

1. How was the British constitution different than our present-day one?
2. What was the version of the British constitution espoused by the American colonists?
3. How did this version differ from their British counterparts?
4. Give two examples of experiments with colonial unions.
5. What event did John Adams witness in which he believed "Independence" was born?
6. What did Thomas Paine's essay *Common Sense* do about the constitutional question?
7. Why does historian John Phillip Reid believe the charges against George III are the most important part of the Declaration of Independence?
8. How is the Declaration Janus-faced?