

## Learning Unit No. 17 "Reconstruction"

Note: L.U. 17 involves chapter 21

### Unit Outcomes:

1. Describe the first steps taken in reconstructing the South.
2. Describe the conflict between Congress and President Johnson regarding Reconstruction.
3. Explain those factors which brought an end to Reconstruction.
4. Identify the economic, political and social trends in the South after Reconstruction.

### Outline:

- I. the aftermath of war (problems of reconstruction)
- II. varying viewpoints
  - A. the Lincoln-Johnson plan (moderate Republicans)
  - B. Radical Republicans
- III. key aspects of Reconstruction
  - A. three Amendments
  - B. Freedman's Bureau
  - C. black codes
  - D. Civil Rights Act
  - E. carpetbaggers and scalawags
  - F. impeachment of Johnson
  - G. Ku Klux Klan
- IV. the end of Reconstruction and the "New South"
  - A. Compromise of 1877
  - B. share cropping
  - C. Jim Crow Laws - *Plessey v. Ferguson*
  - D. African American activism

### Key terms, names, and quotations:

integration-segregation	Booker T. Washington
W.E.B. DuBois	Thaddeus Stevens
Charles Sumner	amnesty

*With malice toward none, with charity for all . . .* (Abraham Lincoln, 1865)

### Readings:

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| _____ 1. pp. 527 - 532 | _____ 3. pp. 540 - 547 |
| _____ 2. pp. 533 - 538 |                        |