

World Civilizations  
[16.4] The Spanish and Dutch Empires  
Guided Notes #7



Throughout the 1500s, \_\_\_\_\_ was the most powerful nation in Europe, with the largest \_\_\_\_\_ empire.

In 1513 \_\_\_\_\_ sailed northward to what is now \_\_\_\_\_. Other explores went to the Yucatan in \_\_\_\_\_. There they learned about the great \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ civilizations.

In 1519, with 11 ships and about 600 men \_\_\_\_\_ invaded Mexico. He seized the \_\_\_\_\_ ruler \_\_\_\_\_, also known as Montezuma. Cortes and his men destroyed the great Aztec city of \_\_\_\_\_. The Spanish \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and especially the \_\_\_\_\_ epidemic helped in their conquest.

In 1530 \_\_\_\_\_ led 180 men and 37 horses on an expedition. From the Isthmus of \_\_\_\_\_ to the \_\_\_\_\_ Empire in what is now \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ destroyed many \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ statues and temples. \_\_\_\_\_ taken from these religious objects made the Spanish treasury \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ directed the \_\_\_\_\_ government. Officials called \_\_\_\_\_ represented the monarchy in the \_\_\_\_\_ and reported to the Council of the Indies in Spain.

European diseases such as \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_ weakened the Native American societies conquered by \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. The tragic outcome of expansion and \_\_\_\_\_ also promoted the growth of \_\_\_\_\_.

The \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_ ENVIED Spain's American wealth.

While the explorers were expanding the \_\_\_\_\_ abroad, Spanish kings expanded their \_\_\_\_\_ in Spain itself. One of the greatest of these kings was \_\_\_\_\_. The nearly continuous religious \_\_\_\_\_ of Charles V drained Spain's human resources and treasury.

Charles realized that the Spanish and Holy Roman empires had become too \_\_\_\_\_ for one man to rule. In 1556 he gave up his \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ the vast lands among members of his family. Charles's son \_\_\_\_\_ received Spain and its possessions.

Philip II saw himself as the leader of the \_\_\_\_\_. He involved Spain in wars to defend \_\_\_\_\_ and bring glory to Spain; these costly wars put Spain in \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ most costly policies were those toward the \_\_\_\_\_, one of Europe's great \_\_\_\_\_ centers. Treated Dutch subjects harshly because of the rise of \_\_\_\_\_ in the area.

In 1568 \_\_\_\_\_ led a revolt against \_\_\_\_\_. He sent small bands of \_\_\_\_\_ on quick raids to keep the Spanish army \_\_\_\_\_. Today this military technique is called \_\_\_\_\_.

The \_\_\_\_\_ ruled European commerce throughout the 1600s. The city of \_\_\_\_\_ became a world financial center. \_\_\_\_\_ became the dominant religious group in the Netherlands.

The \_\_\_\_\_ never tried to \_\_\_\_\_ conquered peoples to \_\_\_\_\_. They came as \_\_\_\_\_, with the sole intention of making \_\_\_\_\_.