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Chapter 13 Notes

The Mayflower: Saints and Strangers

Religion in England

King Henry VIII started the Church of England church (a.k.a. the Anglican Church) when he was not allowed to re-marry in the Catholic church.

Most English people belonged to this church.

Anglican and Catholic churches were very similar

People such as the Englishmen wanted the differences to be greater.

People such as the Saints or Separatists believed they did not need priests or bishops.

Separatists were not allowed to practice their religion. The consequence was

Some Separatists move to Holland, because they weren't comfortable in England.

They read John Smith's *Description of New England* and decided to move to America.

except for matters of control and leadership

go to Church or go to Jail.

Going to New England

In 1620 The Separatists, now called the Pilgrims, left Holland to
aboard the Mayflower.

About one half of the people on the Mayflower were not Separatists, they were strangers,

Some things they have in common with the Separatists are they are ambitious,

want a better life, they expect to work hard, and they can't stand
the new ideas that are changing England

This very difficult journey took 66 days.

They were hoping to go to Virginia, but ended up in Cape Cod.

Bradford was not pleased, so they went to Plymouth.

They got there too late to plant crops and many of them died that winter.

However, they don't want to return to England.

Before going ashore they create the Mayflower Compact because
they need rules, laws, and leaders.

Some think this is a great document of American history because settlers are able to

to govern themselves.