



# What Group of People Was Taken to America and Sold As Slaves? - Quiz

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**Q1. What group of people was taken to America and sold as slaves?**

- A. Africans
- B. Europeans
- C. Asians
- D. Native Americans

**Q2. When did the first boat carrying African slaves arrive in the New World?**

- A. 1492
- B. 1526
- C. 1607
- D. 1776

**Q3. Which crop played an important role in expanding British colonies and increasing the demand for slave labor?**

- A. Tobacco
- B. Cotton
- C. Sugar
- D. Rice

**Q4. When was the importation of slaves banned by Congress?**

- A. 1808
- B. 1776
- C. 1865
- D. 1526

**Q5. Who invented the cotton gin in 1793?**

- A. Thomas Edison
- B. Benjamin Franklin
- C. Eli Whitney
- D. Abraham Lincoln

**Q6. Which US president issued the Emancipation Proclamation?**

- A. George Washington
- B. Thomas Jefferson
- C. Abraham Lincoln
- D. Andrew Jackson

**Q7. When did the American Civil War end?**

- A. April 9, 1865
- B. July 4, 1776
- C. December 6, 1865
- D. January 1, 1863

**Q8. What was the system of slave labor initiated through the penal system called?**

- A. Sharecropping
- B. Convict leasing
- C. Indentured servitude
- D. Chain gangs

**Q9. Which state was one of the first to practice convict leasing?**

- A. Texas
- B. Georgia
- C. Alabama
- D. Louisiana

**Q10. When was slavery abolished in the United States with the ratification of the 13th Amendment?**

- A. 1776
- B. 1808
- C. 1863
- D. 1865

## **Answer Key**

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