

Introduction (Themistocles) 0:00 – 10:36

1. What great empire threatened the Greeks in September of 480 BC? Who was the Greek general who stood in their way?
2. What was the main weapon that the Themistocles planned to use against the invaders?
3. What happened to someone who was ostracized?

Mycenaeans (10:36 -20:10)

4. What group had settled in southern Greece by 1300 B.C. and laid the foundation for Greek civilization?
5. Who wrote about their heroic king Agamemnon exploits in the epic tales The Iliad and The Odyssey? What was the war called that Agamemnon and the Mycenaeans participated in?
6. What happened to the Mycenaeans around 1100 BC? What did Greece fall into for the next four hundred years?
7. What began to develop and flourish throughout Greece in the 8th century BC?

Greek City-States and Democracy Emerge? (20:10 – 32:30)

8. What were the leaders called in many of the early Greek city-states before the advent of democracy?
9. Where was democracy born? Who was the leader that took the city to its Golden Age?
10. What was the name of the mutual defense alliance formed by Athens and other city-states in 478 BC? How did Pericles use the money from the alliance?
11. Who was the guardian goddess of Athens? What grand building did Pericles construct to honor her?

The Parthenon (32:30 – 45:00)

12. What was the Parthenon's main function? When it was completed what did it advertise to the world?
13. What city-state attacked Athens in 431 BC? What invisible enemy attacked the Athenians in 429 BC? What happened to Pericles?
14. When did the Peloponnesian War between Athens and Sparta finally end? What happened to the city thereafter?
15. Who was the young brilliant leader that later lead the spread of Greek culture (Hellenism) throughout the world and which still affects us even today?

Greek History from the Persian Wars to the Hellenistic Period

1. First Persian War

Marathon

2. Second Persian War

~~Marathon~~ Thermopylae

a. Salamis

b. Plataea

3. Athens builds an Empire

a. Delian League

b. Rivalry between Sparta and Athens

4. The Peloponnesian War

a. Interference in Corinth's colonies

b. Long Walls

c. Plague

d. Pericles

e. Alcibiades

f. Attempt to conquer Syracuse

g. Aegospotami

h. Thucydides

5. Philip of Macedon

6. Alexander the Great

7. The Hellenistic Age

a. Empire Divided into three kingdoms

b. Spread of Greek Culture

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