Chapter 10

Byzantine and Muslim Civilizations

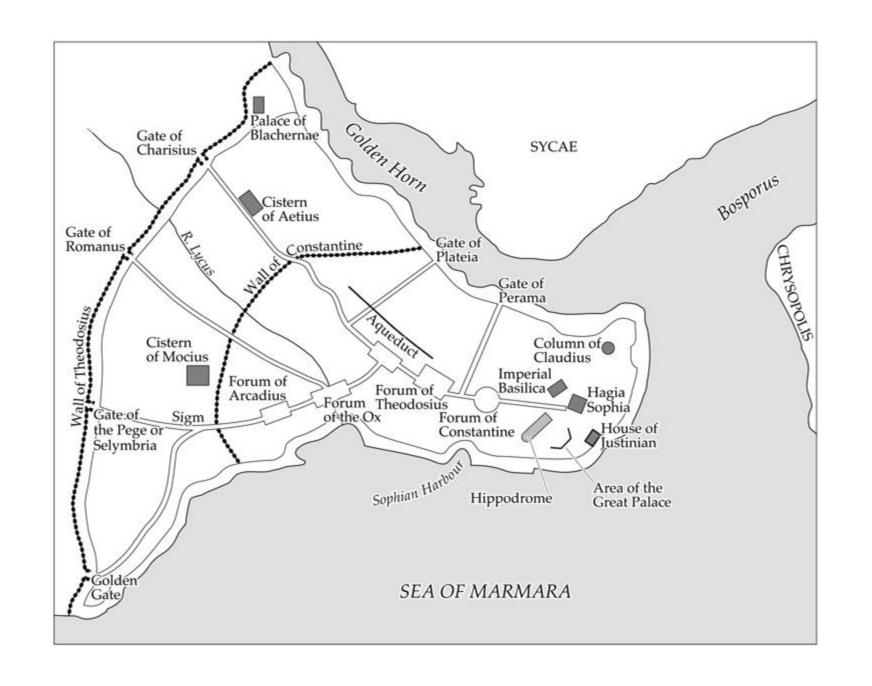
The Byzantine Empire

Section 1

Constantinople at a Crossroads

- 306- Constantine began rule- moved to _____ in 326
- Spent tons of \$\$\$ to ______
- By 500s the city was huge- had all the things Rome had
 - Over _____
 - People still called Byzantines
- 2 reasons for success of

Constantinople-



Constantinople at a Crossroads

• Trade

- Located on the ______(strait)- connects Black Sea and Sea of Marmara
- Bosporus divides Europe and Asia
- Goods came from _______
- All _____ by Byzantines

Constantinople at a Crossroads

- The Byzantines Stand Alone
 - Fall of Western Rome (476) started the

 - During early Middle Ages, Byzantine empire was strong- preserved Roman traditions

The Age of Justinian

- The Emperor ______
 - One of the greatest Byzantine emperors
 - Started rule in 527
 - Never gave up
 - Grew up poor-

The Age of Justinian

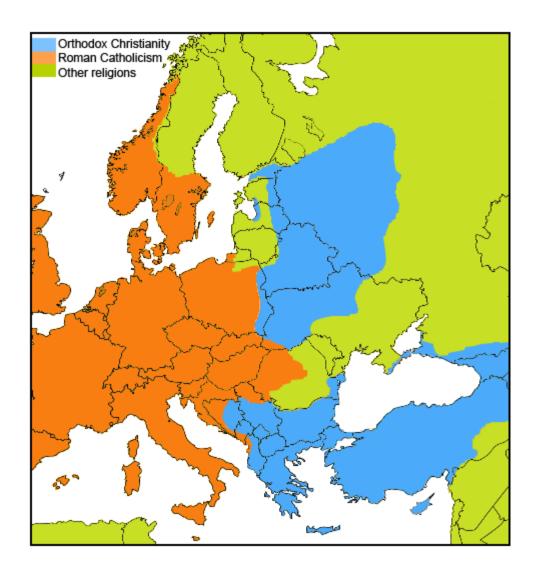
- Justinian's Code
 - Appointed a team to organize Roman laws- often each other
 - The result was an organized explanation of Roman laws- Justinian's Code
 - _____ in most of Europe

The Age of Justinian

- Byzantine Culture
 - Blended influence
 - Later, as empire declined, ancient Greek manuscripts were taken to Italy
 - Had Byzantines not preserved these we would not had them today

The Empire's Later Years

- A Religious Dispute
 - Byz began to decline after Justinian died in 565
 - Invaders from north and east
 - Byzantine's practiced Christianity differently from the West
 - Rejected _____
 - Byz emp would approve of _______- highest Byzantine church official
 - Spoke _____- rather than Latin
 - Outlawed use of ______- pope banished Byzantine emperor from church
 - _______- split- 1054- Roman Catholic Church and Eastern (Greek)
 Orthodox Church



The Empire's Later Years

- A Second Golden Age
 - 900s-mid1000s- Constantinople rose again
 - Government and population grew and became more powerful
 - Basil II ruled (976-1025)- burst of _____



The Empire's Later Years

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The Fall of Constantinople

1000s-________ in east began gaining power
Late 1100s-________ had taken many Byzantine lands
Byz was also threatened by Europeans- war with _______ in 1176 over trade
1200s- attacked by ______
1453- 2 month seige of Const. by 70k Turks

by Muslim Turks