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Source Chapter 12 The Poem of El Cid:

The attributes contributed by El Cid were bravery, full of strength, full of empathy and very clever. He was a soldier.

The kindness shown to the Cid and his companions by Martin Antolinez a worthy citizen of Burgos. He provided them with words of encouragement, food, wine and provisions for their journey.

The Cid prayed often while on his journey. He knelt in pray at the church of Santa Maria, he prayed over meals and after sleep. This indicates that prayer was a very important part of his life. Prayer was more important than material gain to the Cid.