

AMERICAN HISTORY

LESSON EIGHT

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Instructions

Follow along with the video and complete the following questions

- 1. Who was the king that issued the 1100 Charter of Liberties?
 - a) William I
 - b) Henry I
 - c) John
 - d) Charles I

2. What document, created in 1215, established the principle of representation in government?

- a) Magna Carta
- b) Petition of Right
- c) English Bill of Rights
- d) Declaration of Independence

3. Which king was associated with the Robin Hood stories?

- a) William II
- b) Henry I
- c) John
- d) Charles I

4. What was the name of the document created in 1628 that further limited the king's power?

- a) Charter of Liberties
- b) Magna Carta
- c) Petition of Right
- d) Grand Remonstrance

5. Who was the king that was charged with treason and executed in 1641?

- a) John
- b) Henry I
- c) Charles I
- d) James II





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6. What principle did the 1100 Charter of Liberties establish regarding the relationship between church and state?

- a) The king controls the church
- b) The church is free from government intrusion
- c) The church controls the government
- d) There is no separation between church and state
- 7. What was the main purpose of the Grand Remonstrance of 1641?
- a) To declare independence from the king
- b) To establish a new tax system
- c) To list grievances against the king's actions
- d) To create a new form of government

8. Which document is considered the final one in the series leading to the American founding documents?

- a) Magna Carta
- b) Petition of Right
- c) Grand Remonstrance
- d) English Bill of Rights

9. What concept did the founders reject in favor of a constitutional republic?

- a) Monarchy
- b) Democracy
- c) Oligarchy
- d) All of the above

10. According to the lesson, what is the difference between liberty and freedom?

- a) They are the same thing
- b) Liberty is freedom plus morality
- c) Freedom is more restrictive than liberty
- d) Liberty only applies to governments



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Essay.

1. Explain how the Magna Carta of 1215 contributed to the development of representative government. What specific features did it introduce, and how did these influence later governmental systems?

2. Describe the concept of "separation of church and state" as it was understood historically, according to the lesson. How does this differ from modern interpretations, and why is this difference significant?

3. Compare and contrast the actions of King Charles I and King James II. How did their approaches to ruling differ, and what were the consequences of their actions?

4. Discuss the importance of written constitutions and bills of rights in limiting government power. Use examples from the English documents mentioned in the lesson to support your answer.

5. Explain the concept of a "constitutional republic" as described in the lesson. Why did the founders prefer this system over a democracy, and what are its key features?

