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The Middle Ages were influenced by Roman culture

Customs of the Germanic tribes influenced the Middle Ages

Roman authority declined as the power of the Christian church grew

This proves the power of the Christian church during the Middle Ages

Monasteries preserved Greco-Roman culture

# Key Events of the Middle Ages (circa 500-1000 AD)

The Pope anointed Charlemagne "Holy Roman Emperor" in 800 AD

Christian beliefs dominated the Middle Ages

Missionaries also introduced Latin to the Germanic tribes

Missionaries converted the Germanic tribes to Christianity