

Essential Questions

1. Why exactly did the church decide to consider Copernicus as his enemy?
2. What was so offensive to the church from Copernicus's Teachings?
3. Why did it take extra proof for people to find out that Copernicus's teachings were true?
4. What happened after it was discovered that Copernicus's teachings were true?
5. Is this one of the problems which led to protestantism?
6. Why did Copernicus dedicate the book to the Pope?
7. Why did it take until 1616 for the Church to ban the book from being read?