

## **JUDAISM - PILGRIMAGE**

The land of Israel is very important for Jews. There are historical and political reasons for this as well as religious ones. They go back as far as Abraham and the Covenant where God promised the Jews a land. Throughout most of Jewish history Jerusalem has been the focus of faith and hope.

**To find out about the Jewish view of pilgrimage:**

**READ** Six Religions page 217

And then...

**WRITE** a few sentences to explain this view.

**To find out more about Israel:**

**READ** Skills 1 page 78.

And then...

**ANSWER** the Quick Questions on page 79

## **THE WESTERN WALL**

‘going to Israel is like going home. The heart of it for me is to go to the Kotel, the Western Wall...’

**To find out more about the Western Wall:**

**READ** Six Religions pages 218 - 219

And then...

**DO** Things To Do numbers 1 and 2 in Skills 1 on page 79.