

The Holy Roman Empire**

Question # 1: Who was Charles V? (Mention in your answer all the countries of which he was king.)

Question # 2: What does Charles V. want? (Hint: It involves the pope.)

Question # 3: Where does Charles' army go to get the special church service and papal blessing?

Question #4: How does Charles get the job done? Who has Charles hired to do his dirty work for him? Why did he hire this particular group of soldiers?

Question # 5: Why is it so important to Charles V. that the pope hold a special service for him? (Your answer should include mention of Charlemagne.)

The Riches of Spain**

Question # 1 a. : Who was Philip II?

Question # 1 b. : Who were the *conquistadores*?

Question # 2: Once Phillip realized there was gold and silver to be found in the New World, what did he do? (Your answer should include the word *encomiendas*.)

Question # 3: Not only was there gold and silver in the New World—there also were people. What were their names? Where did they live? (You can use a modern map for this answer.)

Question # 4: Once the Spanish had taken all the jewels and golden artifacts, what did they do to get more gold and silver? How many people died?* How much money was taken out of the New World?

Question # 5: Why did the Spanish do this? Why did they plunder another continent and kill so many Indians? (There are many right answers to this question.)

Something to think about: It took a lot of money to pay for the Renaissance. Where did the money come from? At what cost?

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* If you have the time, you might want to research this fact. The number that Bauer gives is very low.