

The Ultimate Guide to the Presidents Questions

1864 Election-

- 1) Which of Lincoln's former generals ran against Lincoln in 1864, losing only after Atlanta fell before the election?
- 2) Lincoln's second inaugural address was conciliatory "With Malice towards none and charity to all..." and pointed out the need to do what?
- 3) What future assassin watched Lincoln's inaugural address with distaste?
- 4) Who replaced Lincoln when he was assassinated and would be charged with reconstructing America?

1865- President Johnson

- 1) At a time when America needed strong leadership to rebuild and unite itself after the Civil War, how were the next 5 presidents characterized?
- 2) What did V.P. Andrew Johnson do to prepare himself for his acceptance speech and was it effective?
- 3) President Johnson was the only Southern _____ to remain with the North.
- 4) President Johnson agreed with Lincoln that what amendment had to be adopted by any Confederate state that wanted to return to the Union?
- 5) What did Southern States do in response to having to being forced to free the slaves?
- 6) How did President Johnson respond to the Radical Republican's demands that a Civil Rights Act be passed to protect Freed men against Black Codes?
- 7) Who held a 2/3 majority in Congress which allowed them to override any of Andrew Johnson's vetos?
- 8) Who did Andrew Johnson fire from his cabinet, angering Congress and triggering Impeachment hearings?
- 9) How close did Andrew Johnson come to being removed from office after being Impeached?
- 10) Who replaced Andrew Johnson in the election of 1868 with the slogan "Let us have peace"?

1868 Election

- 1) What did President Grant do to limit the power of the KKK early into his term?
- 2) Grant was re-elected in 1872 but ran his administration in what manner that allowed for mischief?
- 3) While average Americans were suffering, what were Grant's cabinet members doing?
- 4) Did Grant benefit from the widespread Corruption in his administration?
- 5) After trying to force change on the South for 25 years including 12 years of Reconstruction, what did the North decide to do in the Compromise of 1877?