

Pilgrims:

Name: Roger

Occupation: Farmer



Roger is a farmer from Pocklington, Yorkshire. He tends to his farm, goes to his local parish church and looks after his family.

It is the weeding season in Pocklington and Roger has little work to do. He and his friends have a few weeks when they will not be needed in the fields.

It's been a difficult year, as there was a disease which killed sheep in the village. Roger's sheep are fine, but many of the other farmers have lost livestock.

Name: Mary

Occupation: Lady in Waiting



Mary is a Lady in Waiting for Joan of Norwich. She attends to her Lady, working hard to ensure her life runs smoothly. Mary also attends chapel with her very regularly. Joan of Norwich is a very devout woman, who prays often and at length. Joan of Norwich has plenty of money and does not have to work for her living.

Mary's elder brother is sick. Last year her uncle survived a shipwreck at sea. Mary herself was not affected by an outbreak of disease that happened in the castle last year.

Enquiry Question: Why did Medieval People go on Pilgrimage?