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U.S. History I

Manifest Destiny and the Mexican War STUDY GUIDE

Key Terms

Manifest Destiny

The California Gold Rush

Missions and Presidios

The Alamo

The Republic of Texas



Key People

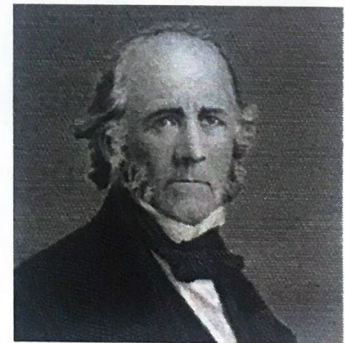
Stephen Austin

Davy Crocket

Sam Houston

Antonio Lopez de Santa Anna

James K. Polk



Key Concepts

What is manifest destiny and why did many Americans believe in this idea?

Why did many people head West in the early to mid-1800s?

What were the causes and results of the Mexican War?

How did the U.S. grow into a country that spread from coast to coast?

