**REASONS TO GO ON A CRUSADE**

You could gain a heroic reputation.

The Holy Lands were rich and prosperous.

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| **Money** | **Power** | **Religion** |
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There would be opportunity to take treasures and money from captured lands

Your Lord or King was fighting and you had to go to support him.

Your sins were forgiven if you went on Crusade.

The Pope said you should go and he is your religious leader and knows best.

Successful crusaders would be rewarded with lands and titles.

To ensure that Christian pilgrims had access to Jerusalem.

People were scared of death due to diseases and going on a crusade guaranteed them heaven.