

Medieval Era

Terms

- Commercial Revolution
- Courtly love/ Chivalric Literature
- Troubadours
- Gothic architecture
- Abelard
- Cathedral Schools
- Universities
- Scholastic Method
- Magna Carta
- Fourth Lateran Council
- Transubstantiation
- Representative Assemblies
 - Parliament
 - Estates General

Urban Growth and Commercial Revolution

- Improvements in Agriculture
 - Three-Field System
 - Heavy Plough
- Move towards cities
- Guilds
- Medieval City
 - Walled
 - Center consists of a cathedral, abbey, or church
 - Occupational diversity
 - Population density
 - Sustained markets

Education

- Students - *studeo-ere*
- Three main areas of study
 - Trivium
 - Quadrivium
 - Theology
- Abelard and Heloise
 - “Logical” approach
 - Scholastic method – *Lectio, Disputatio*

Universities

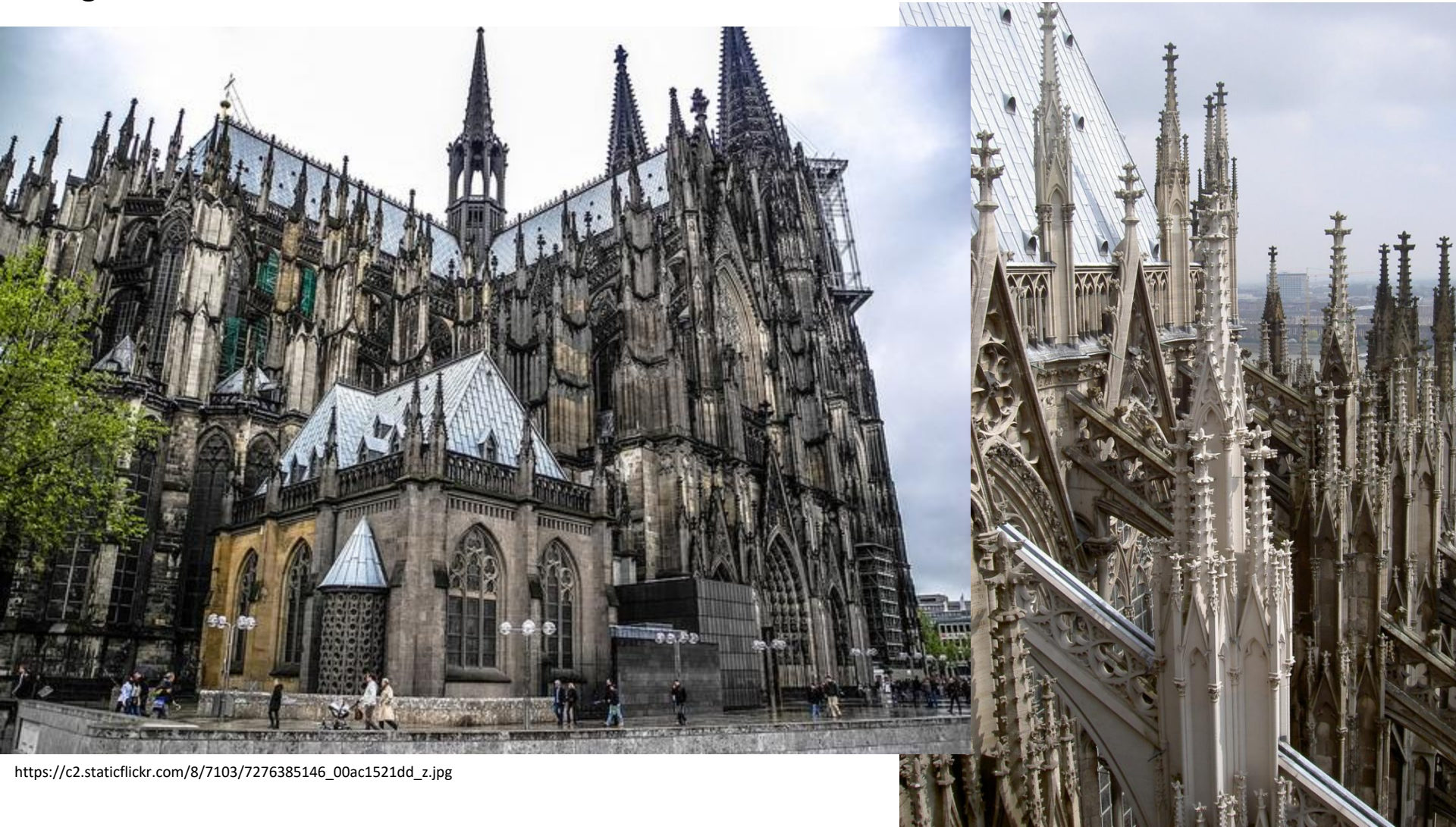
- University of Bologna 1088
- University of Oxford ~1096
- University of Paris ~1150
- Addition of medicine, law, and the arts to curriculum.

Literature

- Chivalric Literature
- Courtly Love
- Troubadors
- Vernacular Literature
 - Dante's Divine Comedy 1313-1321 – will actually lead us into the Italian Renaissance
 - Geoffrey Chaucer's Canterbury Tales 1380s.

Gothic Architecture

Cologne Cathedral



PARISEUS. Here, Christ answers a pharisee's question "And who is my neighbor" in the parable of the Good Samaritan in the Gospel of Luke





Bakers' Window
Chartres
Cathedral

Magna Carta

- Richard I (r.1189-1199)
- King John (r.1199-1216)
 - Loss of Territory in France
 - Individual resistance – Fulk Fitzwarin
 - Group Resistance – Barons and 1215 Magna Carta

Fourth Lateran Council (1215)

- Must attend Mass, and confess sins at least once a year
- Transubstantiation
- Jews required to wear outward sign of their faith
- Decree against heretics -> Inquisition

Western Schism

- Pope Boniface VIII versus England and France
- Taxation of church land
- Papal bull *Unam Sanctum* 1302
- Papacy in Avignon until 1378

Representative Assemblies

- 1302 – French representative assembly -> Estates General
- 1216 – Evolution of English Parliament