

Fernando Brambila and Juan Gálvez, Spanish Artists, Engraving of Agustina de Aragón, a Woman of the Spanish City of Zaragoza During the Siege by One of Napoleon's Armies, 1808



The engraving was part of a series of illustrations of the siege of Zaragoza commissioned by the Spanish commander who led the successful defense of the city.

2. Respond to parts A, B, and C.

- A. Describe a likely intended purpose of the engraving.
- B. Describe a broader historical context for the events depicted in the engraving.
- C. Explain one way that events such as those referenced in the engraving affected European politics in the period after 1815.

"I declare that my religion does not allow me to take an oath such as the National Assembly requires; I am happy and I even promise to watch over . . . the faithful of this parish who are entrusted to me, to be true to the nation and the king, and to observe the Constitution decreed by the National Assembly and sanctioned by the king.

I recognize no superior and other legislators than the pope and the bishops; you Christians would certainly not wish to be led by a nonbeliever and I would be such a one if I had had the cowardice to take an oath such as the National Assembly requires. According to our faith, the sovereign pontiff is not only at the center of Catholic unity and has primacy of honor in all the Church, but he also has primacy of jurisdiction. Is it not refusing him this primacy of jurisdiction in France to forbid the entire Church and all French citizens to recognize his authority and his jurisdiction?

By taking this oath, I would have sworn no longer to recognize our holy father the pope and head of the Church, or the bishops as its governors. . . . I believe that my confidence in refusing the oath will be an example for any of you who choose to lose your possessions, your fortune, even your life if necessary, rather than abandon your faith, your religion and offend your God."

Source: Declaration by J. A. Baude, a French parish priest, 1791

2. Using the excerpt, respond to **parts a, b, and c.**

- a. Describe a likely audience of the declaration.
- b. Explain one way in which the declaration reflects a development during the French Revolution.
- c. Explain one effect after 1791 of ideas such as those expressed in Baude's declaration.

Question 3 or 4

Directions: Answer either Question 3 or Question 4.

3. Respond to **parts a, b, and c.**

- a. Describe one cause for the development of the Concert of Europe in the early 1800s.
- b. Explain one way in which the Concert of Europe affected Europe during the first half of the 1800s.
- c. Explain one reason why the Concert of Europe broke down in the mid-1800s.

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Directions: Answer either Question 3 or Question 4.

3. Respond to **parts a, b, and c.**

- a. Describe one change in French politics or society achieved by the liberal phase of the French Revolution.
- b. Explain how the radicalization of the French Revolutionary regime led to one change prior to Napoleon's takeover of the French government.
- c. Explain one way in which the regime of Napoleon represented a continuity with the radical phase of the French Revolution.