

Chapter 15: Reconstruction, 1865-1877

I. The Struggle for National Reconstruction

Write a **thesis** summarizing the significance of this section.

- A. Presidential Approaches: From Lincoln to Johnson
- B. Congress versus the President
- C. Radical Reconstruction
- D. Woman Suffrage Denied

What **examples** would you use to support your thesis?

II. The Meaning of Freedom

Write a **thesis** summarizing the significance of this section.

- A. The Quest for Land
- B. Republican Governments in the South
- C. Building Black Communities

What **examples** would you use to support your thesis?

III. The Undoing of Reconstruction

Write a **thesis** summarizing the significance of this section.

- A. The Republican Unraveling
- B. Counterrevolution in the South
- C. The Political Crisis of 1877
- D. Lasting Legacies

What **examples** would you use to support your thesis?