

the Black Death



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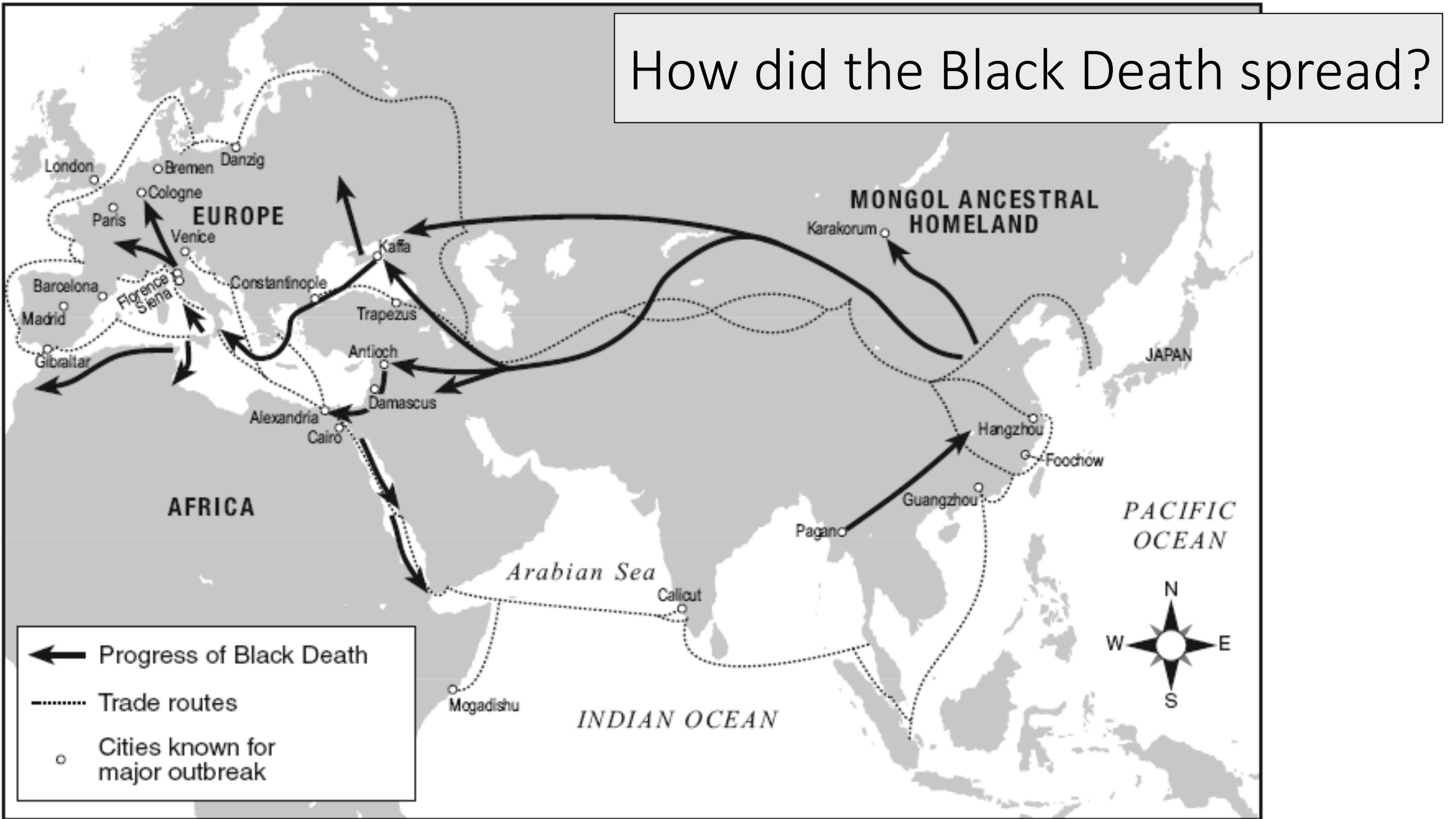
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How did the Black Death spread?





What are the symptoms of the Black Death?

Ring around the rosy,

Refers to the red, puss filled sores

A common belief that sweet smells would keep plague away

A pocket full of posies,

Ashes, ashes,

Cremation- the best way to remove the disease from the infected

Death was inevitable

We all fall down!

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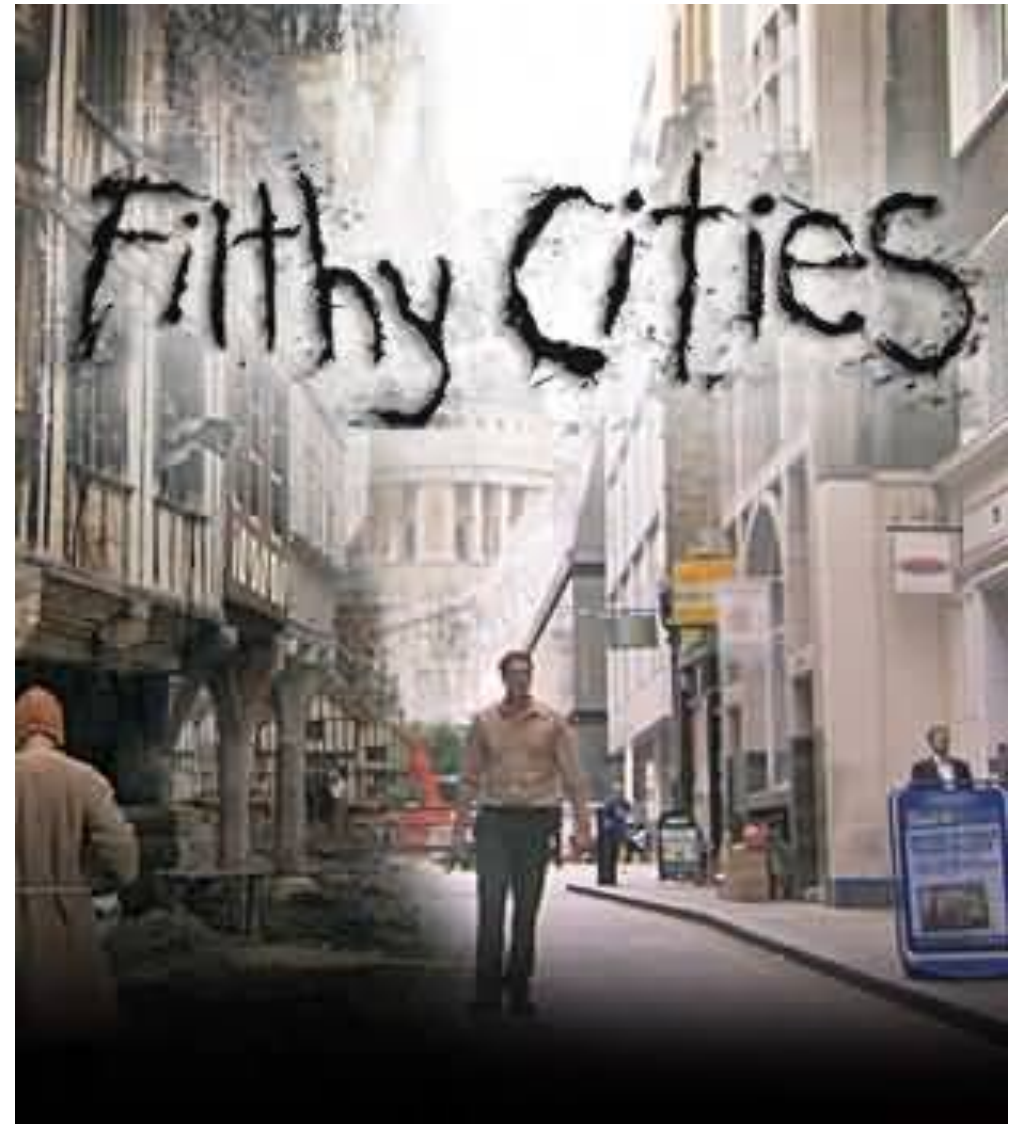
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Why was Europe so susceptible to plague?

Video clip

found on Netflix – “Filthy Cities: London”



What was it like to live through the Black Death?



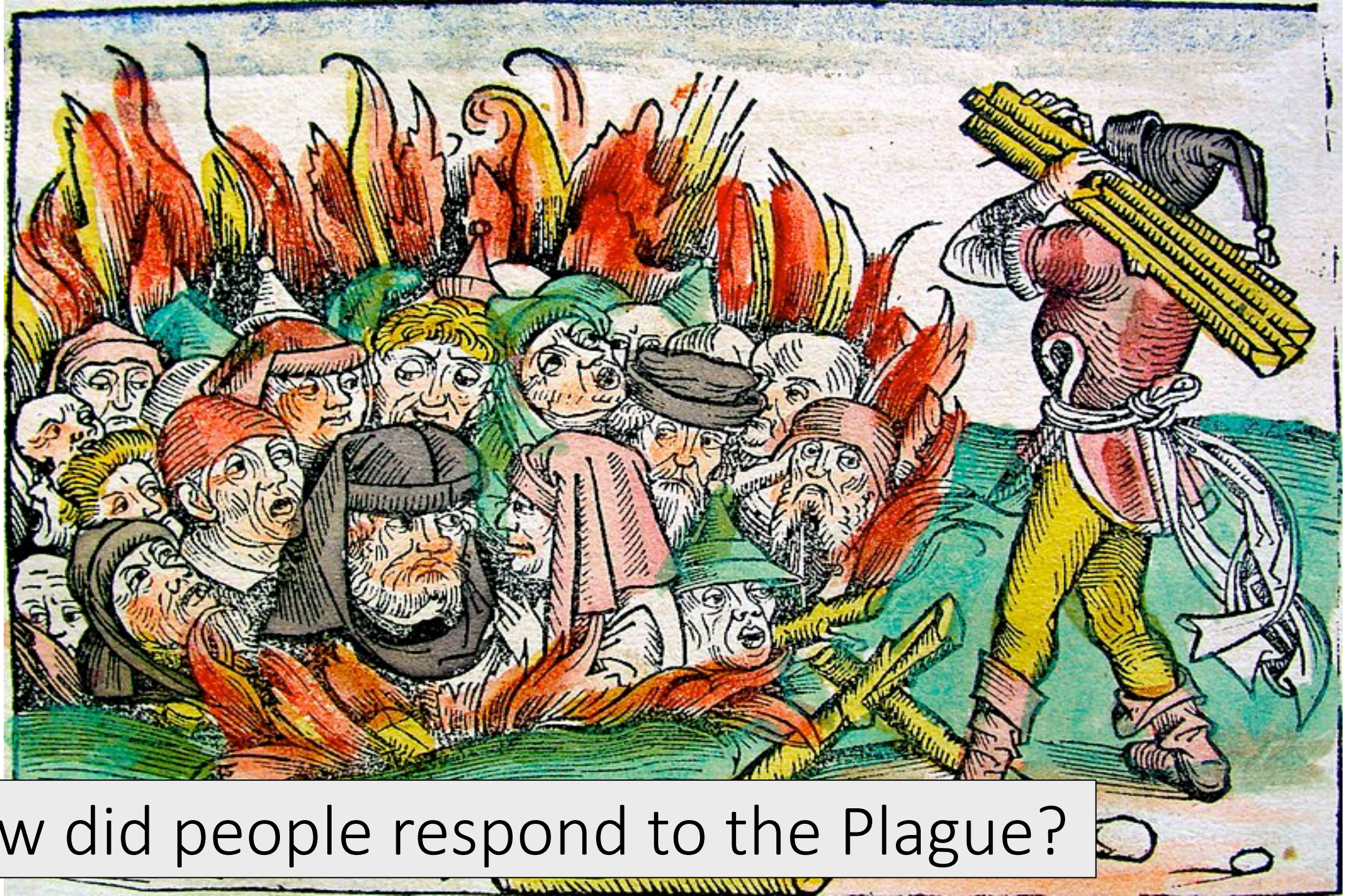
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Outcome: chaos in Western Europe

