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UNIT 3: EMPIRES OF FAITH Reading Guide 15: Medieval Culture

13.3: The Age of Chivalry

•	Objective A: Expla	in the technology	, standards, and	l training of knights.
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	Charles Martel had observed that the Muslim As a result, he organized Frankish troops of						
	often turned the tide of battles. armored horsemen, or						
2.	and changed the way warfare was conducted in Europe during the 700s. Both had be developed in Asia around 200 BC.						
3.	Knights gave feudal lords military service and were rewarded with of land from their sprawling estates.						
4.	A lord typically demanded about days of combat a year.						
5.	Complete the chart: The code of chivalry demanded that a knight fight bravely in defense of three masters.						
6.	The ideal knight was,, and						
7.	Complete the flow chart:						
	Age 7: A boy served as a by waiting on his hosts and practicing fighting skills. Around age 14, he reached the rank of and served a knight. Around age, he became a full-fledged knight.						
8.	Define tournaments:						
	A was a fortress designed for defense. Defenders poured,, or						
	on enemy soldiers. Archers armed with fired bolts that could pierce armor.						
tive B	Analyze how medieval literature depicts chivalry, knighthood, and women.						
10.	What was one of the earliest and most famous medieval epic poems?						
11.	Define troubadours:						
12.	The most celebrated woman of the age was, mother of						
	and						
bjecti	ve C: Summarize the roles and status of medieval women.						
13.	Most women in feudal society were and thought inferior to men. This was the view of						
14.	Females in noble families were generally confined to activities in the home or the						

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13.4: The Power of the Chur	ch							
Objective A: Describe tl	he Church's structure, power, an	nd influence.						
16. In crowing Charle	emagne, the Church sought to influence	ce both	and	matters.				
17. Throughout the M	Middle Ages, the Church and various E	european rulers comp	peted for					
18. Complete the cha	rt:							
		_: the father or head	of the Christian Church					
		_: supervised severa	small churches:					
		_: led each small gro	oup of Christians					
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19. Complete the cha	rt: The she	red beliefs in	tha					
1	THE SHA	of the Church b						
	people to	gether.						
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The church was a stab an era of	le force during It provided	Christians with	In the Mi	ddle Ages, religion				
20. Define sacramen	ta							
	est punishments the Church could infli	ict were.						
	(urch)					
	(many							
D)	(many	and rei	igious services could not i	be performed in the king's lands)				
	11.	1.0						
	he power struggle between pope			1				
22. The most effective	. The most effective ruler of medieval Germany was The German-Italian empire he created later became the							
	Empire.							
23. Why did Emperor	. Why did Emperor Henry IV clash with Pope Gregory VII over lay investiture? Explain why this issue was important.							
Objective C: Explain why Go	ermany's feudal states did not un	nify during the Mi	ddle Ages.					
24. Frederick I was th	ne first ruler to call his lands the		Empire. H	However, this region was actually				
a	of feudal territories.							
25. Complete the cha	25. Complete the chart:							
German kings c	continued their attempts to revive	olicy led to						
Charlemagne's			,					
26. What other factor	rs weakened German princes?							