

## *Explorers to 1815*

### *Veritas Press History Song*

Hear ye, hear ye, listen to the history of one nation, under God,  
indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Let's begin in the 15th century with Prince Henry the Navigator.

Next came number two, Columbus sailed the ocean blue to the New World in 1492.

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Number three, Magellan circumnavigated the Earth.

Then came number four, Cortes, de Soto, de Leon and Coronado, Spanish explorers, all four.

Number five, explorers of the northeast were Cartier, Champlain, and Cabot.

Number six, Sir Walter Raleigh came from England and settled Roanoke, Virginia.

Then number seven, 1607, Jamestown was founded in Virginia.

Number eight was in 1620, when the Mayflower landed at Plymouth.

Number nine came the Plymouth Colony, built by the Pilgrims.

Then number 10, the Massachusetts Bay Colony was the home of the Puritans.

Number 11, Roger Williams was the founder of Rhode Island. Twelve, the witch trials of Salem.

13 the thirteen colonies; New Hampshire and Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New York, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware. Further south you'll find Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina. Georgia was the southernmost of thirteen colonies.

Number 14 came the First Great Awakening. Number 15, England traded with the Colonies.

Number 16, came the French and Indian War. 17, Parliament acted unjustly.

18, the Continental Congress sought for peace with Britain.

19, the War for Independence. Number 20, the British lost at Bunker Hill.

21, America declared its independence, signed the Declaration, 17 and 76.

22, the great commander, George Washington, led the Continental Army.

23, the winter at Valley Forge. 24, the Treaty of Paris at Yorktown.

25, the Constitutional Convention. 26, the founding fathers of America.

27, came our first president, Washington in 17 and 89. 28, the Louisiana Purchase from France.

29, the Lewis and Clark expedition. Number 30, came the Second Great Awakening.

31, the War of 1812. 32, the Missouri Compromise.

Oh, how much we have learned about America!