1204: Fourth Crusade**—Crusaders become involved in wars in Europe and never reach the Holy Land.

**1212: Children's Crusade** leaves Europe for the Holy Land, but most of the children are taken to North Africa as slaves.

**1218–1221: Fifth Crusade**—After seriously threatening the Muslims, the crusaders are forced to retreat because of a flood.

**1227–1229: Sixth Crusade**—Frederick II, the leader of the crusade, signs a treaty with the Muslims, giving Jerusalem to the crusaders for ten years.

**1248–1254: Seventh Crusade**—King Louis IX of France leads an attack on the Muslims. The Muslims capture the king and his nobles and hold them until a ransom is paid.

**1270: Eighth Crusade**—Louis IX leads his second Crusade. He dies at Carthage and his army returns to France.

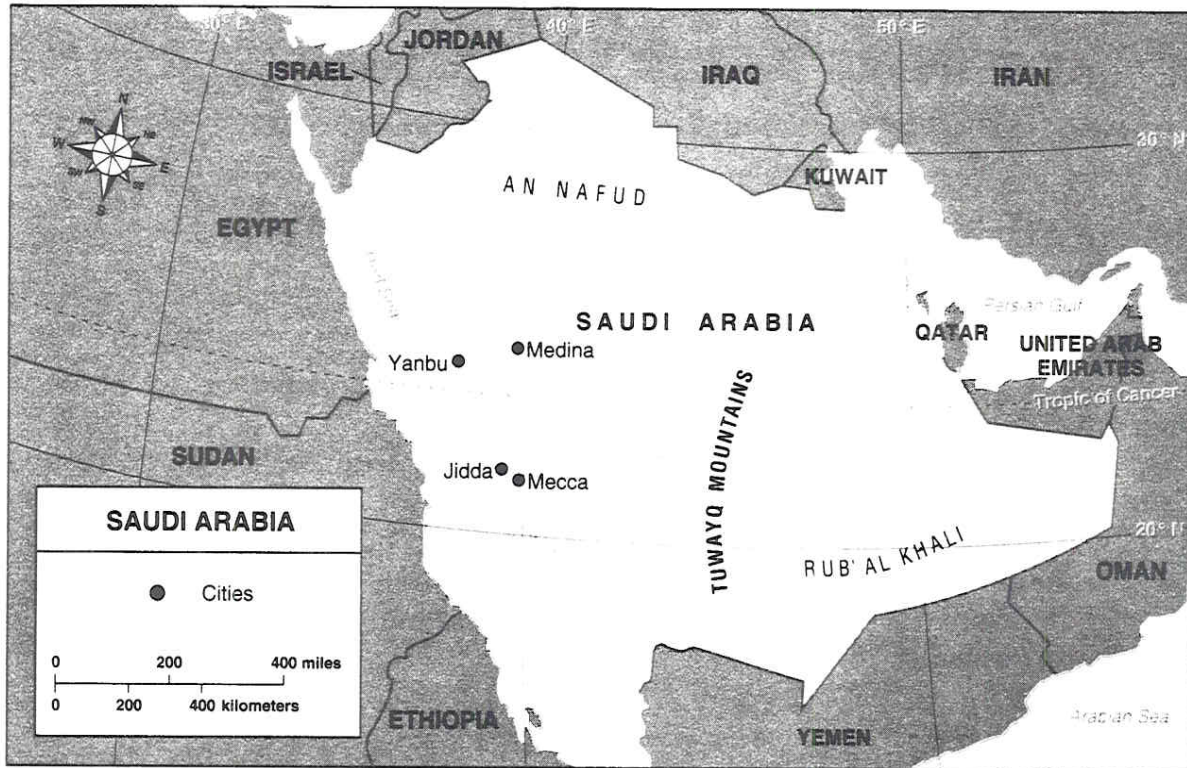
- In which Crusade did most of the crusaders become slaves? \_\_\_\_\_
- In which Crusade did Richard I of England fight? \_\_\_\_\_
- Which king led two Crusades? \_\_\_\_\_
- In which Crusade was Jerusalem given up without a battle? \_\_\_\_\_
- Which Crusade never reached the Holy Land because of European wars? \_\_\_\_\_
- In which Crusade were the leaders captured and held for ransom? \_\_\_\_\_
- Which two Crusades were the most successful? Why? \_\_\_\_\_

**Thinking Further:** People today support many different causes, such as peace, human rights, or cleaning up the environment. Choose one cause and explain why people support it. Write your answer on a separate sheet.

# LOCATING IMPORTANT MUSLIM PLACES

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\* The map shows places that are important to Muslims. Study the map, and then answer the questions that follow.



1. In which direction did Muhammad travel on the Hegira from Mecca to Medina? \_\_\_\_\_
2. When Muslims today retrace the Hegira, how far do they travel? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What four geographic features may Muslims on pilgrimages to Mecca pass? \_\_\_\_\_
4. When Muslims in the United Arab Emirates pray facing Mecca, in which direction do they face? \_\_\_\_\_
5. The Kaaba shrine in Mecca is located in which country? \_\_\_\_\_
6. How far is the mosque in Medina from the Red Sea? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Which two cities on the map are northwest of Mecca? \_\_\_\_\_

**Thinking Further:** If a map showed your community and other major places within 100 miles, what would it show? Include in your description physical features such as mountains and lakes. Write your answer on a separate sheet.