Instructions

Read each section carefully and complete the activities. Try your best to answer all the questions about the American Civil War.

Part 1: Match the Meanings

Draw a line from the word on the left to its correct meaning on the right.

1. Union	The southern states that left the USA. They wore gray uniforms.	
2. Confederacy	The practice of owning people and forcing them to work without pay.	
3. Abraham Lincoln	The northern states that fought to keep the country together. They wore blue uniforms.	
4. Slavery	He was the President of the United States during the war.	

Part 2: Fill in the Blanks

Use the words in the box below to complete the sentences.

	won	North	brother	South	
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Part 3: Who Am I?

Read the clues and write the correct name from the box below.

	Ulysses S. Grant	Robert E. Lee	
1. I was the main gene	ral for the Confederate army ((the South).	
2. I was the final and m	ost important general for the	Union army (the North).	

Part 4: True or False?

Read each sentence and circle TRUE or FALSE.

1. The Civil War happened before the American Revolution.

TRUE / FALSE

2. The two sides were fighting over what to have for dinner.

TRUE / FALSE

3. The Emancipation Proclamation was an order that freed slaves in the Confederate states.

TRUE / FALSE

Answer Key

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- 1. **Union** → The northern states that fought to keep the country together. They wore blue uniforms.
- 2. **Confederacy** → The southern states that left the USA. They wore gray uniforms.
- 3. **Abraham Lincoln** → He was the President of the United States during the war.
- 4. **Slavery** → The practice of owning people and forcing them to work without pay.

Part 2: Fill in the Blanks

- 1. The Civil War was a fight between the **North** and the **South**.
- 2. Sometimes it was called the war of "brother against brother" because families were divided.
- 3. The Union, or the **North**, **won** the war.

Part 3: Who Am I?

- 1. Robert E. Lee
- 2. Ulysses S. Grant

Part 4: True or False?

- 1. FALSE
- 2. FALSE
- 3. TRUE