

Malcolm X and Black Power: Understanding Different Paths to Justice

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5th Grade History Review

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Answer the following questions based on what you learned about Malcolm X and the Black Power movement.

1. What was one main difference between Malcolm X's approach and Martin Luther King Jr.'s approach?

- A. Malcolm X believed in nonviolence
- B. Malcolm X supported armed self-defense
- C. Martin Luther King Jr. was a member of the Black Power movement

2. Malcolm X was a leader who focused on the ____ of African Americans.

3. What are two different strategies for seeking equality that you learned about?

4. Malcolm X and Martin Luther King Jr. had the same beliefs about how to achieve civil rights.

- True False

5. How can we show respect to people with different views?

6. What does Micah 6:8 emphasize as important for justice?

- A. To fight for rights aggressively
- B. To do justly, love mercy, and walk humbly
- C. To ignore others' opinions

7. The Black Power movement aimed to promote ____ and self-determination for African Americans.

8. Understanding multiple perspectives is important in social change.

- True False

9. Why is it important to have courage in social change?

10. What was a key theme of the civil rights movement discussed in the lesson?

- A. Only one approach is correct
- B. Different strategies can work together
- C. Violence is the best solution

Answer Key

1. 1 2. empowerment 3. One strategy is peaceful protests as used by Martin Luther King Jr., and another is self-defense as advocated by Malcolm X. 4. False 5. We can listen to their opinions, try to understand their perspective, and treat them kindly even if we disagree. 6. To do justly, love mercy, and walk humbly 7. pride 8. True 9. Courage helps people stand up for what is right and face challenges without giving up, which is crucial for making a difference. 10. Different strategies can work together