

CHAPTER 5
Europe in the
Middle Ages

The Rise of Cities

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A. As You Read

Directions: As you read Section 2, fill in the table below with information about elements of life in medieval Europe.

Life in Europe During the Middle Ages

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| Power of the Church | 1. |
| Merchant Class | 2. |
| Growth of Towns | 3. |
| Guilds | 4. |
| Disease | 5. |
| Culture and Learning | 6. |

B. Reviewing Key Terms

Directions: In the blank provided, write the correct key term for each definition below.

7. persons ordained to perform certain religious duties _____
8. to prevent someone from taking part in Church life _____
9. an association of all the people in a town who practice a certain trade _____
10. an unpaid worker who is being trained in a craft _____
11. the noble qualities that knights were supposed to have _____
12. a traveling performer who sang about the deeds of knights _____