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**What Changes Did the Ottoman Empire Bring to Europe and Asia?**

Directions: Compare Map B on page 90 to Map B on page 48 in the *Atlas of World History*. Then read the following statements. If the statement is TRUE place a check in the space provided. If the statement is FALSE, re-write the sentence in the space provided to make the sentence true.

\_\_\_\_\_ 1. The Byzantine Empire was established before the Ottoman Empire.

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\_\_\_\_\_ 2. Both empires controlled much of the land surrounding the Mediterranean Sea.

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\_\_\_\_\_ 3. The Byzantine Empire replaced the Ottoman Empire.

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\_\_\_\_\_ 4. Istanbul is the capital of the Byzantine Empire.

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**Why Did the Ottoman Empire Decline?**

Many factors led to the decline of the Ottoman power. At Lepanto, the Holy League (an alliance against the Ottomans) had a fleet with two and a half times as many cannons as the Ottoman fleet. Advanced technology gave the Western Europeans an advantage over the Ottomans.

The Ottomans had taxed overland trade between Europe and Asia. When the Europeans began using sea routes, the Ottomans could no longer profit as much from overland trade.

Read the primary source document and use it to respond to the activity that follows.

“Under Suleiman the Great, the Ottoman Empire expanded greatly throughout Europe and Asia. Under his strict control of society, order and stability were maintained, Istanbul became a center for educated and skilled scientists as well as artisans. Had he lived forever, perhaps the whole world would be under Ottoman control. However, after his death in 1566, the sultans that followed him proved to be incompetent, lazy, corrupt, or often times, all three combined. After each military defeat, the sultans ruling power and territory began to slowly disappear. Today all that remains of the Ottoman Empire’s large empire is the modern nation of Turkey.”

1. What is the main idea of this paragraph?
	1. Turkey is not a small nation
	2. Lousy rules ruined the Ottoman Empire
	3. The Great Ottoman Empire
	4. Istanbul was the most important Ottoman city
2. Place the Following in order:

\_\_\_\_\_ Crummy sultans come into power

\_\_\_\_\_ Suleiman the Great rules

\_\_\_\_\_ Ottoman empire expands

\_\_\_\_\_ Suleiman the Great dies

\_\_\_\_\_ Only Turkey remains from the Ottoman Empire

\_\_\_\_\_ Ottoman Empire suffers military defeats

Answer the following questions using information from your text and the presentation given in class.

1. Why were the Ottomans so powerful?

The Ottoman Empire was powerful because \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. This made them powerful because \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. What caused the decline of the Ottoman Empire?

The Ottoman Empire decline because \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. This had a negative effect on the Ottoman Empire because \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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