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## The Byzantine Empire (Pgs 36-41)

### Study Guide 2-3

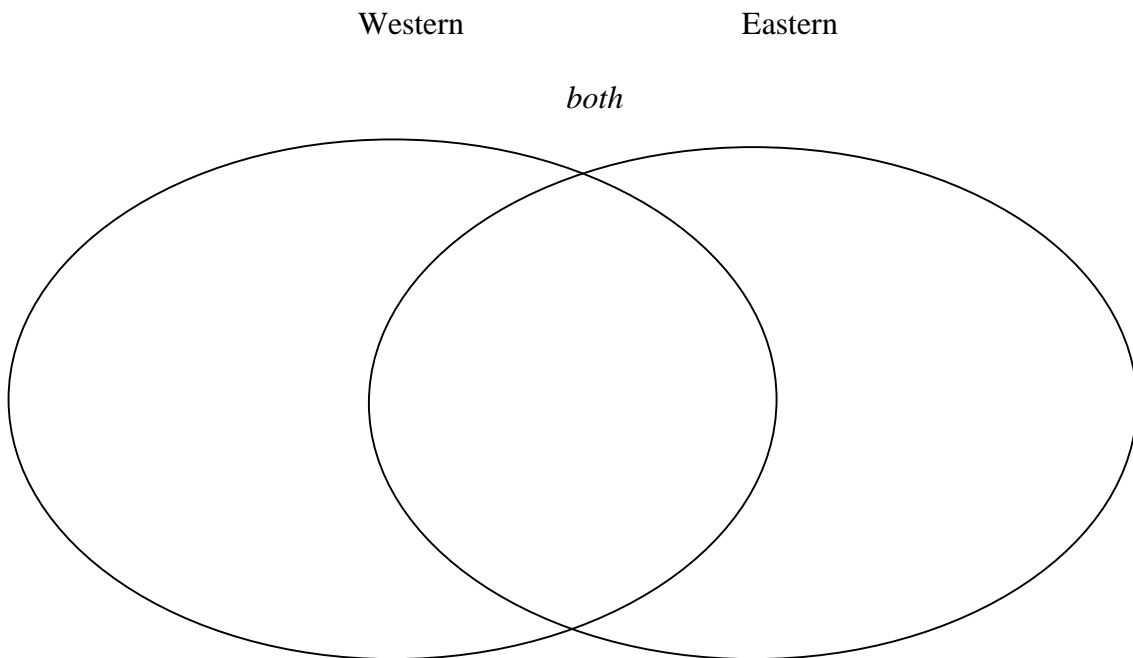
1. Constantinople was built on an ancient Greek trading city called
2. Constantinople was located near which 3 large bodies of water?
3. What were 3 of Justinian's passions as emperor?
4. Who was Theodora, and what role did she play in the Byzantine Empire?
5. Why did Justinian reorganize Roman law?
6. Why did the empire decline after the rule of Emperor Justinian?
7. In what ways did the eastern empire change from the western empire?
8. What other name is used for the eastern Roman Empire?

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9. Why were eastern emperors more powerful than those in the west?

10. How did contact with other cultures help change the Byzantine Empire?

11. Using the Venn diagram below, list the differences and similarities between the eastern and western empires.



12. What led to a split in the Christian Church?