

Who really founded America's values?

The Representation Fighters

•• *How much credit do these fighters deserve?* ••

No matter which original founding group examined, the Jamestown tobacco farmers in the South, the Puritans in the North, or the cereal farmers in between, women universally and any non-white males were given an unequal station in American society; despite the clear Enlightened belief of the social contract of government.

For each fighter, annotate for their efforts to ensure representation is practiced in America as well as for their effective use of ethos, logos, or pathos which helped persuade change. Then capture the essence of their efforts in a document analysis sentence below.

- Give full name of author/creator
- Include document type, name, date
- Select an [action verb] & summarize
- Connect to the FORE values

John Locke, in his 1660 essay, Second Treatise on Government [proposed] the idea that government is a contract that can be overthrown if the people don't feel they are properly represented, giving the American colonists inspiration to form a new nation.

Image: _____ in _____ [_____]...

#1: _____ in _____ [_____]...

#2: _____ in _____ [_____]...

#3: _____ in _____ [_____]...

#4: _____ in _____ [_____]...

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The *most persuasive* Representation Fighter was _____ because...

Another Representation Fighter, _____, made the *interesting/clever* argument that...

Name _____ Per _____

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Abigail Adams, "Remember the Ladies" Letters (1776)

HIPPOS

Inference: what's your under-the-surface answer?

Evidence: what quotes prove your answer?

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S o, what?		

If the record shows abundant mutual respect and love in this marriage, what do you think is causing his reaction to her request?

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Dorothea Dix, Appeal on Behalf of the Insane (1843)

HIPPOS

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Evidence: what quotes prove your answer?

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So, what?

Why do you think this work was so important to Ms. Dix, who had no personal stake in the matter?

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Henry David Thoreau, from "Civil Disobedience" (1849)

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S o, what?		

Where does Mr. Thoreau believe a person is most free? Do you agree or disagree? Why?

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Date _____

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**Terence V. Powderly, Preamble to the
Constitution of the Knights of Labor
(1878)**

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So, what?

How radical are these ideas in modern American society? Which one is the least? Which one is the most still?