

## Vocabulary

### Chapter Seventeen Man of Honor

1. adjudication
2. atrocious
3. dissolution
4. epitaph
5. eviscerated
6. incendiary
7. inimical
8. nascent
9. ostracize
10. rabble
11. *vox populi*

**Questions**  
**Chapter Seventeen**  
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1. Why did many Texas Democrats oppose Houston?
2. Why did Major Neighbors suggest moving the peaceful Indians north of the Red River?
3. In what year did Houston first run for governor? When was he elected?
4. As a slave what services did Jeff provide?
5. From which direction was Major Neighbors shot?
6. Why didn't the governor's mansion have much furniture?
7. Why did the Texas Rangers have to pursue the Comanche?
8. Which political party almost chose Houston as its nominee for president in 1860?
9. What event caused South Carolina (and other states) to secede from the Union?
10. During this time, what did Houston do "in the still watches of the night"?
11. What did President Lincoln propose in the letter he sent to Houston? How did Houston respond?
12. Who was the man who got young Sam, Jr. medical attention on the battlefield?
13. When President Lincoln issued the Emancipation Proclamation, what did Houston do?
14. When Houston, passed away, what object did Margaret show her children and what did it say?



**Test Chapter Seventeen Man of Honor Name\_\_\_\_\_**

**Matching**

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|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| _____1. atrocious         | A. beginning to form       |
| _____2. epitaph           | B. the voice of the people |
| _____3. nascent           | C. offensive or appalling  |
| _____4. rabble            | D. mob; disorderly crowd   |
| _____5. <i>vox populi</i> | E. in opposition to        |
|                           | F. inscription on a tomb   |

**Multiple Choice**

- \_\_\_\_\_1. Major Neighbors suggested moving the Indians north because
- A. There was better land north of the river
  - B. Texans hated all Indians and they were not safe
  - C. He disliked the Indians
  - D. He would be murdered if he did not get rid of the Indians
- \_\_\_\_\_2. Houston's young slave Jeff
- A. Learned to drive his horses
  - B. Learned to read
  - C. Nursed Houston at the end of his life
  - D. All of these
- \_\_\_\_\_3. President Lincoln's letter
- A. Offered Houston troops to keep Texas in the Union
  - B. Offered Houston money to keep Texas in the Union
  - C. Scolded Houston for owning slaves
  - D. Offered a way to escape Texas
- \_\_\_\_\_4. Sam Houston, Jr. was helped on the battlefield by
- A. An unknown Union doctor
  - B. A doctor from Texas
  - C. An unknown clergyman who had heard his father speak in the Senate
  - D. A fellow Texas soldier who respected his father

