Prologue Study Guide

Directions: Answer the following questions. Use your interactive notebook to help you find the answers. The answers are in your interactive notebook.

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| 1. What is government? (Vocabulary) |  |
| 1. What is democracy? (Vocabulary) |  |
| 1. In a republic, who makes decisions for the people? (Vocabulary) |  |
| 1. What city-state in Greece was the first to develop a democratic government? (Notes) |  |
| 1. Who are people in a country who have certain specified rights and responsibilities? (Notes) |  |
| 1. Who are were people in Greco-Roman society who had rights and responsibilities? (Notes) |  |
| 1. The Greeks and Romans believed laws could be discovered through what? (Venn Diagram) |  |
| 1. The Greeks and Romans and Jews and Christians believed in what type of government? (Venn Diagram) |  |
| 1. According to Greek philosophers, with whom did a tyrant share power? (Notes) |  |
| 1. According to Aristotle, why does a tyrant rule against the will of the people? (Notes) |  |
| 1. Who believed government should be controlled by “philosopher kings”? (Vocabulary) |  |
| 1. What did Plato’s *Republic* say the ideal society was? (Notes) |  |
| 1. What were Aristotle’s views on laws? (Notes) |  |
| 1. What were Aristotle’s views on equality in a country/state? (Notes) |  |
| 1. Which idea from Aristotle’s *Politics* influenced the United States? (Notes) |  |
| 1. Greek and Romans and Jews and Christians have influenced what American document? (Notes) |  |
| 1. What documents have the US Constitution influenced? (Notes) |  |
| 1. What is Judaism? (Vocabulary) |  |
| 1. How many gods did the Jews and Christians believe in? What is the term for that? (Venn Diagram) |  |
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| 1. What is the significance of the Ten Commandments? (Notes) |  |
| 1. While Jews and Christians believed laws were received from God, who did the Greeks and Romans believe were responsible for making laws? (Venn Diagram) |  |