



Why France gave US the Statue of Liberty? - Quiz

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Q1. Why did France gift the United States the Statue of Liberty?

- A. To honor their alliance during the Revolutionary War
- B. To inspire the French people to follow the example set by the United States
- C. To celebrate an important milestone for the nation
- D. All of the above

Q2. What is the height of the Statue of Liberty, including its pedestal?

- A. 93 meters (305 feet)
- B. 45 meters (150 feet)
- C. 63 meters (207 feet)
- D. 83 meters (272 feet)

Q3. What is the torch held by the Statue of Liberty made of?

- A. Gold-plated copper
- B. Stainless steel
- C. Bronze
- D. Silver

Q4. What was the secondary motive for creating the Statue of Liberty?

- A. To honor and strengthen the alliance between the United States and France during the American Revolution
- B. To inspire the French people to follow the example set by the United States
- C. To celebrate an important milestone for the nation
- D. To pay homage to the liberation of African American slaves

Q5. Why did France initially offer covert aid and later a full alliance to the colonists during the American Revolution?

- A. To honor and strengthen the alliance between the United States and France
- B. To undermine their old foe, the British Empire
- C. To show support for the idea of being subject to the rule of an unelected body and taxed to fund its plans
- D. All of the above

Q6. Who proposed building the Statue of Liberty as a gift for the United States?

- A. Frederic Auguste Bartholdi
- B. Edouard de Laboulaye
- C. The French monarchy
- D. The Franco-American Union

Q7. What was the original name of the Statue of Liberty?

- A. Liberty Enlightening the World
- B. Lady Liberty
- C. The Torch of Freedom
- D. The Statue of Freedom

Q8. What material is the Statue of Liberty primarily made of?

- A. Copper sheets
- B. Bronze
- C. Marble
- D. Iron

Q9. What was one of Laboulaye's personal reasons for supporting the Statue of Liberty project?

- A. To repair his reputation
- B. To gain political power
- C. To promote violence
- D. To oppose the liberation of slaves

Q10. What does the Statue of Liberty hold in her right hand?

- A. A sword
- B. A book
- C. A torch
- D. A shield

Answer Key

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