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FROM "AGE OF LIMITS"

→ "AGE OF REAGAN"

POLITICS & DIPLOMACY
AFTER WATERGATE

I The Ford Custodianship

A. Nixon Pardoned "more or"

B. Arms control w/ Soviets & ME deescalation

1. inflation ↑ w/ Opec

C. fought w/ Ford Reag & Jim Carter for Prez

1. lost Jim close dispire mass. diff @ start

II The Trials of Jimmy Carter

H. Outsider / Lack of Direction

B. High interest rates → OPEC

1. malaise speech, (blamed Americans?)

III Human Rights & National Interests

A. Cart: Human rights >> selfish interests

1. returned Panama Canal

B. Camp David Accords Egypt - Israeli (Y)

IV The Year of the Hostages 1979

A. Iran Revolution (Islamic) & Ayatollah

1. Ayatollah → NYC career,

2. hostages taken Tehran

3. Soviet invasion

B. Carter's falling popularity

THE RISE OF THE NEW AMERICAN RIGHT

I The Sunbelt & its Politics

A. Sunbelt rise populist

B. opposition to environmentalist & regulations

1. Sagebrush Rebellion to ↑

C. Suburban Conservatism ↗

II The Politics of Religion

A. Evangelical Christianity ("Born Again")

1. Want morality & order & religion & no femin
2. 70 million

B. opposed Roe v. Wade, ect
III The "New Right"

A. Ronald Reagan, from Cali govrn

B. break from lib' right & right right

IV Tax Revolt

A. Prop 13 removed prop tax rate Cali

B. Nation attacks taxes w/ weak economy

V The Campaign of 1980

A. Carter weak after Ed Kennedy fight primary

B. 1980 Rondd landslide

C. Hostage Crisis, resolved Reagan inauguration

THE "REAGAN REVOLUTION"

I. The Reagan Coalition

A. Corporate Elites' unfiltered capitalism
1. hated progressive tax rates & regulations

B. "Neo-Conservatives"

1. anti-commie & PC & culture

C. Populist Conservatives

1. "Eastern Establishment"

II Reagan in the White House

- A. rugged & fearless but oldest yet
 - 1. got shot, joked
- B. strong cabinet to help
 - 1. nationalistic

III "Supply-Side" Economics

- A. "Reaganomics", trickle down
- B. Deregulation in EPA, roads, ect.
 - 1. failed to decrease budget
- C. 1982 recession worst in 40y
 - 1. quick pop back

IV Fiscal Crisis

- A. Soaring National Debt & Deficit
 - 1. record-breaking under Reagan
- B. Welfare Benefits Cut
 - 1. poverty ↗

V Reagan & the WORLD

- A. SDI (Star Wars) to stop nukes
- B. "Evil Empire" → nuclear freeze
- C. Reagan Doctrine (3rd world "activism")
- D. Rise in Terror

VI The Election of 1984

- A. "America is Back"
- B. Dems maintained Congress

AMERICA & THE WANING OF THE COLD WAR

I. The Fall of the Soviet Union

- A. Mikhail Gorbachev's ¹⁹⁸⁵ openness & reform
 - 1. capitalism & private ownership
 - 2. less influence East Europe
- B. Tiananmen Square = "No West"
- C. End Apartheid
- D. Dissolution of USSR 1991

II Reagan & Gorbachev

- A. "Tear down this wall"
- B. Star Wars tensions
- C. Removed long-range nukes Europe
- D. Friends till d.

III The Fading of the Reagan Revolution

- A. Savings & Loans Crisis
 - 1. illegal corruption & fraud in Reagan govt.s
- B. Iran-Contra Scandal
 - 1. sold weapons for hostages
 - 2. weapon \$\$\$ went nicaragua
 - 3. v Bad for Reagan

IV The Election of 1988

A. Dems unwilling to run but hopeful

1. Dukakis flat & dull

B. George H.W. Bush runs amazingly

1. bullied Dukakis the "liberal"

C. Bush W but Dem Congress

V The First Bush Presidency

A. far-reach nuke agreements

B. US world dominance

C. Political Gridlock

1. Dems forced raise tax

D. 1990 recession

1. bankruptcies ↑ due debt in 80s

2. rising healthcare cost for mid-class

VI The First Gulf War

A. Invasion of Kuwait by Saddam Hussein

B. UN embargo Iraq

C. 1/2 mil US 3/4 mil soldiers in Saudi Arabia

D. Cong approved force Jan 12, 1991 if Iraq didn't ^{leave}

E. Bombing 6 weeks

F. invasion of Iraq (not Kuwait) Big Success

1. 100k dead Iraq vs 141 US casualty

G. Muslim hate of US ↑

VII The Election of 1992

A. Bill Clinton's skilled campaign

B. Ross Kent
C. Bill Victory clear & dem full control

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Collegeboard wants finish → 21st Century

Ms. Jensen's email

APUSH Exam Overview

<https://apcentral.collegeboard.org/courses/ap-united-states-history/exam>

I. 3 hours & 15 minutes

A. Section 1, Part A (55 min)

1. 55 MCQ

2. 2-4 ques / Primary source

B. Section 1, Part B (40 min)

1. 3 short answer Ques

2. Address all parts of each Ques

3. time crunch (13 min / Question)

~~~~~ Break ~~~~~

C. Section II (60 minutes : 1 hour 40 min)

1. DBQ (60 minutes)

a. 15 min reading Q, document, plan

b. 45 min Writing in essay

2. 2 SAQ (40 min)

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## THE NIXON YEARS

1969-1974

A. Poor Quaker, hates old \$\$\$

B. Duke, hated new deal, tho helped

C. "Nixon Doctrine"

1. Vie-namization, pull out, fix itself

2. My Lai massacre 1968-69

D. Jackson State College Killings 5/70 12 dead

E. Kent State University

F. Hard hat March & Riot May 1970



## G. My Lai Massacre

1. mass murder 347-504 dead
2. Pilot got in between
3. Leaders sent off to die in <sup>suicide</sup> mission
4. Come back to tell tale

## H. Pentagon Papers, Truth of Vietnam

## I. Detroit Winter Soldier Hearings

### 1. John Kerry's grilling

## J. "Peace is at hand" - Henry Kissinger <sup>sec of state</sup>

1. We have plan, will tell after election

## K. Election of 1972

1. The Silent Majority? (Nov 1969)
2. George Wallace shot & removed
3. Too liberal democrat
4. Nixon complete Landslide

## L. Nixon: "Don't blame me I'm from MA"

## M. Vietnam chaos & murder continue

## N. Negotiations very bad

# AFTERMATH OF WAR

## A. 1960-73 3.5 million served

1. 58,000 dead
2. 150K wound

3. 6K POW, 2K MIA still (1270)

4. IDK how many Vietnamese

B. US struggled w/ outcome war

C. "No more Vietnam"

D. War Powers Act 1973 after Nixon veto

1. 48 hour to give Congress

2. forbids war > 60 days

E. Kissinger's Real Politik

Def. 'tenk

1. China & Soviet Union broke up

G. Salt 1.

H. Kissinger's new strat

1. US not involvement in SA

2. US give ~~to~~ to anti-commie insurgents

a. dictatorships, monarchies

b. Iran, South Africa, Brazil

c. CIA covert Chile

I. Frank Church Committee Reports 1975-76

1. Bipartisan

2. 14 reports: US intelligence abuses of law/power

3. Many attempts to assassinate foreign leaders

4. Obama did most assass ever

## THE ECONOMY

A. 2 decades growth finally ends

1. high domestic spending
2. expensive Vietnam

B. Stagflation

1. unemployment  $\nearrow$
2. prices  $\nearrow$
3. credit  $\nearrow$  card usage  $\nearrow$

C. Less for industrial dev, jobs, poverty,

D. first trade deficit of 1900s in 1971

E. Abandoned gold-to-dollar standard

1. devalued dollar

2. economic chaos since (manipulation)

F. Family Assistance Plan

1. abolish other welfare

2. UBI (\$600 for family)

3. Libs (not enough) - Conser (too much)

4. failed!

G. New Federalism

1. give \$\$\$ to states to do stuff

2. raise test score, get \$\$\$, feedback loop

H. Environment

1. Earth day

2. Clean air act, Clean Water Act

### 3. Endangered Species Act.

## THE WARREN COURT

- A. Chief Justice Warren (R activist)
- B. Civil Rights, Due Process, Free Religion, Speech
- C. Brown V. Board of Ed
- D. Reapportionment redraw district lines
- E. State legis must be equal
- F. Roe V. Wade

## BURGER COURT REVERSE

## NIXON'S SOUTH STRAT

- A. Racially coded: "States Rights"
- B. no housing welfare
- C. hate media, intellectuals
- D. Promised cons. judges

## WATERGATE

- A. Broke in
- B. then dug himself in a hole & buried himself