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## **More Reading Reflection**

1. What was unusual about Muawiyah's appointment of his successor as caliph?

2. What event from the year 680 do Shiite Muslims still mourn, or remember sadly, to this day?

3. Why did the expansion of the Islamic empire stop during the early days of the Umayyad dynasty?