

## Guns, Germs, and Ships

name: \_\_\_\_\_

How and why Europeans opened sea routes for trade in the 1500s.

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### Trade Routes...

- ▶ Pattern of trade (from ancient times) continued: \_\_\_\_\_  
( \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, etc.) from \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ etc.
- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ both land (' \_\_\_\_\_') and by sea, but \_\_\_\_\_  
did not travel  
to China/India—they \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.

### ...and Religion and Wars in the Middle Ages

- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ starting in 600s/700s. In the late 1000s, Muslims challenged Constantinople (Byzantine Empire).  
The \_\_\_\_\_.
- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_ began: European  
\_\_\_\_\_ vs. \_\_\_\_\_ (and others) in Middle East.
- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ Holy Land, take control of areas along eastern edge of Mediterranean.

### Legacy of Crusades

- ▶ After initial success, over 200-300 yrs., \_\_\_\_\_ and leave \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_/Middle East, BUT have \_\_\_\_\_ AND goods \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- ▶ The \_\_\_\_\_ (to the Ottomans) = \_\_\_\_\_ from China/India, so
- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ were \_\_\_\_\_ recent \_\_\_\_\_ -- \_\_\_\_\_.

### Sea Routes

- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ paying for luxury goods and \_\_\_\_\_, Europeans look for \_\_\_\_\_—which meant going to sea.
- ▶ Going *far* out to sea was becoming possible then: \_\_\_\_\_, lateen rig, rudders, \_\_\_\_\_, etc. \_\_\_\_\_' sailing.
- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ (and others) \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_; \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ to far side \_\_\_\_\_ challenging but theoretically \_\_\_\_\_.

- ▶ First: \_\_\_\_\_ during \_\_\_\_\_ (this continued a version of Christians vs Muslims Crusades in Spain/Portugal).
- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ backed Columbus' \_\_\_\_\_ across the \_\_\_\_\_.

And **NOW** the parts with the guns and germs:

- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ gone further with \_\_\_\_\_-based \_\_\_\_\_: gunpowder originated in China, but spread west (via trade routes).
- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ BIG \_\_\_\_\_ as part of attacking \_\_\_\_\_, etc.
- ▶ Europeans saw \_\_\_\_\_ as way of raising \_\_\_\_\_, effective \_\_\_\_\_ to replace (expensive/controlling) role of \_\_\_\_\_ in warfare and power.
- ▶ SO— \_\_\_\_\_ power of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (gunpowder) \_\_\_\_\_.

'Ugh-yer makin' me **SICK!**' (part 1)

- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_: poor hygiene, \_\_\_\_\_, etc.
- ▶ Along with the rest of Asia/parts of Africa, Europeans lived \_\_\_\_\_.
- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ . When that happens the \_\_\_\_\_ (for example: Bubonic Plague, Ebola, killer flu).

'Ugh-yer makin' me **SICK!**' (part 2)

- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ people had cities but \_\_\_\_\_ have (many) \_\_\_\_\_.
- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ many deadly \_\_\_\_\_ with them to New World, **BUT** \_\_\_\_\_ (as much) \_\_\_\_\_.
- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ pean \_\_\_\_\_ (small pox, but even common cold) \_\_\_\_\_ /weakened \_\_\_\_\_.