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Revolutionary Voices

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What was the purpose of "Common Sense" by Thomas Paine?
 - a) To tell jokes about the war
 - b) To convince colonists to support independence
 - c) To praise the British government
 - d) To explain how to fight in battle

2. How did Paul Revere's engraving of the Boston Massacre influence colonists?
 - a) It made many people angry at the British
 - b) It showed that the British were kind to the colonists
 - c) It encouraged people to remain loyal to Britain
 - d) It was used to celebrate King George III

3. What was the main message of Patrick Henry's speech?
 - a) That colonists should make peace with Britain
 - b) That soldiers should leave the army
 - c) That freedom was worth fighting for
 - d) That taxes were fair and should continue

4. Why was Phillis Wheatley's poetry important during the Revolution?
 - a) It celebrated liberty and showed that all people hoped for freedom
 - b) It supported the British Army
 - c) It helped soldiers fight in battles
 - d) It taught colonists how to grow crops

5. How did art, literature, and propaganda help during and after the war?
 - a) They were only used by soldiers, not citizens
 - b) They convinced everyone to remain loyal to Britain
 - c) They had no effect on people's opinions
 - d) They helped spread ideas about independence and democracy

