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ENGLISH CIVIL WAR WEB-QUEST

Directions: Use the 4 links below to answer the questions provided. Section title have been given to you in quotes.

Overview: Civil War and Revolution, 1603 – 1714

http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/british/civil_war_revolution/overview_civil_war_revolution_01.shtml

“A single monarch”

1. What changed when power changed from the Tudors to the Stuarts?

“Charles I”

2. Why could Charles I and Parliament not rule the United Kingdom as one?

Choosing Sides in the English Civil War

http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/british/civil_war_revolution/choosingsides_01.shtml

“Introduction”

3. Identify the names used to reference the supporters of the Parliament and Monarchy during the English Civil War

4. What issues did the Roundheads have with the Monarchy of King Charles I?

"The Road to War"



5. What does this image reveal of a Civil War? Describe sides, compare and contrast.

"Class Divisions"

6. Describe the class of individuals who stood with the King and those who took the side of parliament.

The Execution of Charles I

http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/british/civil_war_revolution/charlesi_execution_01.shtml

"On 4 January 1649, in ringing tones the purged House of Commons declared: 'That the people, are, under God, the original of all just power...That the Commons of England...representing the people have the supreme power in this nation...whatever is enacted, or declared for law, by the Commons...hath the force of law...although the consent and concurrence of King, or House of Peers, be not had thereunto'."

7. What does this quote reveal about the power of the King vs. the power of the people?

Oliver Cromwell

http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/british/civil_war_revolution/cromwell_01.shtml

“A unique leader”

8. What freedom did Oliver Cromwell provide as the leader of Great Britain?

“Statesman (1651 - 1658)”

9. Who does Oliver Cromwell want to take the thrown when he dies and why would this anger the people of Great Britain?
