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Martin Luther: The Protestant Reformation – Guided Notes

- I. Martin Luther
 - a. Born in _____ in _____.
 - b. After surviving a violent storm, he vowed to become a _____.
 - c. Lived in the city of _____.
 - d. Died in _____.
- II. Protestant Reformation
 - a. Protest means –
 - b. Reform means –
- III. Problems in the Church
 - a.
 - b.
- IV. Corruption
 - a. The Church raised money through practices like _____ and selling _____.
 - b. Advantages of buying indulgences
 - i. Go _____!
 1. Do not go to _____!
 2. Do not go to _____!
 3. Get through _____ faster!
 4. Do not pass go!
- V. Political Conflict is between _____ and _____
- VI. Papal Schism
 - a. In _____, the king tried to _____ the French _____.
 - b. The pope threatened to _____ the king and so was _____ . He was later released.
 - c. The next pope, _____, moved the headquarters of the Church from _____ to _____ in southern France.
 - d. Many people felt that the French kings _____ the Church.
- VII. Three Popes!
 - a. The next _____ popes lived in _____. Pope _____ then moved the papacy back to _____ in _____.
 - b. When Gregory died, the French cardinals did not like the new pope in _____, so they elected a different pope in _____.
 - c. Later, a _____ elected a third pope.
- VIII. Calls for Reform
 - a. John Wycliffe (1330-1384)
 - i. _____ the authority of the pope
 - b. Jan Hus (1370-1415)
 - i. Criticized the vast _____ of the Church
 - c. Desiderius Erasmus (1469-1536)
 - i. Attack _____ in the Church.
- IX. Luther Looks for Reforms

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- a. Luther criticized _____, like selling _____.
 - b. He wanted to begin a discussion within the Church about the true path to _____.
 - c. He nailed his _____, or arguments, to the door of _____ cathedral for all to see.
- X. Protestant Teaching: Justification of Faith Alone
- a. The _____ is the only source of truth
 - b. People can _____ and _____ the Bible themselves
 - c. _____ comes only through faith in Christ.
- XI. Excommunication
- a. _____ - demanded that Luther _____ 41 of his Ninety-Five Theses
 - b. Luther was brought before the _____.
 - c. In January _____, Luther was _____ from the Church.
- XII. The Printing Press
- a. Luther's _____ spread quickly with the help of the printing press
 - b. Luther's supporters _____ copies of his speeches and essays far and wide
 - c. _____ of people sided with Luther against the Roman Catholic Church.
- XIII. A New Church
- a. Luther soon had many _____.
 - b. His supporters began to organize a new _____.
 - c. Several _____ princes supporter Luther.
 - d. _____ and _____ fought each other.
 - e. The first wars ended with the _____, but fighting in Europe over religion continued to the _____ century.
- XIV. Lutheranism
- a. Luther's followers disagreed with many of the _____ of the Catholic Church
 - b. They _____ the authority of Church councils and the pope.
 - c. _____ the Bible was the only way to learn how to lead a _____.
- XV. The Reformation spread to other countries
- a. France and Switzerland
 - i. _____ prached the idea of _____ and that some people had been chosen by God for Salvation
 - b. England
 - i. _____ refused to recognize the Roman Catholic Church and started a new church, the _____.