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Aim: How did Karl Marx's ideas differ from Adam Smith's?

Karl Marx

- 1. German economist and philosopher
- 2. Factory workers were being exploited by the capitalist system
- 3. Wrote *The Communist Manifesto* (1848)
- 4. Karl Marx and Friedrich Engels
- 5. Working class would eventually revolt and take control of the means of production
- 6. Wanted a classless society
- 7. Marx stated that there was a gap between rich + poor
- 8. predicted revolt would happen in industrialized Europe but it happened in Russia in the 1900's
- 9. Marxism serves as the foundation of socialism and communism
- 10. Communism means that property + production are held in common.
- 11. The gov't, the courts, the police, the church favor the rich
- 12. Impact of Marxism was enormous
- 13. Served as the foundation of socialism and communism
 - Marxism: an economic and political philosophy also known as scientific socialism.
 - o Communism a system of social organization in which property (especially real property and the means of production) is held in common.
 - Socialism is the political and economic theory that advocates a system of collective or government ownership and management of the means of production and distribution of goods.