**-CRUSADE NOTES-**

**WHY HAVE CRUSADES?**

1. **UNITE CHRISTIANS**
2. **PUT KINGS / VASSELS UNDER CHURCH CONTROL**
3. **SHOW POWER OF ROMAN CATHOLIC CHRUCH**
4. **TAKE BACK HOLY LANDS**

**WHY FIGHT IN CRUSADES**

1. **TRADE EXPANION**
2. **GET DEBTS REMOVED OR AVOID JAIL**
3. **RELIGIOUS BELIEFS**

**CHANGES THAT HAPPENED AFTER CRUSADE**

1. **CHURCH’S POWER INCREASED**
2. **FEUDALISM DECLINED**
3. **CULTURAL MIXING**
4. **NEW PRODUCTS**