History 222-02 and 03: Early Modern Europe

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Texts: Kagan, Ozment and Turner, <u>The Western Heritage</u>. Vol. B: 1300-1815.

(8th edition, 2003).

August 15 Introduction

August 17 Geography of Early Modern Europe: Revival of Monarchy

Northern Europe. Assignment: Kagan et al. [hereafter K]:

333-337.

August 19 Decline of the Middle Ages (Social and Economic); K: 291-

301.

August 22 Decline of the Middle Ages (Religious); K: 302-310.

August 24 The Renaissance. K: 317-333. "Man, the Measure of all

Things" (VH 1343)

August 26 The High Renaissance: "Rome and Venice" (VH 1417)

August 29 The High Renaissance (con't)

August 31 Northern Renaissance; K338-344

September 2 "The Light of Experience" (VH1347)

September 5 Labor Day, No Class

September 7 "Protest and Communication" (VH 1345)

September 9 Luther and the Reformation in Germany; K: 354-361, 366-368.

September 12 Zwingli, the Anabaptists and Calvin; K: 361-365

September 14 The Reformation in England; K: 368-370, 400-404

September 16 QUIZ I (Bring blue books)

September 19 The Age of Exploration, K: 340-349; "Explorers: Triumph of the

West" (VH 0986)

September 21	The Counter-Reformation; K: 370-373, 374-381
September 23	The Counter-Reformation (con't)
September 26	"Grandeur and Obedience" (VH 1346)
September 28	The Wars of Religion and the Thirty Years War; K: 391-401, 404-413
September 30	The English Revolutions I, 1640-1660; K: 418-427
October 3	The English Revolutions II, 1685-1714; K: 427-430
October 5	The Scientific Revolution, K: 450-458
October 7	QUIZ II (Bring blue books)
October 10	Fall Break, No Class
October 12	"Science Revises the Heavens" (VH 1061)
October 14	Beginning of the Enlightenment: Hobbes and Locke. K: 458-474.
October 17	Beginning of the Enlightenment (con't)
October 19	"The Pursuit of Happiness" (VH1348)
October 21	Great Britain's Ascendancy, 1714-89; K486-89, 514-16
October 24	Mozart, The Marriage of Figaro
October 26	Mozart, The Marriage of Figaro
October 28	Mozart, The Marriage of Figaro
October 31	Mozart, The Marriage of Figaro
November 2	England & France in the 18 th century
November 4	Industrial Revolution
November 7	Absolutism in France; K420-422
November 9	"Versailles" (VH 2383)
November 11	The Old Regime

November 14 The Old Regime (con't)

November 16 The French Revolution

November 18 The French Revolution (con't)

November 21 No Class

November 23-25 Thanksgiving Break

November 28 Napoleon

November 30 Napoleon (con't)

December 2 The Congress of Vienna and the new map of Europe

December 5 Final Examination

Instructor: Office Hours: MW10:30-10:55, Tuesday 10:30-11:00 and by appointment. Attendance Policy: Students are allowed only one unexcused absence. In any instance of any absence, students are responsible for classroom presentations.