

### [POLL] Respect for Marriage Act Protects Same Sex Marriage - Quiz

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### Q1. What does the Respect for Marriage Act provide federal protection for?

- A. Same-sex marriage
- B. Interracial marriage
- C. Arranged marriage
- D. Common-law marriage

#### Q2. Which act does the Respect for Marriage Act repeal?

- A. The Civil Rights Act
- B. The Defense of Marriage Act
- C. The Marriage Equality Act
- D. The Family Protection Act

#### Q3. What was the Defense of Marriage Act's stance on marriage?

- A. Recognized only same-sex marriage
- B. Recognized only marriage between a man and a woman
- C. Recognized all types of marriages
- D. Did not recognize any marriages

### Q4. Before the Respect for Marriage Act, who was responsible for marriage rulings?

- A. The federal government
- B. Each state
- C. Local municipalities
- D. International courts

#### Q5. When was the Defense of Marriage Act passed?

- A. 1986
- B. 1996
- C. 2006
- D. 2016

#### Q6. What is the primary purpose of the Respect for Marriage Act?

- A. To ban same-sex marriage
- B. To protect same-sex marriage at the federal level
- C. To encourage traditional marriage
- D. To eliminate marriage laws

# Q7. Which of the following is NOT affected by the Respect for Marriage Act?

- A. Federal recognition of same-sex marriage
- B. State rulings on marriage
- C. International marriage laws
- D. Repeal of the Defense of Marriage Act

### Q8. What type of marriages did the Defense of Marriage Act recognize?

- A. Only heterosexual marriages
- B. Only homosexual marriages
- C. Both heterosexual and homosexual marriages
- D. No marriages

## Q9. How does the Respect for Marriage Act change state responsibilities?

- A. States no longer create their own marriage rulings
- B. States gain more control over marriage laws
- C. States must ban same-sex marriage
- D. States are unaffected

#### Q10. What is one consequence of the Respect for Marriage Act?

- A. Increased state control over marriage
- B. Uniform federal protection for same-sex marriage
- C. Elimination of all marriage laws
- D. Ban on interracial marriage

### **Answer Key**

- 1. Q1: A
- 2. Q2: B
- 3. Q3: B
- 4. Q4: B
- 5. Q5: B
- 6. Q6: B
- 7. Q7: C
- 8. Q8: A
- 9. Q9: A
- 10. Q10: B