Western Civilization, 1600-1900

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Second Test

In three sentences each, summarize the significance of two of the following:

1. Peter Stuyvesant and the Jews
2. Salem witchcraft trials
3. John Zenger’s trial
4. Pennsylvania Society for Promoting the Abolition of Slavery
5. Locke and the right of revolution

In three sentences each, summarize the significance of two of the following:

1. Eve as the original sinner
2. Punishments for Original Sin
3. Martin Luther or John Calvin on women
4. Olympe de Gouges
5. Elizabeth Cady Stanton

In three sentences each, summarize the significance of two of the following:

1. The “cyclical” view of history
2. The “declinist” view of history
3. The “progress” view history
4. Bacon on “Knowledge is power”
5. Locke on independence of judgment

In three sentences each, summarize the significance of two of the following:

1. The Lisbon earthquake of 1755
2. Newton as the greatest human in history
3. Deism
4. The French *Encyclopédie*
5. Diderot on pleasure as “the most noble and universal of passions”

In six sentences each, summarize the arguments of the following:

1. Jefferson, *The Declaration of Independence*
2. Condorcet, *Sketch for a Historical Picture of the Progress of the Human Mind*
3. Wollstonecraft, *A Vindication of the Rights of Women*
4. Voltaire, *Candide*

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