Chapter 14.1: The Crusades **(**p. 403-407)

Guided Reading WS

Words to Know

*Directions: Define the following terms and people and explain their importance or what their goal was.*

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|  | Definition (who/what/where) | Explanation (importance or goal) |
| Crusades |  |  |
| Holy Land |  |  |
| The Turks |  |  |
| Pope Urban II |  |  |
| Saladin |  |  |
| King Richard the Lion-Hearted |  |  |

Reading Questions

1. What were the names of the three European rulers involved in the Crusades?

2. Why did Europeans launch the Crusades?

3. Was the goal of the First Crusade achieved?

4. Why did European Jews become targets of some Crusaders?

5. What were the overall results of the Crusades?

Critical Thinking

1. Why do you think so many people volunteered to join the Crusades?

2. If the Crusades had not occurred, how might relations among Jews, Christians, and Muslims have been different?

3. Why might some Christians who participated in the Crusades have grown more respectful of other cultures?

4. Use the concept map below to detail the effects of the Crusades.

Crusades